Subject: Compile Windows .exe on Linux and vice versa, how?
Posted by mentaltruckdriver on Sun, 05 Mar 2006 15:30:31 GMT
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Thanks.

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Posted by mirek on Sun, 05 Mar 2006 19:42:15 GMT
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Well, you cannot usually even make linux programs that run an all linuxes out there. There is no such thing as "standard linux executable".

U++ is an exception as it is able to produce binary that is as much self-contained that it runs on most system without recompiling.

There at the moment is no way how to compile Linux programs on Win32 (curiously, it seems to be possible to do the opposite).

Mirek

Subject: Re: Linux Compiling
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there are some options to that.

You can try using cygwin to install an *unix* enviroment in your windows box (http://www.cygwin.com/)
You can install a linux distribution using vmplayer or use some vmplayer image of a linux distro.

I think there may be more, but these are OSS solutions i think, good luck.
