Subject: Microsoft for Phone
Posted by forlano on Sun, 25 Apr 2010 08:29:13 GMT
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Hello,

perhaps this topic has been discussed. Only today I found
http://www.microsoft.com/express/Phone/

Is it good to port U++ on smartphone? Are there around experiment in such direction?

Luigi

Subject: Re: Microsoft for Phone
Posted by dolik.rce on Sun, 25 Apr 2010 09:41:38 GMT
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Honza

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Posted by mirek on Mon, 26 Apr 2010 09:00:03 GMT
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Actually.... it is true that WinCE is out of favor, OTOH making U++ port is much easier than any other platform. In fact, there was limited success in the past.

The only issue I always had was the lack of free compiler. If M$ decided to provide free compiler now, I guess it might be worth trying.

Mirek

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Posted by amrein on Thu, 29 Jul 2010 19:10:08 GMT
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cdb3d-50d1-41b2-a107-fa75ae960856&displaylang=en
http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyID=4a4
ed1f4-91d3-4dbe-986e-a812984318e5&displaylang=en

Subject: Re: Microsoft for Phone
Posted by zsolt on Thu, 29 Jul 2010 21:07:02 GMT
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Quote:Like eMbedded Visual C++ 4.0 ?
It is useless, as it is based on MSC6.

Subject: Re: Microsoft for Phone
Posted by mirek on Fri, 17 Jun 2011 10:15:20 GMT
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Not sure what last poster wanted to say

However, wrt this subject, this looks interesting:

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Posted by dolik.rce on Fri, 17 Jun 2011 10:54:55 GMT
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The previous poster me is just a spammer - they sneaked links into my quotation

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Honza

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Posted by mirek on Fri, 17 Jun 2011 12:08:07 GMT
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Honza

Well, I am not in favor of windows phones, but it is not unlikely that nokia deal can change this (well, at least, we know know that we do not have to support symbian, right?

Mirek

Subject: Re: Microsoft for Phone
Posted by mr_ped on Fri, 17 Jun 2011 16:19:45 GMT
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yep, it's game over with symbian.
