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Subject: Re: Looking for some ideas.

Posted by [vloktboky](#) on Sat, 29 Jul 2006 06:57:51 GMT

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Agreed. What you know, and what you want to know, are two necessary ingredients if you want to get any suggestions that pertain to you.

Now if you take Apache's idea, especially the HTML preview/edit idea, that would be a warm invention to look into MFC programming. If you take this idea, I suggest researching into Document/View Architecture (single document should suffice for this example) with a splitter window using an EditView on the one side and an HTMLView on the other side. The EditView would give you notepad-like control for editing the document. The HTMLView internally uses COM modules embedded in IE, allowing you to easily view pages as you would see them in IE. Since you'd be using DVA, you could easily migrate the two views, allowing changes made in the EditView to be directly rendered through IE in the HTMLView.

If you seriously consider this idea, here's a few references from MSDN that could help you get started:

Document/View Architecture

Splitter Window

CEditView

CHTMLView

You should be able to get away with most of the nitty-gritty work by making use of the AppWizard if you are using MSVS.

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