

Re: Good C programming style

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On 2005-10-10 15:31:40 +0200, Chris Dollin <kera@xxxxxxxxxxxx> said:

Sensei wrote:

So why I see so often something like:

```
#define CEXCERPT do { \  
some(); \  
C_code(); \  
here(); \  
} while(0)
```

Is it just some person thinking he would achieve more speed?

No, it's some person arranging that their macro can be expanded as

```
as CEXCERPT;
```

without confusion. (I would have thought, even more likely with a parameterised macro.)

I understood why he does not use a ; at the end, but why someone would have such a big macro... is beyond my knowledge, something like the xge_whatever stuff I found... :)

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The difference between stupidity and genius is that genius has its limits. (A. Einstein)

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