

Re: Compaq Visual Fortran

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Richard Maine wrote:

As long as we are talking about exact words, I seriously doubt that Intel or most other vendors ever "officially advise" (your exact words) anything on this forum, regardless of whether it is for Intel products or not. Intel has an official support forum, but this is not it. That has been made pretty explicit more than once.

That was my point! I DID NOT say that Steve would not respond, but that he would be unlikely to respond publicly in this Forum, if at all. And Steve did NOT address the problem even when he responded to your unwanted comment as to my intentions. I think this proves my point.

If Steve had responded to the OP posting with an explanation as how to do this re-installation, of a replaced and now unsupported product, his very recognizable name and affiliation would have caused conflicting interpretations to persons reading the postings as to Intel's position. Remember these are all licensed products.

Would he be responding as a private person? In his position I would have written privately to the poster with the problem; but I would have no idea if he had done so and therefore suggested to the OP what to do, HINTING that Steve might be approached privately. After all he wrote to me privately, interested in solving situations with a product he was very connected with.

Please comment on Fortran and not my supposed intentions.

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