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Chat with the lab

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Topic : Top 10 reasons to consider IBM Data Server Driver for JDBC and SQLJ for IDS servers

IBM Data Server Driver for JDBC and SQLJ (also known as JCC driver) has been enhanced to support IDS servers, since Cheetah (11.10UC1) release. This common driver for all IBM data servers have several advantages over Informix JDBC driver, especially in the areas of JDBC 4 capability, transaction-level work load balancing with Mach 11, tight integration with Websphere, pureQuery and other IM products, support for secure SSL among others.

Join IBM JCC Development Manager, Satheesh Bandaram, at the upcoming Informix Chat with the Lab as he discusses best practices around usage of IBM Data server driver for JDBC and SQLJ for IDS. He will examine migration path, challenges you might encounter and some useful tips.

Jerry Keesee, Director of the Informix Lab will introduce the call and Satheesh Bandaram, IBM JCC Development Manager will be our technical speaker.

Presentation material will be available at www.ibm.com/informix/labchats prior to the event.

To register for this event, use the following link:

<https://events.webdialogs.com/register.php?id=d44771608d&l=en-US>

Informix Beta Program

The IBM Informix beta (early access program) provides our clients and partners with early exposure to the next release (Panther) of Informix Dynamic Server, with an opportunity to use these capabilities in real world situations. As a beta program participant, you will be able to evaluate and provide feedback on new features and capabilities in Informix before its general availability.

In addition to early exposure of new Informix capabilities, you will have access to IBM resources through lab advocates who will help ensure your successful deployment of new Informix features. Finally, having early access to the upcoming release will allow you to prototype solutions in your environment for faster deployment.

To submit a nomination form you can visit the following website. I believe they are looking for as many participants as possible, so most nominations will be accepted, almost like an Open Beta program.

http://www-01.ibm.com/software/data/informix/beta/?cm_sp=MTE10572

Protect Your Data with Secure Sockets Layer (SSL)

Check out one of the latest articles on Informix Developerworks.

Summary: Learn how to use the Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) feature of Informix Dynamic Server 11.50 to encrypt data in transit from client to server.

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