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a good chunk of time?

maybe 20 minutes a week?

you xls baby
you mdb baby

need to grow up before you get stuck with thinking that it's ok.

there is a window of opportunity to save these sheep-- that you are leading to slaughter-- and im not going to sit idly by while microsoft loses every war they fight.

excel is for babies.

MDB is better than Excel any day of the week. but experienced MDB people need to grow into Access Data Projects. it is ridiculous to not grow.

you guys are stuck on the first rung of the technology ladder

i give plenty of technical advice

my technical advice is 'spit on people who use excel and learn a real program'

im sorry you see that as political or religious advice
I see it as technical advice for technical babies

im a drunk??

i dont drink at all; thanks.

i give plenty of help
just because you don't like my technical description of 'fuck microsoft excel and fuck financial analysts and fuck people sitting around playing in excel all day'

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WE WILL AUTOMATE YOU OUT OF A JOB.

WE --- RDBMS Engineers--- Have been doing it already for 10 years.

there are plenty of commercial products out there; if you would rather spend 10,000 on a commercial program--- written to use SQL Server--- than pay a half dozen beancounters for a month to do the same thing--- I highly recommend that people stop choosing the route of Microsoft Excel.

Just cut it off and hire a couple of database developers.

Database Administration isn't a fulltime job.

but the fact of the matter is that you can do your business calculations in one place or a hundred different places.

you can do your formulas 'once per cell' or 'once per query'

you can copy and paste for all i fucking care.
but it's not the most efficient way to do anything.

We've got builders and we've got a whole 104-key keyboard.

you idiots only use 3 keys on the keyboard CTRL+C and CTRL+V

I just think that it's a travesty.
The biggest waste of labor hours ever conceived.

Worse than Internet Explorer; worse than Solitaire.

Microsoft Excel is a dead end street and you lazy assholes need to learn a real program.

Shit; learn a couple real programs.
You'll never go back.

Harlan Grove wrote:

aaron.kempf@xxxxxxxxx wrote...

unprovable?

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Yes. You claim to know a lot, but you seldom if ever respond with detailed solutions. If you actually do know anything, since you seem to spend a good chunk of times posting to newsgroups, why not answer some

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questions as a diversion from ranting? To be fair, in dbms ngs you provide some details in about 10% of your postings. The other 90% fall into the 'you MDB baby' variety.

Increase your signal to noise ratio, and people may take you seriously. As it is, you're just the loud, belligerent neighborhood drunk.