

Re: What's MEXT in English?

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Jed Rothwell wrote:

- > *Perhaps countries like India*
- > *prove I am wrong, but my prediction is that within a hundred years nearly*
- > *everyone on earth will speak English as a second language, and within a*
- > *thousand years all other languages will be extinct. That is a terrible*
- > *thing, but it seems unavoidable.*

Actually, India probably supports that hypothesis. When I was VP at Paxonet, one of the things that surprised me was the number of employees that spoke English to each other. The reason was simple: there are about 15 major languages in India, and many Indians have only English as a common language.

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