

Re: JSH: Move over reality TV

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jstevh@msn.com wrote:

> *And I like to give people ways to test whether or not what I'm saying*
> *is true, so I'll take this moment to add that I have an *applet* that*
> *you can run for yourself to count primes at my new Yahoo! Group:*

> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/myprimecounting/>

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> *Then you can see for yourself how fast it is.*

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> *James Harris*

An even better way is to compile the C code version you posted some time back. Then compare the results with those of another method compiled under the same platform. Naturally, I did this and your method sank miserably compared to mine.

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There are two things you must never attempt to prove: the unprovable -- and the obvious.

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Democracy: The triumph of popularity over principle.

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