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Subject: Re: [jvt-experts] JM (5.0) software: issues with "alloca"

Hi,

we had this discussion before. There is always the question how much compatibility we want to provide. I think we agreed not to introduce new `alloca()` calls, but nobody removed the old ones so far. Anyway I expect these files to change with the high level syntax implementation.

Best regards,
Karsten

Raman Subramanian wrote:

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> Hi,
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> I am new to this group. I downloaded JM software version 5.0 and am
> try to port it to a different platform other than Unix/Linux variants.
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> I have been having issues with the "alloca" function used in:
> src/decodeiff.c and src/rtp.c. Why not simply use "malloc" and "free"
> and make it more portable ?
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> Did anyone face a similar problem with porting to different platforms ?
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> Please correct me if I am wrong, or if I did something stupid.
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> Thanks,
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> -Raman
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