

Re: Looking For Terminal Server That Can Give Each Serial Port a Unique IP

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to easy....check out

http://www.moxa.com/product/Serial_Device_Servers/8_16_Port/index.htm

"CHANGE USERNAME TO westes" <DELETE_westes@earthbroadcast.com> wrote in message news:RNydnfysJP88TWyiRVn-jg@giganews.com...

> *I am looking for a terminal server product that can map each serial port on*

> *the terminal server to a unique IP address. My application for this is*

> *management of several network devices through a GUI tool that expects to*

> *connect directly via telnet or a serial port to the device. The*

> *management software has no programmatic capability, so I have no way to*

> *negotiate my way through a terminal server's selection menu. What I need*

> *instead is the ability to configure the management tool with a unique IP*

> *address that will connect directly to the text stream of the device via*

> *telnet, thereby faking out the software into thinking it has a network*

> *connection to the device when in fact it has a serial connection.*

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> *There are situations where I cannot connect directly to the network port*

on

> *the device (such as when I'm configuring the network port or upgrading the*

> *firmware on the network management card). Therefore I have no choice but*

> *to go in by serial port.*

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> *I would greatly appreciate referrals to terminal server products that have*

> *the capability I am describing.*

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