

Resources mentioned in this talk

It's Time To Share: Calendar Data Interchange

<http://public.yahoo.com/~radwin/>
Slides for this presentation.

Internet Calendaring and Scheduling Core Object Specification

<http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2445.txt>
Official iCalendar spec.

CalDAV protocol home page

<http://ietf.webdav.org/caldav>
IETF drafts, news, protocol working-group email list.

What Time is it in Indiana?

<http://www.mccsc.edu/time.html>
Explains Indiana's confusing time zone and Daylight Saving Time rules.

National Weather Service County-Time Zone data

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/geodata/catalog/county/html/county.htm>

US Census Bureau "Zip Code" Data

<http://www.census.gov/geo/www/gazetteer/places2k.html>

Other Calendar formats:

vCal 1.0: <http://www.imc.org/pdi/vcal-10.txt>
CSV: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Comma-separated_values
Palm Date Book Archive: http://www.geocities.com/helphand1/datebook_dat.htm
xCal: <http://www.calsch.org/ietf/archives/draft-ietf-calsch-many-xcal-02.txt>
RdfCalendar: <http://www.w3.org/2002/12/cal/>
hCalendar: <http://developers.technorati.com/wiki/hCalendar>

Other calendar and time resources

libical bindings for PHP

<http://www.a-s-i.com/~glamm/ical/>
C extension for PHP4 that can parse/generate iCalendar files. Beta-quality, but very efficient.

File_iCal

<http://pear.php.net/pepr/pepr-proposal-show.php?id=251>
Proposal for PEAR package that can parse/generate iCalendar files.

Palm::DBA

<http://www.hebcal.com/dist/Palm-DBA.pm>
Perl module for generating binary Palm Date Book Archive files.

RSS Calendar

<http://www.rsscalendar.com/>
Web-based calendar with built-in RSS feeds. Uses <enclosure> tag to allow iCalendar-aware RSS readers to seamlessly download .ics files.

iCal Exchange

<http://www.icalx.com/>
Publicly available WebDAV server for publishing .ics files. A free alternative to .Mac.

iCalShare

<http://www.icalshare.com/>
Searchable, browsable index of publicly available .ics files.

TAICLOCK

<http://cr.yip.to/proto/taiclock.txt>
Measuring time with attosecond precision until after the likely heat death of the Sun.

ZipInfo

<http://www.zipinfo.com/>
Commercial source for ZIP-code related databases