## HyperCom 2.0 Allows HyperAppleTalk Access across Zones (11/94)

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TOPIC ---------------------------------------------------------

Is there a new version of HyperAppleTalk that supports multiple zones?  Or is
there another product that can support multiple zones in a network?

We have a system developed in HyperCard and HyperAppleTalk.  When we changed our
network configuration, the system didn't work, because HyperAppleTalk could not
"see" different zones.

DISCUSSION ----------------------------------------------------

There are no revisions planned to HyperAppleTalk.  You can use a commerical
product or create your own configurations with the Communications Toolbox
Toolkit.

The commercial product that does allow HyperAppleTalk access across zones is
"HyperCom 2.0" by GAVA Corporation.

Here is an excerpt from the "Read Me" file for the Communications Toolbox
Toolkit that should effectively replace HyperAppleTalk. Use the following path
to find the toolkit:

Developer Support
  Developer Services
    Development Platforms
      HyperCard Related
        HyperCard ToolKits
          Communication Toolbox Toolkit

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this product is to be used in commercial applications.  Contact Apple Software
Licensing for more information.

This toolkit contains everything you need to access the facilities of the
Communications Toolbox from HyperCard.  Besides the XCMDs and XFCNs needed, the
toolkit also provides a complete set of documentation, and the full source code
for the XCMDs and XFCNs.

The toolkit disk includes:

- CTB Toolkit Docs--A HyperCard stack describing the Communications Toolbox
  XCMDs and XFCNs.

- CTB Configuration Docs--A HyperCard stack which lists the configuration
  string parameters for the basic Communications Toolbox tools.  These
  strings are used to configure a tool from within a script.

- CTB Toolkit Example--A HyperCard stack that uses the toolkit.  This
  should serve as an example of how to get started using these facilities.

- Net Looker--An example of using the name binding protocol (NBP) XCMDs
  included with the toolkit.  This stack lists zones and names on the local
  network.

- Source Code--A folder containing the complete source code for the
  toolkit."


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