VIEW Mailer An Introduction

View is a PC based electronic mail system. View can operate with a standalone PC(view.exe), or as part of a novell network(lan view.exe).

In stand-alone mode (VIEW.EXE), you must have a KA9Q TCP/IP SMTP server running. Amateur radio operators running TCP/IP over radio may already be familiar with KA9Q NOS. NOS is stored on THUMPER.BELLCORE.COM NOS was written by Phil Karn, KA9Q.

The network version of View runs much differently. This version has been compiled with a novell library. This allows View to use the network functions of novell. If you are running View on a network, an utility machine must be setup. The utility machine runs POSTMAN. In the 'real' world, if the postman is not working, then no mail is delivered. This is the same for the View mailer. POSTMAN delivers the mail from user to user. The POSTMAN can handle up to 8 servers. If you have a gateway machine running KA9Q NOS, the postman will send and receive Internet mail onto the novell network.

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IP address: 129.100.22.100

Anonymous FTP supported.

Pull all files into your machine and print all text files.