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PWriteDDP Send a datagram to another socket

#include <<u>AppleTalk.h</u>>

AppleTalk Manager

OSErr PWriteDDP(thePBptr, async);

MPPPBPtr thePBptr; pointer to an DDPparms structure

Boolean async; 0=await completion; 1=immediate return

returns Error Code; 0=no error

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Out-In	<u>Name</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Offset</u>	<u>Description</u>
\rightarrow	csCode	short	2	26	always <u>closeSkt</u>
\rightarrow	socket	<u>char</u>	1	28	socket number
\rightarrow	checksumFlag	<u>char</u>	1	29	checksum flag
\rightarrow	wdsPointer	Ptr	4	30	write data structure

async is a <u>Boolean</u> value. Use <u>FALSE</u> for normal (synchronous) operation or <u>TRUE</u> to enqueue the request and resume control immediately. See <u>Async I/O</u>.

Returns: an operating system Error Code. It will be one of:

noErr (0) No error ddpSktErr (-91) Socket Error

ddpLenErr (-92) Datagram length too big

noBridgeErr (-93) No bridge found

Notes: wdsPointer points to a write data structure containing the datagram and the address of the destination socket. If the checksumFlag is TRUE,

PWriteDDP will compute the checksum for all datagrams requiring long headers.

Before it can use a socket, the program must call <u>POpenSkt</u> which adds a socket and its socket listener to the socket table. When a client is finished using a socket, call <u>PCloseSkt</u>, which removes the socket's entry from the socket table. To send a datagram via DDP, call <u>PWriteDDP</u>. If you want to read DDP datagrams, you must write your own socket listener. DDP will send every incoming datagram for that socket to your socket listener.