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The last info I had said that they run Windows 3 via a DOS emulator,
likely Merge 386 from Locus.   There was no decision as to whether
MS-DOS or DR DOS would be provided with the emulator; Novell would
favor the latter for obvious reasons but Univel's customers might
prefer the real McCoy.   I'm hoping that Grover Righter can confirm.
**It'll be an interesting licensing issue if Univel ships DR DOS because
Locus has a license with us that says they pay for MS DOS everytime
they ship Merge 386.**

I have heard rumor of an actual Windows 3 emulator. I can't imagine
one but there has been talk on the subject.   To my knowledge, XDOS
still lacks the ability to handle complex graphics and that was one of
the better DOS-to-UNIX products.

~bobkr

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| If someone really believes they have a windows 3 emulator without using
| windows 3 code I need to learn about it. Also does the DOS emulation imply
| they are using DRI code? A windows clone would be very suprising to me.