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Subject: Stupid Question#1

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Hi Folks,

am having a spot of bother with smething that should be really simple. I cannot get FOR ....DO BEGIN ENDFOR loops to work. I thought first it was something to do with my program, so I tried a really simple one, and that didn't work. Then I cut and paste the example out of the online documentation and that didn't work. And then I tried running one of the scripts which came with IDL and that didn't work either. They all failed at the endfor, and didn't close the loop.

I thought it was just me doing something stupid, but when the programs that came with it failed also...

My version is the IDL student on a Win95 machine. Could the student editionness be the problem?

Again, apologies for the dumb question, but this is driving me crazy, and it's kinda hard to program without loops!

thanks

Rob Cosgrave

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