lucio@ifctr.mi.cnr.it (Lucio Chiappetti) writes:

> For me IDL means Interactive Data Language (a data visualization
> and analysis package from RSI Inc., exists since about 10 years)

> There are two newsgroups :

> 1 comp.lang.idl
> 2 comp.lang.idl.pvwave

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> I am sort of discovering that there is "another IDL". Obviously
> I'm not alone in my confusion, since what happens now is :

> 1 discusses both RSI Inc. IDL and "the other IDL" (percentage
>   varying time-to-time, but usually >60% for RSI IDL
> 2 discusses mainly PV-Wave, or PV-Wave vs IDL

> Could somebody arrange to clear out things to have properly
> subdivided and clearly identifiable groups ?

The correct division is

 comp.lang.idl "the other IDL"
 comp.lang.idl-pvwave Both RSI's IDL and PV-Wave

See the FAQ which is regularly posted in comp.lang.idl-pvwave for a discussion
of this.

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