
Subject: Re: books about idl

Posted by [Paul Van Delst\[1\]](#) on Fri, 26 Apr 2002 13:19:49 GMT

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Reimar Bauer wrote:

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> Hi,
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> is there somewhere a list of already printed books about IDL available.
> If possible in this form:
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> Author:
> Title:
> Summary:
> ISBN/ISSN:
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> If not please do a reply so we can create such a list. I like
> to add such a list to further publications.

In addition to David Fanning's book (see his post for details) there's Liam's:

Author: Liam E. Gumley

Title: Practical IDL Programming

Summary: (From the amazon.com book description)

In Practical IDL Programming, Liam E. Gumley provides a solid foundation in the fundamentals of procedural programming in IDL. He presents concise information on how to develop IDL programmers that are well structured, reliable, and efficient. The example programs in the book demonstrate key concepts and provide functionality that can be applied immediately. In addition, the book offers readers practical tips and advice on IDL programming, which they would otherwise discover only after years of experience.

ISBN/ISSN: 1558607005

And there's also Ronn Kling's book:

Author: Ronn L. Kling

Title: Application Development with IDL

Summary: (From the amazon.com book description)

This book is written for scientists, engineers and programmers who want to combine their analytical techniques with widget interfaces. In the past we were restricted to writing procedural programs that read namelists, files, or had data entered in from a prompt. This book shows how to integrate widget interfaces with analysis code resulting in an application that will increase your productivity and quality of your results. By using a widget interface, input values can be changed and results displayed in real time without having to endlessly execute the same procedures over and over again.

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