
Subject: Re: writing HDF5 files

Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Sat, 28 Jun 2003 10:58:20 GMT

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Mierk Schwabe wrote:

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> "Reimar Bauer" <R.Bauer@fz-juelich.de> wrote:
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>> [writing hdf5] is implemented in idl 5.6. I've not used it but there is a
> lot
>> of description in the online help.
>
> Dear Reimar,
>
> thanks for the answer, but I was asking just about _writing_ HDF5 files,
> not reading them. I've now found out that IDL 5.6 in fact does not support
> writing the files (see IDL Reference Guide, Page 3136), so I guess my
> question is now reduced to 'Does anyone know whether the capability to
> writie HDF5 files is included in IDL 6.0'?
>
> Thanks anyways,
>
> Mierk

Dear Mierk,

my fault I did not thought that only reading is implemented.

What kind of data would you like to store in HDF5?

I haven't googled a lot but there are filter from netCDF to HDF5 or from
HDF4 to HDF5 already available.

For example this one:

<http://hdf.ncsa.uiuc.edu/h4toh5/libh4toh5.html>

or

<http://my.unidata.ucar.edu/content/proposals/NASA-AIST-2002/abstract.html>

Did ypu have done a feature request for writing HDF5? If not I would suggest
to do it now.

regards

Reimar

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a IDL library at Forschungszentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html
