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Subject: Two questions (about Mpeg and Networking)

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Hi, everybody! I've got a question concerning MPEG files. Is it possible to extract each frame from an MPEG file in IDL? I mean the reverse process of making an MPEG file. If an MPEG file is made of 100 frames, I wonder if it's possible to extract all those 100 frame images. I heard that it's possible using external linking with other non-IDL routines, but I'm not sure about it.

The other question is about file transfer via FTP or WWW. Is there a good way of data exchange via FTP or WWW with IDL? I want to download data from an FTP site or a Web site. Also I want to try to upload data reversely. Actually I used 'spawn' to activate FTP from DOS prompt. I know it's one way, but I wonder if there's built-in capability of data transfer in IDL itself.

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