
Subject: Killing IDL the easy way

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Frustrated with IDL? Want to smash its head in?

Try the following:

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IDL> device,_extra=0
```

That'll teach it. And give the shell a good thrashing too for being so bold as to run IDL in the first place.

Ah, joy..... :-)

(Above for IDL 3.6 under SunOS, Solaris, at least)

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