
Subject: Re: Student version of IDL
Posted by [kyoakita](#) on Tue, 11 Apr 1995 07:00:00 GMT
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In article <3me9qn\$mfk@pdq.coe.montana.edu>, uphlabh@gemini.oscs.montana.edu
(Brian Handy) wrote:

:As I understand it, the retail price of IDL going into Japan is probably
:the usual price, something around \$1500, plus whatever export duties may
:apply.

Oh, Handy-san, you should have known that RSI doesn't sell that way to
Japanese customers, and that is why ISAS is taking so long to negotiate
with the Japanese distributor to purchase IDL for new machines there.
Yohkoh project (Japanese side, at least) has been in trouble since RSI
stopped direct distribution.
You could get it for \$1500 because it was paid by american organization.

:I believe, sir, the people you need to be disgusted with are your own.

I don't deny that. I have already made a complaint to them. Their answer
was the price is defined in the contract with IDL and cannot be
changed...

Anyway, that is why I am trying to purchase directly from RSI. But RSI
refuses that (maybe because of the contract with the Japanese
distributor:-(
So, I am disgusted with RSI as well. Sigh...

Regards,
