
Subject: Re: Search IDL content with Spotlight (Mac OS X)
Posted by [K. Bowman](#) on Wed, 31 Aug 2005 16:11:48 GMT
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In article <1125478758.478542.112220@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>, jm@dmu.ac.uk wrote:

> Has anyone figured out how to search IDL content using Spotlight? I
> suspect this is non-trivial.
>
> -John Mardaljevic

Check out this Apple help file

<http://docs.info.apple.com/article.html?artnum=301533>

I made an alias of /usr/local/rsi/idl_6.1/help in my home directory and renamed it IDL Docs (so I could remember what it was). As best I can tell, Spotlight indexed that directory.

You may need to turn on "Index PDF files" in the Spotlight preferences pane.

Ken Bowman
