David Fanning wrote:
> Brian Larsen writes:
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>> When will we see this book, seems my grant could use sending some money
>> your way? Is it 3rd edition of IDL Programming Techniques or something
>> different.
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> We'll probably never see it. :-(
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> At the moment my thinking is that the 3rd Edition will weigh
> in at about 15 pounds if I put into it everything I want to
> put into it. I'm pretty sure no one will read the damn thing.
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> So I've been thinking about a slimmer volume entitled
> "Interactive IDL: What You Can Still Do at a Command
> Line With the Dopey Old Direct Graphics". I'm going
> to bet a fair bit of money this will *still* sell like
> hotcakes. :-)
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Heh, I'd buy that 15 pound tome. This despite the fact that I still
haven't read the last 5 chapters (7 months after the fact) of edition
1. Probably something I should have done before embarking on
maintaining a beast of a widget program without much documentation, but
what's done is done. Your book, website, and programs have saved me
many headaches over the past several months.

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