Subject: Re: total newbie seeks to interact with data language Posted by Matt B. on Wed, 02 Jul 2008 02:46:24 GMT

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At some point, you might check out these websites for IDL code that is (very) useful. Astronomers/astrophysicists LOVE IDL, so they have written a bunch of stuff to make your life easier. Some good links...

http://idlastro.gsfc.nasa.gov/other_url.html

http://cow.physics.wisc.edu/~craigm/idl/idl.html

I never found the books helpful (but thats just me...). The IDL help menu sucks (except if you have an early version), so here is a link to a list of all the IDL routines that you can search using your web browser.

http://idlastro.gsfc.nasa.gov/idl_html_help/

Cheers, Matt