
Subject: Are people using IMSL?

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All,

I am looking through the IDL documentation and seeing more and more of the routines that I want to use as part of IMSL, in this instance it is random numbers from "weird" distributions. This makes we want to get analyst, I am wondering if the experts on this list are using it? And if not, why? Too much money? Don't need the features? Already wrote everything you need? Using something else?

I do notice that most of the things I want (in my looking today) are a part of the GSL, it is not too hard to write wrappers to GSL code to make it callable from IDL but that is certainly a heck of a lot more work than calling IMSL_xxxx.pro.

Thoughts? Comments?

Cheers,

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