Subject: Re: Is IDL 8.1 Useable!?

Posted by David Fanning on Thu, 08 Sep 2011 15:41:02 GMT

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Paul van Delst writes:

- > The biggest issue I have with NG is that it is so agonisingly slow. A big selling point for these sorts of products
- > (IDL, matlab, etc) is that they make you more productive because visualising your data is easy and quick. NG kills the
- > latter and, based on posts to this newsgroup, is doing a good job of nobbling the former (although I attribute some of
- > that to resistance to shifting one's perception anchor from how one thinks things *should* work, to how they actually
- > *do* work).

Well, if there was some instruction in how they *do* work we wouldn't be having to make so many guesses as to how they *should* work!

My plan was to help provide a solution to the first problem, but it is going awry. :-(

Cheers.

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")