
Subject: PV~Wave vs IDL

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What exactly is the difference between PV~Wave and IDL. The brochures for both look very similar and they seem to share many (if not all) of the same commands, example images, etc.

I assume the heritage of these packages goes back to a common ancestor somewhere. What was it and how long ago did it exist ?

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