
Subject: Re: IDL 8.2.1 released

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 04 Oct 2012 16:06:45 GMT

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Mark Piper writes:

- > The START keyword came about from the discussion in this thread earlier this year:
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- > https://groups.google.com/d/msg/comp.lang.idl-pvwave/RYPtjDBKHol/zYJ_n9gRn4MJ
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- > where Chris explains his rationale for adding it:
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- > "It's much faster to specify START than to add an offset to the indgen after you've created it."

Ah, I knew there must have been a reason for it. But, I was feeling grumpy after the first two new things I tried turned out poorly. I've paid a lot of money for things I haven't been able to use in the past several years. And, at that particular moment, the START keyword felt a little frivolous. Sorry!

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thos speakest truth.")
