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Subject: Re: Using IDLdoc to format documentation  
Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Sun, 20 Jan 2013 18:21:34 GMT  
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On 1/18/13 4:36 pm, Matthew Argall wrote:

>> Any thoughts?

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> I just recently started using IDLdoc and love it. I have been looking  
> for something like it for my MatLab code. Seems like IDLdoc could  
> work if I could just change the comment character to "%". Can there  
> be a keyword for that?

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> Bullets would be good. Writing "1.", "2.", etc. has been easy enough  
> for numerated lists. Especially for fixed-width fonts.

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There are a lot of IDL specific issues in IDLdoc besides the comment character. If you want to give it a try, take a look at `docparprofileparser__define.pro`, particularly the `_parseLines` method. There are a couple places where you can replace '+' and ';' with the appropriate characters for MATLAB. You will also have to change it from looking for .pro files to looking for MATLAB's extension.

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Modern IDL: A Guide to IDL Programming (<http://modernidl.idldev.com>)

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