
Subject: New free DLL for calling Python from IDL!
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Hello Everyone,

I am extremely pleased to announce that Exelisvis, Jacquette Consulting and myself have worked together to bring you the Slither dll for calling Python from IDL.

If you are familiar with Slither it was previously a paid for item. But we felt that it was of such potential use to the IDL community that we all worked together to provide it for free.

You can download it here.

www.slither4idl.com

There are dlls and shared objects for every platform IDL runs upon. Plus it supports Python versions, 2.6, 2.7 and 3.3.

Then, to help you over the learning curve you can order this eBook from my website for \$5.00

<http://www.rlkling.com/using-python-from-idl.htm>

Don't worry if you don't have a kindle, there are free kindle readers for every platform that IDL supports. I'm really excited about using the eBook format and making this book a living document. According to Amazon when the eBook is updated you will get an email, and you can download the new version for free.

I also hope that the IDL community will send me examples of what they have done with Slither and I will add them to the book, with your name on the chapter.

We hope you enjoy this new dimension for IDL!

-Ronn Kling
