## Subject: Re: New free DLL for calling Python from IDL! Posted by David Fanning on Mon, 03 Mar 2014 21:29:15 GMT

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rlkling@gmail.com writes:

> 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.

I'm not really familiar with Slither, but I know Python a bit. What is confusing me is why IDL and Python together are that much better than either one of them alone. What do these two packages bring as a dowry to the marriage?

Is this for people who know both languages and can't decide if they are Catholic or Episcopalian?

This isn't the next new graphics system, is it?

Just a tad confused, I guess. Probably has to do with age. :-)

Cheers,

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: http://www.idlcoyote.com/

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