
Subject: Re: New free DLL for calling Python from IDL!
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Right, the syntax differences between IDL 8.+ and Python are very small. So if you are looking at this code you can't tell if it is Python or IDL

```
derfilt = np.array([1.0,-2,1.0])
```

So an IDL user can use Python libraries with out a lot of learning overhead. That is why I went through all the examples in the eBook so users can see what little tweaks they need to get access to the Python libs that they want.
