
Subject: Re: Can I interface my fortran program in IDL code?
Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Tue, 24 Jun 2014 16:50:43 GMT
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

On 6/24/14, 6:33 AM, Madhavan Bomidi wrote:

> Hello,
>
> I have a fortran (.f90) program which includes some function
> subroutines and the code as a single file. But there are multiple
> input data files are required for compiling this f90 code. As I am
> using IDL for plotting and data processing, I was thinking if I can
> create the input files (i.e., ASCII & Binary), compile and run the
> f90 code, and then extract the data from multiple output files that
> were created to generate the plots automatically. I just wanted to
> know how I can work with FORTRAN program / function files from within
> an IDL code.
>
> Any help with few examples or reference documentation on this topic
> will be appreciable.
>
> Thanking you in advance, Madhavan
>

Did you try CALL_EXTERNAL? This is the simplest way to call C/Fortran code from IDL.

Mike

--

Michael Galloy
www.michaelgalloy.com
Modern IDL: A Guide to IDL Programming (<http://modernidl.idldev.com>)
Research Mathematician
Tech-X Corporation
