
Subject: Motley library on Sourceforge
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The old-timers on the group may remember Motley, a library of IDL routines that I published from time to time, notably on David Fanning's Coyote site

<http://www.idlcoyote.com/hadfield/idl/README.html>

I see this file was published in 2009. That was a long time ago. My wife & I have acquired 7 grandchildren since then.

I have continued to use IDL and to maintain and develop Motley in minor ways. I have now published it on SourceForge, here

<https://sourceforge.net/projects/mghmotley/>

I am new to managing Sourceforge projects, but i think the best way to acquire it is to go to the project's Mercurial page

<https://sourceforge.net/p/mghmotley/mercurial/ci/default/tree/>

From here you can clone the Mercurial repository (which I recommend, as Mercurial is a very good revision control tool) or download a snapshot as a ZIP archive.

Incidentally, what I do in my day job is ocean modelling using the ROMS model from Rutgers University. I have developed quite a collection of tools for preprocessing, postprocessing and analysing ROMS files. However I feel a bit like Don Quixote tilting at IDL windmills while my colleagues are getting the job done (less elegantly in my opinion) with Matlab and Python. So I think I will be tapering off my IDL activity and I may try to port some of my code to Python.
