
Subject: IDLSpecII: IDL Speed Survey Redux!
Posted by [J.D. Smith](#) on Wed, 20 Oct 1999 07:00:00 GMT
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Thanks and happy computing.

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Subject: Re: IDLSpecII: IDL Speed Survey Redux!
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Cheers

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This isn't calculated by the downloaded program, since the benchmark is relative to systems which may, in the future, change. You must first email your results to idlspec@astro.cornell.edu to become part of the survey. Remember, this isn't just a benchmarking tool (which is what the `time_test` suite of routines is), it's a speed survey! Your entries are processed automatically every evening, so look for it the next day.

Simply visit <http://www.astro.cornell.edu/idlspec/is2.html> and check the graph at the bottom of the page for your system. Clicking on the symbols takes you to the ranking page, and there is another link there for it also.

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