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Posted by [Rick Towler](#) on Thu, 12 Oct 2000 07:00:00 GMT

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Posted by [Martin Schultz](#) on Fri, 13 Oct 2000 07:00:00 GMT

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Perhaps you could profit from looking at the ARGOS tool:
<http://www.lapeth.ethz.ch/argos/argos.html>
I have never used it myself, but flythrough is what David Bresch and
Mark Liniger advertize...

Cheers,
Martin

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