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Posted by [Ma.busch](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2001 13:55:28 GMT
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> Institut fuer Stratosphaerische Chemie (ICG-1)
> Forschungszentrum Juelich
> email: R.Bauer@fz-juelich.de
> <http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg1/>
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Hi
try
<http://www.deja.com>
you will come to the google group search engine

I think it is the same

Regards
Marlene

Subject: Re: google search postings
Posted by [Stein Vidar Hagfors H\[1\]](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2001 18:10:12 GMT

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Subject: Re: google search postings
Posted by [Craig Markwardt](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2001 21:16:08 GMT
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Craig

Archive is here:
<http://cow.physics.wisc.edu/~craigm/idl/newsgroup.html>

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Craig B. Markwardt, Ph.D. EMAIL: craigmnet@cow.physics.wisc.edu
Astrophysics, IDL, Finance, Derivatives | Remove "net" for better response

Subject: Re: google search postings
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Tue, 12 Jun 2001 06:36:59 GMT
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Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Tue, 12 Jun 2001 19:34:39 GMT

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Dear Craig,

I do not very often search by the google search or your archive. I normally spent a few minutes per day reading this newsgroup articles and sometimes

I am able to help someone. The most interesting things I have stored to a local mail folder. The oldest one is from David Fanning followed by Phil Williams in 1996. In the past and till now I have stored these mails myself because I am not sure if deja or google will stay alive all the time I plan working with idl.

Someone else who is not regulary reading this famous newsgroup or an idl beginners needs each help he or she can get. If someone has a problem he or she can search a big library of questions and answers and I believe a lot of people are interested in reading archives.

As David did preparing requests into tips is very useful for all of us. This is the right way to organize an archive but it takes a lot of time. And this is the answer of your question too.

I will not demand that's you have to organize your archive in this way
until I am myself are able to do the same.

best wishes

Reimar

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Subject: Re: google search postings
Posted by [deja_jlin](#) on Tue, 12 Jun 2001 20:35:10 GMT
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Craig,

either way you decide, i wanted to just let you know your
archive really saved me during the time between google
buying deja and taking down the archives to when they put
the archives back up again. i was really glad that you had
an independent archive that we could access. thanks!

best,
-Johnny

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Web: <http://cires.colorado.edu/~johnny/>

Craig Markwardt <craigmnet@cow.physics.wisc.edu> wrote in message
news:<on3d96n2ef.fsf@cow.physics.wisc.edu>...

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Subject: IDLDE Macros (was: google search postings)
Posted by [Dick Jackson](#) on Tue, 12 Jun 2001 22:18:38 GMT
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"Reimar Bauer" <r.bauer@fz-juelich.de> wrote in message
news:3B25B88B.CED7EE00@fz-juelich.de...

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My favorite is my Ctrl-Shift-X, to execute a selected line of code:

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ignoredResult = Execute("%s")
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I know, IDLWAVE-Shell users have had this and much more for years! Recall
that I'm the one *still* trying to get a command-line IDL for Windows so I
can use IDLWAVE-Shell... %^\

Cheers,

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-Dick

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