
Subject: Re: beginner's help

Posted by [Kenneth Bowman](#) on Fri, 23 Mar 2007 18:16:58 GMT

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In article <1174673456.523345.15440@y66g2000hsf.googlegroups.com>, marksaulrosin@gmail.com wrote:

> Hi,
> I'm new to using IDL and unix and need to do something v.simple but
> don't know how. I am creating a series of .dat files with a fortran
> procedure that i'm running and i want to process them to create a
> little video. I don't know what the syntax for doing this inside
> a .idlbatch file is.
> Any help would be appreciated.
> Mark

There are some tips on making movies here

<http://idl.tamu.edu/mactips/movies.php>

These are mostly aimed at MacOS, but the concepts are generic.

Ken Bowman

Subject: Re: beginner's help

Posted by [Kenneth Bowman](#) on Fri, 23 Mar 2007 21:16:01 GMT

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In article <MPG.206df2d667245c5e989eeb@news.frii.com>, David Fanning <news@dfanning.com> wrote:

> You mention that MPEG creation requires a special license,
> but you don't mention that this license is free for the
> asking from ITTVIS. I'm certain no one wants to create
> MPEG files, but not having a license shouldn't be their
> excuse. :-)

They don't make it real easy to find, but I added a link to this Tech Tip

<http://www.ittvis.com/services/techtip.asp?ttid=3050>

Ken

Subject: Re: beginner's help

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 23 Mar 2007 21:21:48 GMT

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Kenneth Bowman writes:

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Ken,

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Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
