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Posted by [Robbie](#) on Thu, 27 Nov 2008 19:49:31 GMT

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Posted by [ben.bighair](#) on Thu, 27 Nov 2008 21:06:54 GMT

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Subject: Re: IDL app development with "Collections Framework"

Posted by [Nicolas](#) on Tue, 02 Dec 2008 09:32:13 GMT

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On Nov 27, 10:06 pm, "ben.bighair" <ben.bigh...@gmail.com> wrote:

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Many thanks for the hint. I'll try these.
In the meantime, it would be nice that ITT thinks about implementing a
complete Collections Framework to facilitate IDL application
development.

Cheers,
Nicolas
