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Subject: Re: Surface fitting in IDL  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 02 Mar 2012 18:28:24 GMT  
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Sasha Singh writes:

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> help would be great.

I would say you do it pretty much like that! There really is not much more to it. :-)

Cheers,

David

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>  
Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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Subject: Re: Surface fitting in IDL  
Posted by [Bill Nel](#) on Fri, 02 Mar 2012 19:50:39 GMT  
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On Mar 2, 1:00 pm, Sasha Singh <sashasingh....@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Thanks much,  
> Sasha

Take a look at the second example in the documentation for CURVEFIT.  
That might be what you're looking for.

--Wayne

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Subject: Re: Surface fitting in IDL  
Posted by [Sasha Singh](#) on Sat, 03 Mar 2012 02:58:28 GMT

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On Mar 2, 2:50 pm, Bill Nel <ri...@crd.ge.com> wrote:

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> --Wayne

Thanks. I will read the curvefit documentation and see if I can do it.

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