Subject: DXF-to-ASCII converter for IDL
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Dear All,

I am looking for a piece of code that can convert DXF polygon files into a simple
generic vector file. I was about to write something myself, but was wondering whether
some of you have solved this problem already.

The basic idea is to rewrite polygons as a listing of the number of vertices followed
by a list of the vertices. E.g.

4
455332.2 4433222.0
455348.1 4433239.0
455364.9 4432954.5
455352.3 4432118.8
5
...

more or less following the "ungenerate" format of ARC/INFO.

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