

# **1 Students astronomy site**

## 1.1 Smelly Belly <smiley (at) SEDS.ORG> exclaimed:

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I run a web site for approximately 1200 students of introductory astronomy here at the U of Arizona. The server is an old Sun Sparc 1 and we use lots of perl CGI's to connect to a database on the backend and create custom pages. Before mod\_perl, the site was unacceptable slow. Now, with the scripts re-written to use mod\_perl, the dynamically created pages load faster than regular HTML files.

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"I root for a big comet or asteroid as a way of cleansing the planet."

George Carlin

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