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Subject: Re: IDL Bug: (Re: Read HDF format file)  
Posted by [Helge.Rebhan](#) on Fri, 06 Mar 1998 08:00:00 GMT  
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In article <mgs-0503981912550001@sc17-16-22.thegrid.net>,  
mgs@sd.cybernex.net (Mike Schienle) wrote:

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>> Helge Rebhan (Helge.Rebhan@REMOVE-THIS.gmx.net) writes:  
>>  
>>> BTW, I found a strange bug in IDL 5.0 on the Macintosh with respect to HDF.  
>>> If your 'working folder' is not pointing to the partition where your  
HDF file  
>>> is located any IDL-HDF routines failes to recognize the HDF format !!???  
>>> If you change your defalut folder everyhting is working fine !-(  
>>>  
>>> Anybody had the same experience ?  
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>  
> I have to go with David on this one. I've never changed my Working Folder,  
> and I used to have separate partitions for data and applications. I don't  
> recall any Mac-specific problems relating to HDF.  
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My suspicion is a general bug with Mac specific pathnames:  
For example: I cannot write an HDF File to "HR DATA:" (root partition)  
But I'm able to write to "HR DATA:tmp:"  
Maby something related to the spaces in the root pathname .... ???

Servus, Helge

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Sorry for this but please adjust e-mail address for direct reply

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