
Subject: Re: Pickfile wierdness

Posted by [ftjec](#) on Wed, 22 Jul 1998 07:00:00 GMT

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Apparently it is a problem with Sun, not idl. RSI suggested installing patches 103461 and 103186. This makes sence because the same verion of idl running on a sgi didn't have the problem.

Ray (muzic@uhrad.nospam.com) wrote:

: I used an alternative work-around. I made my own copy
: of pickfile.pro and hacked it to make the window wider.
: Not elegant, but it works...
: sigma0@my-dejanews.com wrote:

: > Hi, I am moving some code from idl 4.3 to idl 5.0.3 and I have run into a
: > problem with pickfile, or dialog_pickfile as it is now apparently called. On
: > idl 5.0.3 on a sun running Solaris 2.5, pickfile displays the full path to
: > files and directories in the selection dialog. Since the files I am using
: > pickfile to select are deep down the directory tree, idl truncates the path
: > and displays only the start of it in the selection dialog. This makes it
: > impossible for the user to know what he is selecting, unless the window is
: > resized. Is there anyway to stop idl from displaying the full path in the
: > selection box? On idl 4.3, running on a dec alpha, it does not print the
: > full path, but the path is displayed in a separate path field. Any help
: > would be greatly appreciated! -Jay Cable
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