
Subject: Re: Possible FINDFILE bug

Posted by [Nigel Wade](#) on Mon, 13 Mar 2000 08:00:00 GMT

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Bernard Puc wrote:

>
> Hello,
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> It seems that the findfile() function has changed between version 5.2
> and 5.3. In 5.2, findfile would return filenames that have a space in
> them. Version 5.3 does not. This is on a Linux system. Can anybody
> verify this on other platforms?
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It's the same for IRIX 6.5.

\$ touch "a b c"

\$ idl_5.2
IDL Version 5.2.1 (IRIX mipseb). (c) 1999, Research Systems, Inc.
IDL> a=findfile("a*",count=b)
IDL> print,a
a b c
IDL> print,b
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\$ idl_5.3
IDL Version 5.3 (IRIX mipseb). (c) 1999, Research Systems, Inc.
IDL> a=findfile("a*",count=b)
IDL> print,a

IDL> print,b
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