
Subject: Re: idl/idlde command line autocomplete
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 22 May 2002 17:53:07 GMT
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William Thompson wrote:

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> Carsten:
>
> In the command line (Unix) version of IDL, instead of
>
>     idl> he <up-arrow>
>
> Try instead
>
>     idl> ^
>     String To Match: he
>
> It doesn't seem to work in idlde, though.  Bummer.
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Dear William,

where is this suscribed ?

Reimar

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> William Thompson
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> Carsten Lemmen <c.lemmen@fz-juelich.de> writes:
>
>> Having switched from MatLab to IDL I miss alot the command line=20
>> autocomplete functionality in IDL command history.
>
>> Example:
>> idl> a=3D5
> =
>> idl> help,a
>> idl> print,a
>> idl> he <up-arrow>
>
>> typing 'he' on the command line and pressing the up arrow key should
>> give me the most recent command starting with 'he', namely 'help,a'
>> Is there an option/does anyone have a plugin to obtain this functionality=
>> ?
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>> *****
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>> Carsten Lemmen
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