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Subject: Re: current directory

Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Sat, 01 Mar 2003 17:54:01 GMT

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Ulf-Dietrich Braumann wrote:

> Hi,  
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> I wonder if there is some elegant way in IDL to  
> i) determine the directory where the current running \*.pro file  
> is stored in order to  
> ii) directly access some other stuff (i.e. images) just placed  
> in the same directory as the "calling" \*.pro  
>  
> Thanks and greetings  
>  
> Ulf-Dietrich

Dear Ulf-Dietrich,

I believe you are looking for something like our  
get\_profile\_path function

[http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl\\_icglib/idl\\_source/idl\\_html/dbase/download/get\\_profile\\_path.tar.gz](http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_source/idl_html/dbase/download/get_profile_path.tar.gz)  
or as idl binary  
[http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl\\_icglib/idl\\_source/idl\\_html/dbase/download/get\\_profile\\_path.sav](http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_source/idl_html/dbase/download/get_profile_path.sav)

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pro example
  restore,get_profile_path()+'example1.sav'
  plot,x,y
end
```

Please have look for further routines and licensing at  
[http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl\\_icglib/idl\\_lib\\_intro.html](http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html)

best regards

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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich  
[http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl\\_icglib/idl\\_lib\\_intro.html](http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html)

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