
Subject: Re: current directory

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David Fanning (david@dfanning.com) writes:

> But here is some code that gets you as far as you
> can get to:

Whoops! I see I used the archaic STR_SEP routine in that program. That is an obsolete IDL routine that I still have on my path for historical reasons. Better to use the modern STRSPLIT function:

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;-----  
PRO Tester  
Help, Calls=callStack  
thisRoutine = (StrSplit(StrCompress(callStack[0])," ", /Extract))[0]  
callingRoutine = (StrSplit(StrCompress(callStack[1])," ", /Extract))[0]  
Print, 'In ' + thisRoutine + ' which is called by ' + callingRoutine +  
'.'  
thisRoutine = StrLowerCase(thisRoutine) + '.pro'  
thePath = File_Which(thisRoutine, /Include_Current)  
thePath = StrMid(thePath, 0, StrPos(thePath, thisRoutine))  
Print, 'The default path to ' + thisRoutine + ' is: ' + thePath  
END  
;-----
```

Cheers,

David

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