
Subject: Re: routine_info does not work with functions
Posted by [Craig Markwardt](#) on Fri, 07 Mar 2003 16:00:15 GMT
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Reimar Bauer <R.Bauer@fz-juelich.de> writes:

> Hi,
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> I am a bit surprised about a failure in ROUTINE_INFO. It does not work
> with functions.
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> Same failure in idl5.6 and idl5.5.
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> IDL5.4 works!

I don't know what platform you are on, but this most definitely did not work even in IDL 5.4:

```
IDL> print, !version  
{ x86 linux unix 5.4 Sep 25 2000   32   32}  
IDL> .comp str_sep  
% Compiled module: STR_SEP.  
IDL> print, routine_info('str_sep', /source)  
% Attempt to call undefined procedure/function: 'STR_SEP'.  
% Execution halted at: $MAIN$
```

The FUNCTIONS keywords to ROUTINE_INFO() has been around for a long time, at least since IDL 5.0. The above statement does not work in IDL 5.0-5.6.

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