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Subject: Re: Who's up for breaking IDL?  
Posted by [fburton](#) on Mon, 04 Aug 2003 16:05:17 GMT  
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In article <3F2E7C5F.731392A1@noaa.gov>,  
Paul van Delst <paul.vandelst@ssec.wisc.edu> wrote:  
> Yep - you're right. Filenames should always be lowercase (on unix systems at  
> least...dunno about windows.)

Surely the most "humane" default is to preserve case in filenames  
(and program identifiers), but have case-insensitive matching. The  
arguments for case sensitivity in dealing with natural language  
text don't apply to programming languages or interactions with the  
filesystem, do they?

Francis

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