
Subject: Re: Support for getting HTTP/FTP clients into IDL

Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 24 Nov 2004 11:30:13 GMT

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Dear Andrew

sometimes I wish to have the possibility to load a sav file over http
direct into the idl call.

Something like

idl

-vm= http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_source/idl
_html/dbase/download/x_digisym.sav

Did you have asked for this too ?

Reimar

Andrew Cool wrote:

> Hi All,

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> I've just submitted a request to RSI that they consider incorporating

> an

> HTTP/FTP client into the core of IDL.

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> And surprise, apparently I'm the very first to request this!!

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> Now I know there's more than a few folk out there who valiantly use

> the

> Socket command to access data and or pages on the 'net. How about

> sending off an email to support@rsinc.com, adding your support for

> these

> two requests?

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> Make sure you say *why* you'd like to see a nice, full implementation

> of http/ftp in IDL, how you'd use it, and how many IDL/ENVI users in

> your facility would be keen to use it.

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> Here are the official names of the Requests in RSI's system :-

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> C.R.I.D. #39054 (" REQUEST: Add To IDL A Library Of HTTP Client

> Functions")

> and C.R.I.D. #39055 (" REQUEST: Add To IDL A Library Of FTP Client

> Functions").
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> Cheers,
>
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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html

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