Subject: Re: Queries of .asp pages with IDL SOCKET command Posted by Dick Jackson on Thu, 10 Feb 2005 04:49:02 GMT

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"Mark Hadfield" <m.hadfield@niwa.co.nz> wrote in message news:cue8l0\$tdq\$1@newsreader.mailgate.org... > Dick Jackson wrote: >> >> If this suits you, you can use the URLread function in >> external/objbridge/java/examples/urlread.pro: >> >> IDL> >> result=urlread(' http://cas.sdss.org/astro/en/tools/search/x_radial.asp?ra=19 5.0&dec=2.5&radius=3&topnum=10&format=html') >> >> Yes, this starts up the IDL-Java bridge, so you must have Java installed. >> And yes, this will work with IDL VM, as long as the Java class is >> available! >> Further, this will even work with 'https' secure web pages. Seems to me >> that Java's got a lot going for it. > Yes, indeed. > > Should this be able to work through a proxy server? It seems that for me > it doesn't, ie I can read a local page OK, but can't read any external > pages. This despite my having proxies set up correctly (as far as I can > tell) in the Java Plug-in control panel. Sorry I can't help with that, I haven't had to work with those. I hope someone else can chime in... Cheers, -Dick dick@d-jackson.com Dick Jackson

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