
Subject: Re: creating documentation file

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urkhaa@hotmail.com writes:

> Here am I again....
> I have to admit that I really do not understand how to use correctly
> IDLdoc. Actually it seems to me that if I would like to create a single
> HTML file for all my library (which links to single file description) I
> have to previously create an overview file which in some way link to
> all the routines (actually I have a directory for my library and other
> subdirectories inside it) ... but I really do not understand how to
> make it. Maybe this is a stupid question and I apologize for it if it
> is the case but can anyone help me?

Here is the routine I've used for years to document my
Coyote Library. It's simple, efficient, and results in
a single HTML page. It lacks a couple of features I
would like to have (and DocLib contains), but I agree:
I'm not sure DocLib is so much better it is worth
reworking ALL my documentation!

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PRO HTML_Doc
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```
CD, Current=thisDir  
CD, 'C:\coyoteguide\programs'  
files = Findfile('*.*pro')
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MK_HTML_Help, files, 'program.documentation.html', Title='IDL Example  
Programs'
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; Make the IDLWAVE Catalog file.
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SPAWN, 'perl C:/CoyoteGuide/Miscellaneous/idlwave_catalog $  
-f Coyote', /NoShell  
CD, thisDir  
END
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Cheers,

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