
Subject: Re: deallocating ptrs

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"Antonio Santiago" <d6522117@est.fib.upc.edu> wrote in message
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>
> What about a recursive procedure:
>
> (ALERT: I write next lines directly without testing)
>
>
> PRO free_super_struct_pointer, initial_struct
...
> END
>

Thanks Antonio,
that is what I will end up doing. I just don't understand why
IDL's canned routine heap_free doesn't free the heap. I thought
I must be missing something. After all, if a jarhead like me can
figure out how to deallocate that monstrosity, then surely IDL
should be able to.

Cheers,
bob
