Subject: Re: How does IDL find functions? Posted by R.Bauer on Sun, 19 Jun 2005 07:49:37 GMT

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robertschaefer@gmx.de wrote:

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> Hello IDL community,
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- > I'm looking for a smart solution to find functions from my own lib
- > inside a self written function or procedure.
- > The idea is to get a tree of embedded self written functions.

> My solution looks like this but I think there must be an easier way:

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- > -generate a list of functions in user-lib
- > -Read the function where to search (openr)
- > -compare each line (string) with the list of lib functions
- > (how to extract function names egantly? -> strsplit with '=*(':
- > definitely not)
- > -save coincide functions (strings) and go on searching into found
- > functions

You should have a look at catalog_db from our library.

http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_source/idl_html/idl_work_libraries.htm

The output you like to have you'll see by clicking on one of the database icons

The trick is to call idl to find the necessary info itselfs.

- > Does anybody (I'm sure ;-)) know how IDL find functions on compiling?
- > This may be exactly the right (fast) way...

Yes call idl, see above.

cheers

Reimar

- Any ideas? ... Thanks for help...
- > Best regards

> robert

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