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Subject: Re: Finding the path of the IDL executable  
Posted by [Rick Towler](#) on Tue, 20 Sep 2005 16:23:28 GMT  
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Ricardo Bugalho wrote:

- > Anyone knows of a way to find out the path of the executable of the
- > current IDL session?
- > I have an IDL program that launches other IDL sessions and I need to know
- > the path to the "idl" executable.

You could take Antonio's !DIR suggestion, add a bit of PATH\_SEP()+'.bin'  
and flavor with the recursive file\_search() function and parse that. I  
would think this would be the most robust solution.

-Rick

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