
Subject: extracting all but...

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Hi All,

I was wondering how I can extract all but a constant string from an array of strings?

basically, I have an array of filenames with a particular directory prefixed to each of the filenames like so:

```
files =
```

```
['/some/constant/directory/file1', '/some/constant/directory/ file2',  
etc.]
```

and would like to have just an array of the filenames without the prefixed directory name so that the result looks like:

```
files = ['file1', 'file2', etc.]
```

any ideas?

Cheers,
KL
