
Subject: Re: Config files

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>>>> > "savoie" == savoie <savoie@nsidc.org> writes:

> ini = Obj_New('mhs_iniread', file='inifile.txt')

Have you considered using APP_USER_DIR to handle where you put the configuration file? I'm about to add some configuration handling to an application and am thinking of using it to make sure each user can easily save their own parameters.

As for parsing the configuration data, I've considered using save files, but it seems to me that the simplest format would be to have the configuration saved as IDL code. Then it can be edited by hand if the user wants or reloaded by EXECUTE'ing the contents of the file.

Mike
