
Subject: IDL archive utility?

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Hi everybody,

Is there some sort of archive utility in IDL? I need to be able to archive files from the IDL command line, and I also need to be able to perform that archive when someone is using the IDL Virtual Machine.

Normally, I would make a call to .tar or .zip up the file, however mac-users and windows-users alike will be trying to use this program, so I need something that can go across both platforms.

If one of you knows of an IDL built-in utility, that would be great. If not, does anyone know of a good cross-platform archiver that I could look into using that will still work with the Virtual Machine?

Thanks very much for your help.

Sincerely,
- James
