
Subject: Re: IDL workbench & windows

Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Fri, 08 Feb 2008 09:43:48 GMT

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David Fanning schrieb:

> elwood writes:

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>> One last note for any illustrious readers:

>> When I have re-opened a project, the project explorer shows my idl

>> source file

>> and the fits file that I am trying to read.

>> However Even though the path to the fits file is in my IDL path,

>> it doesnt seem to know where the fits file is unless I cd to the

>> directory where it is located.

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>> My quick read of how the idl path works under windows is that it

>> search for .pro and .save files in those locations.

>> How can I make it know about other files??

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> Why would you think IDL does this kind of thing? It

> has never done it in the past. The documentation

> (*.pro and *.sav files only) seems pretty clear to me.

> Are you possibly expecting things from IDL that it

> can't deliver?

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> Cheers,

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> David

Hi

In the past I was entering a dir where I do have my sources. If I did start in that dir idlde this path was searched for routines.

And there was a rule in the past that's this dir is in front of the search path.

This is gone now for idlde but still in the old way for the idl shell.

cheers

Eeimar
