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Subject: Re: retrieve list of files using ftp

Posted by [mankoff](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2008 21:22:44 GMT

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On Mar 22, 3:25 pm, rhyme2ri2 <rhyme2...@gmail.com> wrote:

> hello all,  
> I want to retrieve list of files using ftp in idl. Is this possible??  
> [ i need to make it possible nehwa :( .. ]. I'm trying it hard for some  
> days but all attempts were unsuccessful. I can retrieve some files  
> using ftp but I want to retrieve the whole listing of files. How can i  
> do that?  
> Or if u could write ne code in some other language and show me the way  
> to link it to idl...it would also be fine. ..This is bit urgent for  
> me...  
>  
> thanks & regards  
> -Ritu

If this is just for your system and not portable, and your system has  
'wget' or 'curl' installed, I would use them and the SPAWN command,  
and capture the output. Not sure what to do on Windows. This would be  
easier than using SOCKET.

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