Subject: Re: strange behaviour of .skip command Posted by manodeep@gmail.com on Thu, 15 May 2008 18:01:31 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

On May 15, 9:21 am, pgri...@gmail.com wrote:

- > Simply put a "stop" instead of your random test, and resume execution
- > with .continue.
- > Then there is no need to use .skip.

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- > Cheers,
- > Paolo

In this case, I completely agree but the need to use a .skip does arise if there happens to be one line of offending code. Using .skip in such a case could lead to "for loops" not being completely executed, or execution falling through to the "else" part of an "ifelse" condition.

So, my understanding is that you are fine as long as using .skip does not take you to the end of a control flow statement. If using .skip does take you to a endif/endfor statement, then the code will behave somewhat unexpectedly.

As David pointed out, the behaviour of .skip can have implications that are not immediately obvious!

Cheers, Manodeep