Subject: Re: Solarsoft and idlwave? Posted by BG on Fri, 23 May 2008 18:25:34 GMT

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As usual, the simplest thing is the one that works.

Thanks!

-BG

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On May 23, 6:40 am, pgri...@gmail.com wrote:
> BG wrote:
>> Hey all,
>> Just discovering all that is wonderful about idlwave, but running into
>> a problem.
>> My current machine is runs bash.
>> My group uses Solarsoft, which has init scripts for IDL that are all
>> written in csh.
>> If I'm sitting on the (Unix) command line, I do something like:
>> csh ssw startup
>
>> Which calls the scripts just fine and I get a SSW> prompt in IDL.
>> However, if I feed a script into idlwave as my startup file (e.g.:
>> (setq idlwave-shell-explicit-file-name "~/shortcuts/ssw_workaround")
>> where ssw_workaround is just a script file that just does this:
>> csh ssw startup
>> Then when I start the IDL shell in Emacs/IDLWAVE I get this:
     Process idl exited abnormally with code 1
 It works for me, but my solarsoft startup script looks like this:
> #!/bin/csh -f
  #
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> setenv SSW
                   /proj/DataCenter/ssw/
> setenv SSW_INSTR "gen hinode xrt sxt hxt bcs trace eit binaries
> chianti hessi spex xray"
> source $SSW/gen/setup/setup.ssw
> # start sswidl
> sswidl
>
> Maybe you can try something like that and see if it works.
>
> Ciao,
> Paolo
>
>> And my IDL process is toast.
>> Any ideas about this? I think it all has to do with the fact that the
>> environmental variables in my csh init scripts aren't persisting...but
>> I haven't been able to come up with a good workaround.
>> Cheers,
>> Brian
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