
Subject: Re: Use of STOP inside an IF statement
Posted by [Brian Larsen](#) on Tue, 17 Jun 2008 21:56:10 GMT
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> spawn, 'mkdir '+output_dir, message

Ben,

the other thing that occurs to me is that you ought to use the IDL routine FILE_MKDIR not spawn for this application. It will be faster, more portable, and behave in the way that you want.

do a help on directory to see all the commands you can use.

Cheers,

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