
Subject: Re: portable pickfile ?

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Karl Young <kyoung@itsa.ucsf.edu> wrote:

> I've come up against what seems to be an annoying bug
> re. the pickfile function. Under NT and Win 3.1.1 I can
> specify a set of wildcards to match as:

> pickfile(filter=['*.one', '*.two'])

> but this doesn't work under Unix (specifically SunOS 4.1.3)
> where instead:

> pickfile(filter='*.one *.two')

This version works under MS Windows 3.1 but fails under Windows 95 and Windows NT 3.5.1. I reported this some 6 weeks ago to this news group without receiving a reply and I sent it to the local distributor of IDL. It was accepted as an error and hopefully passed to RSI, so I guess we have to wait for IDL 5.0 ...

Norbert
