
Subject: Re: giving input to fortran program using spawn in IDL

Posted by [Jean H.](#) on Wed, 24 Sep 2008 16:38:55 GMT

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> If you are using Unix or Mac OS X, you can use the various redirection
> capabilities of those operating systems. For example, put the inputs
> in a text file, and then,
> SPAWN, 'my_fortran_program < inputfile.txt', output_results
>
> If you have windows, I'm less well informed.
>
> Good luck,
> Craig

It does work well under windows too... I have used it a couple of weeks ago.

Now, with this method, how does one pass an array, not just strings? (I
have a large image in mind)

Jean
