Subject: Re: Compile/Restore on Startup Posted by Brian on Fri, 09 Jan 2009 21:34:11 GMT

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On Jan 9, 3:45 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
> Brian writes:
>> Perhaps my terminology is incorrect. Yes, I have a created an
>> ENVI .sav file and added it to the save_add directory. This is a save
>> of many routines that use both ENVI and IDL functions and procedures.
>> My issue is that it doesn't "RESTORE" the file everytime I open an
>> instance of ENVI, sometimes it merely "COMPILES" the file. When it
>> "RESTORES" the .sav, my toolbar exists and everything works great!
>> however, more often that not, it "COMPILES" the .sav and my toolbar is
>> not there:(
>
>> When I refer to RESTORE and COMPILE above, I'm referring to the
>> messages I get in the IDL console upon startup of ENVI, NOT the
>> commands. Hope this helps to decypher my previous message.
>
  This is exceedingly strange. :-)
>
> The only way it could possibly be "compiling" the file
> is if your IDL paths are all higgly-squiggly. Now, this could
> *certainly* happen if you are allowing IDL to set up your
> paths for you. But if you have been reading this newsgroup
> for any length of time, I find it hard to believe that
  this is so.
 In any case, since it is IDL 7 we are talking about here,
 I would just make ABSOLUTELY sure that your projects
  are NOT mucking with your IDL paths and that all your
  path directories are being set in the PATHS preferences.
>
   http://www.dfanning.com/workbench/pathchange.html
>
  Maybe that will straighten things out.
  You might find my PrintPath routine helpful in sorting all this
  out. I know I certainly have. :-)
>
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   http://www.dfanning.com/programs/printpath.pro
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>
  Cheers.
>
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- > Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.dfanning.com/
- > Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

That seemed to do it! It was a path issue. Thank you soooo much for all of your help, you guys ROCK!