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Subject: Re: idl/gdl/strmatch

Posted by [oxfordenergyservices](#) on Thu, 21 Jan 2010 17:29:41 GMT

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On 21 Jan, 17:18, pp <pp.pente...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Jan 21, 1:58 pm, a <oxfordenergyservi...@googlemail.com> wrote:

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>> The only problem I have so far is that strmatch which I use a load of

>> times isn't in gdl. Are there any simple workarounds?

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> GDL has stregex, which can do what strmatch does, and much more.

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>> I need the wilcard to work ie

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>> a=['abc','def','ghi']

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>> b='\*e\*'

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>> i=where(strmatch(a,b) eq 1)

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>> gives i=1

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> That particular example can be done with

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> b='e'

> i=where(stregex(a,b,/boolean))

thanks. i may try that. i wrote a function that does it via the  
command line, but a bit ugly

any ideas for a gdl strsplit('aaa bbbb',/extract)??

Thanks

Russ

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