Subject: Re: while loop crashes
Posted by Michael Galloy on Tue, 01 Jun 2010 20:08:32 GMT

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On 6/1/10 4:27 AM, lila hadji wrote:
> Actually, when you want to run a script, you can remose the pro line,
> and add (optionally) $Main$ at the beginning (to speed up the
> performances)

I don't think your $Main$ line is doing anything, $ is the continuation character in functions/procedures/main-level program and any characters that appear after it are ignored. For example:

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pro test
  $This is a really confusing comment

  print, 5
end
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This "continues" a blank line with the following blank line, making a valid (blank) IDL statement.

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