
Subject: Re: capture astronomy IDL's library stderr into a file
Posted by [Bringfried Stecklum](#) on Thu, 04 Nov 2010 07:35:12 GMT
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Truong Le wrote:

> Hi All,
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> i need to know how to capture all the stderr or warning that comes
> from the Astronomy IDL's library when the FITS file is badly formatted
> into a file. I have a case where the Astronomy IDL's
> library kept on producing this warning message and never stop.
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> Thanks

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I've seen those messages couple of times when trying to read a file which does not conform to the FITS standard either because it is corrupt or of different file type. You may check your FITS files beforehand using fitsverify

[http://heasarc.gsfc.nasa.gov/docs/software/ftools/fitsverify /](http://heasarc.gsfc.nasa.gov/docs/software/ftools/fitsverify/)

to sort out the bad ones.

Regards, Bringfried
