Subject: Re: how to clear error message Posted by Truong Le on Thu, 04 Nov 2010 00:58:04 GMT

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On Nov 3, 7:59 pm, wlandsman <wlands...@gmail.com> wrote:
> On Nov 3, 7:43 pm, ThanhThoan Nguyen <marct...@gmail.com> wrote:
>>>> When I try to read a bad FITS file I obtain the following error
>>>> % MRD HREAD: Warning-Invalid characters in header
>> I am trying to loop over several FITS files, and I want to be able to
>> catch
>> this error and move on to the next FITS file. With the silent keyword
>> I don't
>> think this will resolve my problem.
Note that MRD_HREAD is not printing an error message, but an
> "informational" message.
> Below is the relevant code within MRD HREAD
> ; Check that there aren't improper null characters in strings that are
> causing
> ; them to be truncated. Issue a warning but continue if problems are
> found.
>
       w = where(strlen(block) ne 80, Nbad)
>
       if (Nbad GT 0) then begin
>
            if ~keyword set(SILENT) then message, /INF, $
>
                   'Warning-Invalid characters in header'
>
            block[w] = string(replicate(32b, 80))
>
       endif
>
  You might be able to catch the error if you change the /INFORMATIONAL
> to /CONTINUE.
> --Wayne
I am sorry but are you suggesting that I modify the MRD_HREAD
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procedure?