
Subject: Re: append to the first line of a text file....
Posted by [ben.bighair](#) on Sat, 15 Jan 2011 13:46:29 GMT
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On 1/14/11 2:01 PM, George Millward wrote:

>
> I guess I'm just going to have to write a routine to do what I want
> ...something like reading all the current data into a buffer - write
> the new data - then append the buffer onto the new data.
> ...shouldn't be too hard - I was just wondering if there was a
> keyword.
>

Hi,

If you decide to use the buffer approach, then you might want to consider something like Mike Galloy's MGArrayList.

<http://michaelgalloy.com/2006/04/24/collection-package-mgarraylist.html>

It operates just like IDL_Container but works for any data type. It could be that the new List() thingy in IDL 8 does this kind of stuff, but I am leashed to IDL 7.1 so I wouldn't know.

Cheers,
Ben
