
Subject: Re: Porting OS X IDL 7.0 to Linux IDL 8.0
Posted by [polystethylene](#) on Tue, 30 Aug 2011 15:19:01 GMT
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On Aug 30, 3:42 pm, polystethylene <polystethyl...@hotmail.com> wrote:

> On Aug 30, 3:35 pm, David Fanning <n...@idlcoyote.com> wrote:

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>> polystethylene writes:

>>> I've checked the 8.0 help files for STRSPLIT - and the keyword is the

>>> same; the syntax for calling looks to be exactly the same, so what

>>> problem does IDL have with my code here?

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>> Can't find it on your path? What does this tell you?

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>> IDL> Print, File_Which('strsplit.pro')

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>> Cheers,

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>> David

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>> David Fanning, Ph.D.

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>> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:<http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

>> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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> Hi David,

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> I get

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> IDL> Print,FILE_WHICH('strsplit.pro')

> % Variable is undefined: FILE_WHICH.

> % Execution halted at: \$MAIN\$

> IDL>

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> Which tells me the installation is messed up if IDL can't find its own

> resources. This sounds like a job for my sysadmin rather than you

> guys :)

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> Thanks for the reply - I hadn't come across FILE_WHICH before, which

> goes to show I always learn something new every time I come here...
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> Stef

Yeah, just confirmed it - was lacking a '+' in my export IDL_PATH line
my .bash_profile - didn't have the subdirectories on my path.

It's now accepting the strsplit lines, but not the READFITS - so I've
got to go on a hunt for the NASA IDL library.

Thanks again!

Stef
