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Subject: IDLDoc Error

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Folks,

I have been doing a LOT of documentation work the past couple of days, and after a rough start I have gotten whole directories of files to compile without warning messages from IDLDoc, version 3.3. I believe I am starting to know what I am doing.

So, this afternoon I turned my attention to updating my ActiveContour software. I marked up all the files with rst mark-up, and when I was finished I executed the very same idldoc command I have been using all week:

```
IDL> idldoc, $
      root='c:\idl\activecontour\source', $
      output='c:\idl\activecontour\source\activecontourdocs', $
      title='Coyote Graphics Active Contour Routines', $
      subtitle= 'Date: ' + Systime(), /NoSource
```

Only this time, I get the following error:

Copying resources...

Parsing .\...

Parsing testapplication.pro...

% IDLDOC: Array dimensions must be greater than 0.

If I remove testapplication.pro, it fails on the next file. In fact, it won't work with *any* file in the directory. Which leads me to conclude something else is wrong. Does anyone have any clues?

Thanks,

David

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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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