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Subject: Re: EOS\_SW\_CREATE HDF function file path issue  
Posted by [Jim Pendleton](#) on Thu, 10 May 2012 20:02:36 GMT  
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On Thursday, May 10, 2012 12:00:25 PM UTC-6, Edward Hyer wrote:

> On Thursday, May 10, 2012 10:24:35 AM UTC-7, jimmylee...@gmail.com wrote:

>> Can you show an example of the string you're using for FULL\_PATH? Perhaps it's a function of escapes needed by one internal routine or another.

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> /shared/aerosol\_dev2/users/hyer/calsrc/mod04\_landocean\_idl\_s  
andbox/aux/hdfeos/201205/2012051000\_obsnew.hdf

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> Too long? Doesn't like directories that are only numbers?

I would recommend sending this example to support@exelisvis.com. The file name length limit should be 255 characters, and you're clearly short of that. Perhaps there's an internal routine that didn't get the memo. Also your subject line references the \*CREATE routine, but your example shows \*OPEN.

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