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Subject: Re: Google Static Maps in IDL

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 12 Jul 2012 18:43:03 GMT

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Michael Galloy writes:

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> For me on my Mac with IDL 8.1 and 8.2, both
>
> IDL> print, getenv('IDL_TMPDIR')
> /var/folders/j2/hhx4tc4d6wn13qkl4mj_dksr0000gz/T/
> IDL> print, filepath("", /tmp)
> /var/folders/j2/hhx4tc4d6wn13qkl4mj_dksr0000gz/T/
>
> yield the same thing and I can write to files in that directory.
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This particular Mac was returning the name of a directory that didn't exist. Once we created it, all was well. Don't know, but I'm adding a check for this now.

Cheers,

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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