Sreelakshmi S <sreelakshmi.s86@gmail.com> wrote:

> The issue is when i try compiling poly-fit it shows error opening the file.
> IDL is not looking into its own lib. But it accesses another lib astrolib. So this I suppose is due to my path defenition. So if you would tell me how to define the path such that IDL looks into both libraries.

You may print the variable !path. On my computer (Windows 7, IDL 7.0) I get:
IDL> print, !path
C:\Program Files (x86)\RSI\IDL70\lib\bridges;C:\Program Files
(x86)\RSI\IDL70\lib\dicomex;C:\Program Files
(x86)\RSI\IDL70\lib\hook;C:\Program Files (x86)\RSI\IDL70\lib\imsl;C:\Program
Files (x86)\RSI\IDL70\lib\itools\components;

[lots of entries removed]

To manage the variable !path you may open the IDL workbench and navigate to

window -> user settings -> IDL -> pathes

Maybe these steps have a slightly different name as I have a German version
of IDL. To repair setting you may click on "Restore standard settings".
If this doesn't help you may run the installer again to repair your
installation.

HTH
Norbert