
Subject: stregex fails to match underscore
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I am trying to use stregex to match a filename. I am curious why, after the '([LLC|KGD|GFC|FFC])' portion of my search string, the first '_' does not match.

For example:

```
name = 'GDP1_XXX__KGD_RF.xml'  
searchStr = '^G[DS]P1_XXX__([LLC|KGD|GFC|FFC])'  
print, stregex(name, searchStr, /boolean) ; Match
```

```
searchStr = '^G[DS]P1_XXX__([LLC|KGD|GFC|FFC])_'  
print, stregex(name, searchStr, /boolean) ; Not Match
```

Not sure why this happens. Anyone have any ideas?

Thanks.
