
Subject: Re: stregex with multiple matches
Posted by [PMan](#) on Thu, 29 May 2014 18:42:38 GMT
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On Thursday, May 29, 2014 2:31:11 PM UTC-4, Paul Mallas wrote:

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> Hello,
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> Can stregex match an expression multiple times? It seems not, but I get the feeling there ought
to be a way to do so. For example:
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> IDL> time_regex = '([01][0-9]|2[0-3]):([0-5][0-9]):([0-5][0-9])'
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> IDL> timeStr = '10:21:41"
>
> IDL> print, stregex(timeStr, time_regex)
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>      0
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> Ok, that is what expected
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> IDL> timeStr = '10:21:41 - 11:32:00"
>
> IDL> print, stregex(timeStr, time_regex)
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>      0
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> But in the second example, why aren't there two matches? can I change my regex in some
why to get multiple matches?
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> Thanks

I just noticed my quote/double quote mis-match, but the result is the same.
