
Subject: Re: Writing each filename into new line of text file
Posted by [Kai Heckel](#) on Mon, 01 Jun 2015 07:24:21 GMT
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Am Freitag, 29. Mai 2015 22:43:57 UTC+2 schrieb Dick Jackson:

> On Friday, 29 May 2015 05:48:43 UTC-7, Kai Heckel wrote:

>> Hey!

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>> I'd like to list my files and write them into a text file. Each filename should be in a separate line....

>> Shouldn't be to hard ;)

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>> This is what I have:

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>> PRO test

>> cd, 'Path of my files'

>> files_all = FILE_SEARCH()

>> openw,lun1,'fileinfo.txt', /get_lun

>> printf, lun1, files_all, FORMAT='(A)'

>> close, lun1

>> free_lun,lun1

>> END

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>> I couldn't find any suitable command till now...

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>> Thanks!

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> As we often ask around here, "in what way is this not working for you?". When I run this, it does write every filename on a separate line, as expected. It also seems to be listing contained folders... is that the problem? If so, use this instead:

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> files_all = FILE_SEARCH(/TEST_REGULAR)

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> Bonus: if you're going to do "free_lun", you don't have to do "close"!

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> Cheers,

> -Dick

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Thank you very much for your solutions!

@ Nikola:

If I try your version it prints my datasets into 3 columns for some reason...

@ Dick:

"/TEST_REGULAR" returns an empty string (not an array as needed)

I assume that it should be possible to reduce the number of columns in Nikolas version in some way.....isn't it?

Thanks everyone!
