Subject: Re: StrSplit wont port to Windows?
Posted by David Fanning on Thu, 07 Feb 2002 15:38:35 GMT
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R.A (roa@aber.ac.uk) writes:

> Does anyone know why StrSplit will not port to
> windows IDL.

You will have to be more specific here. StrSplit
seems to work perfectly on my Windows machine.

Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: StrSplit wont port to Windows?
Posted by dominik on Thu, 07 Feb 2002 16:02:06 GMT
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>>>> > "RA" == R A <roa@aber.ac.uk> writes:

RA> Does anyone know why StrSplit will not port to
RA> windows IDL.

Are your trying to split a file path? The path separator is different
between Windows and Unix. I can see no other reason why it should not
work under Windows.

- Carsten

RA> thanks
RA> roa@aber.ac.uk

Subject: Re: StrSplit wont port to Windows?
Posted by Rick Towler on Thu, 07 Feb 2002 16:57:54 GMT
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> Are your trying to split a file path? The path separator is different
> between Windows and Unix. I can see no other reason why it should not
> work under Windows.
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> - Carsten

Like Carsten said, if you are splitting a path, try something like so:

parameter_file = 'C:\my\path\to\file.txt'
parts = strsplit(parameter_file, '\:/', /extract)

It should parse your file paths on Unix, windows and I think Mac. You
probably just have to change '/' to '\:/'.

-Rick