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Subject: Re: How to modify my IDL library path?  
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> For managing sake, I don't want to extract textoidl files to /usr/  
> local/itt/idl64/addon/. Is it possible to change IDL's searching path?  
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use '+' in front of the directory to include subdirectories  
IDL\_PATH="+\$RSI\_DIR/addon;..."

> Besides, it seems that IDL can't recognize my addons as a "native"  
> routine. (i.e. I need to compile them before I call them, unlike other  
> utilities such as interpolation.) Is there a trick to fix this?

1. print, !path ; to make sure you have correct path
  2. can you 'ls' the directory as a normal user (else chmod o+r or better move your addon to \$HOME/idl)
  3. lowercase your .pro files
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