
Subject: Re: retrieve list of files using ftp
Posted by [mankoff](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2008 21:22:44 GMT
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If this is just for your system and not portable, and your system has
'wget' or 'curl' installed, I would use them and the SPAWN command,
and capture the output. Not sure what to do on Windows. This would be
easier than using SOCKET.

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Posted by [rhyme2ri2](#) on Sun, 23 Mar 2008 17:24:57 GMT
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On Mar 23, 2:49 am, jeffnettles4...@gmail.com wrote:

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@ mankoff

no my product needs to be portable and i need to use the default IIS
ftp which is provided with windows....

@jeffnettless4

well i already know about the IDLneturl in 6.4 but to my badluck i'm
using idl 6.3 and can't ask them for an upgrade..

@all

any other ideas or suggesstions would be appreciated..

Thanks & regards
