Subject: Re: GetExeFilePath() in Linux

Posted by guido on Wed, 22 Nov 2006 21:53:48 GMT

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luzr wrote on Wed, 22 November 2006 19:10OK, what seem wrong to me:

You have your "foo" application somewhere on the PATH. You start it by typing "foo" -> no '\' in the name -> x = x.Left(x.ReverseFind('/')) crashes.

Mirek

Oops, sorry

Well, then, when x.ReverseFind('/') fails, a path search, like your current implementation, must be done.

Or this is how OO.org does it: guido@Sid:~\$ cat /usr/bin/openoffice.org-2.0 #!/bin/sh exec /etc/openoffice.org-2.0/program/soffice "\$@"

I only suggest it, because I'm familiar with this method, and because it's portable across POSIX systems. I know, it is how ISPs deal with it, to make their software relocatable and distribution independent.

Guido