
Subject: is there a TerminalCtrl?

Posted by [forlano](#) on Fri, 17 Nov 2017 22:20:49 GMT

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Luigi

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Posted by [Oblivion](#) on Fri, 17 Nov 2017 22:26:02 GMT

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Best regards,

Oblivion

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Posted by [forlano](#) on Fri, 17 Nov 2017 22:42:44 GMT

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Best regards,

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Hello Oblivion,

you are right, SetCurrentDirectory(folder_path) did the trick.

Later I'll inquire the localprocess method hoping to gather the output made by the problem.

Thanks and best regards,

Luigi

Subject: Re: is there a TerminalCtrl?

Posted by [forlano](#) on Sat, 18 Nov 2017 18:55:02 GMT

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Yes, the Sys() command is from far much better.

Luigi

Subject: Re: is there a TerminalCtrl?

Posted by [mayduavongts](#) on Tue, 08 May 2018 02:32:46 GMT

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I agree with u!
