
Subject: problem with system() under windows [SOLVED]

Posted by [forlano](#) on Wed, 15 Apr 2009 09:49:30 GMT

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Hello,

I need to call an external .bat file with two arguments from my Upp application.

My app built the String commandline before before to pass it to system(commandline).

The problem: system(commandline) does not work.

But if I save the content of the string commandline I get

```
C:\upp20081\out\MINGW.Gui\plugin\javafo.bat C:\VegaTornei\CopiadirdcA08\ rdcA08.kxf
```

then I copy it in a DOS shell and at the return key the command is performed very well. So, the string is built correctly but system() does not operate correctly.

Perhaps "String" class collide with system()? Is there an Upp method to perform the same thing?

I tried to use CreateProcess() but the compiler cry for problem about conversion with Upp string. Any idea?

Thanks,
Luigi

Subject: Re: problem with system() under windows

Posted by [masu](#) on Wed, 15 Apr 2009 11:24:32 GMT

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Have you already tried using \\ instead of \ ?

Matthias

Subject: Re: problem with system() under windows

Posted by [forlano](#) on Wed, 15 Apr 2009 11:46:14 GMT

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masu wrote on Wed, 15 April 2009 13:24 Have you already tried using \\ instead of \ ?

Matthias

Hi Matthias,

yes, I tried but the problem was elsewhere. Inside the .bat file there was another file path dependent and the SO was not able to locate it. This stupid bug costed me 4 hours .

Thanks,
Luigi
