

Question

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Working with environment variables

Hello,

I've got similar question as I have mentioned here once. It about environment variables and getting their values into manifest.

Now I know, that I must use this method `$system.Util.GetEnviron("")` but still if I try to use it it doesn't work. I need to set variable in bash.sh file and then get that value into manifest. If I try this in terminal it works only for system variables as you can see, but it should normally work for user variables too or not?

```
%SYS>set sc = $system.Util.GetEnviron("SYSPath")
```

```
%SYS>zw sc
```

```
sc=""
```

```
%SYS>set sc = $system.Util.GetEnviron("TEMP")
```

```
%SYS>zw sc
```

```
sc="C:\Users\Zkusebni\AppData\Local\Temp"
```

I've tried this syntax several times and it was working until I've reinstalled my Ensemble instance:

```
<Var Name="SYSPath" Value=#{$system.Util.GetEnviron("SYSPath")} />
```

So is there any possibility how to get user variable by this method into install manifest?

I will be glad for every help, now I'm quite confused.

Thanks a lot.

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