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Peter Hansen schrieb:

Not sure from the above description exactly what it is you want,

I want a tree

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top/
  install.py
  sub1/
    __init__.py
    mod1.py
  sub2/
    mod2.py
```

where I can do "from sub1 import mod1" in mod2.py no matter what the absolute path of top is. To achieve this I start install.py once to retrieve the absolute dir of itself (= abspath of top/) and creates .pth files with its absolute dir in every subdirectory.

> but

generally such non-standard sys.path and .pth manipulations are best handled by a sitecustomize.py file, possibly which makes its own calls to site.addsitedir() and such. Try "help(site)" for more.

But sitecustomize.py changes the Python installation, doesn't it? This wouldn't be an advantage over putting a .pth file into .../site-packages.

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