
Subject: Re: Upgrade from 3.6
Posted by [sigma0](#) on Wed, 10 Jun 1998 07:00:00 GMT
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On Wed, 10 Jun 1998, Liam Gumley wrote:

- > Why not just download the IDL 5.1 demo version from <ftp://ftp.rsinc.com>,
- > install it on the same machine, and try running you application? Or, you
- > can get RSI to send you the IDL 5.1 CD-ROM, which will let you run your
- > application without installing IDL on your system.

I wish! Actually, the version of osf we are running is so old that the new version of idl will not run. I tried moving the system to a sgi running idl 5.0, and everything I tested appeared to work fine. I am a little worried though that maybe there are a bunch of booby traps waiting for me though.

As for for the quality of the code, well, there is just nothing like 36k lines of uncommented, undocumented, scientific spaghetti code!

Thanks for the info!

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