
Subject: bug in systime(1) on IDL 5.2 Linux/Intel?
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systime(1) on IDL 5.2 Linux/Intel seems to always yield whole numbers.
For instance,

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print, systime(1) - long(systime(1))
```

always returns 0.0000... In contrast, this statement returns various fractions in IDL 5.2 WinNT/Intel and IDL 5.0 Mac. Has anyone else observed this behavior? It wrecks havoc with trying to use time_test3 and graphics_times3 for benchmarking.

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