Subject: Re: RedHat-6.0 with Glibc2.1 breaks IDL-5.2 Posted by Irnittler on Fri, 07 May 1999 07:00:00 GMT

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In article <373211F7.144C4F0E@astrosun.tn.cornell.edu>. "J.D. Smith" <jdsmith@astrosun.tn.cornell.edu> wrote: > Martin Schultz wrote: >> >> NewsMan wrote: >>> >>> The new RedHat-6.0 Linux with glibc-2.1 breaks IDL-5.2. I got the >>> following error when I invoke IDL. >>> [...] >> >> > > You can easily install an old glibc (RH 5.2 has 2.0.7), and set up your > LD PRELOAD environment variable just before running idl (perhaps in a > shell which runs only idl and is used for no other purpose). This way > you can continue using RH 6.0 using glibc-2.1, but IDL will work (and > find this library function it needs to work). Such a script might look > like: > > #!/bin/sh > export LD\_PRELOAD=/lib/libc-2.0.7 > \$IDL DIR/bin/idl > Good Luck,

OK, I also am having trouble getting IDL to work with redhat 6.0. I tried the above approach after copying libc-2.0.7.so from /usr/i386-glibc20-linux/lib/ (where the compat files are put) to /lib, but even with the 2.0.7 library I get the same error message. Any ideas?