Subject: Re: Breakdown after 10 min: IDL + WinNT Posted by davidf on Tue, 07 Dec 1999 08:00:00 GMT

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Hans-Jurgen Hahne (hahne@orthop.uni-kiel.de) writes:

- > With a 1-month test license I have spent several hours on the following
- > problem:

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- > After 10 minutes of operation, IDL52 breaks down. (WinNT 4.0, Service
- > Pack 4, 64MB RAM). Dr.Watson says:
- > "IDL: Ausnahmefehler (Exceptional Error?) 0xc0000095 at address
- > 0x20051ef1"
- > It is reproducible!
- > I cleaned the Registry; I startet "UnInst.exe -fc:\rsi\deisl2.isu"; I
- > deleted \rsi\idl52.
- > After new installation from CD the same: 10 minutes...

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> (In June 99 I had a first test license, It worked well)

I know it is tempting to blame IDL for this, but after a long, frustrating weekend getting my Windows NT 4.0, SP4 machine back together after installing a new device driver, I'm not so sure.

Last week I installed an updated graphics driver. Soon after I noticed a fatal error every time I tried to connect to the Internet. Absolutely reproducible. I de-installed the driver and re-installed the previous one. No help. I re-installed the Dial-up connection service, which is the code causing the error. No help. I re-installed *all* my network services. No help. I went back to the very first graphics drivers and installed all up to the last update. No help.

Finally, it's about 2:30 AM and I say to hell with it and I re-install the updated driver that caused me all the problems in the first place. Bingo. Problem solved.

AAAAAAuuuuughhhh!

Cheers,

David

P.S. Let's just say I'm reading Linux books even as

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we speak. :-(
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