
Subject: Re: spawn broken on IDL 5.3 / solaris ?

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Craig Hamilton wrote:

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> Martin:
> Unix IDL 5.3 also has another problem: idlde doesn't handle files greater
> than
> a few hundred lines in its editor. More lines than that and they just don't
> show
> up on the screen. Tech support told me they switched to a 3rd party
> chroma-color-enabled editor in 5.3. They did not tell me when to expect
> a fix.
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An excellent time to jump ship to emacs+IDLWAVE mode. Expect the announcement of a major update with several exciting new features in the near future... and prepare to do things that IDLDE users could never dream of.

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