
Subject: Re: IDL and RedHat version 7.0

Posted by [Kenneth Mankoff](#) on Wed, 06 Dec 2000 08:00:00 GMT

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not sure what this email means for me, because i did a clean rh7 install,
and idl worked fine. That is IDL 5.3, not 5.4.

-k.

On Wed, 6 Dec 2000, David V Bowen wrote:

> About a month ago someone contacted me about their problems getting IDL
> to run under Linux & RedHat v7.0 (I'm sorry, I lost their Email and
> can't remember their name). Hopefully by now they've figured out how to
> fix it, but in case they haven't... I was talking to a colleague a few
> days ago, who reported a similar problem after a clean installation of
> RH7. The problem, he discovered, was that there are some libraries
> missing which IDL needs but which don't come with RH7. Anyone who
> upgrades to v7 won't notice any problems 'cause the libraries `_used_` to
> exist in v6, but anyone doing a new installation will be unable to start
> IDL. If anyone is still struggling with these issues, I can get some
> more details if they contact me directly.

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