
Subject: Re: Where to put (unix) DLMS?

Posted by [Craig Markwardt](#) on Fri, 11 May 2001 21:55:13 GMT

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Rob.Preece@msfc.nasa.gov (Rob Preece) writes:

>> Another thought is to have a separate "site" DLM directory. That
>> requires the user to set their IDL_DLM_PATH environment variable
>> before running IDL. This works, unless users are in heterogeneous
>> environment (ie, like my lab's), in which case they won't know *which*
>> directory to set it to ahead of time. Sadly, the IDL system variable
>> !DLM_PATH cannot be set at runtime, so there is no way to discover it
>> on the fly.

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> Too true, perhaps it's worth a note to RSI to put in a change request?

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I think RSI is responding. I understand that the next version of IDL will have a feature to make this easier. Now all that is needed for everybody to upgrade to IDL 5.5 immediately, right? :-)

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