
Subject: searching for available license

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Does anyone have a script for searching for an available floating license?

We have floating licenses distributed over many systems (one license for each

person). Once in a while, someone will need to use a second license.

My current method of finding one is to simply change the

"LM_LICENSE_FILE"

environment variable to an alternate system/license and start IDL. I

can repeat this

procedure until I find a free license. There must be a quicker way, but

I don't know of

any way to poll a license server to see if a license is available.

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