
Subject: Re: Slow array indexing

Posted by [Nigel Wade](#) on Thu, 07 Feb 2002 18:09:49 GMT

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trouble wrote:

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> Nigel Wade <nmw@ion.le.ac.uk> wrote in message
> news:<a3rp08$1ub5$1@rook.le.ac.uk>...
>>
>> Is it really taking that much time or is it miscalculating systime()?
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>> What happens if you run strace on idl? E.g. put the commands in a file
>> (script.pro) and run
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>> strace idl script.pro
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>
> Yes, it really is taking that long. I tried strace - got syntax error
> messages. Is strace an IDL command ? Or linux ? There's no manual
> entry for 'strace' in either unfortunately, so I'm a bit confused.
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It's a Linux command. Maybe it's not installed on your machine.
In RH 7.2 there's a separate RPM, strace.

From your other post it seems like it's an issue between IDL 5.5 and Alpha Linux. Maybe some problem in library compatability. Do you still have IDL 5.4 on that machine, or can you re-install it? It would be interesting to see if they have different library dependencies.

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