
Subject: get_lun returns LUN already in use

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hello,

a unexpected thing happens when a logical file unit is allocated in the setup batch procedure execeuted when idl session is started. the first use of get_lun at the IDL prompt returns the unit already in use.

; LUN 100 is in use...

IDL> help,/files

Unit	Attributes	Name
100	Read, Write, New	/tmp/idl-8391185

; but get_lun returns unit 100?

IDL> get_lun,fu

IDL> print,fu
100

this is not 'right'.

george
