
Subject: Re: GET_LUN running out of LUNs?

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> CLOSE, unit, /PLEASE ?

You should use FREE_LUN.

I think (not sure) that:

CLOSE is used on LUNs below 100. These LUNs are usually hardcoded. ex:

```
IDL> OPENR, 42, 'foo'
```

```
IDL> CLOSE, 42
```

FREE_LUN is used on LUNs from 100 to 128. These LUNs are dynamically allocated via the GET_LUN procedure or keyword. ex:

```
IDL> OPENR, lun, 'foo', /GET
```

```
IDL> FREE_LUN, lun
```
