
Subject: DLL libraries with IDL Windows

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I am trying to write a DDL library for use with IDL for Windows. I use the Microsoft FORTRAN 5.1 compiler. I tried a little test program that calls the FORTRAN routine with CALL_EXTERNAL. My routine has one INTEGER argument which is modified. I think that I have the proper module DEF file. With the installation options that I have and the compiler and linker switches put in by the Programmer's Workbench for building a DLL library, I get an application error from Windows.

My questions are:

- Is Microsoft FORTRAN 5.1 suitable to produce DLL libraries callable by CALL_EXTERNAL.
- If it is, how can I do it?
- If not, which FORTRAN compiler should I use?

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