
Subject: Re: IDL licenses thru a tunnel?

Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Tue, 18 Mar 2003 18:23:03 GMT

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I should have read the previous posting Craig, it is already described to set an alis

Reimar

Reimar Bauer wrote:

> Craig Markwardt wrote:

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>> h_chapman@fastmail.fm (Henry) writes:

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>>> Another interesting thing I learned from the globetrotter site is that
>>> if you set the SERVER port to 27000 instead of idl's usual 1700, then
>>> you only need @hostname instead of 1700@hostname for your
>>> LM_LICENSE_FILE. 27000 is the default. So one of many ways of
>>> tunnelling (this works for me) is:

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>>> export LM_LICENSE_FILE=@localhost

>>> ssh -f -NL 27000:localhost:1700 myserver.com

>>> ssh -f -NL 59000:localhost:59000 myserver.com

>>> idl

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>>> type everything as written, except for myserver.com, which is the
>>> remote machine running the license server.

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>> Hmmm, I still find that this give the same kind of server lookup error
>> that the original poster was reporting.

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>> Because the *server*'s configuration file contains the name
>> myserver.com, and reports that back to the client, the client will
>> attempt to make a connection to myserver.com no matter what, and this
>> will be blocked by the firewall. That's why I had to fiddle with the
>> /etc/hosts table.

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>> Craig

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> just an idea did you have thought about an alias in hosts.

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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html
