
Subject: Re: LINUX SPAWN C-program and CPU status
Posted by [Nigel Wade](#) on Tue, 27 May 2003 14:21:20 GMT
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David Oesch wrote:

> Hi outthere,
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> We are using IDL on LINUX REDHAT9 and encounter the following problem
> when we call a C- program using the SPAWN command in idl: The CPU load
> of the C-program is only 30% while at the same time the system idle
> process covers up with 65% (65% of the cpu is not used...)
> If calling the same C-program directly in a bash shell and not from IDL,
> the CPU load of the C-Program goes up to 99%...and the program is REALLY
> faster....
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> Any ideas?
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> Cheers
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Just a wild guess, but does setting the environment variable
LD_ASSUME_KERNEL=2.2.5 or LD_ASSUME_KERNEL=2.4.1 before running idl help at
all?

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