Subject: Re: IDL Virtual Machine information Posted by Haje Korth on Mon, 30 Jun 2003 12:05:58 GMT

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At the presentation RSI gave by us, the five people from RSI was not aware of any DLM, call\_external restrictions. I specifically asked for that. I think there are restrictions about callable IDL, but let this stand as a rumor rather than a fact. The IDL 6.0 beta documentation does not mention these restrictions. The only serious restriction is the EXECUTE() command, which is not available in VM mode. This seems to be used by many people, even though I haven't discovered its usefulness. (Maybe someone could describe a scenario, where I really need this and cannot find a quick workaround. Maybe I have been missing out on something great here.)

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Greetings,
Haje
<tbb0301@mail.lrz-muenchen.de> wrote in message
news:Pine.SOL.4.55.0306301004370.435@sun2.lrz-muenchen.de...
> On Fri, 27 Jun 2003, Gert Van de Wouwer wrote:
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> "Liam Gumley" <Liam.Gumley@ssec.wisc.edu> wrote in message
>> news:bdf0ei$oce$1@news.doit.wisc.edu...
>>> A particularly interesting feature of IDL 6.0 is the IDL Virtual
Machine,
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> My basic understanding after talking to the local distributor was that
> DLM are not allowed for VM.
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> Best regrads
> Stephan
>> But a problem I see is the use of DLM's that I often use. I need to
>> them every time there is a IDL upgrade (and they are not backwards
>> compatible). Anyone any thoughts how this would be with the VM?
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