
Subject: Re: Installing IDL 6.1 on debian linux
Posted by [Mathieu Malaterre](#) on Tue, 26 Jul 2005 17:31:56 GMT
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Vincent Noel wrote:

> Hey Mathieu,
>
> try to do this as root :
>
> /usr/local/rsi/idl/bin/lmgrd -c /usr/local/rsi/license/license.dat
>
> (changing the paths depending on your installation)
> It should work.

Salut Vincent,

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$ sudo /opt/rsi/idl/bin/lmgrd -c /opt/rsi/license/license.dat
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13:30:14 (lmgrd) -----
13:30:14 (lmgrd) Please Note:
13:30:14 (lmgrd)
13:30:14 (lmgrd) This log is intended for debug purposes only.
13:30:14 (lmgrd) There are many details in licensing policies
13:30:14 (lmgrd) that are not reported in the information logged
13:30:14 (lmgrd) here, so if you use this log file for any kind
13:30:14 (lmgrd) of usage reporting you will generally produce
13:30:14 (lmgrd) incorrect results.
13:30:14 (lmgrd)
13:30:14 (lmgrd) -----
13:30:14 (lmgrd)
13:30:14 (lmgrd)
13:30:14 (lmgrd) lmgrd running as root:
13:30:14 (lmgrd) This is a potential security problem
13:30:14 (lmgrd) And is not recommended
13:30:14 (lmgrd) FLEXlm (v9.21) started on testserver (linux) (7/26/2005)
13:30:14 (lmgrd) Copyright (c) 1988-2003 by Macrovision Corporation. All
13:30:14 (lmgrd) rights reserved.
13:30:14 (lmgrd) US Patents 5,390,297 and 5,671,412.
13:30:14 (lmgrd) World Wide Web: http://www.macrovision.com
13:30:14 (lmgrd) License file(s): /opt/rsi/license/license.dat
13:30:14 (lmgrd) lmgrd tcp-port 1700
13:30:14 (lmgrd) The license daemon has found no vendor daemons to start
13:30:14 (lmgrd) (There are no VENDOR (or DAEMON) lines in the license
13:30:14 (lmgrd) file),
13:30:14 (lmgrd) lmgrd exiting.
13:30:14 (lmgrd) (Invalid license file syntax
13:30:14 (lmgrd) License text: idl_lmgrd
13:30:14 (lmgrd) License path: /opt/rsi/license/license.dat
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FLEXIm error: -2,399

For further information, refer to the FLEXIm End User Manual, available at "www.macrovision.com".)

The license indeed contains a 'DAEMON' line, but again I need to modify the hardcoded path to point to the proper path. Could someone from rsync confirm this is ok (one can change the default /usr/local to /opt with no consequence).

Thanks

Mathieu

Ps: Vincent did you see this is not recommended to start the daemon as root (it's in the output).
