Subject: Re: idl license server an mac powerbook
Posted by Karsten Rodenacker on Thu, 08 Dec 2005 14:59:41 GMT

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Thank you Rick,
I think your solution could be the most stable one. However, I am a Mac
novice and still not well trained in shell script writing. As I answered
Marshall, I am experimenting with an alias of localhost. There is also a
proposal of our German supporter to try LM_LICENSE_FILE defined with
1700@localhost. That I will do in near future with the next license
failure.
Regards
Karsten

Am Wed, 07 Dec 2005 20:32:52 +0100 schrieb Rick Towler
<rick.towler@nomail.noaa.gov>:

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> Karsten Rodenacker wrote:
>> Hi, does anybody know how to configure the license server for idl that
>> it is operational for different environments, network at the lab,
>> network at home, no network at all? Seemingly the hostname changes in
>> different environments!
>
> This seems a bit heavy handed but you can edit the hostname (SERVER) in
> your license.dat file.
>
> If you have static addressing, then you could just create 3 files (work,
> home, none) and write a little script that renames the license.dat file
> appropriately then launches IDL.
>
> The robust solution would be to write a script that inserts your
> hostname into the license.dat file and then launches IDL. Probably
> quite simple. You could use sed or awk.
>
> Maybe I am missing something. It's been a long time since I dealt with
> node locked licenses on UNIX...
Do you speak Python at home instead of Idl?
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>
> -Rick

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