Subject: Re: changed dll file names in IDL 6.3 Posted by Haje Korth on Wed, 21 Jun 2006 11:45:37 GMT

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Dave,

Having the two identical dlls will likely not cause you trouble per se. However, RSI (ITTVIS) does not guarantee upward compatibility of IDL program save files. So you have to test the functionality thoroughly to ensure everything is working as it should. If it does, you found a simple solution to an annoying problem. Too bad, this solution doesn't work to get DLMs to run.

Cheers, Haje

googlegroups@higginsnet.com wrote:

- > Hi,
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- > I have some .sav programs which ran fine in the IDL6.0 Virtual Machine.
- > I recently needed to install the VM on a new PC, and of course the VM
- > is now up to version 6.3.
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- > The .sav expects to find the files idl32.dll and lib32.dll in IDL's
- > program files, however, in IDL 6.3 these have been renamed to idl.dll
- > and lib.dll. As a result, my .sav will not run.

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- > I simply made copies of the two dll files and renamed them with the
- > filenames what my .sav expects.

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- > Is this solution likely to cause any problems having two identical
- > dll files (the official one and the copied one)? Is the .sav going to
- > be using one, and IDL VM using the other?
- > Thanks
- > Dave