
Subject: Re: spawn on IDL virtual machine

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 09 Oct 2006 15:12:08 GMT

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Sverre Solberg writes:

> Is there a way to run code that contains the "spawn" command by the IDL
> virtual machine? I presume not :-(but would like to ask anyway. This
> is a code originally made for Unix, so it crashes when running the VM
> (with spawn) on Windows, which is not so surprising. But perhaps there
> is a way to test for platform inside the program and modify the call to
> "spawn" accordingly??

The various fields of the !VERSION system variable will
tell you almost everything you need to know about what
version of IDL you are running. :-)

Cheers,

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
