
Subject: Re: idl 6.1 crashes on linux
Posted by [Nigel Wade](#) on Fri, 20 Apr 2007 14:46:38 GMT
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George White wrote:

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> On Fri, 20 Apr 2007, david.j.jansen@gmail.com wrote:
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>> On 19 apr, 16:57, Greg Hennessy <greg.henne...@localhost.localdomain>
>> wrote:
>>> On 2007-04-19, Christopher Thom <c...@oddjjob.uchicago.edu> wrote:
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>>>> The workaround would appear to be rolling back the X server updates.
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>>>> I rolled back the libX11 update, and that fixed my problem.
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>> yes, that works. unfortunately, this libX11 update was supposed to fix
>> an exploitable security hole. a more permanent and secure solution
>> would be nice.
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> Furthermore, the OP has just announced to anyone who is interested in
> cracking his machine that it is wide open.
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Wide open?

Did you actually read the advisory on the exploit? I'd hardly call it "wide open".

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