
Subject: Re: C/C++ integration with IDL
Posted by [Rick Towler](#) on Thu, 06 Sep 2007 16:23:34 GMT
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incognito.me wrote:

> The "cl" statement ist not correct written or cannot be found

Your compile environment is not set up correctly. MAKE_DLL can't find cl.exe which is the VC compiler executable. I thought that you could set these things via the MAKE_DLL procedure but a quick glance at the docs leads me to believe otherwise. You'll need to set up your windows environment such that IDL can find the compiler and linker. Visual Studio usually asks you during install if you want your environment vars set for command line use. If you don't enable this, you usually have to run vsvars32.bat to set up the environment to build from the command line.

You'll most likely want to set your environment vars via the "advanced" tab on your system properties panel. Search the VC docs or the web for instructions on how to do this. I'm pretty sure there is a script or little app that will set this for you. Or you can do it the hard way and manually edit your system vars following the vsvars32.bat file.

-Rick
