
Subject: emacs, fedora 8, idlwave and IDL7
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I've got a "default" IDL7 installation and am using the RPM flavor of emacs on fedora 8. As a result of that, I get emacs version 22.1.1, which includes idlwave version 6.1_em22.

Whilst editing a pro file, from the menubar, I select IDLWAVE>>external>>Launch IDL help and I get the following error message. This is 100% repeatable.

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open-network-stream: make client process failed: connection
refused, :name, IDL_ASSISTANT_SOCK, :buffer, nil, :host,
localhost, :service, 0
```

Anyone have a thought on how to fix this? (I'm sure it's some stupid configuration option I missed somewhere along the line...)

Thanks!
Bruce

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