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Subject: Re: Short array memory allocation

Posted by [ray.laymon064](#) on Mon, 11 Aug 2008 15:16:00 GMT

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On Jul 11, 10:53 am, FÖLDY Lajos <fo...@rmki.kfki.hu> wrote:

> On Fri, 11 Jul 2008, ray.laymon...@gmail.com wrote:

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>> That was the answer I was afraid to get..

>> I tried opening and closing the files only and it took the ~same

>> time...

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>> Still, is there any IDL setting that I can change and make my IDL use

>> more sources?

>> In a way IDL to open/read the file faster.

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> Probably file lookup in directories is the bottleneck here. This can be

> very slow if the directories contain thousand of files. Try to rearrange

> your ~600.000 files in a tree where a single directory contains no more

> than 256 files.

>

> regards,

> lajos

Hi Lajos,

I may need ~2000 folders (in a tree) to distribute my files..

openw, creates a file, but if the folder to be written doesn't exist,

IDL exists with an error..

So my quesiton is: "Is there a commend/way to create folder inside IDL-script"? Or Should I do it through a shell-script..

Best Regards,

Ray

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