Subject: Re: IDL slow to load command prompt
Posted by David Klassen on Sat, 04 Oct 2008 01:10:38 GMT

On Oct 3, 2:02 pm, Brian Larsen <balar...@gmail.com> wrote:
> The first thing that pops into mind is a license server issue...
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> do you get anything on the screen?
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> I get:
> [balarsen@LarsenLaptop]~> idl
> IDL Version 6.4.1, Mac OS X (darwin i386 m32). (c) 2007, ITT Visual
> Information Solutions
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> and if the license server is down or unresponsive (which is on the
> same machine) then it can take a long while. The other reason for me
> it takes a while is starting X but on Linux that should not be an
> issue.
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> Others think differently?

Mine is kinda slow (not 20 seconds slow, but like 8--10)
but that's because I have a *huge* IDLPATH search that
has to happen. That is, I define it with just the top
level with a + at the end and that top level has LOTS
of sublevels.