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Subject: Re: Linux installation problems..  
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>> jean@ubuntu:~$ idl
>> exec: 617: /usr/local/itt/idl708/bin/bin.linux.x86/idl: not found
>> if it helps, I am on a 64bits machine..
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> The above executable is the 32bit IDL. The 64bit version would be in
> bin.linux.x86_64. Have you installed a 32bit execution environment? (I don't
> use Ubuntu so I've no idea what's required for that).
>
> Otherwise try downloading and installing 64bit IDL.
>
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Hi Nigel,

hum, you bring a very good point here... I am very surprised indeed!

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uname returns: Linux, x86_64
In IDL (with JMB trick): print, !version:
--> {x86_64 linux unix linux 7.0.8 Feb 9 2009 64 64}
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at the prompt: idl -32
--> exec: 617: /usr/local/itt/idl708/bin/bin.linux.x86/idl: not found
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weird....

Let's see what Brandon from ITTVIS says about that!!  
Jean

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