
Subject: Re: IDL 6.4.1 and X Windows with OS X 10.5.7 and ssh
Posted by [Kenneth P. Bowman](#) on Wed, 20 May 2009 21:58:49 GMT
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In article

<ad17abb9-d42c-43cb-88e0-219a01d3003b@g20g2000vba.googlegroups.com>,
cakswenson@gmail.com wrote:

> I was sent to this group by David Fanning because he didn't know
> anything off the top of his head about my issue.
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> I just updated to OS X 10.5.7 the other day without any problems at
> all. IDL still worked perfectly and I continued my research like
> normal. Today I decided to work from home and ssh into my mac at
> work. My X11 is working fine (if I type 'xclock' at the terminal the
> xclock pops up), but if I try to use any graphics commands in IDL
> (plot, tv, etc.) then I get a 'bus error' and IDL exits.
>
> David Fanning answered a question like this previously ([http://](http://www.dfanning.com/tips/maccrash.html)
> www.dfanning.com/tips/maccrash.html), but reading through the answer
> (which included some advice from here) didn't help and didn't resolve
> the problem.
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> Any ideas on what could be wrong?
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> Thanks

Have you tried installing XQuartz instead of the X11 shipped
by Apple?

<http://xquartz.macosforge.org/trac/wiki>

Ken Bowman
