Subject: Re: Checking version number
Posted by wlandsman on Sat, 13 Jun 2009 00:46:29 GMT
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>> Of course this might begin to fail with Version 10... --Wayne
>
> Or any minor version i.e. if we had made it to 6.10. Modern IDLs should
> be OK, but how many minor versions were there in IDL 1, 2, 3, and 4?

Now you are making me feel old because I can actually answer these
questions (with an uncertainty of 1 subversion).   I believe that
last minor versions were 2.3, 3.7 and 4.0 (there was no IDL 4.1).
So a string comparison test for !VERSION.RELEASE should work with all
IDL versions to date.

Of course I am also old enough to remember when a 2 digit date wasn't
a problem for Windows because the year 2000 was so far away.... --
Wayne