
Subject: Re: IDL 8.0 compile_opt changes
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Tue, 05 Jan 2010 19:17:42 GMT
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Chris Torrence writes:

> I think you must have gotten IDL 7.1.2 with ENVI 4.7?

No, I asked ITTVIS technical support for it when Wayne Landsman reported that Scope_Var_Fetch bug. They gave me this link:

http://www.ittvis.com/download/download_splash.asp?wdiid=1572&si=225907

As it happens, the NetCDF patches were NOT in that release, I don't think. But I did download the IDL 7.1sdf patch and that just installed new netCDF and HDF DLLs in my IDL bin directory.

> Anyway, you can check if you have the NetCDF patch by doing:
> help,'ncdf',/dlm
> If it says version 3.x then you do not have the patch yet.

OK, good. I have the new version installed. Now what do I do? Is there a bit of documentation around somewhere? My impression is that netCDF 4 is *very* different from netCDF 3. Or, are these new files smart enough to figure everything out on their own. :-)

Cheers,

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Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thos speakest truth.")
