Subject: "On UNIX systems, the IDL_IDLBridge requires that the DISPLAY environment variable be set to a valid X Windows display. If no display is available, execution of the IDL_IDLBridge will halt" Why?
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Hello All,

I have just started using IDL_IDLbridge for analysing my data. It really speeds up things..X7 times for me...now I wanted to run the program which has IDL bridges on a UNIX based cluster.

Thats when I am facing this problem. IDL_IDLBridge needs a X window connection ,which we cannot have when using the cluster unless we start an interactive job. Doing that, hinders our chances to make the analysis much faster.

So I was just wondering why IDL_IDLbridge need a X window.... or is there a method through which we can bypass this operation. any ideas?

Thank You
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