
Subject: Re: idl application generation question
Posted by [penteado](#) on Wed, 16 Jun 2010 17:36:35 GMT
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On Jun 16, 2:22 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

- > Well, "free" is easy enough. Just make an IDL save file
- > with all of your compiled procedures and functions. Then,
- > get your customer to download an IDL distribution. Not
- > exactly hassle free, because they have to register to
- > get behind the ITTVIS firewall, etc., but doable if they
- > have a morning free and nothing else to do.
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- > Once they have done this, they have an IDL Virtual
- > Machine that can run your IDL save file. They will get
- > a splash-screen advertisement of IDL to start, but--hey,
- > it's free!
- >
- > It's not too bad. Here is a (rather dated now) article
- > about how to create the needed save file for a Windows
- > application. UNIX is virtually the same.
- >
- > http://www.dfanning.com/tips/idl_icon.html

After the sav file is made, you can make it into an executable application, even for a platform that is not your own. See the help on `make_rt`.
