
Subject: Re: IDL on Suns: XWindows <-> OpenWindows

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In article <1992Oct26.151752.9624@rulway.LeidenUniv.nl>, mellema@rulcvx.LeidenUniv.nl (Garrelt Mellema) writes...

> We have IDL Version 2.1.2 running on a Sun (sunos4.1.sun4). We
> normally use MIT XWindows on these machines, although OpenWindows
> is still available. But when you ask IDL to perform some X work
> (like ? or XLOADCT) in MIT XWindows, it aborts/crashes with the message:
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> OPEN LOOK Toolkit Error in application "idl":
> Could not find default OPEN LOOK button font:
> Resolution: d Point Size: 12

Widget functions in IDL were incompatible with MIT XWindows before version 2.3 or 2.3.2. You need a later version of IDL, or to avoid widget applications, such as XLOADCT and MP_WIDGETS (you can avoid the latter by re-writing MAN_PROC.PRO).

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