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Subject: Re: FLEXIm, Windows 7 & IDL 6.0

Posted by [neil salmon](#) on Tue, 30 Aug 2011 14:02:48 GMT

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On Aug 22, 5:50 pm, Haje Korth <hajeko...@gmail.com> wrote:

> Neil,  
> I, too, feel your pain, but there is probably nothing ITTVIS can do  
> short of giving you a free license for a newer version that will work.  
> This, however, would not be fair to users who have been paying big  
> annual dues to keep their licenses current.  
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> Nevertheless, you have still have options. The simple way to make this  
> work is to install some virtualization software on your machine (e.g.,  
> VirtualBox, free), then install Windows XP in a virtual machine  
> running IDL 6.

>  
> Haje

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> On Aug 19, 2:52 pm, neil salmon <neil.a.sal...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> On Aug 15, 4:32 pm, BillO <bok...@ittvis.com> wrote:

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>>> On Aug 14, 2:58 am, neil salmon <neil.a.sal...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>>> After installing IDL 6.0 on a Windows 7 operating machine and putting  
>>>> in the permanent licence, when running it get:  
>>>> "  
>>>> IDL Version 6.0, Microsoft Windows (Win32 x86 m32). (c) 2003, Research  
>>>> Systems, Inc.  
>>>> % LICENSE MANAGER: Terminal Server remote client not allowed  
>>>> Feature: idl  
>>>> License path: C:\RSI\license\license.dat;C:\RSI\license\\*.lic  
>>>> FLEXIm error: -103,577. System Error: 2 ""  
>>>> For further information, refer to the FLEXIm End User Manual,  
>>>> available at "www.globetrotter.com"..  
>>>> License file: C:\RSI\license\license.dat;C:\RSI\license\\*.lic  
>>>> "  
>>>> after which it reverts to the 7 minutes of demo, where i can  
>>>> successfully run programs, but only for this limited period of time.  
>>>> The licence i have is one personal one and works for any XP machine.  
>>>> I'm quite happy with IDL 6.0 and cant really afford the outlay for the  
>>>> latest version of IDL.

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>>>> Any suggestions about how i get IDL 6.0 working on Windows 7?

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>>>> thank you,

>>>> Neil  
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>>> You should contact Tech Support supp...@ittvis.com about this issue.  
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>> Bill,  
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>> ITTVIS support indicate they are unwilling to assist in getting the  
>> licence to work on Windows 7 as IDL 6.0 was not designed for this  
>> operating system, suggesting i should purchase the latest version of  
>> IDL. Well installation of IDL 6.0 works fine under Windows 7 and so do  
>> the programmes, it's just that the licence thinks i'm trying to  
>> operate remotely, which i'm not. The licence i have is a personal one  
>> and should work on any machine i have the use of.  
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>> Others must have enconted such a difficulty i'm just wondering if they  
>> might share a solution.  
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>> thank you,  
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Haje,

I installed the Windows XP Mode virtual machine under the Windows 7 operating system, but i get the error message:

"IDL Validation Error  
Unable to obtain a license to run as a windows terminal server client"

which almost defeates the object of having a virtual machine.

Any suggestions?

Cheers,  
Neil

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