
Subject: Re: SPAWN error question

Posted by [wlandsman](#) on Thu, 13 Nov 2014 18:51:21 GMT

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On Thursday, November 13, 2014 1:34:35 PM UTC-5, Edward Hyer wrote:

> On Thursday, June 12, 2014 9:39:17 AM UTC-7, Craig Markwardt wrote:

>> On Monday, June 9, 2014 3:34:15 PM UTC-4, Chip Helms wrote:

>>> % SPAWN: Error opening file. File: /usr/tmp/idl_tmp_ZPEOzs

>>> Too many open files

>>> % SPAWN: Error managing child process.

>

> I just wanted to echo I have hit this error-- anyone else seen this?

> IDL> print,!version

> { x86_64 linux unix linux 8.2.1 Aug 20 2012 64 64}

I have long experienced a similar error when I have too many file units open (i.e. I forget to include a free_lun in my code and the open units pile up).
