
Subject: Re: remote execution of idl script
Posted by [Nigel Wade](#) on Fri, 19 Jun 2015 08:26:19 GMT
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On 17/06/15 16:57, trisb wrote:

>> Is it IDL which is hanging or ssh?

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>>> Try adding an additional command after idl to see if IDL exits, and ssh hangs.

>>> If IDL exits then it's definitely something to do with the ssh environment rather than IDL.

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>>> It may also be X causing the problem, so get rid of X and unset DISPLAY:

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>>> ssh -x remote_server_name 'unset DISPLAY;idl hw.isc;ls'

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>>> If IDL exits it should list your files.

> Thanks for the suggestion, Nigel. It stalls at the same point as before, ls is not being executed.

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That makes me think that there's something different about how the idl command is working on that remote system.

Also, the fact that Lajos suggestion to use strace fails to locate the idl command adds weight to this.

Do you know how the idl command is configured on that system?
