
Subject: Re: curl error with IDL 8.5

Posted by [Markus Schmassmann](#) on Wed, 05 Apr 2017 09:42:40 GMT

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On 03/30/2017 09:00 PM, allison jaynes wrote:

- > After upgrading from 8.2 to 8.5, I'm now getting a strange error
- > when spawning a curl command. Have tried uninstalling and reinstalling curl,
- > and setting my path to point to where it should. I'm running OS 10.8
- > currently. Just curious: anyone else having this problem? I figured that
- > tons of people use curl in IDL, but perhaps not?
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- > [macd2591:~] alja2778% idl
- > IDL Version 8.5.1, Mac OS X (darwin x86_64 m64).
- > (c) 2015, Exelis Visual Information Solutions, Inc., a subsidiary of Harris Corporation.
- > Installation number: 100-550.
- > Licensed for use by: University of Colorado
- >
- > IDL> spawn, 'curl google.com'
- > dyld: Library not loaded: /opt/local/lib/libcurl.4.dylib
- > Referenced from: /opt/local/bin/curl
- > Reason: Incompatible library version: curl requires version 9.0.0 or later, but libcurl.4.dylib

provides version 8.0.0

- > Trace/BPT trap
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- > Same command works fine on my laptop running IDL 8.4. Any ideas?

have you tried using curl outside IDL?

[macd2591:~] alja2778% curl google.com

Does that give you the same problem?

If so, the problem has nothing to do with IDL.

If you can't get it to work with CURL, and don't need the options curl provides, you might try WGET.

<https://www.gnu.org/software/wget/manual/wget.html>

<https://daniel.haxx.se/docs/curl-vs-wget.html>
