
Subject: IDL 5.2 idlhelp not working under Red Hat 6.0
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I'm getting the following error when trying to run IDL 5.2 idlhelp under Red Hat Linux 6.0:

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/usr/local/bin/idlhelp: /usr/local/rsi/idl_5.2/help/idl.hlp: Permission  
denied  
/usr/local/rsi/idl_5.2/help/idl.hlp: error in loading shared libraries  
/usr/local/rsi/idl_5.2/help/idl.hlp: invalid ELF header
```

Anyone seen this before/resolved this problem? I've applied the library path patch recommended earlier and idl and idlde come up just fine, but the help functions do not work. Any suggestions appreciated.

Thanks,
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