

Subject: trying to run IDL from a Servlet using Tomcat 5.0 under OS X
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I am trying to call IDL using runtime.exec() from a java servlet using Tomcat 5.0 on a MAC Os X

I am getting the following error :

```
dyld: /usr/local/rsi/idl_6.0/bin/bin.darwin.ppc/idl can't open
library: libidl.6.0.dylib (No such file or
directory, errno = 2)
```

The latest version of my script is

[illegible]

The servlet code in `doGet(...)` is

```
String[] command = new String[3];
command[0] = "/bin/csh";
command[1] = "-c";
command[2] = "/Users/myhome/myscript/simple-script";

Runtime runtime = Runtime.getRuntime();
Process process = null;

try {
    process = runtime.exec(command);
    process.waitFor();
    out.println("Process exit code is: "+process.exitValue());

    BufferedReader err = new BufferedReader(new
```

```
InputStreamReader(  
  
process.getErrorStream()));  
    do{  
        if(err.ready())out.println(err.readLine()+"\n");  
        exitVal = process.exitValue();  
    }while(exitVal == -1);  
    process.destroy();  
}catch(IOException e) {  
    System.err.println("IOException starting process!  
"+e.getMessage());  
    }catch(InterruptedException ex) {  
        System.err.println("Interrupted waiting for  
process!" + ex.getMessage());  
    }  
  
.....
```

When I replace the call to IDL in the script with a call to say
TExtEdit - it works fine.
any ideas ?

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