Subject: Re: IDL 6.0.x crashes on mac os x?
Posted by K. Bowman on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 22:34:24 GMT

In article <eda30d78.0404301420.4b79e3b2@posting.google.com>,
 GrahamWilsonCA@yahoo.ca (Graham) wrote:

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Ken Bowman

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Posted by mperrin+news on Fri, 30 Apr 2004 22:43:50 GMT

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Nope. :-) fsc_surface works just fine for me - OS X 10.3.3 and Apple's
X11 on a PowerBook G4.

- Marshall

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Posted by MKatz843 on Sat, 01 May 2004 06:17:40 GMT
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Posted by GrahamWilsonCA on Sat, 01 May 2004 11:16:33 GMT
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Thanks all. It seems the trick is to use the IDL installation CD
rather than the ENVI 4.0 download package. Both packages contain IDL
but the latter seems to be very unstable on my G5. I don't know how
this will affect envi, but I don't really use it much anyways...

Graham