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Posted by [SSO](#) on Thu, 30 Sep 2004 09:09:49 GMT

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Many thanks for any help
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Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Sun, 03 Oct 2004 07:10:18 GMT

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Dear Sverre

we have never seen such a problem. If you provide an example we could do a comparison on our machines.

cheers

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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
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