
Subject: Re: IDL and Intel's 64-bit Xeon processor
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- > Is there any reason to expect IDL to have difficulty
- > running on Intel's 64-bit Xeon processor?
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- > Does anyone have experience running IDL on a machine
- > with this chip?

You shouldn't have any problems.

EM64T is essentially AMD's x86-64 and I've haven't seen any problems testing IDL x86-32 for linux on SUSE 9.1-64 running on a Athlon64. My testing hasn't been exhaustive though. I haven't gotten around to testing it with the XP-64 beta.

If you'll be running a 32bit OS then you're fine. I've been running IDL on 2000/XP on the Athlon64 and now the "Nocona" EM64T enabled P4 w/o issue.

-Rick
