
Subject: IDL Run-time error '-5'

Posted by [natha](#) on Thu, 21 May 2015 14:46:39 GMT

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Hi guys,

I am trying to create an executable program. The sav files works well but when I create the run-time version, the IDL Virtual Machine gives me the following error:

IDL Run-time error '-5'

Do you know what this error means?

Thank you in advance for your help,

Nata

Subject: Re: IDL Run-time error '-5'

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 21 May 2015 14:49:17 GMT

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nata writes:

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Every time I've ever gotten an error like this, it means I've done something dumb. ;^)

Cheers,

David

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Subject: Re: IDL Run-time error '-5'

Posted by [natha](#) on Thu, 21 May 2015 14:59:35 GMT

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You were not retired?

Subject: Re: IDL Run-time error '-5'
Posted by [natha](#) on Thu, 21 May 2015 15:05:39 GMT
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OK, you were right! I did something dumb... The files of the virtual machine were not copied properly.
Cheers,
Nata
