
Subject: How to lauch a MS Windows program
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Hi,

I try to lauch a MS Windows program (mplayer.exe) from within IDL 3.6.1 by using spawn, 'c:\windows\mplayer.exe ' + filename but IDL opens a DOS box and mplayer writes "This program requires MS Windows". The same happens with IDL 4.0.1. Linkimage is said to work with DLLs only but how do I start a windows program ?

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