
Subject: For which versions of RH Linux does IDL 4.01b work?

Posted by [Lev Tarasoff](#) on Tue, 22 Jun 1999 07:00:00 GMT

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Thanks,

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Subject: Re: For which versions of RH Linux does IDL 4.01b work?

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In article <Pine.SGI.4.10.9906221039560.15898-100000@atmosp.physics.utoronto.ca>,

Lev Tarasoff <lev@atmosp.physics.utoronto.ca> writes:

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IDL 4.01 is linked against some very old aout-libraries:

hell:bin.linux% ldd idl

libXt.so.6 (DLL Jump 6.0) => /usr/X11R6/lib/i486-linuxaout/libXt.so.6

libX11.so.6 (DLL Jump 6.0) => /usr/X11R6/lib/i486-linuxaout/libX11.so.6

libc.so.4 (DLL Jump 4.6pl27) => /usr/local/lib/libc.so.4

libm.so.4 (DLL Jump 4.6pl27) => /usr/local/lib/libm.so.4

(this is not RH, so locations of the libs are different for you)

If you still have the old RH you possibly can grab those libraries and install them manually.

At least that works for me (both Debian 2.0 and SuSE 6.1)

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