

profile issue on Solaris 8

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Hi Gurus,

I have a problem with profile in Solaris 8.

It behaves differently on two boxes. On one box if I run the profile it works fine but on other box it gives me an error:

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bash-2.03$ ./profile
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bash: ./profile: cannot execute binary file
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bash-2.03$ echo $SHELL
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/bin/bash
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For testing I just added a line to .profile as below:

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Cat .profile
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SID=test
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If run the same .profile it works on Box1 but fails with above error on Box2. Both are running Solaris 8 and both users are having bash shell. However if I force #! /bin/sh in .profile it works on box1. Am I missing on Box1 which is causing not to work?

Any pointer is greatly appreciated.

Regards

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