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The message "afs: byte-range lock/unlock ignored; make sure no one else is running this program" may appear in the console window from time to time when you are using Maple (in particular, when using the graphical help system). You can safely ignore this message, and Maple should continue to run normally (it appears because a few Maple files are byte-range locked, and AFS does not support byte-range locking).

## See Also

- [Maple Landing Page](#)