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Subject: IDL 5.0 problems with TrueColor under VMS

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Hi again,

another problem ...

Using IDL 5.0 under DEC OpenVMS 6.2 on a DEC Alpha Workstation equipped with a PowerStorm 4D20 graphics adapter there are some mysterious effects:

1.) I started xloadct for changing the active color table. If I tried to use one of the sliders (e.g. Stretch Bottom), I got a change of the color table only with the first event (first change of the slider position). After that it wasn't possible to do any color changes anymore.

2.) Starting a window in object oriented graphics there was some mysterious picture in it, so I first had to erase it.

I tested my IDL application under TrueColor on a Windows and Linux PC and with IRIX. I never got such results ... !?

Do you have any idea what's wrong with the VMS-IDL ?

CHeers,

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