
Subject: Re: problems printing labels on graphs
Posted by [Liam Gumley](#) on Tue, 16 Mar 1999 08:00:00 GMT
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Stu wrote:

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> Actually the more I look at this problem, the more I think it is an IDL bug, either
> that or something
> REALLY obscure. I have actually managed to get the labels printed each time under
> some circumstances. What I have is something like:
>
> old_dev=!D.NAME
> :
> :
> program
> :
> :
> IF old_dev NE !D.NAME THEN BEGIN
>   DEVICE,/CLOSE
>   SET_PLOT, old_dev
> ENDIF
```

Stu,

Try creating a test program that reproduces the problem with the minimum number of lines of code. If you can condense it down to 10 lines or less and the problem persists, then you can be more confident that it's an IDL bug (post the code to the group). However often times in the condensing process, the problem will go away....

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