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Subject: Re: Z-buffer font quality  
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In article <7e37ig\$vv@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>, fireman@mcst.gsfc.nasa.gov  
(Gwyn Fireman) wrote:

> David Fanning (davidf@dfanning.com) wrote:

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> I guess I am picky - the result still looks fuzzy and a little chunky  
> to me. I \*much\* prefer PostScript fonts and would use PS but for two  
> things:

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> - Much of my work can end up both in internal memos and on our intranet  
> web site, and it seems that GIF is the portable way to do that.

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> - EPS with preview doesn't show up in Word, and when I have many similar  
> plots to put in a document I don't like to rely on filename alone.

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> Looks like I'll need to take the time to read your PostScript chapter  
> and try your tools!

You might want to approach this another way. Write the graphics out in PS,  
then use something like Adobe Distiller to create PDF's, which are  
extremely portable as well as having high resolution. You could also use  
GhostScript to write output to any of several formats, including GIF,  
TIFF, PDF, etc.

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