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Subject: Re: Z-buffer font quality  
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Gwyn Fireman (fireman@mcst.gsfc.nasa.gov) writes:

> I guess I am picky - the result still looks fuzzy and a little chunky  
> to me.

Well, 1200 dpi verse 75 dpi. Even a picture of me might look better at that resolution!

> 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.

I would consider going to JPEG. Files are smaller, color is better (it seems to me). Almost all software can read it, etc.

> - 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.

Preview is suppose to be fixed "real soon now". :-)

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

Couldn't hurt. :-)

Cheers,

David

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