
Subject: Re: idl on laptop linux
Posted by [J.D. Smith](#) on Mon, 14 Jun 1999 07:00:00 GMT
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Gary Fu wrote:

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> Hello,
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> Any suggestion or recommendation on running idl pseudo color (8 bits,
> 1024x768 resolution) mode on a laptop linux system ?
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> Thanks.
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> Gary
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I do it every day. No real laptop specific issues I can think of, but would maybe recommend against idlde... too many buttons to click on with that clumsy trackpad! Emacs with idlwave is an excellent alternative. Making use of define_key for keyboard shortcuts and text inserts also makes life easier.

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