your name wrote:
>
> It's me again (I'm not really "enter your name" - see below).
>
> I previously posted a request on obtaining a screen dump of several draw
> widgets. This was answered by David Foster, complete with an IDL routine
> to print a window.
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> Unfortunately, David, this routine only works for a single draw widget
> window and I have several such widgets all required on one sheet of
> A4!!!
>
> <snip of some example code>
>
> Surely it should be possible for IDL to "dump" a whole screen to a
> file/printer.
> After all, with RETAIN=2, IDL keeps a screen map in its memory why not
> use this?
>
> If anybody has a better workaround for this, I'd be very grateful.
>
> Regards,
>   Ian

Ian -

I don't know of a way to do this in IDL. There are two other
approaches I can think of:

 1. Use a screen-grabbing utility (eg. Snapshot in Solaris, or
    XV for most UNIXes).

 2. Save each window to a separate PS file, and use a Postscript
    utility to combine these into one page.

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