
Subject: Re: Missing red color

Posted by [davidf](#) on Wed, 21 Jul 1999 07:00:00 GMT

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Marco Konijnenburg (m.konijnenburg@amolf.nl) writes:

- > Can anybody tell me what to do to solve the following problem.
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- > When I try to load a colortable, with xloadct for example, the colors
- > are not correct. When loading "bw linear" I expect a greyscale from
- > black to white. Instead my colors run from black to green/blue.
- > Also the "red temperature" table has no red in it at all.
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- > I have tried to get a red picture on the screen with the TV command and
- > the "CHANNEL=1" keyword, but then it turns out green. I can get it in
- > blue (channel=2, which is also not correct), but never in red.
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- > Even the demo starts with a green/blue background. The buttons however
- > are white. Some demo's can display red on the screen.
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- > I'm running IDL 5.2 on a SGI visual workstation under windows NT 4.0.
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- > Any suggestions (except device, decomposed=0) are welcome.

Humm. I'm severely handicapped without my favorite color problem answer, but here's my best guess. Check those do-hickies that go into the back of your monitor. I think you have the red one in the green slot, or something. :-)

Seriously, I don't have a clue. I've never seen anything like it, except on monitors that have outlived their life span. I'm pretty sure it doesn't have anything to do with IDL, but why don't you send us the results of HELP, /DEVICE so we have a little more to go on.

Cheers,

David

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