
Subject: Re: anstrom
Posted by [davidf](#) on Tue, 27 Jul 1999 07:00:00 GMT
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Sang-Heon Shim (sangshim@princeton.edu) writes:

> Thanks for the answer. For vector font, your idea works fine. However,
> if I try to use true type font, it doesn't.
>
> IDL>xyouts, 0,0, string(197B), font=0 ; <- to get true type font
> It gives wired character. Thanks.

You also have to set the ISOLATIN1 keyword. This works in both
vector and true-type fonts:

```
thisDevice = !D.Name  
set_plot, 'PS'  
DEVICE, FILE='w.ps', SET_FONT='Helvetica', /TT_FONT, /isolatin1  
plot, [0], /nodata, xrange = [-50,50], yrange = [-50,50]  
xyouts, 0,0, 'This is some nice test ' + string(197B), Font=0  
device, /close  
set_plot, thisDevice
```

Cheers,

David

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