Subject: Re: Top 10 IDL Requests

Posted by Paul van Delst on Mon, 31 Jul 2000 07:00:00 GMT

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## Mark Hadfield wrote:

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- >> "Kristian Kjaer" < Kristian. Kjaer@ Risoe. Dk> wrote in message
- > news:3981DA40.F3BC8FC9@Risoe.Dk...

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- >> A print button (and an equivalent cmd-line command) which would work
- >> on (direct) graphics already rendered to the screen (using std. direct
- >> graphics commands) would null the major guirk in IDL, IMHO.

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> And how would it be done?

Who cares? This is an implementation (i.e. an RSI) issue.

I just want to make print outs of what I plot by clicking a button. That's why I smacked together WPLOT and WOPLOT - it has a PS output button which is enough for me.

## See

ftp://airs2.ssec.wisc.edu/pub/paulv/idl/Graphics/direct\_grap hics/wplot.pro

and

ftp://airs2.ssec.wisc.edu/pub/paulv/idl/Graphics/direct\_grap hics/woplot.pro

I'm sure there are other codes out there that do the same thing and are much more sophisticated but this was all I needed. It can't handle log plots well but I can live with it.

BTW, I'n not recommending anyone grab the above codes for any other reason than to see how \*not\* to do something. :o)

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