Subject: Re: X device screen size
Posted by hofer on Fri, 14 Feb 1992 09:14:22 GMT
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In article <1992Feb13.192731.7015@galileo.cc.rochester.edu>,
steve@alder.lle.rochester.edu (Steve Swales) writes:
> In article <1992Feb13.104900.10013@urz.unibas.ch>,
> hofer@urz.unibas.ch (Remo Hofer) writes:
>> Is there some way to get the screen size of the X display?
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> We asked PVI about this, and their reply was that they felt the user shouldn't
> need to know. THANKS A LOT!!!
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> we hacked this up to trick PV-WAVE into supplying the desired information.

> In article <13FEB199216243050@stars.gsfc.nasa.gov>,
> thompson@stars.gsfc.nasa.gov (William Thompson, code 682.1, x2040) writes:
> I don't know about PV-WAVE, but in IDL the call is simply
> IDL> DEVICE, GET_SCREEN_SIZE=variable

Thanks for all answers.
PV-WAVE doesn't know (yet) about DEVICE, GET_SCREEN_SIZE=variable.
PVI are you listening? ;-)
The window hack with DEVICE, GET_WINDOW_POSITION=w that Steve Swales described
does indeed work. First I didn't find this keyword in my "old" 3.03 VMS manual.
But in the new SGI 3.10 manual it was listed.
Thanks again.

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