
Subject: Re: Wave under X11R4

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In article <PH.92Feb13101317@vortex.ama.caltech.edu>, ph@vortex.ama.caltech.edu (Paul Hardy) writes...

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> ... when PV-Wave is

> run, upon exiting X-windows, color Sparcstations do not display any characters

> on the screen ...

I am using IDL with OpenLook, but I've seen the same behavior. The fix is to call the routine "clear_colormap" immediately after exiting from X-windows. I ensure this by running X-windows from inside a shell script with the following line being "clear_colormap", i.e.

```
#!/usr/bin/csh
setenv IDL_DEVICE x
setenv OPENWINHOME /usr/openwin
$OPENWINHOME/bin/openwin -noauth $*
clear_colormap
```

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