
Subject: Re: Window Background

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Eric Kihn wrote:

> Hello all,
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> Since I got such a great response to my last post I thought I'd try one
> more time. Thanks to JD I got the code running but now the
> behaviour on Windows and Linux is different. On the Linux side my plot
> window comes up with a white background, on the Windows side a black one.
> Same code and version of IDL 5.3. Since I need the white BG I tried
> !P.BACKGROUND = 255 on windows but no change.
>
> [code snipped]

I just do

```
erase,color='ffffff'x
```

and then

```
plot,whatever,color=some_other_color,/noer
```

This strikes me as totally inelegant but seems to work fine.
