
Subject: Re: Export plot to PS

Posted by [davidf](#) on Thu, 29 Mar 2001 13:33:39 GMT

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Martin Skou Andersen (skou@fys.ku.dk) writes:

- > Is there a way to export/save a plot to an PostScript file?
- > Or in anyway save a plot made by idl, to a image?

Well, I'm almost too embarrassed to mention it, but there is MPI_PLOT. :-)

http://www.dfanning.com/programs/mpi_plot.zip

And if what you mean by "plot" is "any kind of IDL display window", then you could look at either FSC_Window or even something as simple as PrintWindow:

http://www.dfanning.com/programs/fsc_window.pro

http://www.dfanning.com/tip_examples/printwindow.pro

If you just want to capture whatever is in an IDL graphics window and save it as some kind of file (e.g., JPEG, TIFF, etc.), then TVREAD does it all in one step:

<http://www.dfanning.com/programs/tvread.pro>

Cheers,

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