
Subject: Disappearing IDL panel with XFree86 Version 4.
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After I switched to XFree86 Version 4 on my Linux system, the content of IDL's X device disappears if it is behind any other objects only once.

Following the help from a local distributor of IDL, I inserted

```
"window, Retain=2"
```

on top of all my *.pro files. This solved the problem of disappearing X. However, there are many other aspects which I do not like. For example, I cannot switch to PS device without exiting IDL, in fact.

Is there any better solution? First of all, I don't understand why XFree86 behaves differently from XFree86-3.3.6.

Thanks.

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