
Subject: Re: Testers needed for TV benchmark
Posted by [david\[2\]](#) on Thu, 09 Aug 2001 16:29:28 GMT
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Karl Schultz writes:

- > Even when the X server implementation is better, that is, the
- > off-screen pixmaps are faster, this can cause confusing benchmark
- > results since the copy times can vary in hard-to-describe ways.

In my experience, nearly everything about pixmaps
is hard to describe. :-(

Certainly it is hard to explain why a program
works on **your** computer, but not your boss's
computer, which was ordered from the supplier
on the same PO and from the same computer
manufacturer.

That's why I always confine any explanation to
small animations and lots of hand-waving.

Cheers,

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