
Subject: Re: Color problems with 5.5/RH linux 7.1
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 07 Nov 2001 10:31:50 GMT
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Pete Riley wrote:

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> Hi all,
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> Is anyone having problems with IDL 5.5 under RH linux 7.1 and colors.
> Even invoking XLOADCT shows a messed up color table and DIST(200,200) has
> vertical lines through it.
> I understood that all color depths were supported in 5.5. In the beta
> version I still had to use the DEVICE, PSEUDO, DECOMPOSED trick, but that
> doesn't even work for me now.
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> Cheers, Pete

Dear Pete,

I believe this will work for you too.

it is tested for 16bit and 24bit color depth with Suse7.3.

(include into your startup file these lines)
if strlowercase(!version.os) eq 'linux' then device,
get_visual_depth=depth
if strlowercase(!version.os) eq 'linux' then device, true_color=depth
if strlowercase(!version.os) eq 'linux' then window, /free, /pixmap,
colors=-10
if strlowercase(!version.os) eq 'linux' then wdelete, !d.window
if strlowercase(!version.os) eq 'linux' then device, decomposed=0,
retain=2

regards

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a IDL library at Forschungszentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg1/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html

<http://www.fz-juelich.de/zb/text/publikation/juel3786.html>

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read something about linux / windows

<http://www.suse.de/de/news/hotnews/MS.html>
