Subject: Re: creating gif without windows???
Posted by condor on Sat, 26 Jan 2002 07:37:37 GMT

Paul Joe <paul.joe@ec.gc.ca> wrote in message news:<3C4E451C.A1D9589F@ec.gc.ca>...
> I want to create a gif or tiff or jpg image where I use plot (line
> plotting) and xyout (text) from command line mode and not gui mode.   I
> want to do this from a cron job on a unix system.
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> Anybody know how?

The trivial version might have idl plot into a postscript file, then
run the moral equivalent of

gs -sDEVICE=jpeggray -r200 -sOutputFile=test.jpg idl.ps

(the available devices can be found by typing "devicenames ==" into
gs)