
Subject: Re: color_quan(...., Cube=6) makes white white, but ...

Posted by [Rick Towler](#) on Fri, 26 Apr 2002 22:02:58 GMT

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In office2k I can insert 24 bit .png files and I haven't had problems with misbehaving colors. You may want to give this a try.

You may also want to try David's TVREAD program. It will simplify and generalize the capturing of DG windows. I ended up hacking it to save 24bit png files too (it is possible that it does this in it's original form and I missed it). Let me know if you want my modified version.

-Rick

"Steve Smith<steven_smith>" <nobody@nowhere.com> wrote in message news:slrnacjgsk.30q.nobody@pooh.nrel.gov...

> I took David's advice and used the subject heading when creating gifs from
> my display, this fixed the problem that the white background would always
> show up slightly grey. However, as I posted afterwards, the option reduces
> the number of colors by a factor of 2 roughly. It also makes the plots
look

> 'grainy', which sounds like the same problem actually. Is there a way
around

> this, i.e. I'd like white background when I ask for it, but I don't really
> want to lose the color resolution either. hmmmph!

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> as an aside, I'm trying to give people graphics that would insert in Word
> documents easily. Does IDL for Windows have a vector based image format
> (like WMF, EMF) that I can write to? My IDL 5.2 for Linux doesn't have
> (or appear to) anything but CGM.

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