
Subject: Re: text size with IDLgrAxis

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"Martin Downing" <martin.downing@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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> Hi All,

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> How do I control the text size of the labels with a IDLgrAxis object.

> I mean I realise I *could* supply an array of text objects for each tick,

> but I'd prefer not to bother(!) - surely theres a property to set char
size

> (and font for that matter).

In short, use the TICKTEXT property.

For example,

```
oAxis = OBJ_NEW('IDLgrAxis', /USE_TEXT_COLOR)
```

```
xobjview, oAxis ; default axis - all black
```

oAxis->GetProperty, TICKTEXT=oText ; Note that a single text object is
returned, containing a string for each tick.

```
oText->SetProperty, COLOR=[255,0,0]
```

```
xobjview, oAxis ; ticktext is now red
```

```
oFont = OBJ_NEW('IDLgrFont', SIZE=20)
```

```
oText->SetProperty, FONT=oFont
```

```
xobjview, oAxis ; tick text is now bigger
```

Karl
