Subject: Re: Sorry! I made a mistake.
Posted by David Fanning on Sat, 27 Apr 2002 22:38:27 GMT
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Weigun Zhang (zhang@ucolick.org) writes:

- > Yes, I am. ".Xdefaults" can control the visual class. But if I start
- > with a class, I cannot change to another.

Yes, that is correct. Once you have a visual class, you cannot change to another in that IDL session.

- > IDL> device,get_visual_name=temp & print, temp
- > DirectColor
- > IDL> DEVICE, TRUE_COLOR=24

Whoops! Too late. By asking for the name of the visual class, you had to establish a visual class connection. This is the same as opening a window. You must set the visual class FIRST!!! Usually this is done as the FIRST command in an IDL startup file.

Cheers.

David

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