
Subject: Re: Obtaining image of screen

Posted by [Liam E. Gumley](#) on Tue, 20 Aug 2002 19:16:46 GMT

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Alan Ling wrote:

> I have an IDL program which creates a window containing various
> widgets, including a drawing area made with WIDGET_DRAW. I can draw
> something in the drawing area and save the image of what is drawn to
> an array using TVRD(). What I want to do is to save the entire
> window into an array as an image, not just the graphics portion of the
> window, but everything in the window including all the widgets. Does
> anyone know how to do this?

I don't know of any way to do this in IDL.

However there are a number of non-IDL ways to do it, depending on your
host platform. What platform are you using?

Cheers,

Liam.

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