
Subject: Re: having IDL output to another X11 window
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 11 Sep 2002 06:35:34 GMT
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John R. Iverson wrote:

> The documentation seems sure that I can cause IDL to output graphics to
> another X-Window (external development guide, Ch 19, p348):
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> "The IDL X Windows graphics driver can draw in windows it did not create
> as long as the window is compatible with the IDL display connection".
>
> However, I can't find any reference as to how to do this. Specifically,
> I am developing a Motif application in which I would like to embed some
> IDL graphics (a map) in an existing display.
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> Thanks for your help, in advance!
>
> -Rob Iverson
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if you have a look into idls online help you can read.

DISPLAY

IDL uses the DISPLAY environment variable to choose which X display is used to display graphics.

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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html
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