
Subject: Re: 24-bit color on printer device
Posted by [K. Bowman](#) on Thu, 26 Sep 2002 18:18:45 GMT
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In article <3D931860.DB844F92@ssec.wisc.edu>,
"Liam E. Gumley" <Liam.Gumley@ssec.wisc.edu> wrote:

> I get the same result in IDL 5.5 for IRIX when I use the default PRINTER
> output device (Generic EPS). However if I select printer-specific output
> using
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> result = dialog_printersetup()
>
> and select the 'HP Color LaserJet PS on FILE:', then I get 24-bit color
> output as expected. IDL remembers this setting via the
> \$HOME/.XprinterDefaults file, so the next time I start IDL, this printer
> is the default when the PRINTER device is selected.

Bless you, Liam. Time for a footnote on p. 390 for those of us too dense to realize that we need to use a color printer. ;-)

Ken
