
Subject: Re: XROI in IDL5.6 on MAC OS 10.2?
Posted by [Karl Schultz](#) on Thu, 06 Feb 2003 16:50:23 GMT
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"David Fanning" <david@dfanning.com> wrote in message
news:MPG.18a8f1815ec00db0989ac0@news.frii.com...
> Richard G. French (rfrench@wellesley.edu) writes:
>
>> Can someone out there give XROI a try on IDL5.6 using MAC OS 10.2? Mine
>> fails in several different ways:
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>> XROI,dist(300) gives "Unknown dynamically loadable module: iptool"
>>
snip
> Don't have a Mac, but this sounds like the MacOS 10.2
> OpenGL bug that is affecting many object graphics
> programs. Karl Schultz reported it in this article:
>
> Subject: Re: Alpha Blending inside of Widgets / Graphic Objects in
> Widgets
> From: "Karl Schultz" <kNOSPAMschultz@rsinc.com>
> Date: Fri, 31 Jan 2003 10:49:17 -0700
>
> XROI is, of course, an object graphics program.

Right. But I don't really know what is happening here. Failing to find the
iptool DLM is pretty unrelated to the X server. We also don't know whether
Richard is running the Apple beta X server, XDarwin, or something else.

The message "Unknown dynamically loadable module: iptool" means that IDL
didn't or can't read the IPTOOL.DLM file, which causes IDL to not know about
the DLM. I would first investigate installation and permission problems.

Richard might also try calling RSI Tech Support since they may have seen
this problem before.

> Don't know what could be wrong with the Solaris box,
> but I taught an IDL class last week on Solaris
> boxes and I saw LOTS of weird things! This doesn't
> surprise me at all. :-)

I can't explain this either. I tried all these things on both OS X and Sun
and couldn't reproduce the problems. Both these failures seem pretty basic
and I would tend to look for installation issues.

Karl
