
Subject: Re: Angstrom symbol in IDL5.6
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 23 Apr 2003 14:31:36 GMT
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Kristian Kjaer wrote:

> On http://www.dfanning.com/misc_tips/angstrom.html Dave Fanning shows us
> how to draw an 'Angstrom symbol' (which is of course just the last
> letter of the alphabet used around here).
>
> Something like:
> angstrom = '!6!sA!r!u!9 %!n!x'
> XYOUTS, 0.1, 0.5, /Normal, CharSize=5.0, 'Symbol: ' + angstrom
>
> But in IDL5.6 this doesn't work so well as in earlier versions: The
> 'ring' is displaced.
>
> Anything to suggest this is not a genuine bug?
>
> - Kristian

The o is a bit higher as normal in this example but it seems only !A does a centric move up.

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erase & XYOUTS, 0.1, 0.5, /Normal, $  
CharSize=6.0,'!sA!r!A'+string(BYTE(176))+!N'
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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html
