
Subject: Re: [Q]:Rubberbanding in IDL
Posted by [rouse](#) on Sat, 01 Apr 1995 08:00:00 GMT
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In article <D6B64n.CJ0@hpl.hp.com>, peter@hpl.hp.com (Peter Webb) writes:

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|>I'd post my favorite routine, but it's copywrite of my previous employer...
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|>A couple of tricks I found useful:
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|> Use device, /copy to write the image to a hidden pixmap, then you can
|> clean up the box during resizes by copying it back. This is faster
|> than rewriting the section you just drew a box on, since the x server
|> does it directly. You can drag a box around a 1024^2 image as fast as
|> you please. You also don't have to worry about off-by-one errors when
|> cleaning up, which tend to leave little goobers all over the image
|> (yes, I know, just don't make mistakes in the first place...).

Isn't the same thing accomplished by setting graphics to 6:

device, get_graphics=old, set_graphics=6

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|> Using normalized co-ordinates, rather than device co-ordinates, cleans
|> up the code a bunch, especially if you need to calculate back to some
|> physical co-ordinates anyway. The advantage is that the code is
|> independent of image screen size.
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|>Email me if you want more details.

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|>Peter
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- Roger

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