
Subject: Re: Line-Mouse widget tool

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 30 Mar 2005 01:27:09 GMT

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Robert Barnett writes:

- > That was very insightful. It seems that I totally forgot about the
- > Convert_Coord function. Given that Convert_Coord relies on "system
- > variables to compute coordinate conversion factors" I can see the
- > significance of needing to call
- > self -> ApplyCoordinates ; Set up data coordinate space.

Indeed, Convert_Coord **does** rely on system variables, but not as many as you would think. In fact, setting ![XY].Window and ![XY].S is really all that is needed for many (most?) coordinate systems. With these two (or four, depending on how you count) pieces of information, Convert_Coord is happy to do its thing. :-)

Cheers,

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