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Subject: Re: plotting and colors

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rlaybe...@hotmail.com wrote:

> I have always had problems plotting with colors. For example, I am  
> using a PC remotely connected to a linux machine running idl.  
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>  
> if i do...  
>  
> a=findgen(1000)/10.0  
>  
> window,1,retain=2  
> plot,sin(a),background=255  
>  
>  
> then I get black on a red background, whereas the help says I should  
> get black on a white background...  
>  
> help!

device, decomposed=1 (this should be by default)

!p.background='ffffff'x (for a white background)

!p.color=0 (for drawings in black)

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