Subject: Re: problem using p.multi in IDL 5.3/IRIX Posted by David Fanning on Tue, 28 Mar 2006 15:50:29 GMT

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William C. Keel writes:

- > OK, I throw myself on the good offices of the group. Running IDL 5.3
- > under SGI IRIX 6.15, I can't manage to get two plots up-and-down
- > on a portrait PostScript page. No setting of !p.multi that I've
- > tried does it. I can get two plots sharing the top half of the page,
- > each very wide and short, or the ostensible lower plot landing on
- > top of the upper one (overplotted, as far as I can tell) with a message:
- > DEVICE: PostScript preview incompatible with multiple pages

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- > I would have thought that setting !p.multi=[2,1,2] or [0,1,2] would get me
- > there, but that results in two plots squeezed vertically sharing the
- > top half of the page. Feel free to point out what blindingly obvious
- > thing I'm repeatedly missing we have two teenagers at home, so
- > I'm under no illusions of mental adequacy.

My guess is that you have either a POSITION keyword set on your plot commands, or you have !P.POSITION set. That will really cause !P.MULTI to go crazy. :-)

Cheers,

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