
Subject: Re: problem using p.multi in IDL 5.3/IRIX
Posted by [Paolo Grigis](#) on Tue, 28 Mar 2006 15:35:14 GMT
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Something like

```
device,ysize=28,yoffset=1
```

after the set_plot,'PS' command
could solve your problem. The sizes are in cm, fit them to
your paper size.

Ciao,
Paolo

William C. Keel wrote:

> 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
>
> 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.
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> Thanks,
>
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