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Subject: Re: Altered device coordinates after first call  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 16 Oct 2006 19:25:14 GMT  
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Juan Arrieta writes:

- > Wow Dave, thanks a lot.
- > Your suggestions (as expected) worked like a charm. I really
- > appreciate them.

That's why I get paid the big bucks on this newsgroup. :-)

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- > It is much better, as you suggest, to first set up the plots, and then
- > draw the frames and margins.
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- > Another situation is still freaking me out: after I run the code, the
- > SECOND time the direct graphics appear yellow! (the first ones are
- > white). I have nothing against that color, but I did not request it!
- > This happens to me all the time, when I change the device and set it
- > back. My device is "X".
- >
- > I will look into the yellow problem, but the code now works as
- > expected.

If you are actually using a NASA logo, rather than what you showed us here, I would guess that some colors get loaded to show that image. A simple fix would just be to load a color table first (this should probably be done *\*anyway\** if colors are important to you, and when are they NOT?):

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- > Many thanks, I owe you a beer (after all your suggestions, maybe I
- > should get a keg :)

When I find a real job, we call ALL celebrate! :-)

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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