
Subject: Re: Mac Cursor

Posted by [Jeff Hester](#) on Sat, 04 Nov 2006 05:56:06 GMT

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David,

Thanks much! I appreciate it. (I should have found that one myself. I stopped after the first search hit on "Macintosh cursor".)

In the world I live in -- Astronomy -- there is currently a dramatic move away from PCs and Linux boxes to the Mac platform. I'm sure that is the case more broadly as well. A compilation of Mac-related questions/answers/discussion would probably be well-read. I'm not the right person to maintain the list, but if I knew someone was keeping track, I'd certainly contribute anything that I ran across.

Cheers,
Jeff

David Fanning wrote:

> Jeff Hester writes:

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>> Having just installed IDL 6.3 on a new MacBook Pro running OS X 10.4.8,
>> and having just updated X11, I find that CURSOR refuses to respond to
>> mouse events. Yes, I have tried using keywords instead of the wait
>> parameter. `Cursor,x,y,/down` (or any other flag) hangs the window, and
>> the only way to get out is to kill the window directly. The only way
>> that I can get any information back at all is if I use `cursor,x,y,/nowait`.

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>> Thoughts?

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> Have you tried the suggestion in this article:

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> http://www.dfanning.com/misc_tips/cursor_on_mac.html

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> Cheers,

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> David

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