
Subject: Re: change colors of IDL shell on OS X?
Posted by [swingnut](#) on Thu, 15 Mar 2007 16:29:33 GMT
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On Mar 15, 11:07 am, "Maarten" <maarten.sn...@knmi.nl> wrote:
> On Mar 15, 3:33 pm, swing...@gmail.com wrote:
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>> On Mar 15, 10:31 am, swing...@gmail.com wrote:
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>>> Does anyone know how to do this? This white on black business, less
>>> than fun, even with the LCD's brightness turned down...
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>>> Thanks.
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>> By which, of course, I mean, exactly the opposite of what I put. I
>> have black text on a white background, and I want the ability to set
>> light-colored text on dark background, though not necessarily white
>> text on black background if I can avoid it.
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> Since the shell just runs in a standard xterm, you can just google for
> that. I did, and [thishttp://forums.macosxhints.com/archive/index.php/t-739.ht ml](http://forums.macosxhints.com/archive/index.php/t-739.html)
> may be helpful to you.
>
> Maarten

Actually, I've already tweaked my terminal quite a bit. But that's
terminal. IDL spawns a different X11 terminal, then spawns its own
terminal window. But perhaps it inherits the X11 terminals properties,
which should be tweakable ... I'll have to investigate!
