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Subject: Re: Xinteranimate and plots

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 20:50:56 GMT

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kostis writes:

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> Now i understand what the problem is but I dont know how to fix it:
>
> n=100000L
> x=findgen(n)
> y=findgen(n)
> z=findgen(n)
> XInterAnimate, set=[500,500,999]
>   for j=1L,998L,500 do begin
>     plots, x((j-1):j), y((j-1):j), z((j-1):j),/T3D,/DATA
>     XInterAnimate, Frame=j, Window=!D.Window
>   endfor
> XInterAnimate
>
> Although j is defined as a 'long' number the number j*100 is not and
> the animation stops when the limit is reached..
> How do i fix it???
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j is not your problem. You are just running COMPLETELY out of pixmap memory, would be my guess. :-)

You could try getting a graphics card that off-loads pixmap memory to the hard drive, but I wouldn't know which one that is. If you really want that many frames, you may have to figure out another way to do the animation.

Cheers,

David

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

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