
Subject: Is it possible to export graphics objects and direct graphics in the same file?

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Hi people,

In my interface I combine Direct Graphics (plots on WIDGET_DRAWs) and Graphic Objects (IDLgrImages and IDLgrPlots). When I want to export my view to PS file I have a problem.

I export the view using IDLgrClipboard:

```
self.clipboard->SetProperty, DIMENSIONS=dimensions, UNITS=2  
self.clipboard->Draw, self.oView, /POSTSCRIPT, /VECTOR,  
FILENAME=filename
```

Then I change the DEVICE to PS and I plot in the same file:

```
SET_PLOT,'ps'  
DEVICE, FILENAME=filename, /COLOR, /HELVETICA, XSIZE=dimensions[0],  
YSIZE=dimensions[1]
```

When I do that the final file is the last that I painted.

Is it possible to export a View with Graphic Objects and Direct Graphics in the same file ??? Any suggestions?
