Subject: Re: Object Graphics Windows in X Windows Posted by Norbert Hahn on Fri, 07 Mar 2008 14:11:06 GMT

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David Fanning <news@dfanning.com> wrote:

- > It works great, except that the darn thing cannot
- > display any kind of object graphics window. This is
- > a HUGE disappointment, naturally, as I can't use my
- > iTools. ;-)

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- > Is this an IDL problem, do you think, or an X server
- > problem? Would I have to do some kind of tweak to get
- > this to work? Any info is helpful.

It might be an IDL problem. I use Xming on my Windows system and work on several Linux computers. Some application have problems opening the display.

When I look at the environment variable DISPLAY usually I get echo \$DISPLAY

localhost:10.0

wich might tell the X Client (iTools in your case) that you are working on a local X Server (that part of the X Window system where your screen, keyboard ... are connected to). If the application tries to use a short cut for a local server this may fail. I don't know if this is the case but iTools isn't the only application that fails with Xming.

Norbert