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Subject: Re: WSHOW Problem Persists

Posted by [Vince Hradil](#) on Mon, 04 Aug 2008 22:52:08 GMT

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On Aug 4, 5:38 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> David Fanning writes:

>> Ah, ha. I just checked WSHOW with the latest IDL/ENVI  
>> version of IDL that I have on one of my Windows computers.  
>> There, in fact, WSHOW brings the IDL graphics window  
>> forward, although the keyboard focus switches to the  
>> graphics window, rather than remaining in the IDL command  
>> window. That sort of robs the whole adventure of the  
>> excitement, but at least it does \*something\*.

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>> Now, what the hell is the difference between IDL 7.0.1  
>> and IDL/ENVI 7.0.1? And why has ITTVIS remained so silent  
>> on this issue?

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> This is really weird. Just another development you should  
> know about. :-)

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> I'm on a Windows machine that just has IDL installed.  
> I have the IDL workbench running on the right-hand monitor,  
> and it displays windows on the left-hand monitor. The  
> graphics window is behind my e-mail and help windows on  
> the left-hand monitor. I type "WSHOW" in the IDL command  
> window, and the window jumps forward. Whoa!!

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> I bring my e-mail window forward and try it again. Nothing.

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> Huh!? I haven't been able to get this to work since. Has anyone  
> heard the rumors about life on Mars? I think they are here. :-(

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> Cheers,

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> David

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> P.S. Let's just say it's not paranoia if people really are  
> out to get you.

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> --

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

Obviously, you have to try the workbench on your left monitor and the  
graphics window on the right monitor...

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