
Subject: Re: "Graphics produced by IDL"

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Mon, 16 Mar 2009 22:02:23 GMT

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David Fanning wrote:

>> This text is inserted into some tag or other in PostScript files
>> created by IDL. Anyone know how I might substitute custom text in
>> there?

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> I'm not sure what you mean by "in there", but if you
> mean in the PostScript file, you can use the OUTPUT
> keyword to the DEVICE command to send any string you
> like to the PostScript file.

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> Cheers,

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> David

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The OUTPUT keyword is for sending PostScript commands directly to the file. I assume you are wanting to include some type of metadata, not PostScript commands? The only thing I can think of now is to post-process with sed or some other text utility:

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sed -e"s/produced by IDL/produced by me/" idl.ps > my.ps
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You could even do this in IDL since it is just text.

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