Subject: SHAPEFILE changes in IDL7.1?
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I've been a happy user of David Fanning's DRAWSTATES routine for years
-- it allows you to easily plot various datasets in a shapefile
(states, counties, roads, lakes, etc from just about any shapefile you
find online). I recently upgraded to v7.1 and although it still
works, a basic call to it takes about 4 minutes instead of being
virtually instantaneous. I'm wondering if anyone else has come across
something like this. I'm on Linux (CentOS5) and using IDL 7.1... it
was not an issue in 7.0 and earlier. Maybe it was a change in the
DLM? Thanks!