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Subject: Re: Error in graphics webinar example

Posted by [chris\\_torrence@NOSPAM](mailto:chris_torrence@NOSPAM) on Thu, 09 Sep 2010 16:40:19 GMT

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On Sep 9, 4:41 am, jkeller <jkel...@uni-bonn.de> wrote:

> Hi,  
> I watched the Webinar on IDL 8 Graphics yesterday and as a Direct  
> Graphics user for some years now, I was quite impressed. So I started  
> to try out the examples in my IDL 8 demo version to show them to some  
> colleagues.  
>  
> However, I encountered an error in the ocean wind field program at the  
> point where the map plot should be created:  
>  
> % Unable to concatenate variables because the dimensions do not agree:  
> <STRING ('ELLIPSOID')>.  
>  
> I made a simple demo program with just one line of code to create a  
> map. The error was the same as before. Other projection types did not  
> help it.  
>  
> Any information on this? I have to convince some people to upgrade our  
> licences to 8.0!  
>  
> Sincerely,  
> Jan

Hi Jan,

It sounds like it might be a path issue. Can you do a "print,!path"  
and make sure that you are not picking up the IDL path from an older  
version? Perhaps you have an IDL\_PATH environment variable set?

Hope this helps.

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