Subject: Re: screen capture of xplot3d
Posted by kedmond on Sun, 02 Jan 2011 04:41:10 GMT
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Dr. Fanning,
I've begun hacking around in the xplot3d.pro code itself, as you suggested. Hopefully I can figure it out. Thanks!

Paulo,
I am not sure which plot3d function you are talking about. Where do I get a copy? Thanks!

-Kazem

On Jan 1, 10:08 pm, Paulo Penteado <pp.pente...@gmail.com> wrote:
> On Jan 2, 12:36 am, kedmond <kedm...@gmail.com> wrote:
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>> I agree, it's easier to do what I want in plot3d.pro, but the surface
>> procedure that it uses to draw the plot symbols doesn't support IDL's
>> graphical objects...unless I'm mistaken. For example, for the really
>> nice image I can make in xplot3d, I do something like the following
>
>> oSphere1 = obj_new('orb', COLOR=coltet[*, 0], alpha_channel=alphaval)
>> ...
>> oSymbol1 = obj_new('IDLgrSymbol', oSphere1)
>> ...
>
>> xplot3d, x, y, z, symbol=[oSymbol1, oSymbol2 ... ]
>
>> and I get the following:http://picasaweb.google.com/kedmond/IDLImages?feat =directlink
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>> So, for example, it'd be nice if that group of spheres, the 'orb'
>> object, could rotate in an animation. That's what I'm trying to do.
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> Would it not be something like
>
> p=plot3d(indgen(10),indgen(10),indgen(10),sym_object=orb(col or=[255,0,0],ra dius=3.0))
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