
Subject: Re: WSet to negative value

Posted by [Vontobel Peter](#) on Tue, 18 Jan 2011 09:41:47 GMT

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On 18 Jan., 00:26, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> Folks,

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> I was just fooling around with a program and realized I can
> do a WSet, -1 in this version of IDL (Windows 7.1.2). I am convinced
> this was not always possible, since I have written a lot of
> code in my day like this:

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> IF currentWindow GE 0 THEN WSet, currentWindow

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> I wonder if this is a Windows thing, or an IDL version thing.

> If anyone running an older version of IDL could try to set
> their graphics window to -1, I would love to hear what version
> of IDL you are running and what the results are:

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> WSet, -1

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> Thanks,

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> Cheers,

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> David

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> P.S. I am just putting the final touches on a completely
> revamped FSC_Window program. It is working great. You can
> have multiple resizable graphics windows, add and delete
> commands to/from the windows, replace commands, display multiple
> commands in the window, list the commands in the window,
> choose which of several windows you want to work with,
> send the commands to a PostScript file, make raster image
> files out of the window using ImageMagick or not, etc.
> I quite honestly have never seen anything like it in IDL. :-)

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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:<http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

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

IDL> print, !version

{ x86 Win32 Windows Microsoft Windows 6.3 Mar 23 2006 32 64}

IDL> plot, sin(findgen(30)*0.135)

IDL> window, 1

IDL> plot,cos(findgen(30)*0.135)

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IDL> wset, -2  
IDL> xyouts,0.5,0.5,'Dada',/normal
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Hi David,

Text legend appears in last window for wset, -2 or wset, -2
