Subject: Re: More cgplot, ps_start, ps_end problems
Posted by Gray on Sat, 19 Feb 2011 19:59:40 GMT
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On Feb 19, 1:35 pm, David Fanning <n...@idlcoyote.com> wrote:
> David Fanning writes:
>> Well, actually, it appears ImageMagick is struggling a bit
>> with encapsulated PostScript files. I'll have to look into
>> this some more. I've never tried to turn encapsulated
>> PostScript files into raster files, so I don't know what
>> that problem might be.
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> I am beginning to suspect that the encapsulated PostScript
> files IDL produces might be the culprit here. Here is what
> I have done.
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> I created a simple encapsulated PostScript file in IDL.
> I tried to read this file in Adobe Illustrator. I couldn't
> open it.
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> I opened another similar image file in Adobe Illustrator
> and saved that as an encapsulated PostScript file.
> ImageMagick had no difficulty creating a PNG file from
> that encapsulated PostScript file.
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> I created an encapsulated PostScript file from an iPlot,
> and tried to open this in Adobe Illustrator. It complained
> about a missing font, but it opened the file just fine.
> This file was also able to be converted to a PNG file
> by ImageMagick just fine.
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> So, the culprit seems to be the traditional PostScript
> device driver.
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> I seem to recall something about problems with IDL
> encapsulated PostScript output, but I can't put my
> finger on it. Does anyone remember? I am running
> IDL 7.1.1 on Windows
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.idlcoyote.com/
> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

OOOOh... /NOMATCH should definitely help. Oops. Thanks!