Subject: Re: idl plot window disappearances
Posted by David Fanning on Tue, 23 Aug 2011 22:49:55 GMT
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R.G. Stockwell writes:

>> This command does nothing. But, if I do this:
>>
>>   xcolors
>>   wshow
>>
>> The window 0 pops forward!! This works about
>> 25% of the time and for God only knows what
>> reason. :-)
>
> I have done this a couple of times (in an existing IDL session) but what I
> see is that I can create the window, then put "another app" in front of it,
> then select the IDLDE to type wshow, then wshow will bring that "other app"
> to the front.

Oh, yeah, I forgot to mention that 25% of the time
some other application comes to the front when you
type WShow!! And the other 50% of the time you
don't have the faintest idea what is about to happen!
It's fun! Endless entertainment when you are stuck
in front of a class full of students. You can take
bets if it's really slow. :-)

Cheers,

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