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Subject: Re: Need a Coffee Break?

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Paul van Delst writes:

> It produced a yucky looking plot with the colorbar labels all smushed together, but it worked. No crashes or hesitations.

OK, I went into my Users/David/.idl folder and deleted the itt folder I found there. This allowed me to start up the 32-bit version of the Workstation. Running this version, and the ContourPlotCrash program, I was able to run to completion and see the aesthetic mess you are talking about!

I guess we are making progress, if running crippled software is progress. :-)

At least now I might be able to get back to my original task, which was to make a filled contour plot with a limited number of colors and a corresponding color bar. Alas, from everything I've learned in the past couple of days, I don't think this simple plot is possible in function graphics, but I'll press on anyway.

Cheers,

David

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

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