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Subject: Re: cgHistoplot and multiplot

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Tue, 23 Oct 2012 17:34:49 GMT

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Davide writes:

> The code that David suggested work-ed.  
> Unfortunately I can't find a solution that is always working. In other words: the same code sometimes works, sometimes doesn't and I can't understand why. I reset or restart IDL, still it does not work. Sometimes the plot is fine after I try some different settings (e.g. before plotting my two panels side by side, I have to plot 4 panels with multiplot,[2,2] and then go back).  
> Though plots are always perfect on the x terminal.  
> This is so time consuming and frustrating!  
> Now I am trying to have two plots, side by side, 1 row, two columns. On the eps file IDL plots the first one taking all the space and then it overplots the second one on half of the space on the left.  
> Yet it seems that there are no problems when I plot the graphs in 1 col 2 rows.  
> I start wondering if the problem is the version of IDL (7.1.1)...  
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> This is what I am using:  
>  
> PS\_Start, Encapsulated=1, FILENAME = 'test.eps', CHARSIZE=1, Font = -1, xsize=8, ysize=(8\*4.5/5)  
>  
> multiplot,[2,1], /init  
> plot, map1[wb], map2[wb], YRANGE=yr, PSYM = 2, XTITLE= greekLetter + '[km/s]',  
YTICKFORMAT='(F4.2)'  
>  
> multiplot  
> plot, map3[wn], map4[wn], YRANGE=yr, PSYM = 2, XTITLE= greekLetter + '[km/s]',  
YTICKFORMAT='(A1)', YTITLE = "  
> multiplot, [1,1], /init  
> PS\_End  
>  
> Thanks in advance for your help.  
> Sorry to be so annoying about this subject.

This is a classic case of getting !P.MULTI all screwed up.  
Take out that last MULTIPLOT command before the PS\_END  
and add an !P.MULTI=0 \*after\* PS\_END. That will probably  
help a LOT. :-)

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thos speakest truth.")

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