
Subject: Re: PS fonts

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 04 Dec 2013 15:31:42 GMT

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greg.addr@gmail.com writes:

> This question is well behind the times, I know. Does anyone remember if there is a way, in direct graphics, to produce an eps file which renders the text in a form which could be later edited as text in some other application (e.g. Illustrator) rather than a set of intricate polygons?

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> At the moment, I have:

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> set_plot,'PS'

> !p.font=1

> device,/color,/encapsulated,filename="test.eps",/helvetica,/isolatin1

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> I've tried !p.font=0 and some permutations with device,/TT_FONT but no luck yet.

I just did this:

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IDL> cgPS_Open, 'idl.ps'
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IDL> cgPlot, cgDemoData(1), XTitle='This is the X Title', $  
      YTitle='This is the Y title'
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IDL> cgPS_Close
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When I opened the idl.ps file in Illustrator I find I can do anything I like to the text. What kind of problem are you having?

Cheers,

David

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

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