
Subject: Re: Mac Yosemite X Window Display

Posted by [Markus Schmassmann](#) on Fri, 14 Oct 2016 09:21:44 GMT

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On 10/13/2016 04:59 PM, miguelfigueirasebastiao@gmail.com wrote:

> When I'm trying to plot or to call a procedure which needs to
> display a window, I have the following message :
>
> IDL> plot,[0],[0]
> % PLOT: Unable to connect to X Windows display:
> /private/tmp/com.apple.launchd.MMLU5gSIVQ/org.macosforge.xquartz:0
> % PLOT: Unable to open X Windows display.
> Is your DISPLAY environment variable set correctly?
> % Execution halted at: \$MAIN\$
> IDL>
>
> I don't have this problem using Fedora or former versions of Mac OS
> and it seems to be a problem coming from IDL because X11 is displayed
> when I use other softwares from the shell.
>
> Did you hear about this problem ?

Are you working on your own computer or logged in on a server?

if the latter, have you forgot the -x option to ssh?

or does the server not allow this option to be applied?

just on the off chance this helps... Markus
