
Subject: xyouts character size to scale with the size of the plot window

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I hope this is not a too FAQ:

```
IDL> !p.multi=0
```

```
IDL> plot,indgen(10)
```

```
IDL> xyouts,7,3,'A string',/data,charsize=.7 ; Gives text reasonably  
sized for my purpose
```

```
IDL> !p.multi=[0,3,7]
```

```
IDL> plot,indgen(10)
```

```
IDL> xyouts,7,3,'A string',/data,charsize=.7 ; Gives text which is too  
large for the window.
```

How to get the xyouts character size to scale with the size of the plot window?

Thanks for any help.

Best regards, Kristian Kjaer
