Subject: set\_plot, 'win/x'
Posted by Glenn Newnham on Sun, 13 Jan 2002 06:59:27 GMT
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Thanks, Glenn

Subject: Re: set\_plot, 'win/x'
Posted by Stuart Settle on Wed, 16 Jan 2002 15:35:56 GMT
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"S. Settle" <settlest@pilot.msu.edu> wrote in message news:...
> Glenn.
>
  You may wish to try the following:
>
 IDL>print, !Version.OS_Family
>
  This should give you the generic name of the operating system.
>
>
  "Glenn Newnham" <glenn.newnham@adelaide.edu.au> wrote in message
> news:3C41304F.2D01FAB4@adelaide.edu.au...
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Subject: Re: set\_plot, 'win/x' Posted by Glenn Newnham on Wed, 16 Jan 2002 22:49:25 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Excellent, the !VERSION structure did the job nicely.

Cheers, Glenn

## Glenn Newnham wrote:

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