
Subject: Truetype fonts an clipping

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We got a problem arising from our choice of truetype fonts instead of the ugly Hershey fonts. If you use the standard Hershey fonts the following command works just fine:

```
plot,[0,1],[0,1],position=[0.3,0.3,0.7,0.7]
```

```
xyouts,indgen(10)*0.2,indgen(10)*0.2,STRTRIM(indgen(10),  
1),noclip=0,clip=[0.,0.,1.,1.]
```

But if you switch to truetype fonts using

```
!P.font=1
```

then IDL ignores the clipping when you issue the commands above. We also tested this with normal coordinates and on X- and Postscript-device with the same effect.

Anyone got an idea or - even better - a solution for this problem,

Sincerely,
Jan
