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Subject: Re: How to make hidden Graphics?

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Wed, 01 Jun 2011 20:45:00 GMT

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On 6/1/11 2:36 PM, Paulo Penteado wrote:

>  
> While identifying another occurrence of some of the current rendering  
> bugs ([http://www.idlcoyote.com/ng\\_tips/render.php](http://www.idlcoyote.com/ng_tips/render.php)), I noticed I did  
> not remember how to make one of the Graphics without it showing in the  
> screen. The equivalent of  
>  
> `iplot,indgen(10),user_interface='none',/disable_splash_screen,/`  
> `no_save_prompt`  
>  
> And could not find the answer, in the help or with a cursory look at  
> the source files. Is there a way to do it? Something I saw in one of  
> the source files suggested it might not be possible, but since it was  
> just a quick look, I could easily be wrong.

Do you mean the BUFFER keyword? or something more?

IDL> `p = plot(findgen(10), /buffer)`

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Subject: Re: How to make hidden Graphics?

Posted by [penteado](#) on Wed, 01 Jun 2011 21:10:12 GMT

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On Jun 1, 5:45 pm, Michael Galloy <[mgal...@gmail.com](mailto:mgal...@gmail.com)> wrote:

> Do you mean the BUFFER keyword? or something more?  
>  
> IDL> `p = plot(findgen(10), /buffer)`

Exactly. I had a strong feeling I had seen the way to do it, but could not remember what it was. Now I see it was staring me in the face, in the help.

Thanks.

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