
Subject: XYOUTS character size strangeness

Posted by [Liam Gumley](#) on Wed, 29 Jan 1997 08:00:00 GMT

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(On a Sun box, the size of 'Hello' stays the same).

Cheers,
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Subject: Re: XYOUTS character size strangeness

Posted by [Philippe.Peeters](#) on Fri, 31 Jan 1997 08:00:00 GMT

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In article <32EFB2AC.41C6@ssec.wisc.edu>, Liam Gumley <liam.gumley@ssec.wisc.edu> wrote:

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On my PC running Windows95 and IDL 4.0.1, the second 'hello' is also larger than the first one.

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