
Subject: Rotated text with IDL Object Graphics?

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I am struggling to get 90 degree rotated text for the y-axis label on a 2D plot. Can anyone tell me why the following code snippet doesn't have any effect on how theta is printed, regardless of the parameters I choose?

```
symbolfont = obj_new('IDLgrfont', name='symbol',size=26.0)
yaxistext = obj_new('IDLgrtext', 'q', font=symbolfont)
```

```
; next 2 lines should set text orientation ...
yaxistext -> setproperty, baseline = [1.0,0.0]
yaxistext -> setproperty, updir = [0.0,1.0]
```

```
yaxis -> setproperty, title=yaxistext
```

Regards,

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