APPENDIX H

OPEN LOOK Intrinsics Toolkit Widget Resources

As suggested on the reference pages for various clients, you can set not only resources defined by the application itself, but also resources that apply to any of the widgets that make up the application. The reference page for the application sometimes lists the most important of these resources, but for fuller customization, you need to know more about each widget.

Unfortunately, the design of the X Toolkit is such that to really do the right thing, you probably need to know a bit more about Toolkit programming than the average user might like.

In the previous appendix, we included some introductory concepts about how widgets are used in X Toolkit programs, and reference information about each class of Athena widgets. In this chapter we focus on the reference information needed to use programs based on the OLIT (OPEN LOOK Intrinsics Toolkit) toolkits used to produce many OPEN LOOK applications. The XView toolkit resources are covered in the next appendix. The final category of applications, NeWS applications under OpenWindows, do not make any use of X Resources.

H.1 Historical Note

The text of this Appendix was derived from AT&T-owned material for which copyright clearance was not available at press time. Since most users of this book are presumed to be using XView-based programs on Linux and SunOS, this will not be a serious problem. There is no implementation of OLIT for Linux, and SunOS users have the information available in online *man* pages and in the Answerbook.