THE FUTURE IS GRAPHICALLY CLEAR

Along with the trend to wider and more general electronic publishing is a related trend — the move to provide colour graphics along with text. Up until 1980, the vast majority of databases provided text-only services. Now, graphic and text-based services are catching on fast, and the most progressive — and popular — information services are providing or planning to include graphics.

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