
Subject: 3 data sets and 1 B/W color table. How?

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I finished up some nice plots for publication using utilities I have found referenced to here (especially Craig Markwardt's plotimage routine). Thanks for everyone's contributions and ideas at this NG. I don't really have an IDL problem, but was hoping for some suggestions on how to plot some data images.

Anyway, I overlayed these 3 data sets as images on top of each other using different color tables, and everything looked great. However, along comes the evil boss who states they won't pay for the expensive publication costs for color images and tells me to re-do in black and white. It is not obvious to me how to do this in shades of gray, and was hoping there was some aspect of IDL I wasn't aware of (ok...I know there are many areas, but one that comes in handy in this case).

I am quite familiar with making special color tables and whatever. I am really just hoping that others out there have had to do similar things, and have some concept suggestions on what works.

TIA

-Raoul

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