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Subject: Re: It costs how much?!?!?

Posted by [John-David T. Smith](#) on Thu, 30 Nov 2000 08:00:00 GMT

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"Pavel A. Romashkin" wrote:

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> "J.D. Smith" wrote:

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>> but at

>> least all of the plotting, visualization, etc. is there.

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> I must confess that these items are the ones of the least appeal to me

> personally, despite that I like IDL more than any other tool I use. For

> displaying purposes (other than large images), there are much better,

> interactive programs, Igor Pro not being the last.

I too head for more familiar pastures when setting up some data for plotting in a publication... the arcane and quirky SM, formerly SuperMongo, known only to grumpy astronomers. It has whips and chains in it's icon. But I suppose I was obliquely referring to IDL's 3-d visualization capabilities.

jd

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