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Subject: Re: contour labels question

Posted by [davidf](#) on Thu, 08 Mar 2001 21:54:17 GMT

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Pavel A. Romashkin (pavel.romashkin@noaa.gov) writes:

> Paul van Delst wrote:

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>> The docs for the C\_LABELS keyword for CONTOUR tell me:

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>> "C\_LABELS

>> Specifies which contour levels should be labeled. By default, every other contour level  
>> is labeled."

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>> I don't get \*any\* labeling by default. Is there something other that needs to be done?

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> It implies that you need to specify the obsolete FOLLOW keyword by  
> default, so that you get the labels by default :-)

I'm not sure the documentation \*implies\* this, but  
Pavel is correct. To get contour labels on every other  
contour line, the simplest thing to do is set the FOLLOW  
keyword. If you want labels on \*every\* line (at least  
every line that can \*fit\* contour labels according to  
some unpublished algorithm), you can try this:

```
nlev = 12
```

```
Contour, z, x, y, NLevels=nlev, C_Labels=Replicate(1, nlev)
```

Cheers,

David

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