Subject: Re: changing contrast and brightness on the fly Posted by Liam E. Gumley on Mon, 18 Jun 2001 15:00:59 GMT

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Simon Williams wrote:

- > I'm looking for tips on how to implement an image display feature that's
- > bugging me. I'm new to widget programming, trying to get up to speed
- > with David Fanning's book and other helps, but any short-cuts would be
- > appreciated.

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- > The job is to display an MRI image and to be able to adjust the image
- > brightness and contrast interactively, without going to any special
- > widgets like sliders. The control I have in mind is to
- > middle-click the image and then have drag right/left control contrast
- > and drag up/down control brightness.

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- > The plan is to replicate functionality that the end users (radiology
- > folks) are already familiar with from other image viewers. In the
- > longer term plan, the display would also be re-sizable and allow
- > interactive ROI drawing as well.

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- > It sounds easy but I can't find anything similar described on the web
- > etc. to use as a suitable starting point. Question: is changing the
- > contrast and brightness to be achieved by re-defining the
- > color table and re-scaling the data?

The following may be of interest:

http://www.sgi.com/grafica/interp/index.html

Cheers,

Liam.

http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/~gumley/