
Subject: Re: Has USERSYM been defined?

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Tue, 05 Mar 2002 18:24:03 GMT

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Wayne Landsman (landsman@mpb.gsfc.nasa.gov) writes:

- > I think the answer to the following question is "no" but it is worth a
- > shot.
- >
- > Is there any way to determine if a user-defined plotting symbol has
- > been created using USERSYM for plotting with PSYM=8? (I suppose it
- > might also be nice if one could determine what the user-defined symbol
- > actually is, i.e. fetch the X,Y vectors that were input to USERSYM, but
- > I don't need that now.)
- >
- > I want to have my plotting program use the current USERSYM definition
- > for PSYM=8 if it exists, but to create a default symbol if no current
- > USERSYM definition exists.

My impression is that the whole USERSYM business is
a hold-over from the way graphics were done in the 70's.
I'd bet a lot of money the answer is "no". (Or, even
more likely, "hell no".)

Cheers,

David

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