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Subject: Re: Length of minor tick marks.  
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Sun, 27 Apr 2003 19:06:03 GMT  
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R.G. Stockwell wrote:

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> "Luciano" <lucianor@sinectis.com.ar> wrote in message
> news:902633c3.0304241138.3479e074@posting.google.com...
>> How can I modify the length of minor ticks?
>> I mean without changing the length of major ticks (with ticklen)
>> Is there a minorticklen or something similar??
>>
>> thanks.
>
>
> If you want to shrink your minor ticks, you could try some
> overplotting of axis with different lengths.
>
> plot,findgen(10),yticks=9,yticklen=0.3
> axis,yaxis=0,yticklen=0.5
>
> OR major and minor the same length, try something like
> plot,findgen(10),yticks=9,yticklen=0.3,ytickname=replicate(' ',10)
> axis,yaxis=0,yticks=3,yticklen=0.3
>
>
> etc...
>
> Cheers,
> bob
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Dear Bob

did you know in which system var the length is stored.  
At the moment I develop a simple axis routine for minor ticks by value and name. I would like to use a constant to set the same tick length as the standard axis routine.

regards

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