
Subject: Re: Adding a Table to a plot

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 18 Aug 2004 21:48:50 GMT

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Hunter writes:

> I generated a ternary plot(a triangular coordinate system which
> indicates the relative scale of three quantities) which I am exporting
> to a PS file and I want to add some indication of the real scale of
> the numbers. I created it using direct graphics with some plot and
> xyouts commands.
>
> Anyway, I'd like to add a simple table to the plot listing the
> numbers. But I am not sure of the most efficient way to do this. I
> guess one way would be to try multiple plots and put a grid on one
> axis, with the ternary diagram on the other, but it would be nice to
> overlap them some.
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> Is direct graphics the way to go? or should I try and switch to object
> graphics.

Isn't a table just some text (XYOUTS) with some lines (PLOTS)
drawn around them?

Cheers,

David

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