
Subject: isurface transparency not showing lines and points
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Hi,

If I execute the following two statements:

```
isurface,dist(25,25)  
iplot,/over,indgen(25),indgen(25),indgen(25),line_thick=3
```

to generate a surface and a line that pierces it, and then I increase the surface transparency, the surface gets fainter, but the part of the line under the surface still remains invisible.

Somewhat related to this type of plot, is there a way for objects that are above the surface (such as this line) to throw a shadow on the surface, to help with 3D feel.

My actual problem is fitting a surface to 3d data. I would then like to show the fit and the actual data points. It would help if the data points under the surface could be somehow seen through the transparent surface.

Thanks,

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