Subject: image display with different pixel size in x & y Posted by Jess on Tue, 22 Nov 2005 23:59:41 GMT

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Hi,

Is it possible to display a pixel image in which the pixel sizes are different in X and Y directions? Eg. an image formed from interferometry observations in which the telescope beam is elliptical with different resolution along different axes. Thus when the image is cleaned and restored, the pixel size is usually different in X and Y (as one usually samples the beam by the same amount along both directions).

Is there a way of telling tv that the pixel size in y is n times the pixel size in x? Or does one have to interpolate onto a grid with the same pixel dimensions in X and Y before displaying? Will also be overlaying contours, though that can be easily done by giving the X and Y arrays in physical units and using /isotropic with /noerase.

Thanks, Jess