Subject: Re: IDL Colorbar generation question
Posted by David Fanning on Thu, 13 Jul 2006 08:07:04 GMT

britneys@ucla.edu writes:

> Thanks for all the help. I have one more question about the colorbar
> routine you've built. When I've used the call as above, I end up with
> a color bar where the first tenth or so of the bar is just vertical
> lines in a number of colors and the rest of the bar is as it should be.
> ANy idea why this would happen?

The Colorbar routine just loads the colors in the current
color table. If there are colored lines there, then I presume
this arise from colors that have been loaded into the color
table. (Perhaps drawing colors for something else, would be
my guess.) You might have to refresh the color table before
you call the Colorbar procedure with the colors you want
to see displayed.

If the problem is drawing colors, you can avoid loading them
in the color table by using decomposed color (Device, Decomposed=1)
and using FSC_COLOR to select drawing colors.

Cheers,

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