
Subject: Plotting colored points with PLOTS
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I am trying to use PLOTS to plot points so that the color of the point depends upon a third parameter (tag). Can anyone tell me why this works:

```
FOR i = 0, n-1 DO BEGIN  
  PLOTS, x(i), y(i), PSYM=3, COLOR=tag(i)  
ENDFOR
```

but this doesn't?

```
PLOTS, x, y, PSYM=3, COLOR=tag
```

The documentation says that color can be a vector for PLOTS. I am running IDL 2.3.2 under AIX 3.2.

Thanks, Ken Bowman

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