
Subject: Re: [Q] Controlling the number of contour labels
Posted by [Andy Lough](#) on Wed, 18 Sep 1996 07:00:00 GMT
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I am quite sure this is *NOT* controllable from within IDL, you would have to have access to the C program which performs the contouring. Contour is in need of a major re-write, as is map_set! Will these re-writes actually occur? Probably not, RSI prefers to add gee-whiz features to IDL while older core routines remain broken.

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On Wed, 18 Sep 1996, Iarla Kilbane-Dawe wrote:

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> Hello,
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> does anyone know of a way to control the number of labels on a
> contour using the CONTOUR procedure. IDL used to produce a reasonable
> number (one or two per contour line) but recently, presumably because of
> changes in my data, the number of labels per contour line has risen to
> about ten. Does anyone know how to keep the number down?

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> Thanks in advance,

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> Iarla.

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