## Subject: Teaching an Elephant to Dance Posted by David Fanning on Sun, 11 Sep 2011 18:14:09 GMT

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Folks,

Because what I assumed was impossible has turned out to be possible, and because I don't want others to struggle for three days in frustration, Coyote and I have decided to share the secret of how to produce a simple contour plot using the IDL 8.1 function graphics commands. (The alternative, of course, would be to try to get rich by writing the only IDL 8.1 graphics documentation worth a damn, but the audience seems small to us.)

You can find the article here:

http://www.idlcoyote.com/ng\_tips/elephant.php

Cheers,

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")