
Subject: Re: Plot

Posted by [Russell\[1\]](#) on Fri, 09 Dec 2011 20:23:20 GMT

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Yeah, that test I gave you was with IDL 8.1.

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xyouts is a very old (I think it's first generation IDL) way of doing this. And David's thing cgText is, if I may speak for him, just a wrapper to xyouts to get all the various keywords set in a more User-friendly way. I learned IDL in a fairly closed-box environment, so I'm used to reinventing the wheel ;).

On Dec 9, 2:46 pm, Dave Poreh <d.po...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Dec 9, 10:28 am, Dave Poreh <d.po...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> On Dec 9, 8:09 am, Russell <rryan....@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> As always, David's got it. But just in case you're not familiar with
>>> the cg* stuff, then the old-fashioned xyouts will work just as well:

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>>> x = [0, 35, 70, 140]

>>> y = [0, 196.7, 779.8, 37]

>>> vals=[12006,12507,13008,14010]

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>>> names=string(vals,f='(I5)')

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>>> plot,x,y,ps=2

>>> xyouts,x,y,vals

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>>> PS, you can add all sorts of flags to xyouts to control where the text
>>> appears (such as alignment=alignment where 0<alignment<1, and a few
>>> others). Or you can get really fancy and measure the size of the text
>>> for the plot, and position it with respect to that size...

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>>> On Dec 9, 10:06 am, Dave Poreh <d.po...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>>> Folks

>>>> hi,

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>>>> I have a data like this and i want to plot column 1 (x) and column 2
>>>> (y) and column 3 as the name of the points on plot (like 12006, 12507
>>>> etc.). Could somebody help please?
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>>>> 0   0   12006
>>>> 35 196.7 12507
>>>> 70 779.8 13008
>>>> 140 37   14010
>>>> .....
>>>> Cheers,
>>>> Dave
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>> Thanks. both works very good.
>> Cheers,
>> Dave
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> @ Dear Russell
> Does xyouts work with IDL 8.0 or not?
> Cheers,
> Dave
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