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Subject: Re: IDL v7.0 "native" colourbar procedure?  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 30 Apr 2012 17:14:35 GMT  
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Paul van Delst writes:

> I have a colleague who is using a machine with a bog-standard IDL v7.0  
install. I'm putting together a small script to  
> allow him to contour some data and I'm wondering: is there is a pre-function-graphics colourbar  
procedure in IDL?  
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> I can't find anything non-function-graphics-y in my version of IDL help (which is for v8.x) and  
there is no extra  
> user-contrib stuff on the machine in question (like I said, a bog-standard install with no coyote  
graphics, esrg, etc  
> colourbar stuff).

As far as I know, there has NEVER been a direct graphics  
colorbar procedure distributed with IDL. And the function  
graphics one distributed with IDL 8.X doesn't work for  
most of the things I need a color bar for. Guess they  
always figured it was so easy, everyone could just role  
their own. ;-)

Cheers,

David

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

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