
Subject: Re: Constructing Color Tables in IDL
Posted by [Jack Saba](#) on Tue, 18 Feb 1997 08:00:00 GMT
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David Fanning wrote:

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> Folks,
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> Several people have asked me this week how to construct a
> color table. I've taken this to mean (perhaps erroneously)
> that there is general interest in the subject. :-)
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David:

Thanks for the review. However, those of us who are not used to building color tables should know that generating one that gives the best representation of the data for a particular purpose is trickier than might be expected. See, for example,

Rogowitz, Bernice E., and Lloyd A. Treinish
"How Not to Lie with Visualization",
Computers In Physics 10(3):268, 1996

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