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Subject: Re: cgbarmplot - barnames

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Sat, 21 Sep 2013 13:53:26 GMT

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sid writes:

> I am barplot, But I need only barnames at few locations in the xaxis. Because my barnames are in years and they are 23. So overlap is happening if I give all the barnames. So I need to name few bars.

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> Please let me know how to do this.

You can do something like this:

```
IDL> barnames = StrTrim(Indgen(23)+1995)
```

```
IDL> print, barnames
```

```
1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001
2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008
2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015
2016 2017
```

```
IDL> blanks = Indgen(10)*2+1
```

```
IDL> barnames[blanks] = ""
```

```
IDL> print, barnames
```

```
1995 1997 1999 2001 2003 2005
2007 2009 2011 2013 2015 2016 2017
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Cheers,

David

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

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