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Subject: Re: cgplotting points with error bars  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 31 Jan 2014 18:44:44 GMT  
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iary writes:

> there is something I didn't get in the new version of cgplot, maybe someone can help me.  
> After cgerorplot being replaced by the new "err\_" options in cgplot, I suppose to draw error bars with a command like the following:  
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> cgplot, 0.5, 0.5, psym=9, err\_yhigh=1., err\_ylow=1., xrange=[0.,1.], yrange=[0.,1.]  
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> this is just a naive example, but really in my work I find often error bars that go outside the axis range.  
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> I tried to use noclip=0 to prevent error lines plotted outside the box, but without success.  
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> Is there a solution, or I just have to fix it by hand (i.e., modifying err\_ylow or err\_yhigh values when they are too large)?

You can find an updated version of cgPlot here, with an ERR\_CLIP keyword. Set the keyword to 1 to clip the error bars to the clipping boundary of the plot.

<http://www.idlcoyote.com/programs/cgplot.pro>

Cheers,

David

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

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