
Subject: Re: extra lines in colorbar

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> red and green lines appear in the colorbar because I have called cgcolor('red') and cgcolor('green') previously.

>
> Now, because I don't want to restart idl when I want to use this colorbar, is there a way to delete the memory of the fact that I have called cgcolor previously?

Try saving the color table before you call cgColor, then restoring it after the call

```
tvlct, r, g, b, /get
```

```
x = dindgen(10)
plot, x,x, color = cgcolor('red')
plot,x,x, color=cgcolor('green')
```

```
tvlct, r, g, b
```

```
colors=bytscl(x)
plot, x,x,/nodata
for i = 0, 9 do plots, x[i],x[i], color=colors[i]
colorbar
```
