
Subject: Re: Trying to create a plot with strings as x-values...
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 14 Apr 2014 12:33:56 GMT
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doowstados@gmail.com writes:

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>
> Thanks for your reply!
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>
> Unfortunately, the strings are text.
>
> I'm looking to make a plot that loosely resembles this:
>
> 5| *
> 4| * *
> 3|* * *
> 2|  * *
> 1|*
> 0 _____*_____
>  A B C D E
>
> But A,B,C,D,E are strings of length 3.
>
> listA contains the x values (strings) with some duplicates
> listB contains the y values (floating point values)
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Maybe you are looking for some version of a dot plot:

<http://www.idlcoyote.com/gallery/index.html#DOTPLOT>

Cheers,

David

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