
Subject: IDL map_set question

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I am fairly new to IDL and am having trouble with the map_set function making an orthographic projection. I can do the default, but in the reference guide it says "If the keyword LIMIT is not set, the region of the globe mapped to the UV plane is the hemisphere around the center of the projection." I am doing a plot with the North pole centered and would like to limit the plot at 30deg, but I can't figure out how to make the LIMIT keyword work properly for this projection style. Following the reference guide directions for LIMIT I keep getting floating point errors. Can anyone help?

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