Subject: Re: I am missing plot.pro
Posted by David Fanning on Fri, 12 Jun 2015 19:19:42 GMT

Cibi Raj writes:

> Thanks for your info. so I can never use plot.pro without upgrading the version.

It has become hard to predict what sort of programming experience people have when they ask a question on the newsgroup these days. But, I presume you know that not being able to use the Plot function that was introduced in IDL 8.0 does not mean that you can't produce a plot in IDL. Plots have been the bread and butter of IDL for at least 30 years, and for the last 10 years people using almost any version of IDL have been able to produce plots that rival this new graphics system in functionality and ease of use, if not in on-screen appearance. See this plot gallery, for example:

  http://www.idlcoyote.com/gallery/index.html

Cheers,

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