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Subject: Re: Plot function failing!

Posted by [wlandsman](#) on Thu, 17 Mar 2016 16:26:25 GMT

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plot.pro should be in the \$IDL\_DIR/lib/graphics directory.

Make sure that you do have plot.pro in this directory, and then make sure this directory is in your !path

On Thursday, March 17, 2016 at 12:14:40 PM UTC-4, Med Bennett wrote:

> On Thursday, March 17, 2016 at 10:13:24 AM UTC-6, Med Bennett wrote:

>> On Thursday, March 17, 2016 at 9:40:35 AM UTC-6, Jim P wrote:

>>> On Thursday, March 17, 2016 at 9:31:16 AM UTC-6, Med Bennett wrote:

>>>> Another example, straight from the documentation:

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>>>> IDL> junk = SIN(2.0\*FINDGEN(200)\*!PI/25.0)\*EXP(-0.02\*FINDGEN(200))

>>>> IDL> myPlot = plot(junk)

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>>>> In this case, nothing happens at all - no plot, no plot window, no error message.

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>>> I would guess your !path has been compromised.

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>>> IDL> print, routine\_info('plot', /source, /function)

>>> { PLOT C:\Program Files\Exelis\IDL85\lib\graphics\plot.pro}

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>>> Jim P.

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>> I just tried this, no luck:

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>> IDL> print,routine\_info('plot',/source,/function)

>> % Attempt to call undefined function: 'PLOT'.

>> % Execution halted at: \$MAIN\$

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>> I also just uninstalled and reinstalled IDL 8.5.1, still doing the same thing.

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> Interestingly, calls to contour() work fine.

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