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Subject: SHOWIMAGE posted (companion to SAVEIMAGE)  
Posted by [Liam Gumley](#) on Thu, 05 Aug 1999 07:00:00 GMT  
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I just posted a new procedure named SHOWIMAGE at

<http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/~gumley/imagetools.html>

SHOWIMAGE reads a graphics file in GIF, BMP, PICT, TIFF, or JPEG format and displays it in the current graphics window (IDL 5.2 is required to support image QUERY functions). 8-bit or 24-bit images are automatically interpreted and displayed correctly whether IDL is running in 8-bit or 24-bit mode.

Cheers,  
Liam.

PS: PICT support was added to SAVEIMAGE as well, at the same URL.

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>> P.S. Martin Schultz hasn't been in contact with you, has he?  
>> I used to hear from him several times a day for a week after  
>> I posted new software. I hope he's not going soft back there  
>> in Germany. :-)

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> Not recently. But if I was in Germany in the summertime, IDL would be the  
> last thing on my mind (the castles, the forests, the rivers, the beer, oh  
> my!).

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Hi there!

thanks for missing me ;-) Although I am not enjoying too much of the rivers, the castles, etc. but instead renovating our new apartment, I must admit that IDL is currently at least not the first thing on my mind ;-) At my job here in HH I still have to get to the stage where I have data that I can plot in IDL which might take some time. And the computer I brought from the states is still in its box waiting for the table to sit on. But I already bookmarked your web page, Liam, and promise to test your image tools as soon as I can !-) Thanks also for the wgrib tip.

Best regards,  
hope to catch up soon (there is a "catchup" button in knews, maybe I should  
try this button?)

Martin.

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