
Subject: Re: TVIM display routine on 24-bit displays
Posted by [davidf](#) on Thu, 11 Jan 2001 18:12:53 GMT
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David Williams (d.williams@qub.ac.uk) writes:

> I've recently made the switch (as a user, not as sysadmin!) from a Sun
> Ultra running Solaris to a PC running Red Hat 6.2. No big deal, perhaps,
> but I'm having to come to terms with using a decent graphics card with
> 24-bit colour when using IDL (and the various astronomy add-ons like CDS
> and SolarSoft).
>
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> Ricchiazzi called TVIM.PRO, which always did the job brilliantly for me.
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> display an image on your 24-bit colour XWindow, the colour table doesn't
> scale nicely. If you're using colour table 0 (greyscale), for example,
> to view a 2-D image, then it doesn't scale from black (minimum data
> value) to white (maximum data value) as it would under an 8-bit display.
>
> I know that the colour system under 24-bit isn't as straightforward as
> under 8-bit, for which (I read) IDL is optimised.
>
> Because so many of my routines (and some of my colleagues') depend on
> TVIM and all its nice keywords, does anyone know of a way to make TVIM
> display things properly on a 24-bit XWindow? The only kludge I've been
> able to get to work so far has been to get our sysadmin to cripple the
> machine's display to 8-bit colour, which seems like a rather ham-fisted
> way of doing things.
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated,

I think most of the problem is in this one line:

```
max_color=!d.n_colors-2
```

This line should really be set to this:

```
max_color=!d.table_size-2
```

Then, I would add a Device, Decomposed=0 line someplace
in the file. Or, you can always remember to do this
at the IDL command line. :-)

Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: TVIM display routine on 24-bit displays
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> to view a 2-D image, then it doesn't scale from black (minimum data
> value) to white (maximum data value) as it would under an 8-bit display.

You may wish to try IMDISP, which is designed to handle 8-bit and 24-bit displays:

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

Cheers,

Liam.

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

Subject: Re: TVIM display routine on 24-bit displays
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As an afterthought, I decided to include the actual TVIM routine, just in case...

As I say, help would be greatly appreciated on this issue.
Dave

```
;+  
; ROUTINE: tvim  
;  
; USEAGE: tvim,a  
;  
;         tvim,a,scale=scale,range=range,xrange=xrange,yrange=yrange,$  
;         aspect=aspect,title=title,xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,$  
;         noaxis=noaxis,interp=interp,colors=colors,c_map=c_map,$
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;         stitle=stitle,rmarg=rmarg,clip=clip,labels=labels,$
;
; pcharsize=pcharsize,lcharsize=lcharsize,nbotclr=nbotclr,& ;
;         clevels=clevels,nodata=nodata,rgb_nodata=rgb_nodata,$
;
; barwidth=barwidth,position=position,noframe=noframe,rct=rct, $
; subtitle=subtitle
;
; PURPOSE: Display an image with provisions for
;
;         1. numbered color scale
;         2. plot title
;         3. annotated x and y axis
;         4. simplified OPLOT capability
;         5. manual or automatic scaling with smooth or discreet
colors
;         6 special treatment of "invalid data" pixels
;
; INPUT
; a         image quantity
;
; Optional keyword input:
;
; title
;   plot title
;
; xtitle
;   x axis title
;
; ytitle
;   y axis title
;
; stitle
;   color key title (drawn to the right of color scale)
;
; rmarg
;   right margin expansion factor to provide more room for extra wide
;   color scale annotation (default=1)
;
; xrange
;   array spanning entire x axis range. (default = [0,x_dimension-1])
;
; yrange
;   array spanning entire y axis range. (default = [0,y_dimension-1])
;
; NOTE:TVIM only uses min(XRANGE), max(XRANGE), min(YRANGE) and
max(YRANGE).
;

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; scale
;   if set draw color scale.  SCALE=2 causes stepped color scale
;
; range
;   two or three element vector indicating physical range over which
;   to map the color scale.  The third element of RANGE, if specified,
;   sets the step interval of the displayed color scale.  It has no
;   effect when SCALE is not set.  E.g., RANGE=[0., 1., 0.1] will
;   cause the entire color scale to be mapped between the physical
;   values of zero and one; the step size of the displayed color
;   scale will be set to 0.1.
;
; clip
;   specifies a set percentage of pixels which will be left outside
;   the color scale.  Larger values of CLIP yield images with greater
;   contrast.  For example if clip=2 then the color scale range will
;   be set to include 98% of the pixels and to exclude the brightest
;   1% and the dimmest 1% of the pixel brightness distribution.
;   Keyword RANGE overrides the effect of CLIP.
;
;   If CLIP is a two element vector, the upper and lower percentile
;   range can be specified.  For example CLIP=[0,95] will exclude the
;   top 5%.
;
;   An alternative is to set CLIP to a single negative integer.  This
;   causes the grey scale range to be obtained from the max and min
;   value of the image array after it is filtered by a 2-D median
;   filter.  The radius of the median filter is set to -clip.  Median
;   filtering is effective in removing "salt and pepper" noise,
;   (isolated high or low values).  For example, setting clip=-1
;   causes the code to check the 9 element superpixel centered at
;   each pixel for median values.  A single extremely large or small
;   value does not affect the final value of the median at each pixel
;   point.
;
; aspect
;   the x over y aspect ratio of the output image.  If not set, aspect
;   is set to (size_x/size_y) of the input image.
;
; position
;   specifies the lower left and upper right TVIM frame position in
;   normal coordinates.  When set POSITION overrides the setting of
;   ASPECT.
;
; noaxis
;   if set do not draw x and y numbered axis around image.  Instead
;   just draw a box
;
;

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; noframe
;   if set no not draw anything around image, not even a box
;
; interp
;   TVIM normally uses nearest neighbor sampling to resize the image
;   to fill the data window area. If INTERP is set the resizing
;   operation uses bilinear interpolation
;
;   If INTERP = 2 the interpolation range is adjusted so that there
;   is a half pixel border around the plot. This ensures that the
;   smoothed image properly represents the cell center values of the
;   pixels, but introduces an extrapolation on the outer edges. This
;   option has noticeable effects for small (<20) image arrays.
;
;   NOTE: When writing to a Postscript file the resizing operation is
;   accomplished by changing the pixel size. Thus the INTERP
;   parameter has no effect on Postscript output.
;
; pcharsize
;   character size of numbers along x and y axis and the title
;   (default is !p.charsize if non-zero, 1 otherwise)
;
;   NOTE: The character size of the x and y-axis number scale
;   annotation may be independently controlled by the !x.charsize or
;   !y.charsize system variables. For example, the x and y axis
;   number scale characters may be made invisible by setting these
;   variables to a very small non-zero number before calling TVIM.
;   Remember to restore normal character sizes by setting !x.charsize
;   and !y.charsize to 1 or zero after the call to TVIM.
;
; lcharsize
;   character size of color key number or labels (default is
;   !p.charsize if non-zero, 1 otherwise)
;
; barwidth
;   width of color key which appears to right of image when SCALE is
;   set. (default=1)
;
; labels
;   a vector of strings used to label the color key levels. If not
;   set the default color key number labels are used. If the number
;   of elements in LABELS is the same as the number of elements in
;   COLORS then the labels will appear in the middle of a given
;   color band instead of at the boundary between colors. If COLORS
;   is not set the number of elements in LABELS should be at least
;   as large as the number of color key segments plus one.
;
; colors

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; an array of color indices. When the COLORS array is set TVIM
 ; will map values of A into the color values specified in COLORS.
 ; How physical values are assigned to color values depends on how
 ; the RANGE parameter is set, as shown in this table:

	RANGE	color_value
	----	-----
1.	not set	COLORS(A)
2.	[amin,amax]	COLORS((A-amin)/dinc)
3.	[amin,amax,inc]	COLORS((A-amin)/inc)

; where amin, amax and inc are user specified elements of RANGE
 ; and dinc=(amax-amin)/n_elements(COLORS). In case 1, A is used
 ; directly as a subscript into COLORS. When RANGE is not set
 ; legend labels should be used to annotate the color values. In
 ; case 2, A is scaled so that each color defined in COLORS
 ; represents a proportionate fraction of the total dynamic range.
 ; In case 3, amin and inc (and not amax) are used to control which
 ; colors are associated with given physical values. See examples.

; c_map
 ; TVIM normally rescales the input image to span the entire color
 ; table range. Setting C_MAP disables this automatic re-scaling.
 ; This is useful when the image byte values correspond to a
 ; particular color mapping that could be destroyed by the
 ; rescaling process (E.G. a gif image).

; NOTE: When the number of IDL color table entries is less than
 ; 256 some colors may be lost. Use a private color map to avoid
 ; this. See examples.

; nbotclr
 ; number of reserved colors at the bottom of the color
 ; table. Color values between 0 and nbotclr-1 will not
 ; be used in the displayed image. This allows the
 ; bottom of the table to be set to special colors which
 ; will not be used in the displayed the image. This
 ; keyword is disabled when either the COLORS or NODATA
 ; options are used. (default=1)

; NOTE: by default the color table indices used within a TVIM
 ; image is limited to the range 1 to !d.n_colors-2. In most
 ; predefined color tables, color index 0 and !d.n_color-1
 ; correspond to pure black and white, respectively. TVIM uses
 ; these color indices as background and foreground colors for
 ; region blanking and axis annotation. Color tables which do not
 ; define black and white in these index locations are not good
 ; choices for TVIM plots, unless the first and last color table

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; entries are redefined as black and white using TVLCT, e.g.,
; tvlct,0,0,0,0 & tvlct,255,255,255,!d.n_colors-1
;
; NOTE: the procedure DCOLORS can be used to load a set
; of discrete colors in the bottom 11 color values
; (0-10). The original color table is resampled to fit
; between color value 11 and the !d.n_colors-1.
;
;
; nodata
; pixel values which are interpreted as invalid data. Pixels
; containing this data value are colored with color RGB_NODATA.
;
; rgb_nodata
; an RGB value (a 3 component vector) used to color pixels filled
; with invalid data. (default = [0,0,0])
;
; NOTE: NODATA and RGB_NODATA override the effect of NBOTCLR
;
; rct
; if set, reverse direction of color table. This keyword can be
; used on black & white printers to allow large field values to be
; represented by dark colors.
;
; subtitle
; if used adds a subtitle to the plot. Added by dcjk, QUB, 97.
;
; KEYWORD OUTPUT:
; CLEVELS
; physical values at the color key tic marks. Use this to set
; contour levels in a subsequent call to CONTOUR.
;
; SIDE EFFECTS:
; Setting SCALE=2 changes the color scale using the STEP_CT
; procedure. The color scale may be returned to its original
; state by the command, STEP_CT,/OFF
;
; PROCEDURE:
; TVIM first determines the size of the plot data window with a
; dummy call to PLOT. When the output device is "X", CONGRID is
; used to scale the image to the size of the available data
; window. Otherwise, if the output device is Postscript,
; scalable pixels are used in the call to TV.
;
; If the input image quantity is not of type byte, TVIM converts
; them to byte by scaling the input between 0 and !d.n_colors-1.
; If the input is already a byte array and if either the number of
; color table entries is 256 or if C_MAP is set, then no scaling

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; is done. This is to ensure consistency with specially defined
; private color tables.
;
; After the the image is drawn TVIM calls PLOT again to draw the x
; and y axis and titles. Finally if scale is set, TVIM calls the
; COLOR_KEY procedure to draw the color scale just to the right of
; the data window.
;
;
; RESTRICTIONS:
; A stepped color scale (SCALE = 2 option) is not available when
; writing to a black & white postscript file (i.e., when the
; DEVICE color option is not enabled).
;
; DEPENDENCIES: COLOR_KEY, STEP_CT, PRANK
;
; EXAMPLES:
;
;; Plot a GIF image with its own preset RGB
;; table (perhaps from a digitized video image)
;
; window,colors=256          ; set up a private color map
; read_gif,file,im,r,g,b
; tvlct,r,g,b
; tvim,im,/c_map
;;
;;
;;
;; Plot an image with descreet greyscale values to a printer
;; which has its own hard-wired color table.
;
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im)
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; tvim,im,/scale,colors=!p.color*indgen(4)/3.,range=[immn,immx ]
; tvim,im,/scale,colors=!p.color*indgen(5)/4.,range=[immn,immx ]
; tvim,im,/scale,colors=!p.color*indgen(8)/7.,range=[immn,immx ]
; tvim,im,/scale,colors=!p.color*indgen(10)/9.,range=[immn,imm x]
;;
;;
;;
;; Display a map of surface types (green=veg, blue=water, red=sand)
;; Notice how RANGE is used to associate physical values with colors.
;; (use im from the previous example)
;
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im) & delim=immx-immn
;
; tvlct,[0,0,0,255],[0,255,0,0],[0,0,255,0]
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; colors=[1,2,3] & labels=[' veg',' water',' sand']

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; range=[immn,immx,delim/3]
;
; tvim,im,/scale
;
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale
;
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale,labels=labels,lch=2
;
; !p.multi=0
; range=[immn-.25*delim,immx+.25*delim,delim/2]
; lbl=[' veg!c region 1',' water!c region 2',' sand!c region 3']
;
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale,labels=lbl,lch=2,rm arg=2,pchar=1.2
;
;
;
; Display the image from previous example and overlay a contour plot
;
;
; loadct,5
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im) & delim=immx-immn
; xrange=[-120,-100]
; yrange=[20,50]
; range=[immn,immx]
; xx=findrng(xrange,128)
; yy=findrng(yrange,128)
;
;
; tvim,im,/scale,xrange=xrange,yrange=yrange,clevels=clevels,range=range
; contour,im,xx,yy,levels=clevels,/overplot
;
;
;
; NOTE: You might prefer the results obtained from procedure
CONFILL.
;
;
; confill,im,xx,yy,/asp,levels=clevels
;
;
;
; Display a grey scale image and annotate certain points in color
;
;
; loadct,0
; dcolors
; tvim,im,/scale,nbotclr=11
; xx=interpolate([40,80],randomu(iseed,10))
; yy=interpolate([40,80],randomu(iseed,10))
; plots,xx,yy,psym=2,color=1+indgen(10)
;
;
;
;
; Display a grey scale image and show nodata values in red

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;;
;;
; loadct,0
; im=randata(100,100,s=4.5)
; im(randomu(iseed,50)*9999)=-999.
; tvim,im,/scale,nodata=-999.,rgb_nodata=[255,0,0]
;
;
;;
;;
;;
;; Postscript output with a reversed color scale. Because the
;; background color is always RGB=(255,255,255) you must set the
;; default color, !p.color, to a dark color if you want good contrast
;; between the axis labels and the white paper. According to
;; Didier's reversed color table a color index of 255 should produce
;; black, but for some reason !p.color=255 doesn't work right.
;; I think IDL is interpreting !p.color=255 in some special way.
;; So instead use !p.color=254; this seems to work fine.
;;
;;
; toggle,/color
; loadct,28
; !p.color=254 ; don't use 255, don't ask me why
; tvim,dist(20),/scale
; toggle
;
;
;;
;; display data defined on a regular LAT-LON grid onto a given map
;; projection. USE MAP_SET and MAP_IMAGE to create the map projection
;; and to warp the image. Then use BOXPOS to position the TVIM frame
;; to correctly register the map and image
;
; IMAGE = sin(!pi*findrng(0,24,200))#sin(!pi*findrng(0,12,200))
; !p.multi=[0,1,2]
; map_set,45,0,/ortho,/advance,pos=boxpos(/aspect)
;
newimage=map_image(image,/bilin,latmin=-90,latmax=90,lonmin=-180,lonmax=180)
; tvim,newimage,title='Warped data',pos=boxpos(/get),/scale
; map_set,45,0,/ortho,pos=boxpos(/get),/grid,/cont,/noerase ; draw map
; tvim,image,xrange=[-180,180],yrange=[-90,90],/scale, $
; title='Unwarped data',xtitle='Longitude',ytitle='Latitude'
; map_set,0,0,/cyl,pos=boxpos(/get),/grid,/cont,/noerase ; draw map
;
;; use MAP_SET2 to mask out land areas. Note that the example below is
;; unusual. MAP_SET2 doesn't always produce such nicely filled land
areas.
;; Typically one must run MAP_SET2 with /SAVE
;; to create a ascii file containing the continental boundary lat-lon
;; coordinates. Then use an editor to group the continental coordinates
;; line segments to form closed contours which POLYFILL can understand
;; (the call to POLYFILL is enabled by setting con_color).

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;;
;
;
; image=randata(256,256,s=2.5)
; tvim,image
;
; map_set2,-64,-64,/cont,limit=[-65.1,-64.5,-64,-62],/ortho,co n_col=100,$
;     pos=boxpos(/get),/noerase,/grid
;;
; AUTHOR:    Paul Ricchiazzi   oct92
;           Earth Space Research Group, UCSB
;
; REVISIONS:
; 28jan93: switched from PUT_COLOR_SCALE to COLOR_KEY
; 11feb93: added INTERP keyword
; 11feb93: added C_MAP keyword
; 11feb93: added STITLE keyword
; 20apr93: added RMARG keyword, centered image in plot window
; 23apr93: call COLOR_KEY before TV. Now stepped color scales copy to PS
file
; 10sep93: deal with perfectly flat images. No more math error when a=0
; 14sep93: added CLIP keyword
; 11feb94: added PCHARSIZE,LCHARSIZE,LABELS, and COLORS keywords
; 18feb94: added NBOTCLR keyword
; 16mar94: added INTERP=2 option and adjusted centering of pixels
; 08Jul94: added NODATA and RGB_NODATA keywords
; 04Aug94: added BARWIDTH keyword
; 04Aug94: defaulted PCHARSIZE and LCHARSIZE to !P.CHARSIZE if non-zero
; 02Mar95: added POSITION keyword
; 31Mar95: added NOAXIS keyword
; 24may95: initial sizing includes allowance for PCHARSIZE > 1
; 06sep95: color indecies used in plot now run from 1 to !d.ncolors-2
; 24jul96: do a REFORM(a) to allow tvim,a(1,*,*)
;-

pro tvim,a,scale=scale,range=range,xrange=xrange,yrange=yrange,$
    aspect=aspect,title=title,xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,$

    noframe=noframe,noaxis=noaxis,interp=interp,colors=colors,c_map=c_map,$

    stitle=stitle,rmarg=rmarg,clip=clip,labels=labels,clevels=clevels,$

    pcharsize=pcharsize,lcharsize=lcharsize,nbotclr=nbotclr,nodata=nodata,$

    rgb_nodata=rgb_nodata,barwidth=barwidth,position=position,rct=rct,$
    subtitle=subtitle
if n_params() eq 0 then begin
    xhelp,'tvim'
    return

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endif

if keyword_set(pcharsize) eq 0 then begin
  if !p.charsize eq 0 then pcharsize=1 else pcharsize=!p.charsize
endif

if keyword_set(lcharsize) eq 0 then begin
  if !p.multi(1)>!p.multi(2) gt 2 then lcharsize=.5*pcharsize $
    else lcharsize=pcharsize
endif

sz=size(reform(a))
nx=sz(1)
ny=sz(2)
nxm=nx-1
nym=ny-1
plot, [0,1],[0,1],/nodata,xstyle=4,ystyle=4,charsize=pcharsize
px=!x.window*!d.x_vsize
py=!y.window*!d.y_vsize
xsize=px(1)-px(0)
ysize=py(1)-py(0)

if keyword_set(scale) or keyword_set(rmarg) then begin
  if keyword_set(rmarg) eq 0 then rmarg=1.
  xmarg=!d.x_ch_size*(4+4*lcharsize)
  if keyword_set(stitle) then xmarg=xmarg+2*!d.y_ch_size*lcharsize
  xsize=xsize-rmarg*xmarg
endif
oxs=xsize
oys=ysize
if keyword_set(aspect) eq 0 then aspect=float(nx)/ny
if xsize gt ysize*aspect then xsize=ysize*aspect else ysize=xsize/aspect
if xsize lt oxs then px(0)=px(0)+.5*(oxs-xsize)
if ysize lt oys then py(0)=py(0)+.5*(oys-ysize)
px(1)=px(0)+xsize
py(1)=py(0)+ysize

if keyword_set(position) then begin
  px=position([0,2])*!d.x_vsize
  py=position([1,3])*!d.y_vsize
  xsize=px(1)-px(0)
  ysize=py(1)-py(0)
endif

pos=[px(0),py(0),px(1),py(1)]
;
;max_color=!d.n_colors-1
max_color=!d.n_colors-2

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;
if keyword_set(title) eq 0 then title=""
if keyword_set(subtitle) eq 0 then subtitle=""

amax=float(max(a))
amin=float(min(a))
;print, 'a    min and max ', amin,amax

num_range=n_elements(range)

if n_elements(nodata) then begin
  if n_elements(rgb_nodata) eq 0 then rgb_nodata=[0,0,0]
  iinodata=where(a eq nodata,ncnd)
  iidata=where(a ne nodata,ncgd)
  if ncgd gt 0 then begin
    amin=float(min(a(iidata)))
    amax=float(max(a(iidata)))
    tvlct,rgb_nodata(0),rgb_nodata(1),rgb_nodata(2),1
    nbotclr=2
  endif
endif else begin
  iinodata=-1
endelse

if num_range eq 1 then message,'must specify either 2 or 3 elements of
RANGE'

if num_range eq 0 then begin
  if amin eq amax then begin
    case 1 of
      amax eq 0.: rng=[-1,1.]
      amax gt 0.: rng=[0,2*amax]
      amax lt 0.: rng=[2*amax,0]
    endcase
  endif else BEGIN
    CASE n_elements(clip) OF
      1:if clip ge 0 then begin
        rng=prank(a,[clip,100-clip])
      endif else begin
        clp=-2*clip+1
        ix1=-clip & ix2=nx+clip
        iy1=-clip & iy2=ny+clip
        rng=[min((median(a,clp))(ix1:ix2,iy1:iy2),max=mx),mx]
      endelse
      2:rng=prank(a,clip)
      else:rng=[amin,amax]
    endcase
  endelse
endif

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endif else begin
  rng=range(0:1)
  if num_range eq 3 then inc=range(2) else inc=0
endelse

ncolors=n_elements(colors)

case 1 of

ncolors ne 0 : begin
  case num_range of
    0:begin
      aa=colors(fix(reform(a)))
      rng=[0,ncolors]
      inc=1
      end
    2:begin
      clrinc=(rng(1)-rng(0))/ncolors
      aa=colors(fix((reform(a)-range(0))/clrinc))
      end
    3:begin
      aa=colors(fix((reform(a)-range(0))/range(2)))
      inc=range(2)
      rng=[range(0),range(0)+ncolors*inc]
      end
    endcase
  end

  keyword_set(c_map) eq 1 : begin
    aa=byte(reform(a))
    rng(0)=0
    rng(1)=max_color
  end

  else: begin
;   if keyword_set(nbotclr) eq 0 then nbotclr=0 else nbotclr=nbotclr
    if keyword_set(nbotclr) eq 0 then nbotclr=1 else nbotclr=nbotclr
    max_color=max_color-nbotclr
    aa=nbotclr+max_color*((float(reform(a))-rng(0))/(rng(1)-rng( 0)) > 0.
< 1.)
    end
  endcase

  if keyword_set(rct) then begin
    aamin=min(aa,max=aamax)
    aa=aamax+aamin-aa
  endif else begin
    rct=0

```

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endelse
;
posbar=[px(1)+!d.x_ch_size,py(0)]
if keyword_set(scale) then begin
    if scale eq 2 then step=1 else step=0
    if not keyword_set(barwidth) then barwidth=1
    if ncolors eq 0 then begin
        color_key,pos=posbar,ysize=ysize,range=rng,inc=inc,step=step,$
        title=stitle,charsize=lcharsize,labels=labels,nbotclr=nbotclr,$
        clevels=clevels,barwidth=barwidth,rct=rct
    endif else begin
        color_key,pos=posbar,ysize=ysize,range=rng,inc=inc,title=stitle,$

        charsize=lcharsize,colors=colors,labels=labels,clevels=clevels,$
        barwidth=barwidth,rct=rct
    endelse
endif

if not keyword_set(interp) then interp=0

if iinodata(0) ne -1 then aa(iinodata)=1

if !d.name eq 'X' then begin
    mone=interp
    if interp lt 2 then begin
        tv,congrid(aa,xsize,ysize,interp=interp,minus_one=mone),px(0),py(0)
    endif else begin
        tv,interpolate(aa,nx*findgen(xsize)/(xsize-1)-.5,$
            ny*findgen(ysize)/(ysize-1)-.5,/grid),px(0),py(0)
    endelse
endif else begin
    tv,aa,px(0),py(0),xsize=xsize,ysize=ysize,/device
endelse

;
if keyword_set(xtitle) eq 0 then xtitle=""
if keyword_set(ytitle) eq 0 then ytitle=""

if not keyword_set(xrange) then xrng=[0,nxm] $
    else xrng=[min(xrange), max(xrange)]
if not keyword_set(yrange) then yrng=[0,nym] $
    else yrng=[min(yrange), max(yrange)]

case 1 of

    keyword_set(noframe):plot,[0,0],[0,0],xstyle=5,ystyle=5,position=pos,$
        title=title, subtitle=subtitle,/device,
    charsize=pcharsize,$

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        xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,/noerase,/nodata

keyword_set(noaxis): plot,[0,0],[0,0],/xstyle,/ystyle,position=pos,$

title=title,xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,/device, $
        xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,/noerase,/nodata,$
        charsize=pcharsize,xticks=1,yticks=1,$
        xtickname=[" "," "],ytickname=[" "," "], $
        subtitle=subtitle

    else:
plot,[0,0],[0,0],/xstyle,/ystyle,title=title,/nodata,$

xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,$

position=pos,/noerase,/device,charsize=pcharsize, $
        subtitle=subtitle
endcase

;
end

```

Subject: Re: TVIM display routine on 24-bit displays
Posted by [paul](#) on Thu, 11 Jan 2001 19:22:23 GMT
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David Williams <d.williams@qub.ac.uk> writes:

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> Hi, there.
>
> I've recently made the switch (as a user, not as sysadmin!) from a Sun
> Ultra running Solaris to a PC running Red Hat 6.2. No big deal, perhaps,
> but I'm having to come to terms with using a decent graphics card with
> 24-bit colour when using IDL (and the various astronomy add-ons like CDS
> and SolarSoft).
>
> My problem is this: I used to use a very nifty display routine by Paul
> Ricchiazzi called TVIM.PRO, which always did the job brilliantly for me.
> It still plots fine on a postscript device, but when you use it to
> display an image on your 24-bit colour XWindow, the colour table doesn't
> scale nicely. If you're using colour table 0 (greyscale), for example,
> to view a 2-D image, then it doesn't scale from black (minimum data
> value) to white (maximum data value) as it would under an 8-bit display.
>
> I know that the colour system under 24-bit isn't as straightforward as
> under 8-bit, for which (I read) IDL is optimised.
>

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3. annotated x and y axis
4. simplified OPLOT capability
5. manual or automatic scaling with smooth or discrete colors
6. special treatment of "invalid data" pixels
7. display true color images

INPUT

a image quantity

if A is a two dimensional array it is assumed to be an array of a physical quantity in the same units as specified in RANGE.

if A is a three dimensional array it is assumed to be a band-interleaved true color image in the form (3,nx,ny) or (nx,ny,3) [either form will work], where nx and ny are the number of pixels in the x and y directions and the red, green and blue components are specified by the third index. All keywords associated with scaling the image to the color key (e.g., SCALE, RANGE, CLEVELS, STITLE etc.) are disabled for true color images.

Before display the image array is scaled to the 0-255 range using bytscl. It is then routed through the color tables. The red color table array contains the intensity translation table for the red image, and so forth. Assuming that the color tables have been loaded with the vectors R, G, and B, a pixel with a color value of (r, g, b) is displayed with a color of (R[r], G[g], B[b]). As with other devices, a color table value of 255 represents maximum intensity, while 0 indicates an absence of the color. To pass the RGB pixel values without change, load the red, green and blue color tables with a ramp with a slope of 1.0: TVLCT, INDGEN(256), INDGEN(256), INDGEN(256) or with the LOADCT procedure: LOADCT, 0 ; Load standard black/white table.

True color images can be written to postscript using

```
toggle,/color
tvim,a
toggle
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NOTE: To write a gif image you'll have to use color_quan to quantize the true color image into 256 colors. This procedure produces a pretty lousy result:

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;
;
;      v=color_quan(a,3,r,g,b,color=256)
;      tvlct,r,g,b
;      tvim,v
;      gif_write,'junk.gif'
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;      NOTE: if you have a pc you can use a screen capture
;            to cut and paste the image into a document ("ALT
;            print-screen" copies the screen into the paste
;            buffer).
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; Optional keyword input:
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```
; title
;   plot title
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; xtitle
;   x axis title
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; ytitle
;   y axis title
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```
; stitle
;   color key title (drawn to the right of color scale)
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; rmarg
;   right margin expansion factor to provide more room for extra wide
;   color scale annotation (default=1)
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; xrange
;   array spanning entire x axis range. (default = [0,x_dimension-1])
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; yrange
;   array spanning entire y axis range. (default = [0,y_dimension-1])
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;   NOTE:TVIM only uses min(XRANGE), max(XRANGE), min(YRANGE) and max(YRANGE).
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; scale
;   if set draw color scale. SCALE=2 causes stepped color scale
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; range
;   two or three element vector indicating physical range over which
;   to map the color scale. The third element of RANGE, if specified,
;   sets the step interval of the displayed color scale. It has no
;   effect when SCALE is not set. E.g., RANGE=[0., 1., 0.1] will
;   cause the entire color scale to be mapped between the physical
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; values of zero and one; the step size of the displayed color
; scale will be set to 0.1.
;
; clip
; specifies a set percentage of pixels which will be left outside
; the color scale. Larger values of CLIP yield images with greater
; contrast. For example if clip=2 then the color scale range will
; be set to include 98% of the pixels and to exclude the brightest
; 1% and the dimmest 1% of the pixel brightness distribution.
; Keyword RANGE overrides the effect of CLIP.
;
; If CLIP is a two element vector, the upper and lower percentile
; range can be specified. For example CLIP=[0,95] will exclude the
; top 5%.
;
; An alternative is to set CLIP to a single negative integer. This
; causes the grey scale range to be obtained from the max and min
; value of the image array after it is filtered by a 2-D median
; filter. The radius of the median filter is set to -clip. Median
; filtering is effective in removing "salt and pepper" noise,
; (isolated high or low values). For example, setting clip=-1
; causes the code to check the 9 element superpixel centered at
; each pixel for median values. A single extremely large or small
; value does not affect the final value of the median at each pixel
; point.
;
; aspect
; the x over y aspect ratio of the output image. If not set, aspect
; is set to (size_x/size_y) of the input image.
;
; position
; specifies the lower left and upper right TVIM frame position in
; normal coordinates. When set POSITION overrides the setting of
; ASPECT, and disables screen blanking for new plots.
;
; noaxis
; if set do not draw x and y numbered axis around image. Instead
; just draw a box
;
; noframe
; if set no not draw anything around image, not even a box
;
; interp
; TVIM normally uses nearest neighbor sampling to resize the image
; to fill the data window area. If INTERP is set the resizing
; operation uses bilinear interpolation
;
; If INTERP = 2 the interpolation range is adjusted so that there

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; is a half pixel border around the plot. This ensures that the
; smoothed image properly represents the cell center values of the
; pixels, but introduces an extrapolation on the outer edges. This
; option has noticeable effects for small (<20) image arrays.
;
; NOTE: When writing to a Postscript file the resizing operation is
; accomplished by changing the pixel size. Thus the INTERP
; parameter has no effect on Postscript output.
;
; pcharsize
; character size of numbers along x and y axis and the title
; (default is !p.charsize if non-zero, 1 otherwise)
;
; NOTE: The character size of the x and y-axis number scale
; annotation may be independently controlled by the !x.charsize or
; !y.charsize system variables. For example, the x and y axis
; number scale characters may be made invisible by setting these
; variables to a very small non-zero number before calling TVIM.
; Remember to restore normal character sizes by setting !x.charsize
; and !y.charsize to 1 or zero after the call to TVIM.
;
; lcharsize
; character size of color key number or labels (default is
; !p.charsize if non-zero, 1 otherwise)
;
; barwidth
; width of color key which appears to right of image when SCALE is
; set. (default=1)
;
; labels
; a vector of strings used to label the color key levels. If not
; set the default color key number labels are used. If the number
; of elements in LABELS is the same as the number of elements in
; COLORS then the labels will appear in the middle of a given
; color band instead of at the boundary between colors. If COLORS
; is not set the number of elements in LABELS should be at least
; as large as the number of color key segments plus one.
;
; colors
; an array of color indices. When the COLORS array is set TVIM
; will map values of A into the color values specified in COLORS.
; How physical values are assigned to color values depends on how
; the RANGE parameter is set, as shown in this table:
;
;      RANGE      color_value
;      ----      -
; 1. not set      COLORS(A)
; 2. [amin,amax]  COLORS((A-amin)/dinc)

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; 3. [amin,amax,inc] COLORS((A-amin)/inc)
;
;
; where amin, amax and inc are user specified elements of RANGE
; and dinc=(amax-amin)/n_elements(COLORS). In case 1, A is used
; directly as a subscript into COLORS. When RANGE is not set
; legend labels should be used to annotate the color values. In
; case 2, A is scaled so that each color defined in COLORS
; represents a proportionate fraction of the total dynamic range.
; In case 3, amin and inc (and not amax) are used to control which
; colors are associated with given physical values. See examples.
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; c_map
; TVIM normally rescales the input image to span the entire color
; table range. Setting C_MAP disables this automatic re-scaling.
; This is useful when the image byte values correspond to a
; particular color mapping that could be destroyed by the
; rescaling process (E.G. a gif image).
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; NOTE: When the number of IDL color table entries is less than
; 256 some colors may be lost. Use a private color map to avoid
; this. See examples.
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; nbotclr
; number of reserved colors at the bottom of the color
; table. Color values between 0 and nbotclr-1 will not
; be used in the displayed image. This allows the
; bottom of the table to be set to special colors which
; will not be used in the displayed the image. This
; keyword is disabled when either the COLORS or NODATA
; options are used. (default=1)
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; NOTE: by default the color table indices used within a TVIM
; image is limited to the range 1 to !d.n_colors-2. In most
; predefined color tables, color index 0 and !d.n_color-1
; correspond to pure black and white, respectively. TVIM uses
; these color indices as background and foreground colors for
; region blanking and axis annotation. Color tables which do not
; define black and white in these index locatations are not good
; choices for TVIM plots, unless the first and last color table
; entries are redefined as black and white using TVLCT, e.g.,
; tvlct,0,0,0,0 & tvlct,255,255,255,!d.n_colors-1
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; NOTE: the procedure DCOLORS can be used to load a set
; of discreet colors in the bottom 11 color values
; (0-10). The original color table is resampled to fit
; between color value 11 and the !d.n_colors-1.
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; nodata
;   pixel values which are interpreted as invalid data.  Pixels
;   containing this data value are colored with color RGB_NODATA.
;
; rgb_nodata
;   an RGB value (a 3 component vector) used to color pixels filled
;   with invalid data. (default = [0,0,0])
;
;   NOTE: NODATA and RGB_NODATA override the effect of NBOTCLR
;
; rct
;   if set, reverse direction of color table.  This keyword can be
;   used on black & white printers to allow large field values to be
;   represented by dark colors.  Note, this feature is implemented
;   by reversing the association between physical values and color.
;   Though it reverses the colors on the color key, it does not
;   affect the actual color table.
;
; KEYWORD OUTPUT:
;   clevels
;   physical values at the color key tic marks.  Use this to set
;   contour levels in a subsequent call to CONTOUR.
;
; SIDE EFFECTS:
;   Setting SCALE=2 changes the color scale using the STEP_CT
;   procedure.  The color scale may be returned to its original
;   state by the command, STEP_CT,/OFF
;
; PROCEDURE:
;   TVIM first determines the size of the plot data window with a
;   dummy call to PLOT.  When the output device is "X", CONGRID is
;   used to scale the image to the size of the available data
;   window.  Otherwise, if the output device is Postscript,
;   scaleable pixels are used in the call to TV.
;
;   If the input image quantity is not of type byte, TVIM converts
;   them to byte by scaling the input between 0 and !d.n_colors-1.
;   If the input is already a byte array and if either the number of
;   color table entries is 256 or if C_MAP is set, then no scaling
;   is done.  This is to ensure consistency with specially defined
;   private color tables.
;
;   After the the image is drawn TVIM calls PLOT again to draw the x
;   and y axis and titles.  Finally if scale is set, TVIM calls the
;   COLOR_KEY procedure to draw the color scale just to the right of
;   the data window.
;
;

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; RESTRICTIONS:
;   A stepped color scale (SCALE = 2 option) is not available when
;   writing to a black & white postscript file (i.e., when the
;   DEVICE color option is not enabled).
;
; DEPENDENCIES: COLOR_KEY, STEP_CT, PRANK
;
; EXAMPLES:
;
;;; Plot a GIF image with its own preset RGB
;;; table (perhaps from a digitized video image)
;
; window,colors=256      ; set up a private color map
; read_gif,'/home/paul/gif/el-nino.gif',im,r,g,b
; tvlct,r,g,b
; tvim,im,/c_map
...
;;;
;;;
;;; Plot an image with descreet greyscale values to a printer
;;; which has its own hard-wired color table. check documentation of gray.pro
;
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im)
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; loadct,5
; tvim,im,/scale,range=[immn,immx],color=gray(4)
; tvim,im,/scale,range=[immn,immx],color=gray(5)
; tvim,im,/scale,range=[immn,immx],color=gray(8)
; tvim,im,/scale,range=[immn,immx],color=gray(10)
...
;;;
;;;
;;; Display a map of surface types (green=veg, blue=water, red=sand)
;;; Notice how RANGE is used to associate physical values with colors.
;;; (use im from the previous example)
;
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im) & delim=immx-immn
;
; tvlct,[0,0,0,255],[0,255,0,0],[0,0,255,0]
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; colors=[1,2,3] & labels=[' veg',' water',' sand']
; range=[immn,immx,delim/3]
;
; tvim,im,/scale
;
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale
;
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale,labels=labels,lch=2

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;
;
; !p.multi=0
; range=[immn-.25*delim,immx+.25*delim,delim/2]
; lbl=[' veg!c region 1',' water!c region 2',' sand!c region 3']
; tvim,im,colors=colors,range=range,/scale,labels=lbl,lch=2,rm arg=2,pchar=1.2
...
;;;
;;; Display the image from previous example and overlay a contour plot
;;;
; !p.multi=0
; loadct,5
; im=randata(128,128,s=4)
; immx=max(im) & immn=min(im) & delim=immx-immn
; xrange=[-120,-100]
; yrange=[20,50]
; range=[immn,immx]
; xx=findrng(xrange,128)
; yy=findrng(yrange,128)
;
; tvim,im,/scale,xrange=xrange,yrange=yrange,clevels=clevels,range=range
; contour,im,xx,yy,levels=clevels,/overplot
;
;
;
;;; NOTE: You might prefer the results obtained from procedure CONFILL.
;
; confill,im,xx,yy,/asp,levels=clevels
...
...
...
;;; Display a grey scale image and annotate certain points in color
;;;
; loadct,0
; dcolors
; tvim,im,/scale,nbotclr=11 ; reserve some colors at bottom
; xx=interpolate([40,80],randomu(iseed,10))
; yy=interpolate([40,80],randomu(iseed,10))
; plots,xx,yy,psym=2,color=1+indgen(10)
;
;
...
...
;;; inset an image onto a line plot
...
;
; !p.multi=0
; loadct,0
; xy=randata(100,100,s=3)
; plot,xy[*],40]
; tvim,xy,pos=boxpos(/cur),title='transect',pcharsize=.7
; oplot,[0,99],[40,40]
;
;
...

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...
;;;
;;; Display a grey scale image and show nodata values in red
;;;
...
;;;
; loadct,0
; im=randata(100,100,s=4.5)
; im(randomu(iseed,50)*9999)=-999.
; tvim,im,/scale,nodata=-999.,rgb_nodata=[255,0,0]
;
;
...
;;;
;;;
;;; Postscript output with a reversed color scale. Because the
;;; background color is always RGB=(255,255,255) you must set the
;;; default color, !p.color, to a dark color if you want good contrast
;;; between the axis labels and the white paper. According to
;;; Didier's reversed color table a color index of 255 should produce
;;; black, but for some reason !p.color=255 doesn't work right.
;;; I think IDL is interpreting !p.color=255 in some special way.
;;; So instead use !p.color=254; this seems to work fine.
...
;;;
; toggle,/color
; loadct,28
; !p.color=254 ; don't use 255, don't ask me why
; tvim,dist(20),/scale
; toggle
;
;
...
;;;
;;; display data defined on a regular LAT-LON grid onto a given map
;;; projection. USE MAP_SET and MAP_IMAGE to create the map projection
;;; and to warp the image. Then use BOXPOS to position the TVIM frame
;;; to correctly register the map and image
;
;
; w8x11
; IMAGE = sin(!pi*findrng(0,24,200))#sin(!pi*findrng(0,12,200))
; !p.multi=[0,1,2]
; map_set,45,0,/ortho,/advance,pos=boxpos(/aspect)
; newimage=map_image(image,/bilin,latmin=-90,latmax=90,lonmin=-180,lonmax=180)
; tvim,newimage,title='Warped data',pos=boxpos(/get),/scale
; map_set,45,0,/ortho,pos=boxpos(/get),/grid,/cont,/noerase ; draw map
; tvim,image,xrange=[-180,180],yrange=[-90,90],/scale, $
; title='Unwarped data',xtitle='Longitude',ytitle='Latitude'
; map_set,0,0,/cyl,pos=boxpos(/get),/grid,/cont,/noerase ; draw map
;
;
;;; use MAP_SET2 to mask out land areas. Note that the example below is
;;; unusual. MAP_SET2 doesn't always produce such nicely filled land areas.
;;; Typically one must run MAP_SET2 with /SAVE
;;; to create a ascii file containing the continental boundary lat-lon
;;; coordinates. Then use an editor to group the continental coordinates
;;; line segments to form closed contours which POLYFILL can understand

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;;; (the call to POLYFILL is enabled by setting con_color).
;;;
;
;
; image=randata(256,256,s=2.5)
; tvim,image,yrange=[-65.1,-64],xrange=[-64.5,-62]
; map_set5,-64,-64,/cont,limit=[-65.1,-64.5,-64,-62],/pos,/noerase
; map_set,-64,-64,/cont,limit=[-65.1,-64.5,-64,-62],pos=bospos (/get),/noerase
;
;;; display a true color image
;
;
; a=fltarr(100,100,3)
; g=bytsc1(replicate(1,100)#(findgen(100)>30))
; a(*,*,0)=rotate(g,1)
; a(*,*,1)=g
; a(*,*,2)=rotate(g,3)
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; loadct,0
; tvim,a,xrange=[100,300],yrange=[0,10],title='true color image'
; tvim,a(*,*,0),range=[0,255],title='red component'
; tvim,a(*,*,1),range=[0,255],title='green component'
; tvim,a(*,*,2),range=[0,255],title='blue component'
;
;
;;; other interleaving possibility
;
;
; a=fltarr(3,100,100)
; g=bytsc1(replicate(1,100)#(findgen(100)>30))
; a(0,*,*)=rotate(g,1)
; a(1,*,*)=g
; a(2,*,*)=rotate(g,3)
; !p.multi=[0,2,2]
; loadct,0
; tvim,a,xrange=[100,300],yrange=[0,10],title='true color image'
; tvim,a(0,*,*),range=[0,255],title='red component'
; tvim,a(1,*,*),range=[0,255],title='green component'
; tvim,a(2,*,*),range=[0,255],title='blue component'
;
;
;
;;; display a sparse data field superposed on a background topography.
;;; topography shown with a gray scale, data filled areas shown with
;;; color table 5
;
;
; minval=.1 ; minimum physical value of interest
; nbotclr=30 ; number of colors assigned to gray scale
; maxgray=240 ; max gray scale intensity (240 out of 255)
; topo=randata(200,200,s=4) ; background topography variable (just for looks)
; data=randata(200,200,s=2) ; data variable
; loadct,5 ; color table 5
;
;

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```

; topo=topo-max(topo)
; rngdata=max(data)-minval
; rngtopo=-min(topo)
; topo=nbotclr/(!d.n_colors<256.-nbotclr)*rngdata*topo/rngtopo
; topo=topo+minval
; ii=where(data lt minval)
; data[ii]=topo[ii]
; r=findrng(0,maxgray,nbotclr) & g=r & b=r
; tvlct,r,g,b,0
; tvim,data,rmarg=1
; color_key,range=data>minval,nbotclr=nbotclr
;
;
;
; AUTHOR:   Paul Ricchiazzi   oct92
;           Earth Space Research Group, UCSB
;
;
; REVISIONS:
; 28jan93: switched from PUT_COLOR_SCALE to COLOR_KEY
; 11feb93: added INTERP keyword
; 11feb93: added C_MAP keyword
; 11feb93: added STITLE keyword
; 20apr93: added RMARG keyword, centered image in plot window
; 23apr93: call COLOR_KEY before TV. Now stepped color scales copy to PS file
; 10sep93: deal with perfectly flat images. No more math error when a=0
; 14sep93: added CLIP keyword
; 11feb94: added PCHARSIZE,LCHARSIZE,LABELS, and COLORS keywords
; 18feb94: added NBOTCLR keyword
; 16mar94: added INTERP=2 option and adjusted centering of pixels
; 08Jul94: added NODATA and RGB_NODATA keywords
; 04Aug94: added BARWIDTH keyword
; 04Aug94: defaulted PCHARSIZE and LCHARSIZE to !P.CHARSIZE if non-zero
; 02Mar95: added POSITION keyword
; 31Mar95: added NOAXIS keyword
; 24may95: initial sizing includes allowance for PCHARSIZE > 1
; 06sep95: color indecies used in plot now run from 1 to !d.ncolors-2
; 24jul96: do a REFORM(a) to allow tvim,a(1,*,*) to work with no complaints
; 01sep96: added the RCT keyword
; 17may00; treat true color images
; 01dec00; when position keyword is set, add to current page
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pro tvim,a,scale=scale,range=range,xrange=xrange,yrange=yrange,$
    aspect=aspect,title=title,xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,$
    noframe=noframe,noaxis=noaxis,interp=interp,colors=colors,c_map=c_map,$
    stitle=stitle,rmarg=rmarg,clip=clip,labels=labels,clevels=clevels,$
    pcharsize=pcharsize,lcharsize=lcharsize,nbotclr=nbotclr,nodata=nodata,$
    rgb_nodata=rgb_nodata,barwidth=barwidth,position=position,rct=rct

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if n_params() eq 0 then begin
  xhelp,'tvim'
  return
endif

if keyword_set(position) then begin
  psave=!p.multi
  !p.multi=[1,1,1]
endif

if keyword_set(pcharsize) eq 0 then begin
  if !p.charsize eq 0 then pcharsize=1 else pcharsize=!p.charsize
endif

if keyword_set(lcharsize) eq 0 then begin
  if !p.multi(1)>!p.multi(2) gt 2 then lcharsize=.5*pcharsize $
    else lcharsize=pcharsize
endif

if not keyword_set(interp) then interp=0

sz=size(reform(a))

if sz(0) eq 3 then begin
  true_color=1
  case 1 of
    sz(1) eq 3: true_index=1
    sz(3) eq 3: true_index=3
    else: message,'true color array must be of form (nx,ny,3) or (3,nx,ny)'
  end
  if true_index eq 1 then begin
    nx=sz(2)
    ny=sz(3)
  endif else begin
    nx=sz(1)
    ny=sz(2)
  endelse
endif else begin
  true_color=0
  nx=sz(1)
  ny=sz(2)
endelse

nxm=nx-1
nym=ny-1
plot, [0,1],[0,1],/nodata,xstyle=4,ystyle=4,charsize=pcharsize
px=!x.window*!d.x_vsize
py=!y.window*!d.y_vsize

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xsize=px(1)-px(0)
ysize=py(1)-py(0)

if keyword_set(scale) or keyword_set(rmarg) then begin
  if keyword_set(rmarg) eq 0 then begin
    if(!d.name eq "WIN") then begin
      rmarg=2.
    endif else begin
      rmarg=1.
    endelse
  endif
  xmarg=!d.x_ch_size*(4+4*lcharsize)
  if keyword_set(stitle) then xmarg=xmarg+2*!d.y_ch_size*lcharsize
  xsize=xsize-rmarg*xmarg
endif
oxs=xsize
oys=ysize
if keyword_set(aspect) eq 0 then aspect=float(nx)/ny
if xsize gt ysize*aspect then xsize=ysize*aspect else ysize=xsize/aspect
if xsize lt oxs then px(0)=px(0)+.5*(oxs-xsize)
if ysize lt oys then py(0)=py(0)+.5*(oys-ysize)
px(1)=px(0)+xsize
py(1)=py(0)+ysize

if keyword_set(position) then begin
  px=position([0,2])*!d.x_vsize
  py=position([1,3])*!d.y_vsize
  xsize=px(1)-px(0)
  ysize=py(1)-py(0)
endif

pos=[px(0),py(0),px(1),py(1)]

if true_color then begin ; true color image

  if !d.name eq 'PS' then begin
    tv,bytsc1(a),px(0),py(0),xsize=xsize,ysize=ysize,/device,true_index
  endif else begin
    mone=interp
    if interp lt 2 then begin
      fx=(nx-1)*findgen(xsize)/(xsize-1)
      fy=(ny-1)*findgen(ysize)/(ysize-1)
    endif else begin
      fx=nx*findgen(xsize)/(xsize-1)-.5
      fy=ny*findgen(ysize)/(ysize-1)-.5
    endelse
    device,decomposed=1
    if true_index eq 3 $

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    then tv,interpolate(bytscl(a),fx,fy,indgen(3),/grid),px(0),py(0), true=3 $
    else tv,interpolate(bytscl(a),indgen(3),fx,fy,/grid),px(0),py(0), true=1
device,decomposed=0
endelse

endif else begin

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;max_color=!d.n_colors-1
max_color=(!d.n_colors-2) < 255
;
if keyword_set(title) eq 0 then title="

amax=float(max(a))
amin=float(min(a))

num_range=n_elements(range)

if n_elements(nodata) then begin
  if n_elements(rgb_nodata) eq 0 then rgb_nodata=[0,0,0]
  iinodata=where(a eq nodata,ncnd)
  iidata=where(a ne nodata,ncgd)
  if ncgd gt 0 then begin
    amin=float(min(a(iidata)))
    amax=float(max(a(iidata)))
    tvlct,rgb_nodata(0),rgb_nodata(1),rgb_nodata(2),1
    nbotclr=2
  endif
endif else begin
  iinodata=-1
endelse

if num_range eq 1 then message,'must specify either 2 or 3 elements of RANGE'

if num_range eq 0 then begin
  if amin eq amax then begin
    case 1 of
      amax eq 0.: rng=[-1,1.]
      amax gt 0.: rng=[0,2*amax]
      amax lt 0.: rng=[2*amax,0]
    endcase
  endif else BEGIN
    CASE n_elements(clip) OF
      1:if clip ge 0 then begin
        rng=prank(a,[clip,100-clip])
      endif else begin
        clp=-2*clip+1
        ix1=-clip & ix2=nx+clip

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        iy1=-clip & iy2=ny+clip
        rng=[min((median(a,clip))(ix1:ix2,iy1:iy2),max=mx),mx]
    endelse
    2:rng=prank(a,clip)
    else:rng=[amin,amax]
endcase
endelse
endif else begin
    rng=range(0:1)
    if num_range eq 3 then inc=range(2) else inc=0
endelse

ncolors=n_elements(colors)

case 1 of

ncolors ne 0 : begin
    if keyword_set(rct) then message,'rct invalid with color specifcation'
    case num_range of
        0:begin
            aa=colors(fix(reform(a)))
            rng=[0,ncolors]
            inc=1
        end
        2:begin
            clrinc=(rng(1)-rng(0))/ncolors
            aa=colors(fix((reform(a)-range(0))/clrinc))
        end
        3:begin
            aa=colors(fix((reform(a)-range(0))/range(2)))
            inc=range(2)
            rng=[range(0),range(0)+ncolors*inc]
        end
    endcase
end

keyword_set(c_map) eq 1 : begin
    if keyword_set(rct) then message,'rct invalid with c_map specifcation'
    aa=byte(reform(a))
    rng(0)=0
    rng(1)=max_color
end

else: begin
; if keyword_set(nbotclr) eq 0 then nbotclr=0 else nbotclr=nbotclr
    if keyword_set(nbotclr) eq 0 then nbotclr=1 else nbotclr=nbotclr
    max_color=max_color-nbotclr
    aa=nbotclr+max_color*((float(reform(a))-rng(0))/(rng(1)-rng( 0)) >0.<1.)

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    if keyword_set(rct) then aa=max_color+2*nbotclr-aa
end
endcase
;
posbar=[px(1)+!d.x_ch_size,py(0)]
if keyword_set(scale) then begin
    if scale eq 2 then step=1 else step=0
    if not keyword_set(barwidth) then barwidth=1
    if ncolors eq 0 then begin
        color_key,pos=posbar,ysize=ysize,range=rng,inc=inc,step=step,$
        title=stitle,charsize=lcharsize,labels=labels,nbotclr=nbotclr,$
        clevels=clevels,barwidth=barwidth,rct=rct
    endif else begin
        color_key,pos=posbar,ysize=ysize,range=rng,inc=inc,title=stitle,$
        charsize=lcharsize,colors=colors,labels=labels,clevels=clevels,$
        barwidth=barwidth,rct=rct
    endelse
endif

if iinodata(0) ne -1 then aa(iinodata)=1

if !d.name eq 'PS' then begin
    tv,aa,px(0),py(0),xsize=xsize,ysize=ysize,/device
endif else begin
    mone=interp
    if interp lt 2 then begin
        tv,congrid(aa,xsize,ysize,interp=interp,minus_one=mone),px(0),py(0)
    endif else begin
        tv,interpolate(aa,nx*findgen(xsize)/(xsize-1)-.5,$
            ny*findgen(ysize)/(ysize-1)-.5,/grid),px(0),py(0)
    endelse
endelse

endelse
;
if keyword_set(xtitle) eq 0 then xtitle=""
if keyword_set(ytitle) eq 0 then ytitle=""

if not keyword_set(xrange) then xrng=[0,nxm] $
    else xrng=[min(xrange), max(xrange)]
if not keyword_set(yrange) then yrng=[0,nym] $
    else yrng=[min(yrange), max(yrange)]

case 1 of

    keyword_set(noframe):plot,[0,0],[0,0],xstyle=5,ystyle=5,position=pos,$
        title=title,/device, charsize=pcharsize, $

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        xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,/noerase,/nodata

keyword_set(noaxis): plot,[0,0],[0,0],/xstyle,/ystyle,position=pos,$
                    title=title,xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,/device, $
                    xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,/noerase,/nodata,$
                    charsize=pcharsize,xticks=1,yticks=1,$
                    xtickname=[" "," "],ytickname=[" "," "]

else:              plot,[0,0],[0,0],/xstyle,/ystyle,title=title,/nodata,$
                    xtitle=xtitle,ytitle=ytitle,xrange=xrng,yrange=yrng,$
                    position=pos,/noerase,/device,charsize=pcharsize
endcase

if keyword_set(position) then !p.multi=psave
;
end
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