
Subject: Re: Two Images in One Window - Like oplot or /NOERASE
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 01 Nov 2001 15:09:28 GMT
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If you are on a 24-bit display, just load a new colortable before you display the second image. If you are on an 8-bit display you will have to divide your color table and scale your images appropriately. Here is an article that describes how:

http://www.dfanning.com/color_tips/twocolortables.html

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Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: Two Images in One Window - Like oplot or /NOERASE

Posted by [Paul Joe](#) on Wed, 23 Jan 2002 05:13:22 GMT

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