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Subject: Re: Adding a Table to a plot  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 18 Aug 2004 21:48:50 GMT  
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Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: Adding a Table to a plot  
Posted by [hunter](#) on Thu, 19 Aug 2004 13:05:10 GMT  
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news:<MPG.1b8d7caffdbb0f1f989842@news.frii.com>...

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Thanks for the help,  
Eli

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Posted by [snowm](#) on Thu, 19 Aug 2004 15:24:19 GMT  
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You might want to see the LEGEND routine in the astronomical library. I  
think it does exactly what you're looking for.

Marty

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Martin Snow

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