
Subject: surface plots into an image

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There's probably a Really Easy Way to do it, but either the manuals aren't yielding it easily or my brain is in Monday Mode; perhaps someone here can help?

is there an easy way within IDL to get the contents of a plot window into something I can write out as an image?

(I have 30+ slices of an array which are shown as either individual surfaces or contour plots and I'd like to make a video of them in sequence: easy enough with image files, and easy enough to do just one from an iTool or a window capture, but how do I do it systematically from a FOR loop or similar?)

thanks, Pete.

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