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Posted by [Mike Potter](#) on Sun, 14 Aug 2011 19:27:19 GMT
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Additional info:

IDL 8.1 - Windows XP

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Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Sun, 14 Aug 2011 20:14:38 GMT
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Cheers,

David

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Thanks David - indeed it does work with cgsPlot. It seems likely a bug in IDL 8.1 since it seems to work just fine in IDL 8.0

Mike Potter

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Posted by [Paul Van Delst\[1\]](#) on Mon, 15 Aug 2011 12:51:09 GMT

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Posted by [Mike Potter](#) on Mon, 15 Aug 2011 15:32:44 GMT
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Well, I just tried this again today and it works as advertised. I have no idea what I did to change its behavior. The only thing I'd done was to run the two lines of code through IDL 8.0 - logged out last night and back in this morning, fired up 8.1 and it worked. Perhaps a variant of "plot" is hiding in some code I ran the other day - but IDL's default library is first in my PATH list. Thanks to all who offered help!

Mike Potter
