
Subject: Multiple color plots, same color bar
Posted by [limiqt](#) on Thu, 05 Dec 2013 22:22:48 GMT
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therefore, using a color table from 0 to 600, the second panel should not have any blue color.

I will appreciate any assistance.

Thanks,

Lim

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pro mci

```
X1=[2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8]
Y1=[20, 40, 45, 30, 10, 5]
I1=[100,200,300,400,500,600]
```

```
X2=[3, 4.5, 5.5, 6.5, 7.5, 8.5]
Y2=[22, 25, 30, 33, 20, 8]
I2=[150,175,250,280,290,450]
```

```
cgLoadCT, 33, /reverse
nelmspix=n_elements(X1)
colors = cgScaleVector(Findgen(N_Elements(I1)), min(I1), max(I1))
clr = Value_Locate(colors, I1)
clr = Byte(Round(CGScaleVector(clr, 0, 255)))
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```
cgWindow
pos1=[0.1,0.1,0.45,0.75]
pos2=[0.55,0.1,0.9,0.75]
;graph 1
cgPlot, X1, Y1, /Nodata, Xtitle='X', Ytitle='Y', position=pos1,/NoErase,/AddCMD
cgPlotS, X1, Y1, Psym=16,symsize=2,color=clr,/AddCMD
;graph 2
cgplot,X2,Y2, /Nodata, Xtitle='X', Ytitle='Y', position=pos2,/NoErase, /AddCMD
cgPlotS, X2, Y2,Psym=16,symsize=2,color=clr,/AddCMD
;the colorbar
```

```
cgColorbar, Divisions=5, Format='(I3)', Range=[100,600],/AddCMD , TLOCATION='Top', Title='I'  
End  
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```

Subject: Re: Multiple color plots, same color bar
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 05 Dec 2013 22:57:47 GMT
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Lim writes:

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You want this:

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```
cgLoadCT, 33, /reverse  
clr1 = BytScl(i1, MIN=100, MAX=600)  
clr2 = BytScl(i2, MIN=100, MAX=600)
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;graph 1
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    position=pos1,/NoErase,/AddCMD  
cgPlotS, X1, Y1, Psym=16,symsize=2,color=clr1,/AddCMD  
;graph 2  
cgplot,X2,Y2, /Nodata, Xtitle='X', Ytitle='Y', $  
    position=pos2,/NoErase, /AddCMD  
cgPlotS, X2, Y2,Psym=16,symsize=2,color=clr2,/AddCMD  
;the colorbar  
cgColorbar, Divisions=5, Format='(I3)', Range=[100,600],$  
    /AddCMD , TLOCATION='Top', Title='I'
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End

Cheers,

David

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>
Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Subject: Re: Multiple color plots, same color bar
Posted by [limiqt](#) on Thu, 05 Dec 2013 23:47:21 GMT
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Hi David,
Yes, Your solution worked. Need to read about the bytscl. Thanks you very much.

Lim

On Thursday, December 5, 2013 5:22:48 PM UTC-5, Lim wrote:

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Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 05 Dec 2013 23:52:59 GMT

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Lim writes:

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Yes, essential for working with color tables of all sorts. ;-)

Cheers,

David

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