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Subject: How do I create a scatter plot with colored symbols in accordance with their frequency of occurrence?

Posted by [atmospheric physics](#) on Wed, 04 Jun 2014 21:26:16 GMT

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Hello,

I know how to make a scatter plot. But I want the symbol colors being represented by the frequency of occurrence. Can anyone help me with an example synthetic data?

Thanking you in advance,

With regards,

Madhavan

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Subject: Re: How do I create a scatter plot with colored symbols in accordance with their frequency of occurrence?

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 04 Jun 2014 22:01:00 GMT

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Madhavan Bomidi writes:

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h = cgHistogram(data, binsize=0.5, REVERSE_INDICES=ri)
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cgLoadCT, 33, NColors=20
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cgPlot, x, y, /NoData, Position=[0.15,0.15, 0.8, 0.9]
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FOR j=0,19 DO BEGIN
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    IF count GT 0 THEN BEGIN
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        cgPlotS, x[indices], y[indices], PSYM=16, COLOR=Byte(j)
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ENDFOR
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cgColorbar, NColors=20, Range=[0,10], Divisions=10, /Vertical, $
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    Title='Frequency of Occurance', TLocation='Right'
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Cheers,

David

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

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Subject: Re: How do I create a scatter plot with colored symbols in accordance with their frequency of occurrence?

Posted by [atmospheric physics](#) on Thu, 05 Jun 2014 15:53:39 GMT

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Thank you David ...It works!

On Thursday, June 5, 2014 12:01:00 AM UTC+2, David Fanning wrote:

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