
Subject: color table trouble

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Hi.

I have had a problem crop up on my IDL 5.1 on my Sun Ultra 30, that has me very perplexed. I am guessing that somehow I have mis-set a resource or something, but it is beyond me.

I run `idlde`. I try to do a contour with something like:
`contour,dist(400),nlevels=20,/fill`

And I do not get a range of colors - I always have two colors - seemingly a light blue and white, or a red and black.

I can do `loadct, 13` for example, and nothing changes at all.

Ok, so I tried `tv!ct,r,g,b,/get tv!scl, dist(400)` and now I have all my colors just fine. However if I try the contour as above I still do not have the colors.

Now, say I load the Demo. And I run something that displays an image - like in the filtering section. And then I change the color map. Then exit the demo.

Now, my contours are just fine.

I am at a total loss.

Thanks.

Gary

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