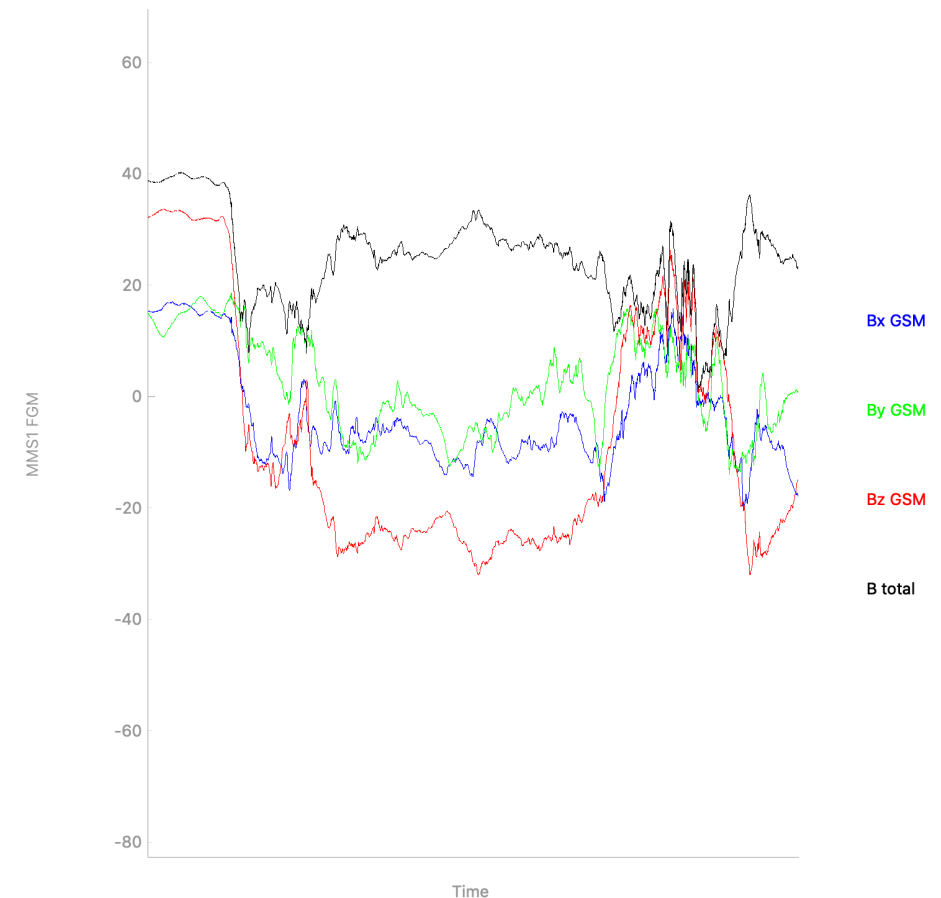
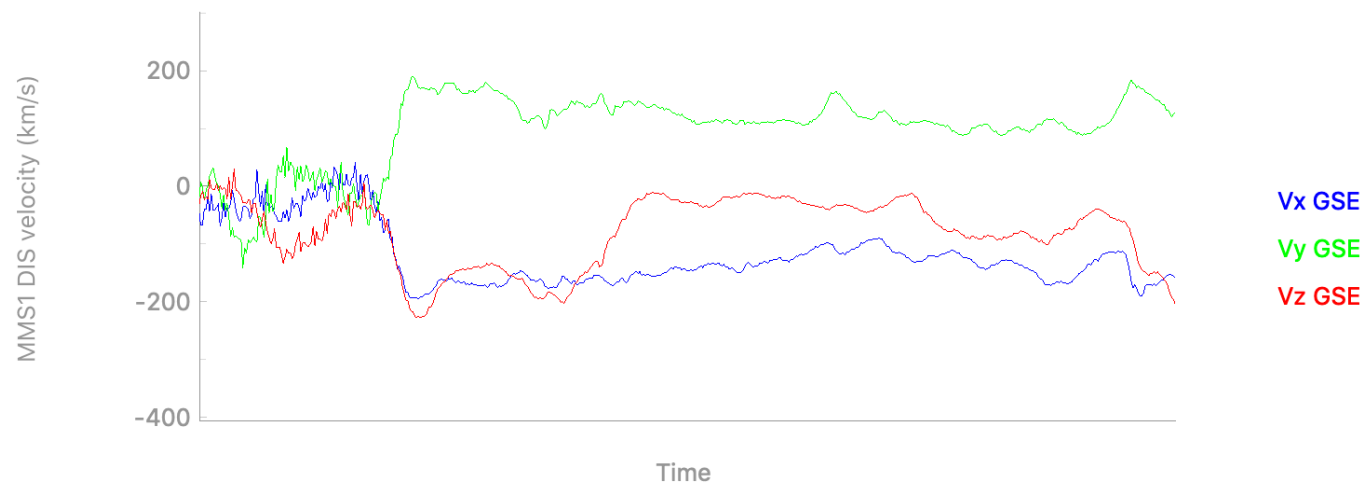


pySPEDAS: Space Physics Environment Data Analysis Software in Python

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MMS plug-in for IDL SPEDAS

- 12 load routines
- ~40k lines of code
- >500 unit/regression tests
- 74 crib sheets
- Very powerful, but limited to those of us with IDL licenses

Why pySPEDAS?

- Python is free, easy to learn, and is supported by a very large community
- Python has a robust library ecosystem
- Python allows multiple namespaces
- Increasingly being taught as an “Intro to Programming” course

Allows for the MMS data to be used in new ways!

Other ways to access MMS data in Python

- Matthew Argall's pymms; provides access to team-only data as well as L2
- ai.cdasc (unofficial CDAWeb library)
- David Stansby's heliopy
- Bob Weigel's HAPI client (via CDAWeb)
- manually via pyCDF, pysatCDF, cdfplib, etc
- import via the IDL-Python bridge

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Again, why pySPEDAS?

- The goal is to provide the same **science quality data products** found in the IDL MMS plug-in, e.g.,
 - De-flagged FGM data by default (i.e., data flagged by the team are NaN'd)
 - Omni-directional FEEPS/EIS/HPCA data products
 - For FEEPS, this includes sun-light contamination removal, flat-field corrections, bad eye and energy channel removal, etc
 - FEEPS/EIS pitch angle distributions
 - FPI lossy compression, error bars
 - etc.
- and make these easy to access (i.e., using the same reasonable defaults we use in the IDL plug-in, and a similar interface to load the data)
- and provide the same high level of quality assurance (automated tests, including tests that verify the data products match those loaded in IDL SPEDAS)
- and provide crib sheets, tutorials, webinars to spread the knowledge

Note: we're using a permissive license (MIT), so these features can be modified and included in the projects on the previous slide

Getting Started

<https://github.com/spedas/pyspedas>

Python 3.5+ is required.

I suggest downloading the ZIP rather than using PyPI for the time being

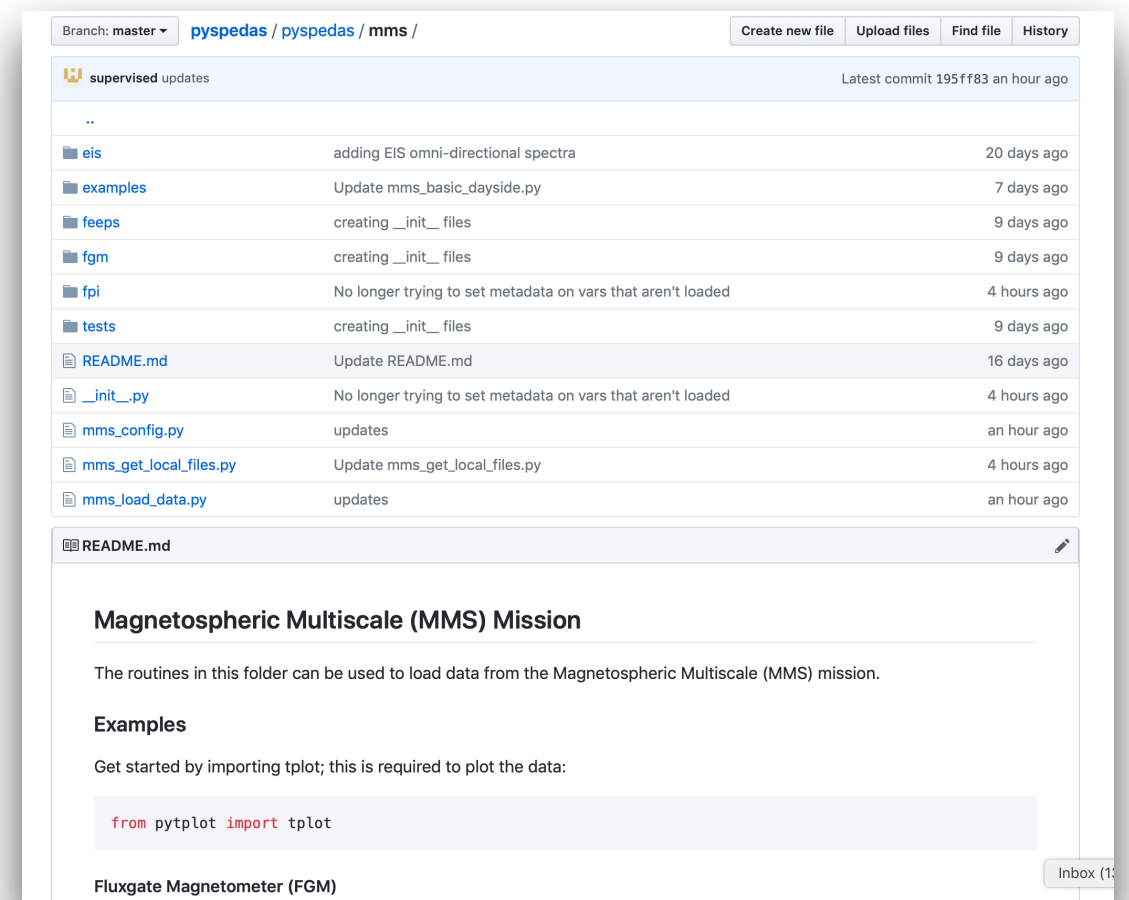
Config settings (e.g., `local_data_dir`) are set in the hash table stored in `mms_config.py`

Supported MMS load routines for L2:

FGM, SCM, EDP, DSP, EDI, FPI
HPCA, FEEPS, EIS, ASPOC, MEC

Supported keywords:

probe, trange, data_rate
datatype, suffix, get_support_data



Currently only supports L2 data

Getting Started

Required Python Packages

pytplot
cdflib
pydivide
pyqtgraph
numpy
requests
dateutil

**“pip install -r requirements.txt”
in the pyspedas folder should install everything needed.**

Loading MMS Data

Text editor/IDE



```
from pyspedas.mms import mms_load_fgm, mms_load_eis
mms_load_fgm(trange=['2015-10-16', '2015-10-17'])
# the load routines accept all of the standard keywords
mms_load_eis(probe='4', data_rate='brst', datatype=['extof', 'phxtof'], trange=['2015-10-16/13:05', '2015-10-16/13:10'])
```

Python 3 interpreter



```
>>> from pyspedas.mms import mms_load_fgm, mms_load_eis
>>>
>>> mms_load_fgm(trange=['2015-10-16', '2015-10-17'])
20-Feb-19 15:53:44: Loading pydata/mms/mms1/fgm/srvy/l2/2015/10/mms1_fgm_srvy_l2_20151016_v4.18.0.cdf
Cannot find x axis.
No attribute named DEPEND_TIME or DEPEND_0 in variable Epoch
Cannot find x axis.
No attribute named DEPEND_TIME or DEPEND_0 in variable Epoch_state
The lengths of x and y do not match!
20-Feb-19 15:57:40: Loaded variables:
mms1_fgm_b_gse_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_b_gsm_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_b_dmpa_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_b_bcs_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_flag_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_r_gse_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_r_gsm_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_hirange_srvy_l2
mms1_fgm_bdeltahalf_srvy_l2
```

Note: load routine defaults are the same as in the IDL plug-in

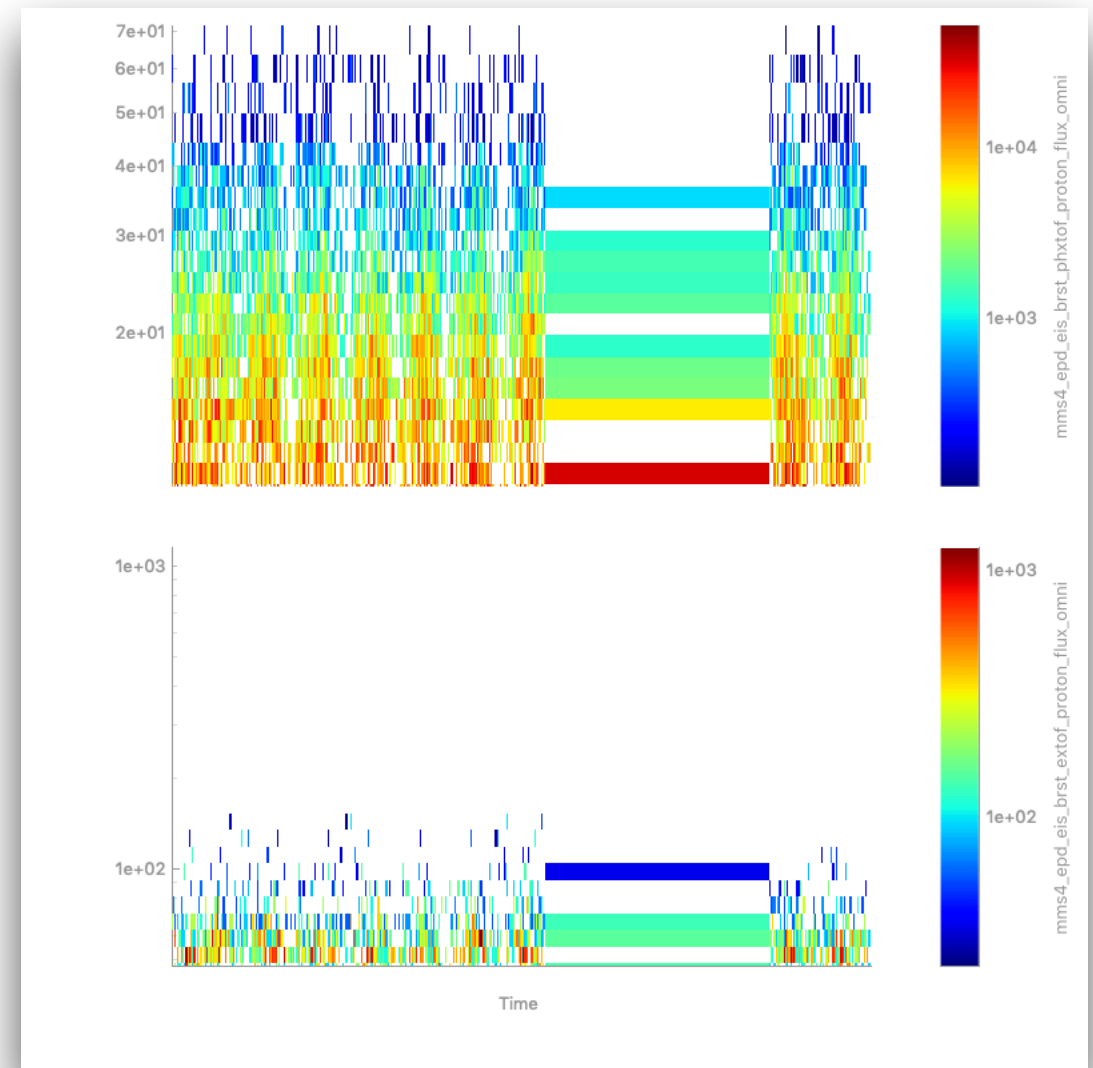
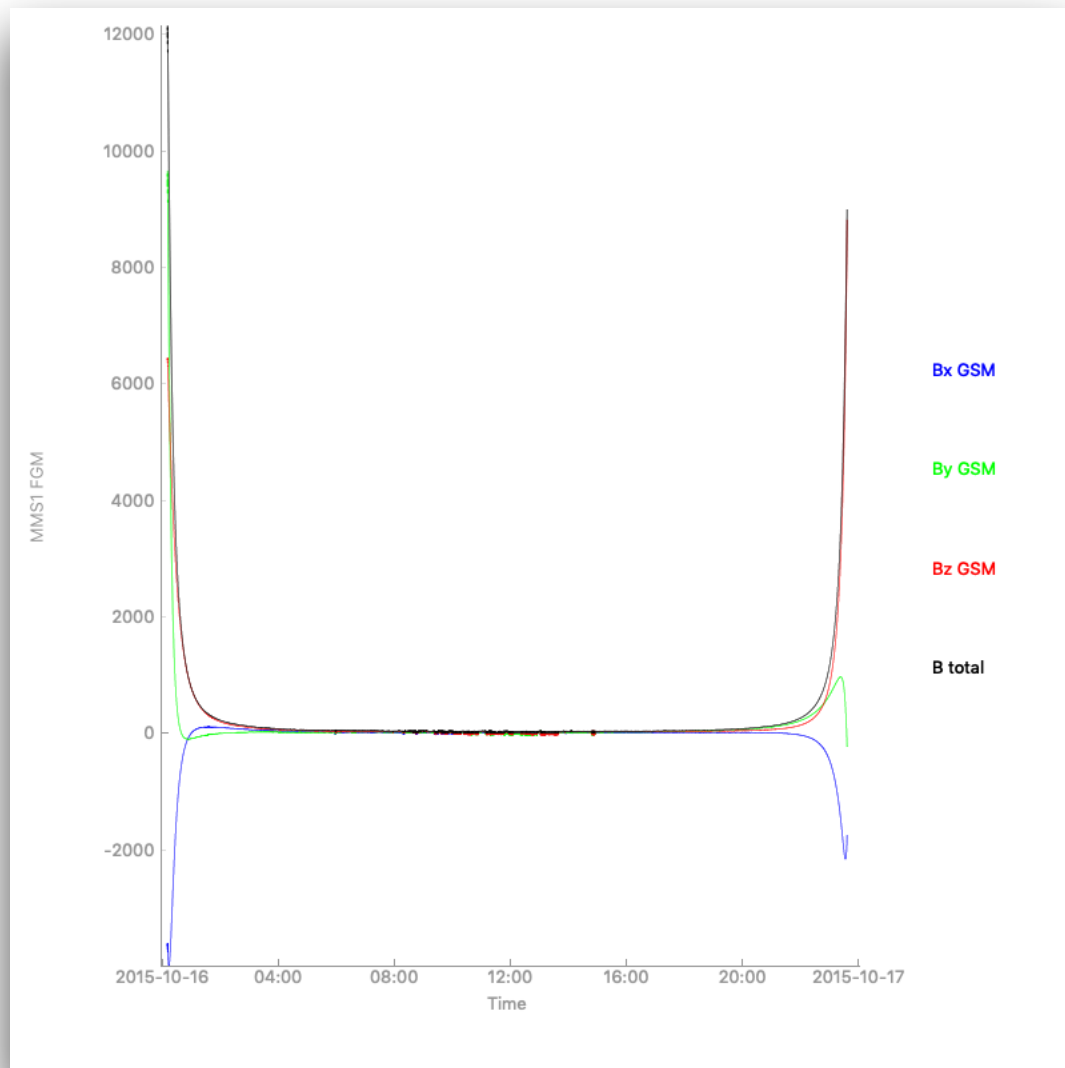
Listing Loaded MMS Data

```
from pytpot import tplot_names  
tplot_names()
```

```
>>> from pytpot import tplot_names  
>>>  
>>> tplot_names()  
0 : mms1_fgm_b_gse_srvy_l2  
1 : mms1_fgm_b_gsm_srvy_l2  
2 : mms1_fgm_b_dmpa_srvy_l2  
3 : mms1_fgm_b_bcs_srvy_l2  
4 : mms1_fgm_flag_srvy_l2  
5 : mms1_fgm_r_gse_srvy_l2  
6 : mms1_fgm_r_gsm_srvy_l2  
7 : mms1_fgm_hirange_srvy_l2  
8 : mms1_fgm_bdeltahalf_srvy_l2  
9 : mms1_fgm_stemp_srvy_l2  
10 : mms1_fgm_etemp_srvy_l2  
11 : mms1_fgm_mode_srvy_l2  
12 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t0  
13 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t1  
14 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t2  
15 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t3  
16 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t4  
17 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_counts_t5  
18 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t0  
19 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t1  
20 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t2  
21 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t3  
22 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t4  
23 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_cps_t5  
24 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t0  
25 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t1  
26 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t2  
27 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t3  
28 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t4  
29 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_P3_flux_t5  
30 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_alpha_P3_counts_t0  
31 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_alpha_P3_counts_t1  
32 : mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_alpha_P3_counts_t2
```

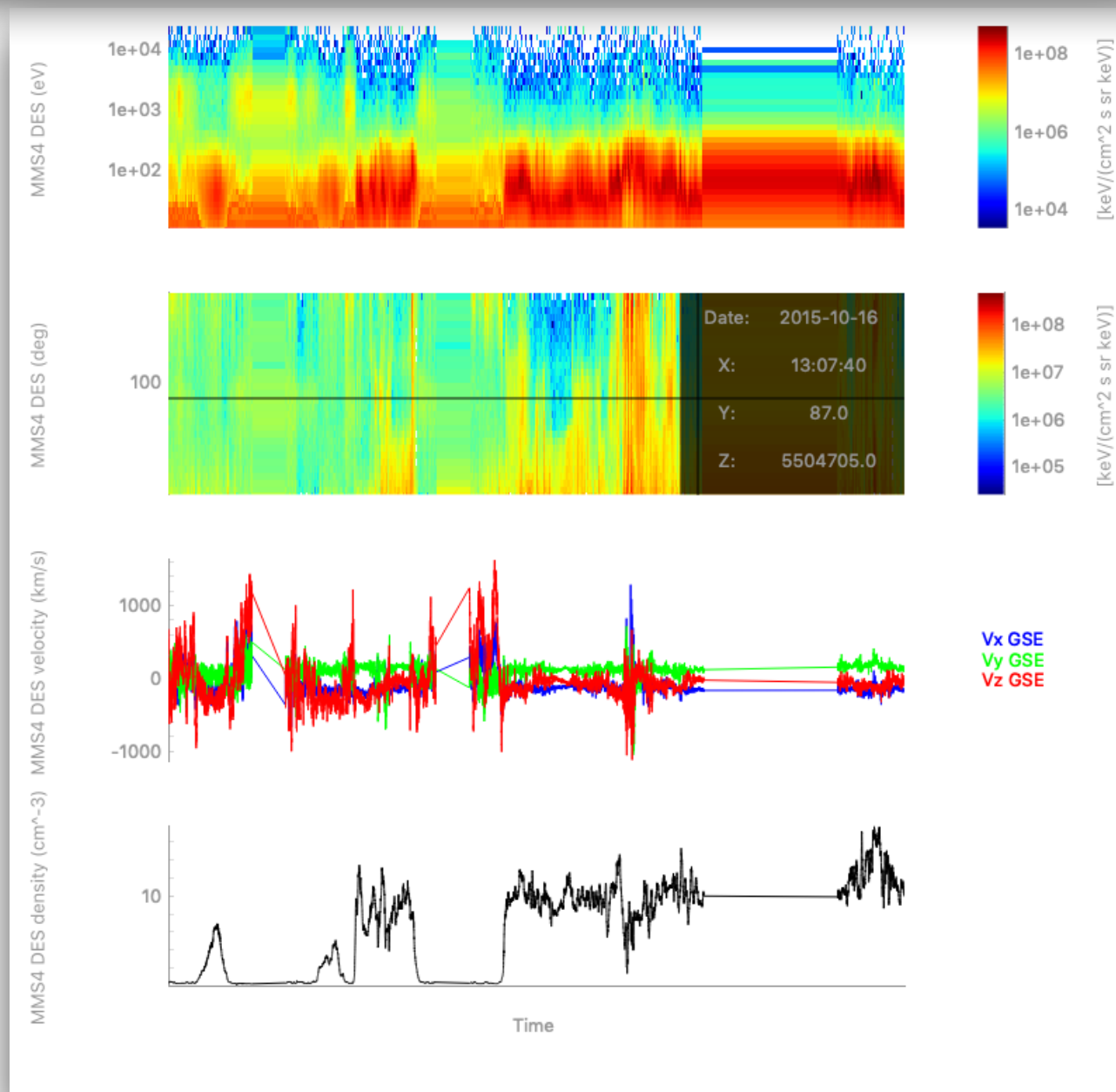
Plotting MMS Data

```
from pyplot import tplot
tplot('mms1_fgm_b_gsm_srvy_l2')
tplot(['mms4_epd_eis_brst_phxtof_proton_flux_omni', 'mms4_epd_eis_brst_extof_proton_flux_omni'])
```



Plotting MMS Data

```
from pyspedas.mms import mms_load_fpi
mms_load_fpi(probe='4', data_rate='brst', datatype='des-moms', trange=['2015-10-16/13:00', '2015-10-16/13:10'])
tplot(['mms4_des_energyspectr_omni_brst', 'mms4_des_pitchangdist_miden_brst', 'mms4_des_bulkv_gse_brst', 'mms4_des_numberdensity_brst'])
```



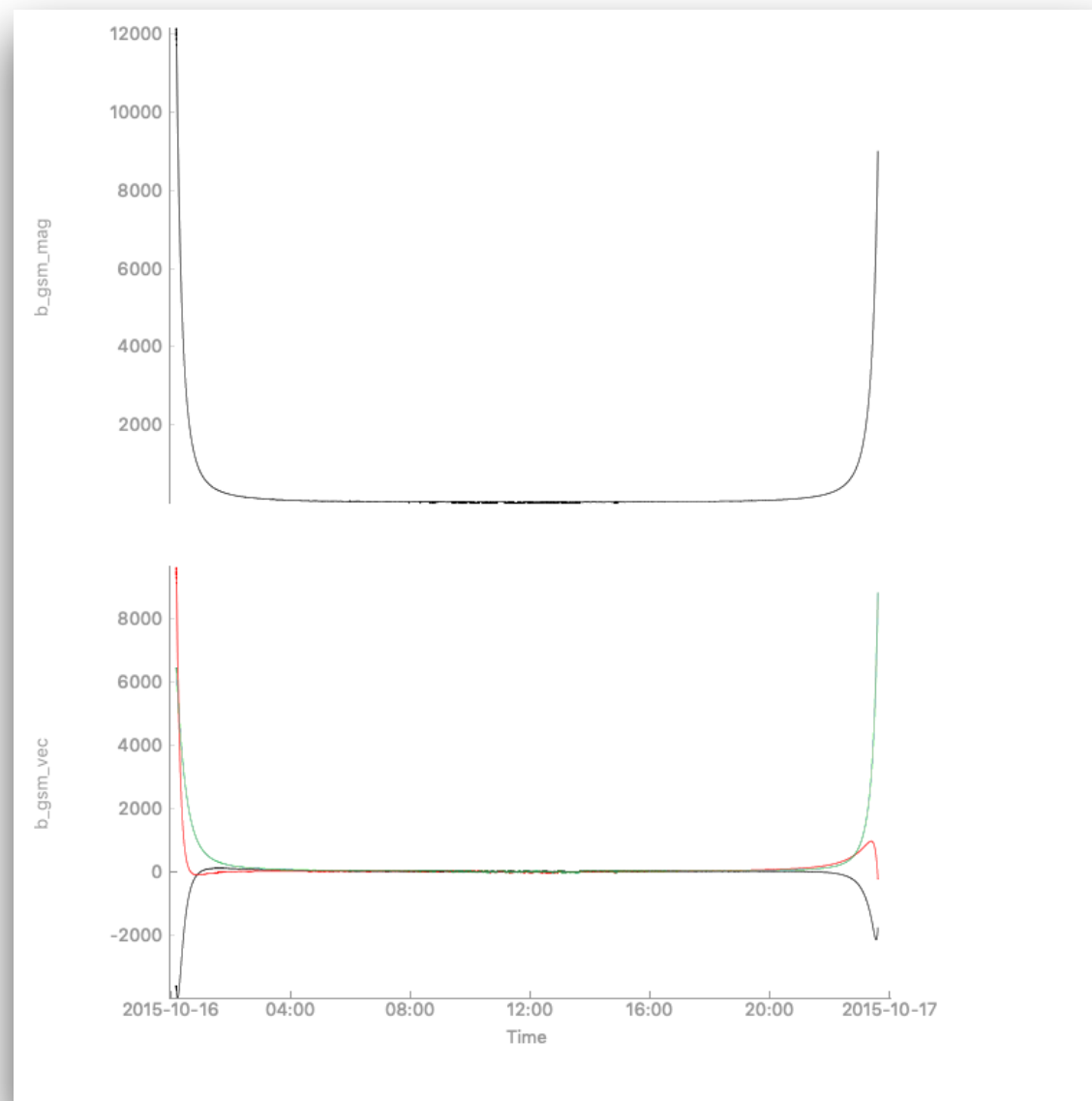
Get to the Data

```
from pytpot import get_data, store_data  
  
# extract the data from a tplot variable  
times, data = get_data('mms1_fgm_b_gsm_srvy_l2')
```

```
>>> from pytpot import get_data, store_data  
>>>  
>>> times, data = get_data('mms1_fgm_b_gsm_srvy_l2')  
>>>  
>>> data[10000]  
array([-3246.3035,  3114.4595,  4377.299 ,  6276.869 ], dtype=float32)  
>>>  
>>> times[10000]  
1444954863.34657
```

Create tplot Variables

```
store_data('b_gsm_vec', data={'x': times, 'y': data[:,0:3]}) # B-field vector  
store_data('b_gsm_mag', data={'x': times, 'y': data[:,3]}) # B-field magnitude  
tplot(['b_gsm_mag', 'b_gsm_vec'])
```

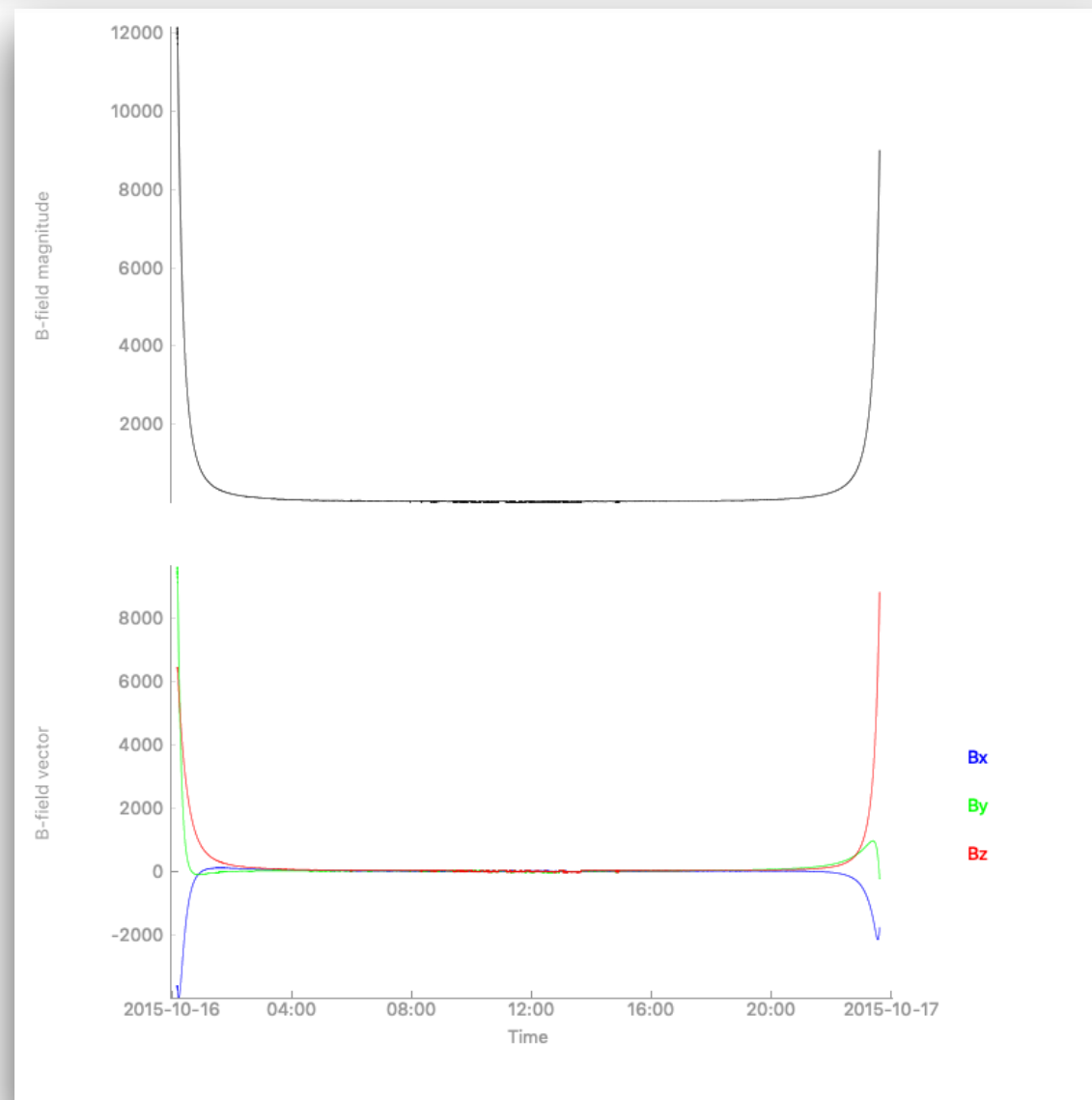


Modify Variable Metadata

```
from pytpplot import options

options('b_gsm_mag', 'ytitle', 'B-field magnitude')
options('b_gsm_vec', 'ytitle', 'B-field vector')
options('b_gsm_vec', 'color', ['b', 'g', 'r'])
options('b_gsm_vec', 'legend_names', ['Bx', 'By', 'Bz'])

tplot(['b_gsm_mag', 'b_gsm_vec'])
```



Time Conversions

```
from pyspedas.utilities.time_string import time_string
print(time_string(1444954863.34657))

from pyspedas.utilities.time_double import time_double
print(time_double('2015-10-16 00:21:03.346570'))
```

```
>>> from pyspedas.utilities.time_string import time_string
>>>
>>> print(time_string(1444954863.34657))
2015-10-16 00:21:03.346570
>>>
>>> from pyspedas.utilities.time_double import time_double
>>>
>>> print(time_double('2015-10-16 00:21:03.346570'))
1444954863.34657
```

Saving the Data

```
from pyspedas.utilities.tplot2ascii import tplot2ascii  
tplot2ascii(['b_gsm_mag', 'b_gsm_vec'])
```

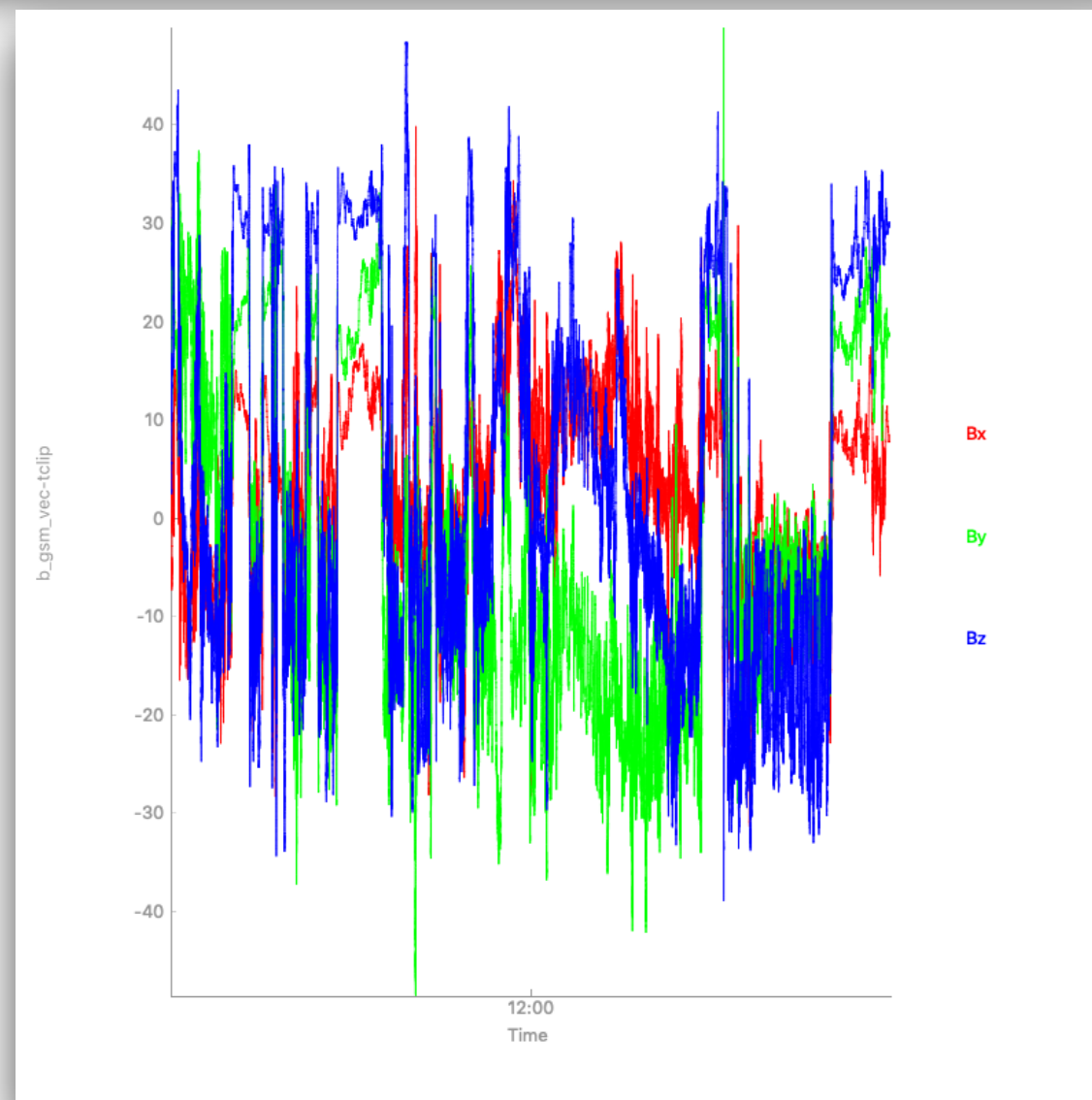
```
>>> from pyspedas.utilities.tplot2ascii import tplot2ascii  
>>>  
>>> tplot2ascii(['b_gsm_mag', 'b_gsm_vec'])  
>>>
```

```
b_gsm_vec.txt x  
1 1444953613.330852,8580.49,7339.21,6250.034  
2 1444953613.455853,8861.722,7441.703,6211.8975  
3 1444953613.580855,9138.241,7578.622,6165.077  
4 1444953613.705856,9406.668,7749.714,6109.84  
5 1444953613.830858,9665.108,7954.0244,6046.553  
6 1444953613.955859,9903.166,8192.649,5975.494  
7 1444953614.080861,10139.0,8459.444,5897.341  
8 1444953614.205863,10274.0205,8770.482,5813.036  
9 1444953614.330864,10026.204,9148.692,5731.218  
10 1444953614.455866,9709.858,9523.264,5654.0244  
11 1444953614.580867,9388.68,9884.538,5580.668  
12 1444953614.705869,9048.596,10233.249,5511.6763  
13 1444953614.830871,8695.527,10569.052,5446.823  
14 1444953614.955872,8329.004,10889.934,5386.6587  
15 1444953615.080874,7949.6226,11195.827,5331.161  
16 1444953615.205875,7559.18,11480.314,5281.9287  
17 1444953615.330877,7232.053,11415.872,5321.9487  
18 1444953615.455878,6963.2007,11188.5,5401.8604  
19 1444953615.58088,6720.637,10968.896,5478.021  
20 1444953615.705882,6514.079,10726.67,5557.9785  
21 1444953615.830883,6341.362,10475.321,5638.278  
22 1444953615.955885,6203.628,10216.211,5718.509  
23 1444953616.080886,6101.144,9952.583,5797.8105  
24 1444953616.205888,6033.7954,9687.856,5875.298  
25 1444953616.330889,6001.3047,9425.165,5950.172  
26 1444953616.455891,6003.0757,9167.679,6021.643  
27 1444953616.580893,6038.1587,8918.608,6088.9336  
28 1444953616.705894,6105.329,8681.051,6151.3105  
29 1444953616.830896,6203.0513,8458.026,6208.08  
30 1444953616.955897,6329.996,8251.896,6258.7114  
31 1444953617.080899,6484.0366,8065.5503,6302.5796  
32 1444953617.2059,6662.724,7801.7124,6330.12
```

```
b_gsm_mag.txt x  
1 1444953613.330852,12905.493  
2 1444953613.455853,13133.802  
3 1444953613.580855,13377.262  
4 1444953613.705856,13633.547  
5 1444953613.830858,13901.138  
6 1444953613.955859,14173.875  
7 1444953614.080861,14461.679  
8 1444953614.205863,14706.062  
9 1444953614.330864,14733.303  
10 1444953614.455866,14728.948  
11 1444953614.580867,14730.758  
12 1444953614.705869,14730.072  
13 1444953614.830871,14730.409  
14 1444953614.955872,14730.208  
15 1444953615.080874,14729.709  
16 1444953615.205875,14725.405  
17 1444953615.330877,14524.045  
18 1444953615.455878,14242.5  
19 1444953615.58088,13981.857  
20 1444953615.705882,13725.37  
21 1444953615.830883,13480.928  
22 1444953615.955885,13249.805  
23 1444953616.080886,13034.281  
24 1444953616.205888,12836.68  
25 1444953616.330889,12659.145  
26 1444953616.455891,12503.736  
27 1444953616.580893,12372.391  
28 1444953616.705894,12266.796  
29 1444953616.830896,12188.368  
30 1444953616.955897,12138.126  
31 1444953617.080899,12116.861  
32 1444953617.2059,12124.912
```

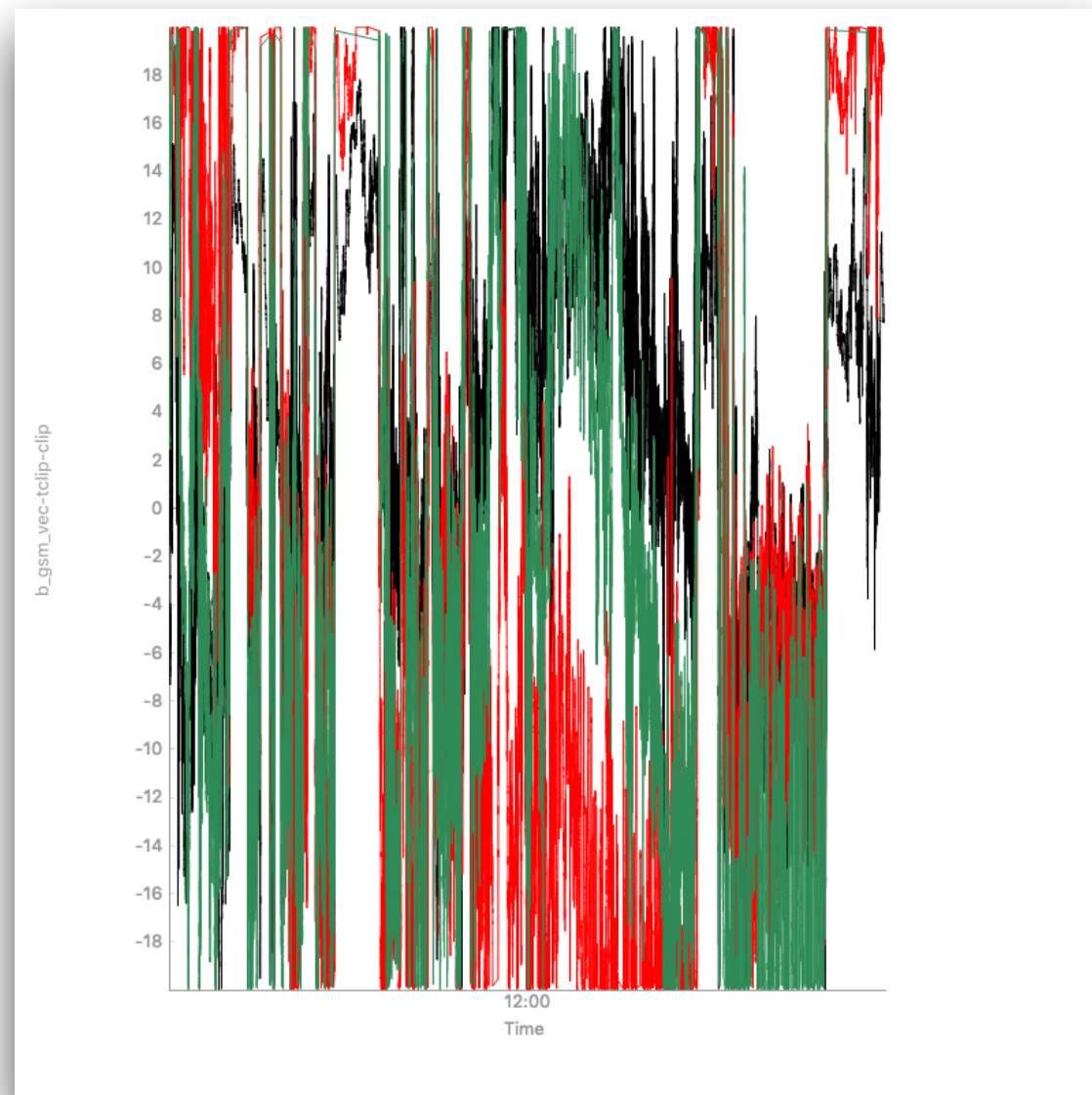

Time-clip the Data

```
from pyspedas.analysis.time_clip import time_clip  
  
time_clip('b_gsm_vec', '2015-10-16/10:00', '2015-10-16/14:00')  
  
options('b_gsm_vec-tclip', 'color', ['r', 'g', 'b'])  
options('b_gsm_vec-tclip', 'legend_names', ['Bx', 'By', 'Bz'])  
tplot('b_gsm_vec-tclip')
```



Clip the Y-axis Data

```
from pyspedas.analysis.tclip import tclip
tclip('b_gsm_vec-tclip', -20, 20)
tplot('b_gsm_vec-tclip-clip')
```



Current Status: MMS Data Products

	IDL	Python
All L2 data from CDFs	Green	Green
EIS omni-directional spectra	Green	Green
Deflagged FGM data	Green	Green
Corrected FEEPS omni-directional spectra	Green	Red
Omni-directional HPCA spectra	Green	Red
Spin-averaged EIS, FEEPS spectra	Green	Red
EIS, FEEPS pitch angle distributions	Green	Red
Combined EIS PHxTOF and ExTOF proton PADs	Green	Red
EIS PADs with multiple probes	Green	Red
QL/L1 data from CDFs	Green	Red

Thank You!

Contributions welcomed/encouraged!

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