

*scheme\_option* — Option for specifying scheme

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## Description

Option `scheme()` specifies the graphics scheme to be used. The scheme specifies the overall look of the graph.

## Quick start

Render the graph using monochromatic scheme `s1mono`

```
graph_command ... , ... scheme(s1mono)
```

Render the graph in the manner of the *Economist* magazine

```
graph_command ... , ... scheme(economist)
```

Render the graph using the preferred look for the *Stata Journal*

```
graph_command ... , ... scheme(sj)
```

Render the graph using a color scheme with higher contrast than the default color scheme

```
graph_command ... , ... scheme(s1color)
```

Render the graph with a color scheme using a black background

```
graph_command ... , ... scheme(s1rcolor)
```

## Syntax

*scheme\_option*

Description

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`scheme(schemename)`

specify scheme to be used

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`scheme()` is *unique*; see [G-4] [concept: repeated options](#).

## Option

`scheme(schemename)` specifies the scheme to be used. If `scheme()` is not specified the default scheme is used; see [G-4] [schemes intro](#).

## Remarks and examples

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See [G-4] [schemes intro](#).

## Also see

[G-2] [set scheme](#) — Set default scheme

[G-4] [schemes intro](#) — Introduction to schemes