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# skip

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## Synopsis

Skips the designated number of lines from subsequent input files.

## Syntax

```
chips> SKIP <skip_value>
```

## Description

All files plotted after this command is issued will have the specified number of lines skipped.

## Example

```
chips> SKIP 10  
chips> CURVE data/exampleB.dat
```

The command SKIP 10 causes the first ten lines of the data file data/exampleB.dat to be skipped when it is read in and plotted.

## Bugs

See the [bugs page for ChIPS](#) on the CIAO website for an up-to-date listing of known bugs.

## See Also

*chips*[colorsys](#), [pagesize](#), [print](#), [restore](#), [store](#)

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