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Chapter 1

VPL interface specification

```
Version 0.00

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```

1.1   Overview

Currentl version of VPL defines a way to plot a two-dimentional array.

1.2   Class definition

1.2.1   Name

```
VirtualPlotter
```

1.2.2   Methods

```
VirtualPlotter#New(device)
```

Create a VirtualPlotter object. The device argument is a text string which specifies the device (and maybe device-dependent arguments such as PS filename as well).

```
VirtualPlotter#data(ar)
```

`ar` is two dimentional array of floating-point numbers. Returns self.

```
VirtualPlotter#plot
```

Plot the data specified by VirtualPlotter#data. In the current specification, aspect ratio of the plot area is 1:1. Coordinates are scaled automatically. Returns self.

1.3   Sample use

```
#!/usr/bin/env ruby
require "vpl"
a = open("sample.dat"){|x| x.gets(nil)}.collect{|x| x.split}
VirtualPlotter.new.data(a).plot
```

Sample data `sample.dat` would look like

```
0 0
1 2
2 4
3 9
4 16
5 25
```

1.4   Todo

More methods.

nil nil nil nil nil nil nil nil nil

Chapter 2

Literature References

[to be provided]