

## Notebook (Accessing Contents)

The specialUpdate keyword can update pictures of graphs, tables, and page layouts that were created from windows in the current experiment.

### See Also

Chapter III-1, **Notebooks**. The **NewNotebook**, **NotebookAction**, and **OpenNotebook** operations; the **SpecialCharacterInfo** and **SpecialCharacterList** functions.

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`getData=mode` Causes Igor to return the contents of the notebook in the S\_value variable. The contents are binary data in a private Igor format encoded as text. The only use for this keyword is to transfer data from one notebook to another by calling `getData` followed by `setData`.

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`mode=1:` Stores in S\_value plain text or formatted text data, depending on the type of the notebook, from the entire notebook.

`mode=2:` Stores in S\_value plain text data, regardless of the type of the notebook, from the entire notebook.

`mode=3:` Stores in S\_value plain text or formatted text data, depending on the type of the notebook, from the notebook selection only.

`mode=4:` Stores in S\_value plain text data, regardless of the type of the notebook, from the notebook selection only.

See the Notebook In Panel example experiment for examples using `getData` and `setData`.