
Subject: Re: reading dem

Posted by [davidf](#) on Wed, 30 Aug 2000 07:00:00 GMT

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Craig Markwardt (craigmnet@cow.physics.wisc.edu) writes:

> The documentation is here:
> <http://rockyweb.cr.usgs.gov/nmpstds/demstds.html>

First of all, I appreciate this gentle advice and pointer. This is something I've wondered about to.
Thanks, Craig.

Second, I realize this isn't the place to be asking dumb-ass questions, but you folks are s-o-o-o smart. :-)

Does anyone know why, when I click on an Adobe Acrobat File (like the one at the link above), that the Adobe Acrobat Reader 4.0 starts up in my Windows Internet Explorer 5.0 browser and *always* shows me a blank page. :-(

I've reinstalled Explorer. I've reinstalled the Reader. I've kicked the dog, cursed my lot in life, etc. But all to no avail. If I download the Acrobat file, then open the Reader, then open the downloaded file all is well. It's a mystery.

Thanks,

David

P.S. I *tried* to install Linux and the Corel Linux CD-ROM froze half-way through the installation with one OS in shreds and the other partly installed. Now all I have is a new paperweight. The installer reports a "problem". Ho-boy. :-(

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