
Subject: Re: Spherical Contour Plotting
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Sorry, my newsreader wrapped my last posting.

Ken

PRO SPHERICAL_PLOT

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cr = "

nx = 65

;Grid resolution in longitude

ny = 33

;Grid resolution in latitude

x = (360.0/(nx-1))*FINDGEN(nx)

;Longitude grid

y = -90 + (180.0/(ny-1))*FINDGEN(ny)

;Latitude grid

xx = x # REPLICATE(1.0, ny)

;2-D longitude grid

yy = REPLICATE(1.0, nx) # y

;2-D latitude grid

z = SIN(!DTOR*xx) * COS(!DTOR*yy)

;Test function to contour

;Standard contour plot on satellite map projection

MAP_SET, /SATELLITE, /CONT, /ISOTROPIC

CONTOUR, z, x, y, LEVELS = -0.95 + 0.1*FINDGEN(20), /OVERPLOT

;Contour z

PRINT, 'Enter <cr> to continue.'

READ, cr

;Get contour info

CONTOUR, z, x, y, PATH_INFO = path_info, PATH_XY = path_xy, \$

;Contour z, save

contour info

/PATH_DATA_COORDS, CLOSED = 0, LEVELS = -0.95 + 0.1*FINDGEN(20)

;2-D plot using contour info

PLOT, [0, 0], [1, 1], /NODATA, \$

XTITLE = 'Longitude', \$

XSTYLE = 1, \$

XRANGE = [0.0, 360.0], \$

XTICKS = 4, \$

YTITLE = 'Latitude', \$

YSTYLE = 1, \$

YRANGE = [-90., 90.0], \$

YTICKS = 6

FOR k = 0, N_ELEMENTS(path_info)-1 DO BEGIN

i0 = path_info[k].offset

;First element of the k'th contour

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i1 = i0 + path_info[k].n - 1 ;Last element of the k'th contour
; PRINT, k, path_info[k].type, i0, i1
xc = REFORM(path_xy[0,i0:i1]) ;Extract x-coords of k'th contour
yc = REFORM(path_xy[1,i0:i1]) ;Extract y-coords of k'th contour
IF (path_info[k].type EQ 1) THEN BEGIN ;Close contours, if needed
  xc = [xc, path_xy[0,i0]]
  yc = [yc, path_xy[1,i0]]
ENDIF

PLOTS, xc, yc ;Plot contours
ENDFOR
PRINT, 'Enter <cr> to continue.'
READ, cr

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;3-D plot using contour info
PLOT_3DBOX, [0,0], [0,0], [0,0], /NODATA, $
XTITLE = 'X', $
XSTYLE = 1, $
XRANGE = [-1.0, 1.0], $
XTICKS = 4, $
YTITLE = 'Y', $
YSTYLE = 1, $
YRANGE = [-1., 1.0], $
YTICKS = 4, $
ZTITLE = 'Z', $
ZSTYLE = 1, $
ZRANGE = [-1.0, 1.0], $
ZTICKS = 4

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r = 0.9
FOR k = 0, N_ELEMENTS(path_info)-1 DO BEGIN
  i0 = path_info[k].offset ;First element of the k'th contour
  i1 = i0 + path_info[k].n - 1 ;Last element of the k'th contour
; PRINT, k, path_info[k].type, i0, i1
  xc = REFORM(path_xy[0,i0:i1]) ;Extract x-coords of k'th contour
  yc = REFORM(path_xy[1,i0:i1]) ;Extract y-coords of k'th contour
  IF (path_info[k].type EQ 1) THEN BEGIN ;Close contours, if needed
    xc = [xc, path_xy[0,i0]]
    yc = [yc, path_xy[1,i0]]
  ENDIF

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x3 = r * COS(!DTOR*yc) * COS(!DTOR*xc)
y3 = r * COS(!DTOR*yc) * SIN(!DTOR*xc)
z3 = r * SIN(!DTOR*yc)
PLOTS, x3, y3, z3, /T3D
ENDFOR

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END
