
Subject: Re: Land Mask data set available? (in lat and lon)
Posted by [Robert Stockwell](#) on Mon, 11 Feb 2002 13:08:10 GMT
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Mark Hadfield wrote:

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> "Robert Stockwell" <rgs1967@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:3C63E83E.8000700@hotmail.com...
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>> Mark Hadfield wrote:
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>>> I don't have a land-mask data set, but I do have a routine that
>>> calculates a land mask (in fact a land fraction) for a specified
>>> grid using vector shoreline data from the GSHHS data set:
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>>> http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/shorelines/gshhs.html
>>>
>>
>> Thanks for the info Mark. I took a look at the webpage, and it looks
>> promising. Is your routine entirely in IDL, partly in IDL, or C.
>> (do you use the C code to read the data that they provide?)
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>
> It appears that there are other datasets more suitable for your
> purposes, but for the record my GSHHS routines are written entirely in
> IDL.
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Cool! Are these files available on your webpage? What are their names?
Thanks a lot.

Cheers,
bob

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