
Subject: Re: Variable sized bins in histogram, or find a bounding lat/lon box

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On Apr 11, 5:49 pm, "Matt" <sav...@nsidc.org> wrote:

> On Apr 11, 10:13 am, Paolo Grigis <pgri...@astro.phys.ethz.ch> wrote:

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>> Because the grid is orthogonal and sorted, you could try

>

>> res1=value_locate(lats,target_lats)

>> res2=value_locate(lons,target_lons)

>

>> IDL> print,res1,res2

>> 0 3 2

>> 4 2 4

>

>> Is that what you need?

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> Wow, it's easy to find that solution now that I know the keyword

> "value_locate". That was incredibly helpful and exactly what I

> needed. I

> just grepped my entire library of idl programs and I've never once

> used that

> routine. Now that I've got a hammer, maybe everything will look like

> a nail?

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> Thanks so much.

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> Matt

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Be aware that lats, lons must be monotonically increasing/decreasing
vectors in this case!
