Subject: tri\_surf: convergence Posted by M.W.Gardner on Fri, 12 Jan 1996 08:00:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Can anyone explain the following and/or suggest a way around the problem?

I am trying to interpolate four data points (each at the corner of a rectangle) over the rectangle at a finer resolution.

My grid is as follows:
1010.95 1009.80
1016.40 1015.25
and is stored in the floating point 2x2 array 'grid'

My code then interpolates this using the TRI\_SURF function as follows:

fgrid=tri\_surf(grid,nx=11,ny=6)

The result of this is an error message:

% TRIGRID: Partial derivative approximation failed to converge.

% Error occurred at: TRI\_SURF 192 /dave3/rsi/idl\_4/lib/tri\_surf.pro

Please can anyone explain what is going on. The interpolation appears to work fine for most other values.

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