On Jan 25, 10:06 am, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
> Folks,
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> There are two different Mercator map projections in IDL. One
> produces correct results and the other, uh, doesn't. I strongly
> recommend against choosing the latter. I have a call into
> ITTVIS to try to understand this better, but in the meantime
> I have prepared an article that will help you choose wisely:
>
>   http://www.dfanning.com/map_tips/badmercator.html
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.dfanning.com/
> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

I would prefer the boat example :-)
Robinson