
Subject: Re: interpolation/gridding
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On Mar 20, 12:20 pm, kishore1...@gmail.com wrote:

> On Mar 20, 5:45 am, wfz...@bjmb.gov.cn wrote:

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>>> Hi,

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>>> I need some help about the IDL interpolation or gridding function.

>>> I have two data sets, both data sets are longitude x latitude wise in

>>> this one is regular and another is irregular wise. I will give example

>>> then you will get clear idea about my problem.

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>>> Data1: irregular data1 set

>>> longitude1=[10.5,21.4,0.51,170.45,.....]= 600 points

>>> latitude1=[12.5,0.2,12.2,-10.2,-5.5,.....]= 600 points

>>> date1 =[21.32.12.45.13.45.2.34.1.23.] = 600 points

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>>> Data2: regular grid model data sets (97 x 48)

>>> longitude2=[0.0,3.75,7.5,11.25.....] = 97

>>> latitude2= [-87.15,-83.47,-79.77...] = 48

>>> data2= [97 x 48]

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>>> I want to interpolate/grid the model(Data2) values to the nearest

>>> longitude1 x latitude1 (data1) sets.

>>> How to interpolate the model (data2) values to the data1 values.

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>>> I am awaiting for your reply,

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>>> Thanking you,

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>>> Kishore

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>> Hi,

>> I have some experience in griddata and interpolation.

>> I think you can griddata on data2 to make it become a new grid at

>> 600*600 points, and to have a look at the new grid data, which will be

>> a array of 600 *600, its value is near data1 or not.

>> just my person idea.

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> Hi,

> Thanks for your idea, if a made a grid points 600 x 600 then how to

> get the nearest point to data1, because data1 is irregular grid.

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> Kishore

Hi,

you should be able to grid to an irregular grid by calling GRIDDATA
with the /GRID, XOUT & YOUT keywords:

e.g.

```
grid = griddata(longitude2, latitude2, data2, /sphere, /degree, $  
  missing = !values.f_nan, $  
  /grid, xout = longitude1, yout = latitude1)
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Hope this helps,
Chris
