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Subject: Re: GridData Conundrum

Posted by [ben.bighair](#) on Thu, 22 Apr 2010 12:35:22 GMT

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On Apr 21, 3:23 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> David Fanning writes:

>> Just one more surprise to report. If I use the GridData

>> Natural Neighbor method (instead of the Nearest Neighbor

>> method), the result is indistinguishable from the Contour

>> method!

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>> I've updated my web page to report the new results:

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>> [http://www.dfanning.com/code\\_tips/usegriddata.html](http://www.dfanning.com/code_tips/usegriddata.html)

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> Having GridData working is like living in the land of

> milk and honey. But there is one disturbing fact that

> lurks like a snake in the garden. I get different

> results from GridData depending upon what machine

> I run the identical code on. :-(

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> In particular, the Modified Shepard's algorithm blows

> up (no other way to describe it) on my Windows 64-bit

> machine, while it seems to work reasonably well on

> my 32-bit LINUX machine.

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> Can anyone think of any reasonable explanation for this?

> I show some results at the end of this article:

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> [http://www.dfanning.com/code\\_tips/usegriddata.html](http://www.dfanning.com/code_tips/usegriddata.html)

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Hi David,

It doesn't look to me like you are running the coordinates through GRID\_INPUT before passing them to GRIDDATA. In the past I found that (generally) removed all subsequent potholes from the GRIDDATA process.

Cheers,

Ben

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