Subject: Re: ms2gt .gpd and .mpp file creation Posted by katb on Tue, 08 Jun 2010 23:51:51 GMT

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On Jun 8, 12:41 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

- > katb writes:
- >> Thanks for your input David I will try your suggestion, I know you
- >> are quite knowledgeable in this area so just quickly do you have any
- >> suggestions for determining the number of rows and number of columns
- >> required for the resulting grid? I have been following ms2gt tutorials
- >> and I find 'gtest' confusing.

- > The number of rows and columns you need depends entirely on
- > what you want the resolution of your grid to be. If you have
- > 25km data, there is no sense making the resolution of your
- > grid 500 meters. You could make it 10 or 20 km. Then it is
- > just a guestion of how much ground you want to cover.

- Suppose you had a grid of 20 km and you wanted to see an
- area of 5000 km by 4000 km. Then your grid would be 250 by 200.

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- I typically locate the center of my grid (as in the GPD
- > file I suggested previously), then just decide how much
- of the world I want to see in my grid at what resolution.

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Cheers, >

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> David

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- > David Fanning, Ph.D.
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- > Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.dfanning.com/
- > Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Thanks alot for your help David.

Unfortunately, I still can't get it to work, at least I know my .gpd files are probably ok - I have contacted the NSIDC for help. I'll post up if I have any success for others in the future.