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Subject: Re: HDF\_SD\_GETACCESS: No content in variable, error  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 21 Jul 2010 15:05:05 GMT  
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aa8533 writes:

> Hi - thanks for that David. However, I examined the index values and  
> they are the same (3) both for scenes where there is (and is not)  
> data. So the problem seems to remain.  
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> What I think I need to do is kind of what you suggested but to check  
> the sample for data (i.e. check that it is not -1) before I get to  
> hdf\_sd\_getdata,sds,sample - I just don't know how ...!  
>  
> Thank you again and if you have any more suggestions, I'd be most  
> grateful.

Well, I'm kind of interested in this topic myself,  
since I have a lot of code that reads scientific  
data sets, and I would like to make the code as  
robust as possible.

Is it possible to get ahold of a file that "works"  
and one that doesn't? I could run some tests.

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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