
Subject: Re: Problem running example mapping program from exelisvis website
Posted by chris_torrence@NOSPAM on Fri, 22 Feb 2013 15:54:02 GMT
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On Friday, February 22, 2013 6:13:48 AM UTC-7, David Fanning wrote:

> Tom Grydeland writes:

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>> I'm trying to run the demo code from
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>> <http://www.exelisvis.com/docs/ImageWithMapProjection.html>
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>> and I'm stumbling on the first call to MAP():
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>
>> IDL> m = map('Mercator', /buffer, semimajor_axis=6378137d, semiminor_axis=6378137d)
>
>> % Incorrect number of arguments.
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> I can't run that code either on my Windows machine, but I get though the
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> line above and crash on this one:
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>
> im = IMAGE(img, GRID_UNITS='meters', \$
>
> MAP_PROJECTION='Mercator', \$
>
> SEMIMAJOR_AXIS=6378137d, SEMIMINOR_AXIS=6378137d, \$
>
> DIMENSIONS=[800, 800], \$
>
> LIMIT=[lonlat0[1], lonlat0[0], lonlat1[1], lonlat1[0]], \$
>
> IMAGE_LOCATION=[x0, y0], \$
>
> IMAGE_DIMENSIONS=[deltax, deltay])

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> Where the lonlat variables are undefined.
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> Nevertheless, I did use this example as the basis for the OpenStreetMap
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> plot example in the Coyote Gallery. The code there works. :-)
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> <http://www.idlcoyote.com/gallery/>
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>
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> Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Hi Tom & David,

I think that the example is somewhat messed up. I'll have the docs team take a look. However, Tom, you should be able to run that MAP() line without any problems. Is it possible that you have another map function somewhere on your IDL path? Try the following:

```
m = map()  
print, routine_filepath('map',/IS_FUNCTION)
```

It should point to the map.pro in the lib/graphics directory.

Hope this helps.

Cheers,
Chris

