
Subject: Re: Keywords GS and LIMITS not allowed in TRIGRID

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Scott Applequist wrote:

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>
> I am trying to specify the grid spacing and limits in the
> TRIGRID function (1-909R). I am getting an error message
> that neither keyword is allowed in this function (quite
> contrary to the documentation it seems). The following
> are the relevant code and error message I receive. Thanks
> for any possible guidance.
>
> ;These arrays contain 74 longitude, latitudes, and geopotentials
> bigbox=[15.,-115.,60.,-60.]
> xlon = fltarr(nh)
> xlat = fltarr(nh)
> hght = fltarr(nh)
>
> ;Data assignment statements
> .
> .
> .
>
> triangulate, xlon, xlat, tr, b
> gridhght = trigrid(xlon, xlat, hght, tr, extrapolate=b $
> ,gs=[1.0,1.0] , limits=bigbox )
>
>
> -----Session Output-----
> IDL. Version 4.0.1 (vms alpha).
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> Installation number: 12608-30.
> Licensed for use by: FSU - GFDL
>
> IDL> .run test
> % Compiled module: $MAIN$.
> 571201/0000
> 68 good values
> % Keyword GS not allowed in call to: TRIGRID
> % Execution halted at: $MAIN$ 36
> FEDORA$DKB200:[SCOTT.PROGS.FIXDATA]TEST.PRO;11
>
> If I omit the gs=[1.0,1.0] part, the same error is returned
> with the word LIMITS in place of GS. If both are omitted,
> TRIGRID works, but not with the desired grid spacing or limits.
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Scott,

The problem with your call to `tridgrid` is that `'gs'` and `'limits'` are arguments, not keywords. Since they are arguments (positional parameters) they must come before the keyword `extrapolate`. Also, since they are not keywords, you should not have the `'gs='` or `'limits='`.

The following should work:

```
gridhght = tridgrid(xlon, xlat, hght, tr, [1.0,1.0], bigbox,$  
extrapolate=b)
```

Good Luck
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