
Subject: Re: Contour data with two different lon/lat grids onto the same map projection

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Fri, 04 Jun 2010 16:45:29 GMT

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On 6/3/10 8:22 PM, David Fanning wrote:

> In fact, in spite of Mike Galloy proclaiming here the
> other day that he often uses main programs, I rarely
> do. And for exactly this reason. They can get you
> in a world of strange hurt. You would probably find
> out in a minute or two why you can't run the program
> more than once if you made a procedure out of it.

I use main-level programs as a place to start or to place an example at the end of a file containing regular routines. Anything more complex than a few lines should be in a function/procedure. But the nice part is that it is easy to just add the "pro/function my_routine, a, b, etc.." line at the top of the main-level program to change it into a routine. After coding and getting something working, 99+% of what gets committed and kept is in regular routines.

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