

Python_example_lab3

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In [1]: %matplotlib inline
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
from netCDF4 import Dataset
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1 Import data

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In [2]: datadir = r'C:\Users\STUDENT\SATELLITE_DATA\'  
data = Dataset(datadir+'20180802000000-OSISAF-L3C_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-SEVIRI_SST-ssteqc_me
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In [3]: #print(data.variables) <-- use this print statement to print out detailed info about the  
# I have commented this cell out due to the large amount of output it prints
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OrderedDict([('time', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int32 time(time)
    long_name: reference time of sst file
    standard_name: time
    axis: T
    units: seconds since 1981-01-01 00:00:00
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1,)
filling on, default _FillValue of -2147483647 used
), ('lat', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
float32 lat(lat)
    long_name: latitude
    standard_name: latitude
    axis: Y
    units: degrees_north
    valid_min: -90.0
    valid_max: 90.0
    comment: geographical coordinates, WGS84 projection
unlimited dimensions:
current shape = (2400,)
filling on, default _FillValue of 9.969209968386869e+36 used
), ('lon', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
float32 lon(lon)
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long_name: longitude
standard_name: longitude
axis: X
units: degrees_east
valid_min: -180.0
valid_max: 180.0
comment: geographical coordinates, WGS84 projection
unlimited dimensions:
current shape = (2400,)
filling on, default _FillValue of 9.969209968386869e+36 used
), ('sea_surface_temperature', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int16 sea_surface_temperature(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -32768
    long_name: sea surface subskin temperature
    standard_name: sea_surface_subskin_temperature
    units: kelvin
    add_offset: 273.15
    scale_factor: 0.01
    valid_min: -300
    valid_max: 4500
    depth: 1 millimeter
    source: SEVIRI
    comment: Temperature of the subskin of the ocean
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('sst_dtime', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int32 sst_dtime(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -2147483648
    long_name: time difference from reference time
    units: seconds
    add_offset: 0.0
    scale_factor: 1.0
    valid_min: -2147483647
    valid_max: 2147483647
    comment: time plus sst_dtime gives seconds after 00:00:00 UTC January 1, 1981
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('sses_bias', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 sses_bias(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: SSES bias estimate
    units: kelvin
    add_offset: 0.0
    scale_factor: 0.01
    valid_min: -127
    valid_max: 127
    comment: Bias estimate derived using the techniques described at http://www.ghrsst.org/SSES-
unlimited dimensions: time

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current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('sses_standard_deviation', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 sses_standard_deviation(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: SSES standard deviation
    units: kelvin
    add_offset: 1.0
    scale_factor: 0.01
    valid_min: -127
    valid_max: 127
    comment: Standard deviation estimate derived using the techniques described at http://www.gh
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('dt_analysis', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 dt_analysis(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: deviation from SST analysis or reference climatology
    units: kelvin
    add_offset: 0.0
    scale_factor: 0.1
    valid_min: -127
    valid_max: 127
    comment: The difference between this SST and the previous day's SST analysis
    reference: OSTIA
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('wind_speed', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 wind_speed(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: 10m wind speed
    standard_name: wind_speed
    units: m s-1
    height: 10 m
    add_offset: 0.0
    scale_factor: 1.0
    valid_min: 0
    valid_max: 127
    comment: These wind speeds were created by the ECMWF and represent winds at 10 metres above
    source: WSP-ECMWF-Forecast
    time_offset: 0.0
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('sea_ice_fraction', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 sea_ice_fraction(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: sea ice fraction
    standard_name: sea_ice_area_fraction
    units:

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add_offset: 0.0
scale_factor: 0.01
valid_min: 0
valid_max: 100
comment: Fractional sea ice cover from OSISAF ice product
source: ICE-OSISAF
time_offset: -36.0
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('aerosol_dynamic_indicator', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 aerosol_dynamic_indicator(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: aerosol dynamic indicator
    units:
        add_offset: 0.0
        scale_factor: 0.1
        valid_min: 0
        valid_max: 127
        comment:
            source: sources_of_adi
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('adi_dtime_from_sst', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 adi_dtime_from_sst(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: time difference of ADI data from sst measurement
    units: hour
    add_offset: 0.0
    scale_factor: 0.1
    valid_min: -127
    valid_max: 127
    comment: Difference in hours between the ADI and SST data
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('sources_of_adi', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 sources_of_adi(time, lat, lon)
    _FillValue: -128
    long_name: sources of aerosol dynamic indicator
    valid_min: 0
    valid_max: 2
    flag_meanings: no_data AOD-NAAPS-ADI SDI-OSISAF-ADI
    flag_values: [0 1 2]
    comment: This variable provides a pixel by pixel description of where aerosol optical depth
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('l2p_flags', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int32 l2p_flags(time, lat, lon)
    long_name: L2P flags

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valid_min: 0
valid_max: 15
flag_meanings: microwave land ice lake
flag_masks: [1 2 4 8]
comment: These flags are important to properly use the data.
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on, default _FillValue of -2147483647 used
), ('quality_level', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 quality_level(time, lat, lon)
_FillValue: -128
long_name: quality level of SST pixel
valid_min: 0
valid_max: 5
flag_meanings: no_data bad_data worst_quality low_quality acceptable_quality best_quality
flag_values: [0 1 2 3 4 5]
comment: These are the overall quality indicators and are used for all GHRSST SSTs
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('satellite Zenith Angle', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 satellite_z zenith_angle(time, lat, lon)
_FillValue: -128
long_name: satellite zenith angle
units: angular_degree
add_offset: 0.0
scale_factor: 1.0
valid_min: -90
valid_max: 90
comment: The satellite zenith angle at the time of the SST observations.
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('solar zenith angle', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int8 solar_z zenith_angle(time, lat, lon)
_FillValue: -128
long_name: solar zenith angle
units: angular_degree
add_offset: 90.0
scale_factor: 1.0
valid_min: -90
valid_max: 90
comment: The solar zenith angle at the time of the SST observations.
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('or_latitude', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int16 or_latitude(time, lat, lon)
_FillValue: -32768
long_name: original latitude of the SST value
standard_name: latitude

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units: degrees_north
add_offset: 0.0
scale_factor: 0.01
valid_min: -9000
valid_max: 9000
comment: Original latitude of the SST value
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on), ('or_longitude', <class 'netCDF4._netCDF4.Variable'>
int16 or_longitude(time, lat, lon)
_FILLValue: -32768
long_name: original longitude of the SST value
standard_name: longitude
units: degrees_east
add_offset: 0.0
scale_factor: 0.01
valid_min: -18000
valid_max: 18000
comment: Original longitude of the SST value
unlimited dimensions: time
current shape = (1, 2400, 2400)
filling on)])

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In [4]: # Print the names of all of the variables in "data"
`print(data.variables.keys())`

`odict_keys(['time', 'lat', 'lon', 'sea_surface_temperature', 'sst_dtime', 'sses_bias', 'sses_stan...`

2 Define variables

In [3]: `sst = data.variables['sea_surface_temperature']
lon = data.variables['lon']
lat = data.variables['lat']
print('Shape of sst is ', sst.shape)
print('Shape of lon is ', lon.shape)
print('Shape of lat is ', lat.shape)`

`Shape of sst is (1, 2400, 2400)
Shape of lon is (2400,)
Shape of lat is (2400,)`

3 Convert from Kelvin to Celsius

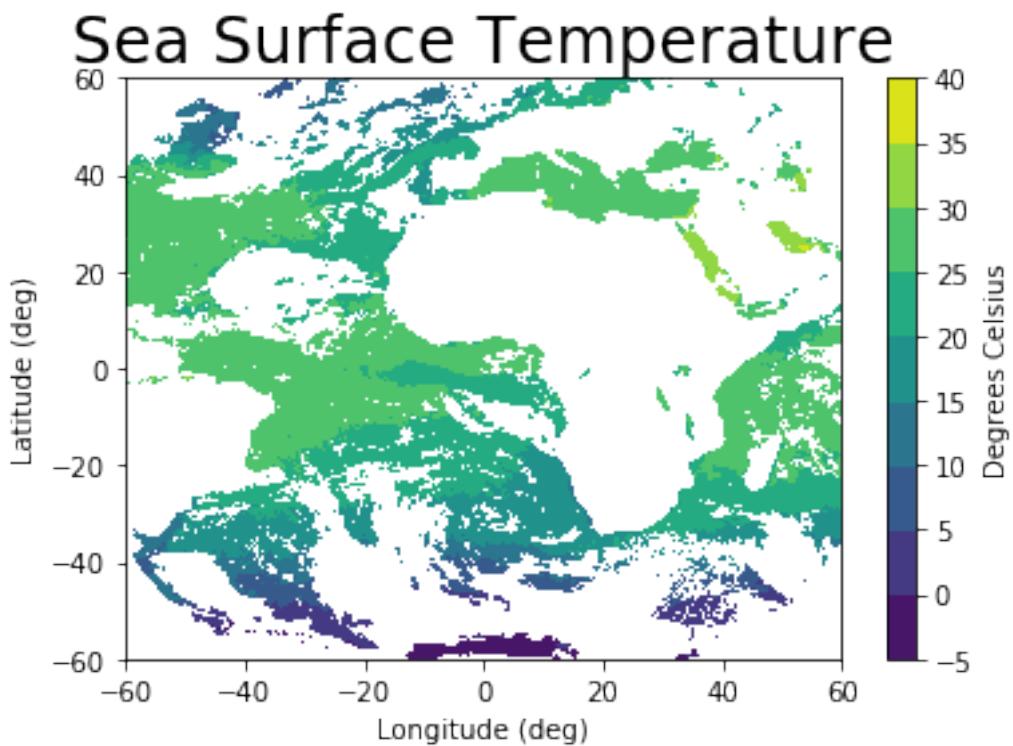
In [4]: `sst_C = sst[:, :, :] - 273`

4 Plot the data!

In [9]: `LON,LAT = np.meshgrid(lon,lat)`

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plt.contourf(LON,LAT,sst_C[0,:,:])
plt.colorbar(label='Degrees Celsius')
plt.title('Sea Surface Temperature',fontsize=24)
plt.xlabel('Longitude (deg)')
plt.ylabel('Latitude (deg)')
plt.savefig('Figures/SST_satellite_COESSING.jpg')
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Out[9]: <matplotlib.text.Text at 0x120c43400>



In []: