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**timegcm history**9 messages

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**Ben Foster** <foster@ucar.edu>  
To: Yuan Ho <yuanho@ucar.edu>

Tue, Feb 10, 2015 at 3:58 PM

Yuan,

Should I also define \_CoordinateAxisType attributes for the magnetic coordinates mlon, mlat? Would the values be "Lon" and "Lat"?  
Thanks,

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**Yuan Ho** <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
To: Ben Foster <foster@ucar.edu>

Tue, Feb 10, 2015 at 4:12 PM

I didn't see any variable use these two coordinate variables, but it is still a good idea to add.

Yuan

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**Ben Foster** <foster@ucar.edu>  
To: Yuan Ho <yuanho@ucar.edu>

Tue, Feb 10, 2015 at 4:18 PM

We always save geopotential on the magnetic grid "ZMAG", but we also optionally save arbitrary diagnostic fields on the mag grid to secondary files. Thanks,  
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**Ben Foster** <foster@ucar.edu>  
To: Yuan Ho <yuanho@ucar.edu>, Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Tue, Feb 10, 2015 at 5:01 PM

I have put 2 timegcm history files (primary and secondary), with the corrections, in:

<http://download.hao.ucar.edu/pub/foster/yuanho>

Their respective ncdump files (\*.ncd) are also there. Please take a look, and let me know if there are mistakes or more changes that need to be made. thanks,

--Ben

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**Yuan Ho** <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
To: Ben Foster <foster@ucar.edu>  
Cc: Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Wed, Feb 11, 2015 at 11:11 AM

Ben,

These two are in much better shape, I have no complaints at this time (maybe later :) )

Yuan

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**Ben Foster** <foster@ucar.edu>  
To: Yuan Ho <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
Cc: Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Wed, Feb 11, 2015 at 11:35 AM

Thanks Yuan, I'll wait to hear from you later, but I may go ahead and commit these changes later this week, so Gang can start writing new histories.

--Ben

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**Yuan Ho** <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
To: Ben Foster <foster@ucar.edu>  
Cc: Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Wed, Feb 11, 2015 at 1:36 PM

Ben,

I didn't see the GZMID in both files. Only Z and GZ.

Yuan

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**Ben Foster** <foster@ucar.edu>  
To: Yuan Ho <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
Cc: Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Wed, Feb 11, 2015 at 2:07 PM

Oh right, sorry about that. I have rerun the case and put the new files in the same location. ZGMID will be only on the secondary history file (\*s\_test\*.nc), not on the primary file (\*p\_test\*.nc).

--Ben

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**Yuan Ho** <yuanho@ucar.edu>  
To: Ben Foster <foster@ucar.edu>  
Cc: Gang Lu <ganglu@ucar.edu>

Thu, Feb 12, 2015 at 4:06 PM

Ben,

I noticed that there are only missing values for the ZG and ZGMID in the first time step. Is there any reason for all missing values?

Yuan

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