

## Environment and organisms - Task #219

### Good News: JPL provides comprehensive Global List of ALL ASTER DEM files

05/06/2011 03:52 PM - Rick Reeves

<b>Status:</b>	Rejected	<b>Start date:</b>	05/06/2011
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	05/06/2011
<b>Assignee:</b>	Rick Reeves	<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>	Terrain	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.10 hour
<b>Target version:</b>			
<b>Activity type:</b>	Other		
<b>Description</b>			
<p>I asked the technical POC for the ASTER Data Product if a master list of ASTER DEM files/tiles was available for use in cross-checking the success of bulk-download requests. this list</p> <p>I copied my JPL contact, Bob Crippen, on this message, and he responded with a copy of just such a list of ASTER GDEM2 data files. Although we are using the GDEM1 version of ASTER DEM, I am assuming that since Bob knows this, the GDEM2 list also applies to GDEM1 data.</p> <p>This is good news, as it makes it much easier to <b>programmatically</b> determine whether I have downloaded the complete coverage for &gt; 60 Lat worldwide.</p> <p>Other useful news from the tech POC at JPL: He confirms that the Japanese ASTER portal and the NASA WIST site distribute the SAME version of the ASTER GDEM data set.</p> <p>I have uploaded the ASTER list onto the Wiki page:</p> <p><a href="https://redmine.nceas.ucsb.edu/nceas/projects/environment-and-orga/wiki/Terrain">https://redmine.nceas.ucsb.edu/nceas/projects/environment-and-orga/wiki/Terrain</a></p> <p>--Rick</p>			

#### History

##### #1 - 05/06/2011 03:57 PM - Rick Reeves

- Estimated time changed from 1.00 h to 0.10 h

I re-read Bob's email; he notes that the file list for the GDEM2 data set should be 'the same or close' to the GDEM1 data set.

Good to know, I will be careful to watch for any differences as I validate the counts...

##### #2 - 10/17/2011 11:12 AM - Jim Regetz

- Status changed from New to Rejected

No action items here.