

## Results

### Running pg\_tileserv

A [Mapbox vector tile](#) server can be set up to access the database. In this example we used [pg\\_tileserv](#), a PostGIS only tile server written in the GO language. The easiest way to set up pg\_tileserv is to download the binaries for your operating system. An explanation on how to do this is at:

[https://access.crunchydata.com/documentation/pg\\_tileserv/1.0.1/installation/](https://access.crunchydata.com/documentation/pg_tileserv/1.0.1/installation/)

After you have downloaded the appropriate zip file and unzipped it, you will need to edit the config file pg\_tileserv.toml.example, which is in the config directory, and rename it pg\_tileserv.toml. When editing this file you will need make the following changes:

```
# pg_tileserv

# Database connection
# postgresql://username:password@host/dbname
DbConnection = "postgresql://postgres:postgres@localhost/reg3sim"
#It will default to port 5432. If you are using a different port for your database you can specify the port in the following way.
#DbConnection = "postgresql://postgres:postgres@localhost:5434/reg3sim"

# Close pooled connections after this interval
# 1d, 1h, 1m, 1s, see https://golang.org/pkg/time/#ParseDuration
DbPoolMaxConnLifeTime = "1h"

# Hold no more than this number of connections in the database pool
DbPoolMaxConns = 4

# Cancel a tile request if a tile can't be rendered in this time (seconds)
# DbTimeout = 10

# Look to read html templates from this directory
# AssetsPath = "/usr/share/pg_tileserv/assets"

# Accept connections on this subnet (default accepts on all)
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HttpHost = "0.0.0.0"

# Accept connections on this port

HttpPort = 7800

# Advertise URLs relative to this server name

# default is to look this up from incoming request headers

UriBase = "http://localhost/"

# Resolution to quantize vector tiles to

DefaultResolution = 4096

# Padding to add to vector tiles

DefaultBuffer = 256

# Limit number of features requested (-1 = no limit)

MaxFeaturesPerTile = 50000

# Advertise this minimum zoom level

DefaultMinZoom = 0

# Advertise this maximum zoom level

DefaultMaxZoom = 22

# Allow any page to consume these tiles

#CORSOrigins = \*

# Output extra logging information?

Debug = true

After these changes have been made, and have the region3db\_container container running, with the database started, you can start the server on a linux machine simply by using the following command:

./pg\_tileserv

## Demo

After you have pg\_tileserv running you can run the Demo.ipynb notebook. You need need to install Jupyter Notebooks, and Python module being imported by Demo.ipynb. Below is the content of Demo.ipynb, for a cleaner view you can also look at Demo.pdf or run Demo.ipynb.

## ADCIRC Region 3 Simulation Database

The ADCIRC Region 3 Simulation database size is currently 22 TB. It is a [PostgreSQL](#) database, that uses [TimescaleDB](#), and [PostGIS](#) extensions. TimescaleDB enables storing large amounts of data in PostgreSQL, by using hypertables, which are comprised of many interlinked sub-tables called chunks. Chunks are created by partitioning the hypertable's data into one or multiple dimensions: All hypertables are partitioned by a time interval, and can additionally be partitioned by a key such as device ID, location, user id, etc.

Each storm from the Region 3 Simulation data is stored in it's own table, which are partitioned into chunks by a 2 hour time interval. The geometry data are stored in a separate PostGIS table that can be linked to the storm tables in a query.

We serve the data using pg\_tileserv, which is a vector tile data server.

In [1]:

```
# To download, read and display the data, first import these Python module
import requests, subprocess
from ast import literal_eval
from vt2geojson.tools import vt_bytes_to_geojson
import pandas as pd
import geopandas as gpd
import numpy as np
from scipy.interpolate import griddata
from mpl_toolkits.basemap import Basemap
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

In [2]:

```
# This is a python function that retrieves the data from the database server.
# It's inputs are storm table name, timestamp, and region of interest (roi) file # which contains
the bounding box coordinates. The vector tiles are downloaded # and stiched together.
def getData(stormtable, timestamp, roi):
    # Geodex calculates the tiles in the bounding box roi
    std_result = subprocess.run(['geodex', roi, str(13), '--output-format', '({z}, {x}, {y})'],
                                stdout=subprocess.PIPE)
    tile_inds_string = std_result.stdout.decode('utf-8').split('\n')
    tile_inds_tuple = [literal_eval(ti) for ti in tile_inds_string if len(ti) > 0]

    gdfall = gpd.GeoDataFrame()

    for tile in tile_inds_tuple:
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# region3_sim_storms_bufopt is a PLSQL function that takes zoom level, x and y
# tile coordinates, buffer size, storm table, and timestamp as input. The function # links the storm table
# with the geometry table and outputs a vector tile.
tileURL = "http://localhost:7800/public.region3_sim_storms_bufopt/"+ \
          str(tile[0])+"/"+str(tile[1])+"/"+str(tile[2])+".pbf?buffer=0&stormtable="+ \
          stormtable+"&timestep="+timestep+"&properties=node,zeta,bathymetry"
r = requests.get(tileURL)

assert r.status_code == 200, r.content
vt_content = r.content

features = vt_bytes_to_geojson(vt_content, tile[1], tile[2], tile[0])
gdf = gpd.GeoDataFrame.from_features(features)
gdfall = pd.concat([gdfall, gdf])

gdfall = gdfall.sort_values(by=['node'], ascending=True)
gdfall = gdfall.reset_index(drop=True)
duplicateRowGDF = gdfall[gdfall.duplicated(['node'])]

if len(duplicateRowGDF) > 0:
    print(len(duplicateRowGDF))

return(gdfall)

```

In [3]:

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# When you run the getData function with the required input, it outputs a geopandas dataframe.
stormtable = 'var_dp3r3b1c1h111_fort63'
timestep = '2000-09-03T20:30:00'

# The roi is of the central chesapeake Bay
roi = 'roi.geojson'
gdf = getData(stormtable, timestep, roi)
gdf.head()

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Out[3]:

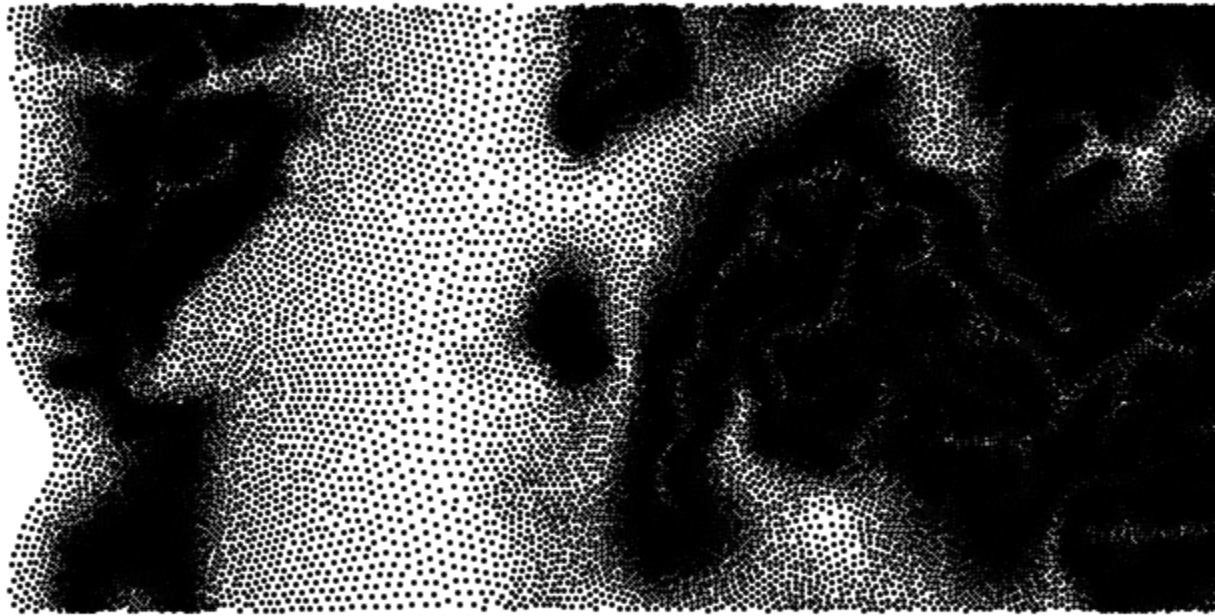
	geometry	node	bathymetry	zeta
0	POINT (-76.11368 38.82117)	153814	-4.2484112	NaN
1	POINT (-76.11448 38.82387)	153815	-4.837077	NaN
2	POINT (-76.11329 38.82603)	153816	-4.9151185	NaN

3 POINT (-76.11369 38.78163) 156471 -3.9950436 NaN

	geometry	node	bathymetry	zeta
4	POINT (-76.11347 38.78365)	156472	-4.682347	NaN

In [4]:

```
# The display the points using Matplotlib fig, ax
= plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 10))
gdf.plot(ax=ax, markersize=3.5,
color='black') ax.axis('off')
plt.axis('equal')
plt.show()
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In [5]: # One way of displaying the data is to regrid it and display it as an image  
# This can be done by first defining the region, and then createing a basemap  
l1lon = min(gdf.geometry.bounds.minx)  
l1lat = min(gdf.geometry.bounds.miny)  
urlon = max(gdf.geometry.bounds.maxx)  
urlat = max(gdf.geometry.bounds.maxy)
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# set up basemap chose projection!  
m = Basemap(projection = 'merc', resolution='c',llcrnrlon = lllon, llcrnrlat = lllat, urcrnrlon = urlon, urcrnrlat =
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In [6]:

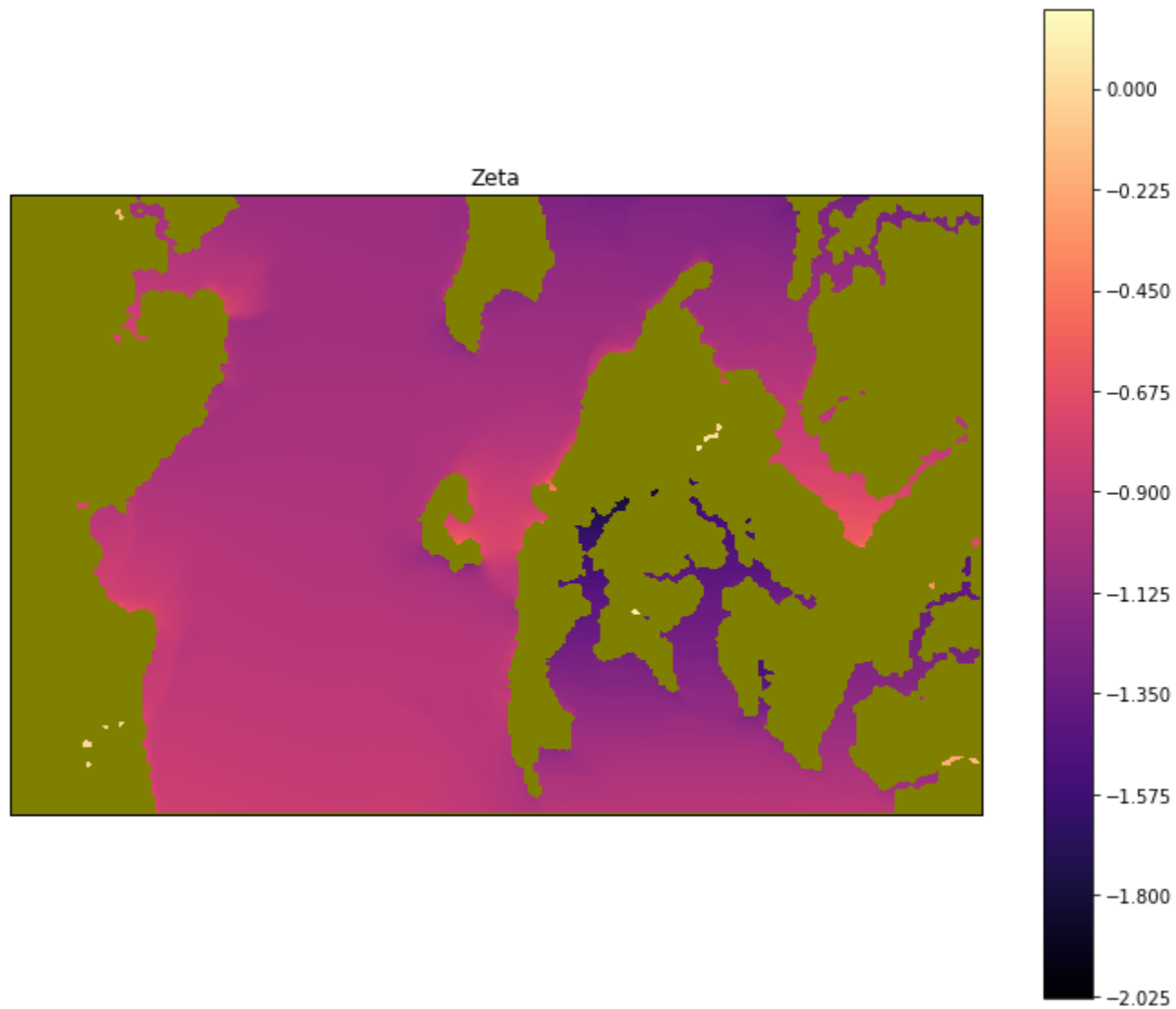
```
# Then pull out pull out the variables  
lon = gdf.geometry.x.to_numpy()  
lat = gdf.geometry.y.to_numpy()  
  
# The Region 3 Simulation depth data is depth below geoid, which means the land values are negative.      # So here we  
rescale the data so the the land values are positive  
bathymetry = gdf.bathymetry.to_numpy().astype(np.float) minusones =  
    np.ones(54448,) - 2  
bathymetry = bathymetry * minusones  
  
# Zeta is water surface elevation above geoid  
zeta = gdf.zeta.to_numpy().astype(np.float)  
  
# transform coordinates to map projection m  
m_lon, m_lat = m(*(lon, lat))
```

In [7]:

```
# generate grid data  
numcols, numrows = 240, 240  
xi = np.linspace(m_lon.min(), m_lon.max(), numcols)  
  
# Plot the zeta data  
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 10))  
  
# draw map details  
m.drawmapboundary(fill_color = 'olive', zorder = 1)  
  
# Plot interpolated bathymetry  
m.contourf(xi, yi, zi, 500, cmap='magma', zorder = 2)
```

In [8]:

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cbar = plt.colorbar()  
plt.title('Zeta')  
plt.show()
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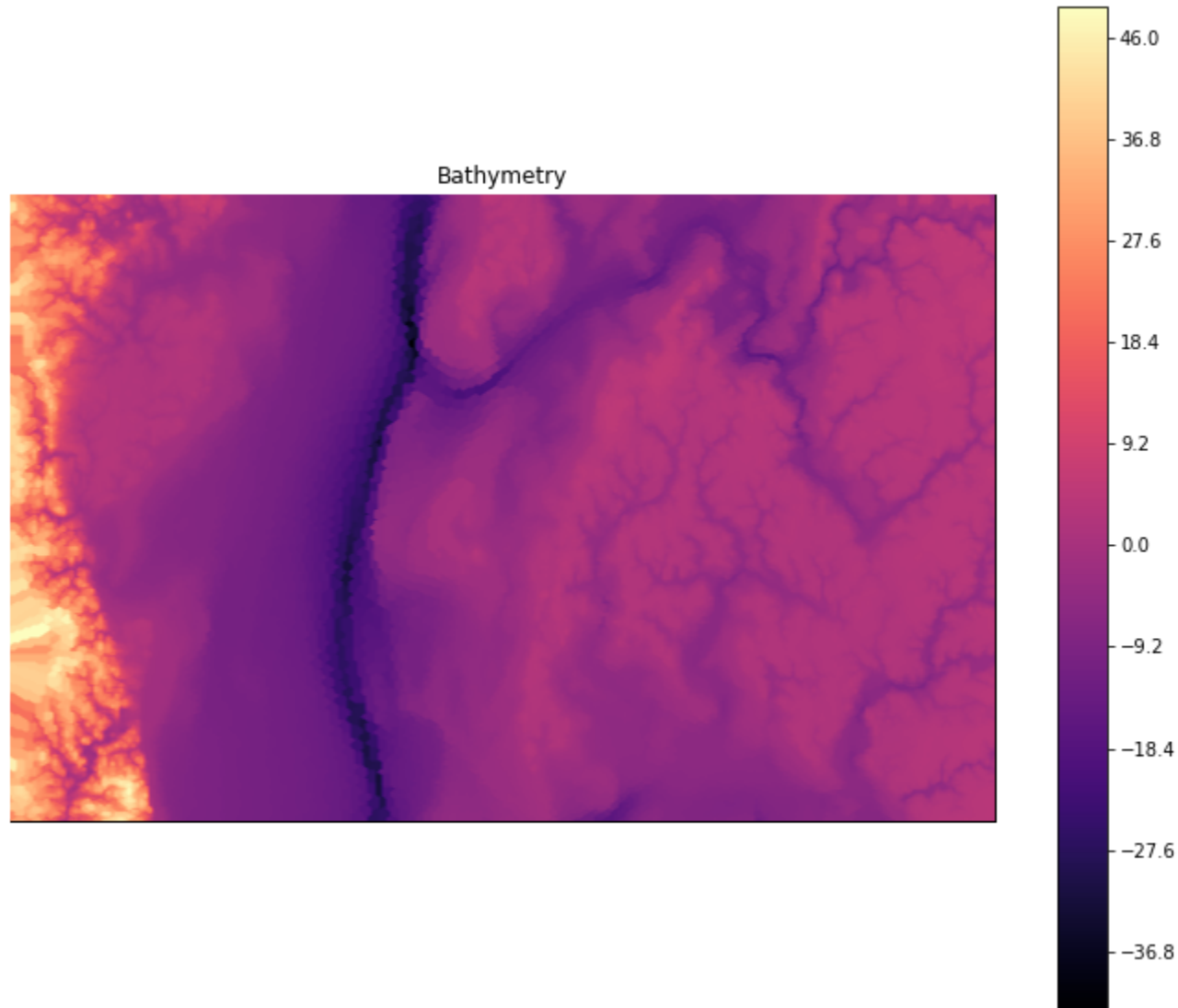
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In [9]: # interpolate the bathymetry data
zi = griddata((m_lon,m_lat),bathymetry,(xi,yi),method='nearest',fill_value=np.nan)

# Plot the bathymetry data
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 10))
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```
# draw map details
m.drawmapboundary(fill_color = 'olive', zorder = 1)

# Plot interpolated bathymetry
m.contourf(xi, yi, zi, 500, cmap='magma', zorder = 2)

cbar = plt.colorbar()
plt.title('Bathymetry')
plt.show()
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```
In [10]: # When you run the getData function with the required input, it outputs a geopandas dataframe.
stormtable = 'var_dp3r3b1c1h111_swan63'
timestep = '2000-09-03T20:30:00'

# The roi is of the central chesapeake Bay
roi = 'roi.geojson'
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gdf = getData(stormtable, timestep, roi)
gdf.head()
```

Out[10]:

	geometry	node	bathymetry	hs	tps	dir
0	POINT (-76.11368 38.82117)	153814	-4.2484112	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	POINT (-76.11448 38.82387)	153815	-4.837077	NaN	NaN	NaN
2	POINT (-76.11329 38.82603)	153816	-4.9151185	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	POINT (-76.11369 38.78163)	156471	-3.9950436	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	POINT (-76.11347 38.78365)	156472	-4.682347	NaN	NaN	NaN

In [11]:

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hs = gdf.hs.to_numpy().astype(np.float)
# interpolate the hs data
zi = griddata((m_lon, m_lat), hs, (xi, yi), method='linear', fill_value=np.nan, rescale=False)
```

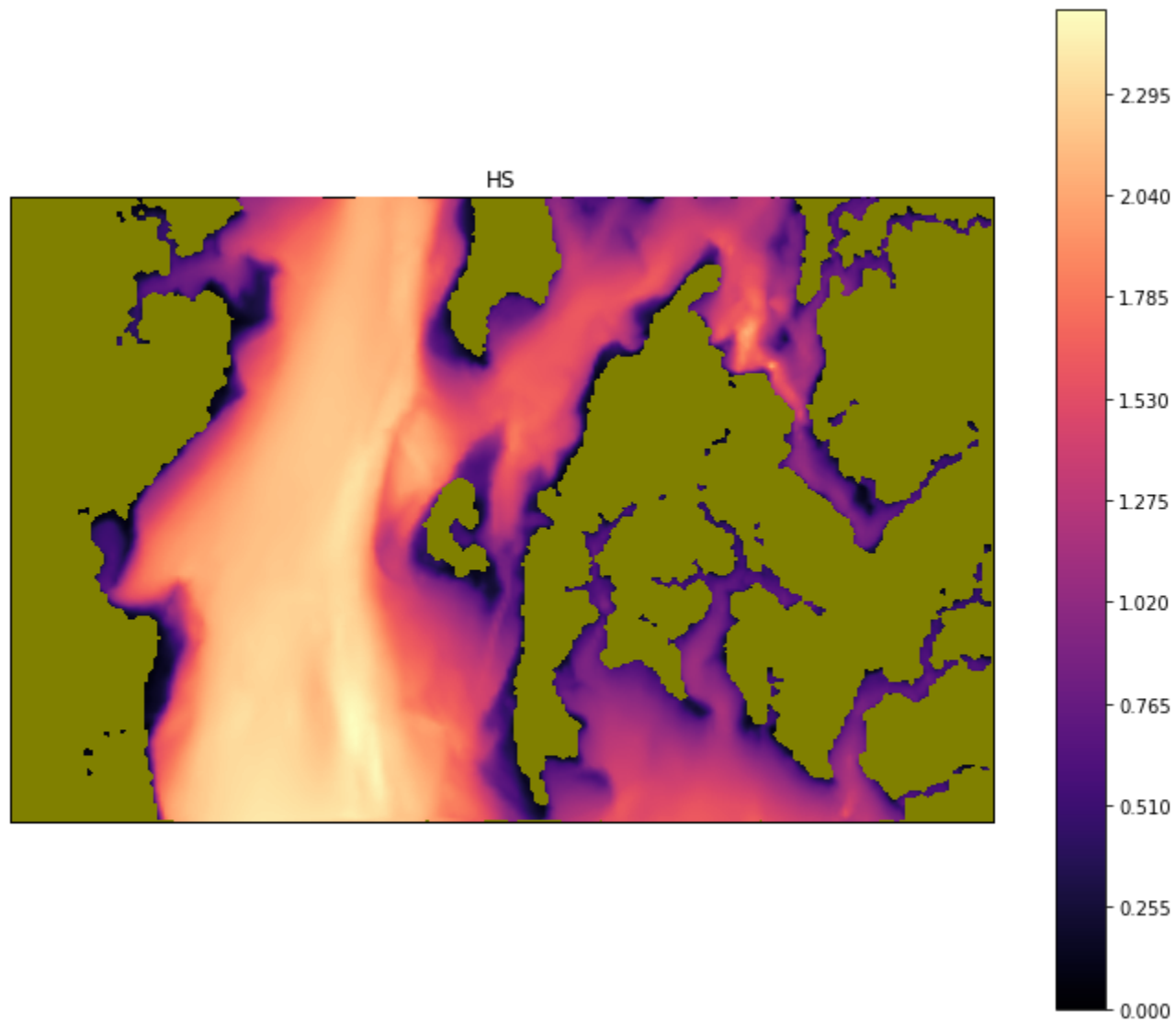
In [12]:

```
# Plot the hs data
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 10))

# draw map details
m.drawmapboundary(fill_color = 'olive', zorder = 1)

# Plot interpolated bathymetry
m.contourf(xi, yi, zi, 500, cmap='magma', zorder = 2)

cbar = plt.colorbar()
plt.title('HS')
plt.show()
```



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