

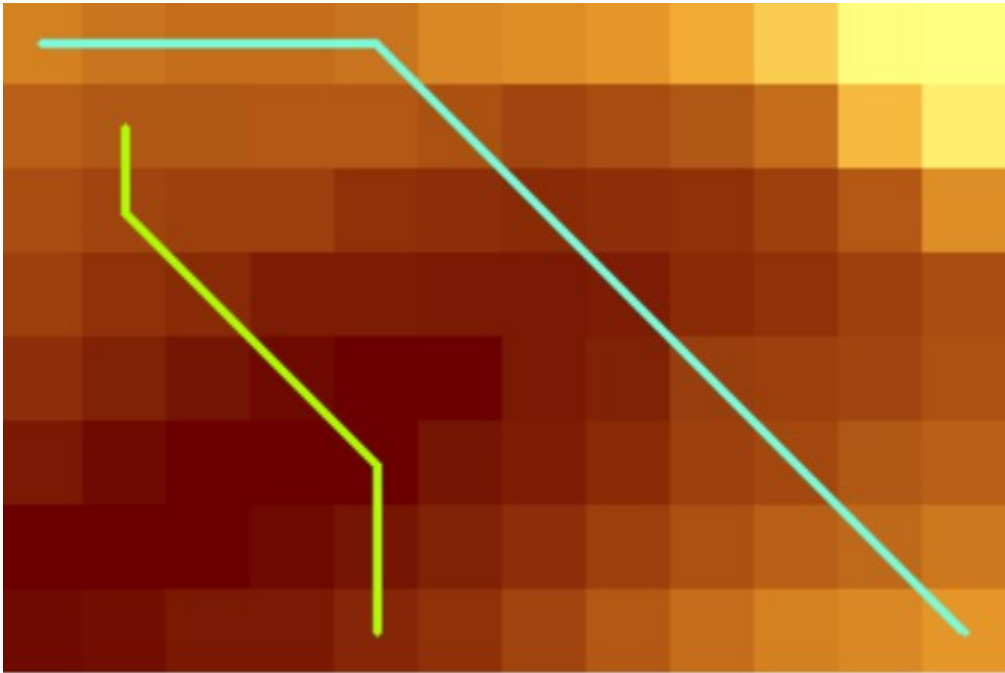
# shortest distance path with gradient

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## Summary

Calculate a shortest distance path from the input DEM TIFF data under a given gradient threshold.

## Illustration



## Usage

This tool can be used in many case that demand a smooth shortest path.  
For example, railway route planning and design, highway route planning and design

## Syntax

```
shortestDistancePathWithGradient (Input_DEM_Raster_TIFF_File__tif_,
Start_Point_Row_Number__eg__1_, Start_Point_Column_Number__eg__1_,
End_Point_Row_Number__eg__8_, End_Point_Column_Number__eg__12_,
Gradient_Threshold__degree__eg__5_, Output_Route_Shape_File_Path)
```

Parameter	Explanation	Data Type
Input_DEM_Raster_TIFF_File__tif_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input data must be a TIFF DEM raster data. (.tif)</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	Raster Layer
Start_Point_Row_Number__eg__1_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input should be the start point row number and must be a Integer start from 1.</p>	Index

	<p>This number must not exceed the max of the row number of input raster data</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	
Start_Point_Column_Number__eg__1_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input should be the start point column number and must be a Integer and start from 1.</p> <p>This number must not exceed the max of the column number of input raster data</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	Index
End_Point_Row_Number__eg__8_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input should be the end point row number and must be a Integer and start from 1.</p> <p>This number must not exceed the max of the row number of input raster data</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	Index
End_Point_Column_Number__eg__12_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input should be the end point column number and must be a Integer and start from 1.</p> <p>This number must not exceed the max of the column number of input raster data</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	Index
Gradient_Threshold__degree__eg__5_	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The input should be the gradient threshold.</p> <p>the number should be a positive integer.</p> <p>For example. 5 means gradient of the whole path should be between -5 and 5</p> <p>There is no python reference for this parameter.</p>	Index
Output_Route_Shape_File_Path	<p><b>Dialog Reference</b></p> <p>The output is the shortest route and saved as a shape file.</p>	Address Locator

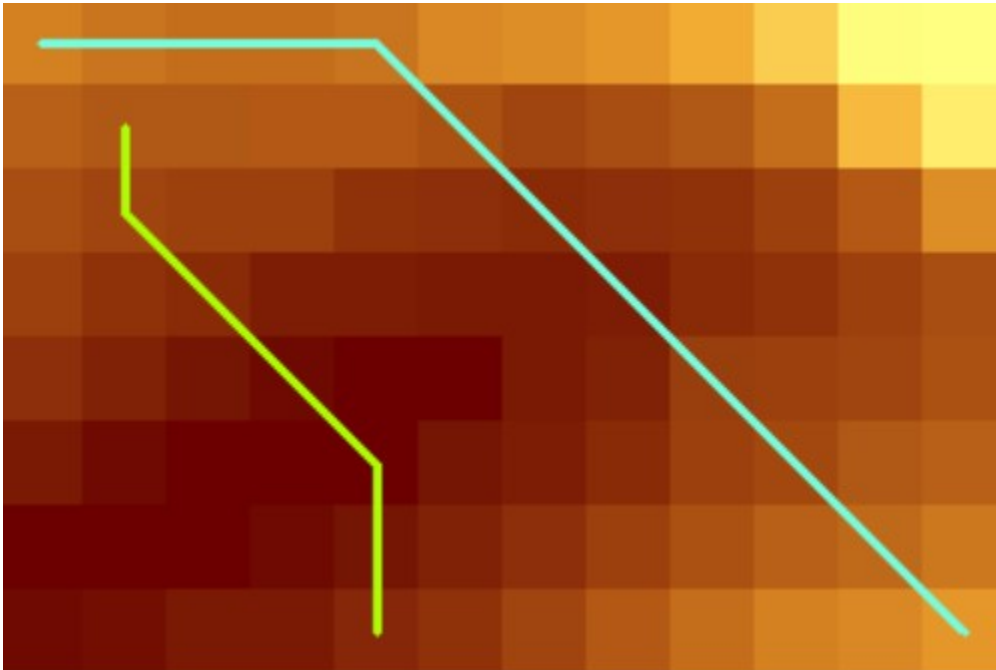
the Extension (.shp) should not be added in the name

There is no python reference for this parameter.

## Code Samples

There are no code samples for this tool.

## Side-panel Help Illustration



## Tags

The shortest distance, Dijkstra, Gradient threshold, Smooth path

## Credits

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