
Subject: Re: Volume Size

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Whoops, as a long-time IDL user I am still prone to beginner mistakes. :-(I wrote this:

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> Presumably you can distinguish the pores by some "value"
> in the 3D volume. Suppose the pores had values less than
> 10 and the rock (rest of the 3D volume) had values greater
> than 10. Then calculating the percentage volume of the pores
> is as simple as this:
>
> pores = Where(volume LE 10)
> percent_pores = N_Elements(volume[pores])/N_Elements(volume)
```

And what I *should* have written is this:

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percent_pores = FLOAT(N_Elements(volume[pores]))/N_Elements(volume)
```

Or you will be looking at a 0 percent, always!

Cheers,

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