
Subject: Re: Try this
Posted by [bowman](#) on Wed, 30 Sep 1998 07:00:00 GMT
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In article <6uamdh\$gid\$1@reznor.larc.nasa.gov>, "Joe"
<Post.Reply@This.News.Group> wrote:

> The
> lx and ly structures are not double precision in their .range (and
> other related) fields so it won't matter. This has to be done for
> speed reasons since to make them double would force all plots
> to use double precision calculations along with the attendant
> decrease in computational rate.

Many, if not most, modern Unix workstations have 64-bit floating point
units and do double precision arithmetic as fast or faster than single
precision.

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