
Subject: Re: Max value vector

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It wouldn't be very efficient but you could use a while loop using a LONG as the counter

e.g.

```
i=0L ;type long
```

```
WHILE (i LT 64000) do begin
```

```
    maxcol[i]=MAX(data[i,*])
```

```
    i=i+1L
```

```
end
```

Justin

Thomas C. Stubbings <stubbing@fbch.tuwien.ac.at> wrote in message
news:7i3mfr\$c9k\$1@news.tuwien.ac.at...

> What I would need is something like the MATLAB command max(i) where i is
an

> array(n,m) and max(i) returns a vector containing the maximum value of
each

> column. The IDL max command only returns a scalar containing the absolute

> maximum of the array.

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> I even tried a big loop running through each column to find the max of
each,

> but IDL doesnt accept loops with 64000 iterations

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> What alternatives do I have?
