
Subject: Re: A[X,Y,Z] -> A[Z,X,Y]

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"Liam E. Gumley" wrote:

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> Dave Greenwood wrote:

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>> I'm trying to analyze data from a new experiment using an IDL code from
>> a different experiment. The new experiment has data stored in an array
>> of the form [X,Y,Z] while the code expects [Z,Y,X]. I can do something
>> like (untested):

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>> FOR i = 0, z-1 DO BEGIN

>> FOR j = 0, y-1 DO BEGIN

>> newarray[i, y, *] = oldarray[*, y, i]

>> ENDFOR

>> ENDFOR

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>> But I thought perhaps someone (probably several people) here could
>> suggest a better (faster, more elegant, etc.) way?

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>> Fyi, to give some size to the problem, X=1024, Y=39 and Z=3.

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> a = findgen(1024, 39, 3)

> b = transpose(a, [2, 0, 1])

> help, b

> B FLOAT = Array[3, 1024, 39]

Not to be to ZYX'y about it, but how about

IDL> a = findgen(1024, 39, 3)

IDL> help, transpose(a, [2, 1, 0])

<Expression> FLOAT = Array[3, 39, 1024]

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