
Subject: Re: array dimensions

Posted by [Craig Markwardt](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2001 13:37:22 GMT

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"Richard G. French" <rfrench@wellesley.edu> writes:

> David Fanning wrote:

>>> dimensions = Size(myarray, /Dimensions)

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>> Cheers,

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> David is the master of keywords - I've used SIZE all these years without

> knowing that there was a /DIMENSIONS keyword. I guess the only way to

> know about these things is to read through the documentation over and

> over again and take notes on potentially useful keywords and options.

The DIMENSION keyword is *new* when judged by the "all these years" standard. It first appeared in IDL 5.1.

If you are interested in important keywords, I've found

SMOOTH(/EDGE_TRUNCATE) indispensable, as well as CONVOL(/CENTER). I

don't do *that* much time series analysis but it seems I always need

these keywords when I do.

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