
Subject: Re: Rotate volumes

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Martin Downing wrote:

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> Marc,
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> Thats a neat way of doing it - just watch out for the effect of wrap-around
> if you use translate (caused by the use of SHIFT) on matching two images.
> The method I posted actually uses linear interpolation (I misread the help!)
> and is a little quicker (20sec c.f. 29sec) for a general rotation on a PIII
> 800). The rotation orders are not the same but could easily be made so.
>
> cheers
>
> Martin
>

I used the attached test routine (just quickly put together for this test)

because I remembered, that then plane-wise method was faster for me (IDL 5.4.1, Linux mandrake 8.0):

156^3 bytarr:

8s vs. 11s

256^3 bytarr:

35s vs. 184s

As I mentioned, the bigger the array, the larger your index list.

In the 256^3 case, my machine started swapping (with over 600MB free memory!)

which explains the huge time-difference in the second case.

With the shift you are right. For MRI images its most often ok to use nevertheless,

as the head is surrounded by a nonused black frame.

I assume you use windows. Interesting, that the performance of the two methods

is so much OS-dependent.

cheers,

:-) marc

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function undefined,i  
return,n_elements(i) eq 0
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end

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function transform2, im, rotation = phi,$
scale=scale,translate=translate, centre_rot=centre_rot
; translate an image volume using interplote
s = size(im)
; for clarity:
sx=s(1)
sy=s(2)
sz=s(3)
if undefined(phi) then phi =[0,0,0]
if undefined(centre_rot) then centre_rot
=[(sx-1)/2.0,(sy-1)/2.0,(sz-1)/2.0]
if undefined(translate) then translate =[0,0,0]
if undefined(scale) then scale =[1,1,1]

print,'X...'
if phi[0] ne 0.0 then begin
    for x=0,sx-1 do begin

        im[x,*]=rot(/INTERP,reform(im[x,*],sy,sz),-phi[0],MISSING =0)
        endfor
    endif
print,'Y...'
if phi[1] ne 0.0 then begin
    for y=0,sy-1 do begin

        im[* ,y]=rot(/INTERP,reform(im[* ,y],sx,sz),phi[1],MISSING =0)
        endfor
    endif
print,'Z...'
if phi[2] ne 0.0 then begin
    for z=0,sz-1 do begin
        im[* ,*,z]=rot(/INTERP,im[* ,*,z],-phi[2],MISSING=0)
        endfor
    endif

return,im
end
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function transform1, im, rotation = rot,$
scale=scale,translate=translate, centre_rot=centre_rot
; translate an image volume using interplote
s = size(im)
; for clarity:
sx=s(1)
sy=s(2)
sz=s(3)
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if undefined(rot) then rot =[0,0,0]
if undefined(centre_rot) then centre_rot
=[(sx-1)/2.0,(sy-1)/2.0,(sz-1)/2.0]
if undefined(translate) then translate =[0,0,0]
if undefined(scale) then scale =[1,1,1]
;generate image coordinates
i = lindgen(sx*sy*sz) ; temp array = vector indices
coords = [ [i mod sx],[i / sx) mod (sy)],[i
/(sx*sy)],[replicate(1,sx*sy*sz)]]
; generate transform (or add your own)
t3d, /reset
t3d,trans= -centre_rot
t3d, rot=rot
t3d, trans= centre_rot + translate
t3d, scale=scale
; calc new sample positions of voxels
coords = coords##!p.t
; use these to interpolate voxels (note this is only SAMPLED)
im = reform( interpolate(im, coords(*,0), coords(*,1), coords(*,2),$
missing=0),sx,sy,sz)
return, im
end

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pro test

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d=156
a=1.0

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b=byte(indgen(d,d,d))

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s=systime(1)
print,'ix'
r=transform1(b,rot=[a,a,a])
print,systime(1)-s

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b=byte(indgen(d,d,d))

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s=systime(1)
print,'planes'
r=transform2(b,rot=[a,a,a])
print,systime(1)-s

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end

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