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Subject: Re: INTERPOL

Posted by [Roland Bammer, Ph.D.](#) on Thu, 04 Oct 2001 02:09:23 GMT

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Hi Craig and others,

"in\_vec" is a vector of length "ydim" taken from a column of an image. the content of this vector should be shifted "shift" and scaled "mag" (squeezed or magnified) and resampled on a regular grid ("new\_vec"). The first and last few elements of "in\_vec" are usually mere noise. Problems occur at the edges of the array when  $\text{warp\_x}(0) > 0$  or  $\text{warp\_x}(\text{ydim}-1) < \text{ydim}-1$ , ie. some elements have some unreasonable high values. I would understand if this problem arises in the "extrapolation zone" but these distortions extent into the area where gridpoints are available (from in\_vec and warp\_y); and the slightly (a few %) elevated signal intensity compared to the input is still an enigma. Any guesses? It occurs for all interpolation schemes (/SPLINE, ...) Mirroring the data around  $\text{warp\_x}(0)$  and  $\text{warp\_x}(\text{ydim}-1)$  helps but the intensity shift is still there...

Roland.

Craig Markwardt wrote:

> Hi Roland,  
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> Can you fill us in a little on what this procedure should do, like  
> with an example of what you did, what was the result, and what you  
> were expecting?  
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> Craig  
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> "Roland Bammer, Ph.D." <roland@s-word.stanford.edu> writes:  
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>> Hi all,  
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>> I have encountered some problems (some data fluctuations at the edges)  
>> with the INTERPOL-Function:  
>> when  $\text{warp\_x}(0) > 0$  or  $\text{warp}(\text{ydim}-1) < \text{ydim}-1$  in the code below.  
>> Moreover, it seems that the overall signal values are shifted towards  
>> higher values. Restricting the values of regrid to  $\text{CEIL}(\text{warp\_x}(0)) \leq$   
>>  $\text{regrid} \leq \text{FLOOR}(\text{warp}(\text{ydim}-1))$  (i.e. no extrapolation) did not help at all.  
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>> Any suggestions?  
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>> PRO regridding, in_vec, new_vec, ydim, mag, shift_y
>> x0 = ydim/2.0 - 0.5
>> regrid = FINDGEN(ydim)
>> x1 = x0 + (regrid-x0)*mag
>> warp_x = x1 + shift_y
>> new_vec = INTERPOL(in_vec,warp_x,regrid,/SPLINE)
>> END;
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>> Roland.
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