
Subject: Re: Array comparison

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 02 Oct 2002 14:53:47 GMT

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Sean Raffuse (sean@me.wustl.edu) writes:

> That is indeed true. Actually, I'm not interested in anything but whether
> or not an intersection exists. Neither the values nor the indices are
> important.
>
> I am not doing this on very large arrays. However, I may be doing it many,
> many times.

I've always found the set intersection, union, and difference
routines on my web page useful for these kinds of operations.
I've modified them some to do better error checking, etc.,
but this only takes a couple of seconds.

http://www.dfanning.com/tips/set_operations.html

Cheers,

David

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