
Subject: Re: simple array math question

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"JD Smith" <jdsmith@as.arizona.edu> wrote in message

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> On Thu, 16 Jan 2003 20:47:46 -0700, Craig Markwardt wrote:

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>> Heinz Stege <reply_to_posting@arcor.de> writes:

>>> On Thu, 16 Jan 2003 14:05:27 -0600, "Sean Raffuse" <sean@me.wustl.edu>

>>> wrote:

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>>>> >> a=[[1,2,3],[4,5,6],[7,8,9]]

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>>>> >> b=[1,2,3]

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>>>> What is the best (read, fastest) way to multiply b by each individual

>>>> row of a? I would like to return a result of:

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>>>> [[1,4,9],[4,10,18],[7,14,27]]

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>>> result=a*b(*,intarr(3))

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>> WOW! I've never seen that! It scares me how cool that is. :-)

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>> Craig

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> I may have to add that to the REBIN/REFORM tutorial. I'll see how fast

> it is first. It's definitely one of the more readable ways to add a new

> trailing dimension. Doesn't work for leading or in-the-middle

> dimensions, as far as I can tell.

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> JD

Yes, it worked wonders for me. Plenty fast compared to what I was doing before. I did have to use it on some leading dimensions and so am using transpose(). Not sure if it is the optimal solution, but good enough for my needs.
