
Subject: Re: Memory allocation problems

Posted by [Anne\[1\]](#) on Wed, 16 Jan 2008 15:46:30 GMT

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On Jan 16, 9:55 am, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> You are running into the ol' "it takes a TON of memory to
> subscript an array" problem:
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> http://www.dfanning.com/misc_tips/submemory.html
>
> You can read the article for some suggestions on how to
> approach the problem.
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> --
> David Fanning, Ph.D.
> Fanning Software Consulting, Inc.
> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:<http://www.dfanning.com/>
> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Whoops - I forgot to check the oracle first before posting, sorry
about that!

I have now read and attempted to digest the article you point to but
although it explains why I have a problem I'm not sure that I can see
a solution at the moment! I may just take the cowards way out and
cycle through each colour plane separately. Then I'll go and nag the
computer support guys to finish setting up my shiny new linux box with
64bit access to 16Gb RAM! That'll make the problem go away for a wile
until the histology people produce even bigger images!

Thanks for the incredibly speedy response to the post,
Anne
