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Subject: Re: Identify largish array with a shortish string

Posted by [Jean H.](#) on Fri, 30 May 2008 16:10:52 GMT

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Mark wrote:

> On May 29, 12:46 pm, Vince Hradil <hrad...@yahoo.com> wrote:

>> Yeah like a crc? But I'm confused as to why you need to encode the

>> information in the filename? You could also just add a timestamp...

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> When I have run the function previously with the same inputs, I want

> it to restore the old result rather than recalculating it. (Unless I

> have deleted the temporary file in the meantime.)

you could also have an array linking your set of parameters to file names... save and restore this array each time your call your function, check if the parameter set is written in the array. If yes, read the filename, open, process. If not, create a new filename that is not present in your array, add the name and the parameter set, process, save.

Jean

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