
Subject: Re: Compare two variables

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d.poreh@gmail.com wrote:

> Hi everyone
> I have got a problem and I don't know how to solve it:
> I have two variables like this:
> A, which col*row=2*4
> B, which col*row=4*100.
> All A's couples (x,y)'s are somewhere in the 2th and 3th column of
> Result. I want to take this rows (I want to extract that rows in
> result which 2th and 3th columns are settled in the B's).for
> example:
> A=[[1,2], [3,4], [5,6], [7,8]]
>
> B=[?.[11,22,1,2,],?.. [44,55,3,4]?.. ,[22,99,5,6], ?.[77,66,7,8]?]
>
> ?..=means there are some other data
> I just want to extract these rows and put them in a new variable
> Any help?
> Cheers

I'm probably just misunderstanding something, but what is wrong with

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line_1_index = where (b[2,*] eq a[0,0] and b[3,*] eq a[1,0])
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line_2_index = ....
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...
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result = [b[* ,line_1_index],b[* ,line_2_index],b[... ],... ]
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It's not terribly elegant but if it's only 5 lines and has to be typed only once, what's the point of optimizing the hell out of it?

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My real email address does not contain any "Z"s.
