
Subject: Re: vectors with same length

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In article

<e8c1f958-1621-4dba-9f10-ebba593e2de9@d1g2000hsg.googlegroups.com>, knielsen73@gmail.com wrote:

> Hi,

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> I am using velovect to create a vector plot. I would like for all the
> vectors to have the same length instead of the length representing
> amplitude. Is there are quick way to do this using velovect, or do I
> have to modify velovect?

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> Thanks,

> Kim

Just divide each vector by it's magnitude. Given vector components u and v

$\text{mag} = \text{SQRT}(u^2 + v^2)$

VELOVECT, u/mag, v/mag

Watch out for zeroes, though.

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