Subject: Re: ENVI IDL script stops running abruptly Posted by raghuram on Fri, 16 Jan 2009 00:08:39 GMT

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On Jan 15, 3:35 pm, Raghu < raghuram.narasim...@gmail.com > wrote:
> Hi all,
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 I am running an IDL script with ENVI routines to automatically read in
> daily (Day of year) MODIS tiles, import layers and mosaic them
> together. The script works fine for about 5-6 iterations but at the
> 7th or 8th iteration, the MOSAICKING part of the script stops
> abruptly. I thought it was a memory related issue, or something to do
> with the number of FIDs that are open. So, i used the envi_file_mng
> function to make sure i don't use FIDs when not required. But it
> doesn't seem to have solved the problem. **If i close the program and
> open it, the script works for about 5-6 iterations again. So, the
> problem doesn't seem to be with the files but maybe something to do
> with memory or some other issue i'm not able to figure out.
> In brief, I am importing 6 MODIS tiles using the convert MODIS data
> procedure, and then using georeference-based mosaic.
> In the following code, the FOR loop at the beginning sets the
> iteration starting from day of year (DOY) 088 and is supposed to end
> at 097. However, the script (the mosaic section) stops running at 095.
> The imports run without a problem. If i close the program and reset
> the start of FOR loop to 095 and end to 105, it runs till about 101
> and stops. Initially i thought it was a systematic error with 6 files
> running each time but there are cases when 7 files run. So, it is
> quite random.
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> Here's my code. I have put in some comments which i hope will help
 locate where the problem is occurring.
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> pro A Z
  compile_opt idl2
>
 ENVI, /RESTORE_BASE_SAVE_FILES
  ENVI_BATCH_INIT
>
  startDOY=088
  finishDOY=097
>
 for date=startDOY, finishDOY do begin
  range=finishDOY-date
>
  ;print, 'Processing MODIS images of DOY', date
>
>
> input path='I:\MODIS snow\2008 snowhdfs\'
  dir=input path
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> cd,dir
> files=FILE_SEARCH('MOD10A1*'+strtrim(string(date,format='(I0 3)'),
> 2)+'.h*.hdf',count=num_inputfiles)
> :print,numfiles
> output_path = 'I:\ASR_outputs\'
>
> ;MODIS grid file
> format='MOD10A1.A2005145.h10v02.005.2008031132120.hdf'
> ;START IMPORTING MODIS LAYERS
> for i=0,num_inputfiles-1 do begin
> grid file=files[i]
> output_rootname = 'snowinputs_'+strtrim((strmid(grid_file,
> 9,7)+'_'+strmid(grid_file,17,6)),2)+'_'
> year=strmid(grid_file,9,4)
> grid_name = 'MOD_Grid_Snow_500m'
> sd names = ['Fractional Snow Cover', 'Snow Albedo Daily Tile']
> out method = 0
> convert modis data,in file=grid file, $
> out_path=output_path, out_root=output_rootname, $
> /higher_product, /grid, gd_name=grid_name, sd_names=sd_names, $
> out method=out method,background=255, fill replace value=255
> endfor
>
> cd,output_path
> inputs=file_search('snowinputs*'+strtrim(string(date,format= '(103)'),
> 2)+'*.img',count=inputfiles)
> fids=lindgen(inputfiles)
> print, 'inputfiles', inputfiles
> for i=0,inputfiles-1 do begin
> envi open file,inputs[i],r fid=afile
> fids[i]=afile
> endfor
>
> numfiles=n_elements(fids)
>
  :********************************THE code stops at this
> if numfiles eq 6 then begin
> :******START MOSAIC
> pos=[[0,1],[0,1],[0,1],[0,1],[0,1],[0,1]]
> out_ps=[[463.31271653,463.31271653]]
> use_see_through = [[1L],[1],[1],[1],[1]]
> see_through_val = [[0L],[0],[0],[0],[0],[0]]
> bandnames=['Fractional snow cover','Snow albedo']
> ;out_name=input_path+'mosaicking'+strtrim(date,2)+'.dat'
> georef mosaic setup, fids=fids, out ps=out ps, dims=dims, xsize=xsize,
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> ysize=ysize,$
> x0=x0, y0=y0, map_info=map_info
> envi_doit, 'mosaic_doit', fid=fids, pos=pos, dims=dims,/
> in_memory,x0=x0,y0=y0,background=0,out_dt=2,map_info=map_inf o,/georef,
> $
> xsize=xsize,ysize=ysize,pixel_size=out_ps,see_through_val=se
e_through_val,u-se_see_through=use_see_through,out_bname=ba ndnames,r_fid=mosaic
> ;*****REMOVE FIDS AND DELETE INPUTS
> for i=0,numfiles-1 do begin
> envi file mng,id=fids[i],/remove,/delete
>
> endif
> print, 'processing is done'
> end
>
> Please let me know if you need more information.
> Thanks,
> Raghu
Hello,
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Sorry for the really long email. I solved the issue. I had set the keyword /in_memory in the mosaic function. So obviously accumulation of memory was the issue.

Thanks, Raghu