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Subject: Re: FIT across images

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On Apr 8, 8:23 am, bas.base...@virgilio.it wrote:

> Hi all,  
> just to let you know, I now figured it out.  
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> I messed it up with  
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> a. wrong dimensions of "F", which has to be the same as "fit"  
> b. bad use of the \* "simple" matrix product.  
>  
> To simplify matrix products I reformed the S matrix as [n,size,size]  
> to [n,m], where m=size\*size, and so A to [3,m]. I then used the  
> function  
>  
> iv=replicate(1,(size(x,/dimensions)))[0])  
> bx = EXP(-x#A[1,\*])  
> F = (iv#A[0,\*]) \* bx + iv#A[2,\*]  
>  
> where x is now [n] and F is [n,m]. The procedure  
>  
> fit=mpcurvefit(x,dummyS,W,A,sigma,function\_name='expmap',chi sq=chisq,/  
> noderivative,/quiet)  
>  
> now works, with fit=[n,m], and produces the same results as the double  
> forloop procedure does. The funny thing is: it is one hundred times  
> slower. Maybe there is a lesson to learn here.

Yep, I would have done the fit with a FOR loop. :-)

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