Subject: Re: renaming a variable without making a copy
Posted by David Higgins on Tue, 08 Dec 2009 14:51:18 GMT

On 8 Dec, 13:18, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
> Dave Higgins writes:
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>> Can I rename a variable to a more approrpriate name, instead of making
>> a copy of the variable
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>> I'm using /OVERWRITE to save memory, through a number of operations on
>> a large multi-dimensional array. I'd like to keep my code readable and
>> rename the variable to reflect what the data currently are.
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> newName = Temporary(oldName)
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Thanks!
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