Subject: Re: Local Maxima of 2D array Posted by rogass on Thu, 21 Jan 2010 14:55:02 GMT

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On 19 Jan., 18:48, Robin Wilson <r.t.wil...@rmplc.co.uk> wrote:

- > Hi,
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- > Another question from me I'm afraid. I'm trying to implement a routine
- > which needs to be able to calculate the local maxima of a small window
- > moved across an array. That is, I have a large array and I will need to
- > move a small 3x3 array across it, each time working out what the maximum
- > value of that array is and storing its index (or selecting it in some
- > other way).

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- > I've investigated various methods for doing this, including the dilate
- > method, but I can't seem to get them to work properly.

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- > Is there any good (as in fast, efficient and elegant) way of doing this,
- > or will I be reduced to using for loops and lots of IF statements?

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> Best regards,

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- > Robin
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## Dear Robin,

did you tried to reform that array to 3D and to find the MAXima and their indices together with the keyword DIMENSION=3? Don't forget that REFORM 'forms' rowwise.

Cheers

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