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Subject: How to spot maximum x value AND corresponding y value?

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Dear IDLers,

I'm an IDL beginner, new to this forum and I stuck on the following issue ...

I have an input file (ascii) containing coordinate data (three columns; x, y, z).

I want to compute a vector from one point to another. I know the vector should go from the maximum x value to the minimum y value (or vice versa). I took the FLOAT function to find out the min and max values. But how can I find out the corresponding x and y values for my y\_min and x\_max values?

Many thanks in advance.

Cheers,  
Markus

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