
Subject: Re: Convert 3D to 1D, apply fuction then convert back to 3D

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On Jun 21, 11:15 am, pp <pp.pente...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Jun 20, 7:58 pm, Mat <m...@waikato.ac.nz> wrote:

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>> I am converting a image (5 bands) to 1D using reform. I then apply a
>> function to this data and get a double "Array[3]"result. How do I then
>> convert this result back into the origional image dimensions? eg:

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>> image= READ_IMAGE('test.tif')

>> imagesize = SIZE(image, /DIMENSIONS)

>> nx=imagesize[1]

>> ny=imagesize[2]

>> npix = nx*ny

>> coords_2d = array_indices([nx,ny], lindgen(npix), /dimen)

>> imageR= REFORM(image,5,npix)

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>> I then apply a function to this data and get a return in the form of:

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>> IDL> help, ret3

>> RET3 DOUBLE = Array[3]

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>> I'm struggling to covert this back to a 3D image. Any ideas?

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> You are getting a result that is 1D (a 3-element vector). You can
> change it from its 1 dimension to 3, with a reform(ret3,1,1,3), but it
> would still have only 3 elements, not the original 5,nx,ny you want.

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> You need to think about what those 3 values represent with relation to
> you image and what you were looking for, which we cannot guess just
> from that description.- Hide quoted text -

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The results are three water quality parameters. Actually it does not matter whether they are within one result or three separate results.
