
Subject: Image subtraction values

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Dear all,

I've been trying to calculate deviation of each image from the mean at pixel by pixel basis.

When I checked pixel values, they look to be way high.

I've trying to figure it out, but due to my short knowledge of IDL, problem solving doesn't seem to progress.

For your better understanding, I would like to show what I wrote.

I really appreciate for your comments and advice.

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pro deviation
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```
file = File_Search('C:\DataProcessing\Images\*.tif', Count=count)
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nImages = n_elements(file)
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```
OK = QUERY_TIFF(file[0], info)  
print, info.dimensions
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imageSize = info.dimensions  
ns = imageSize[0]  
nl = imageSize[1]
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Volume = fltarr(ns, nl, nImages)  
imageMean = fltarr(ns, nl) ; stacked image mean  
imageDev = fltarr(ns, nl) ; image difference  
imageFloat = fltarr(ns, nl) ; converting floating point
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FOR i=0, count-1 DO BEGIN
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```
    Image = READ_TIFF(file[i])  
    imageFloat = float(reform(Image))
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    Volume[*,*,i] = imageFloat  
    imageMean = total(Volume, 3)/nImages  
    imageDev = imageFloat - imageMean
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    FILE_MKDIR, 'C:\DataProcessing\Images\Temp\  
    outdir = 'C:\DataProcessing\Images\Temp\  
    basename = File_BaseName(file, '.tif')  
    outfile = outdir + basename + '.dev.dat'
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OPENW, LUN, (outfile[i]), /GET_LUN
WRITEU, LUN, imageDev
FREE_LUN, LUN
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ENDFOR
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END
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