
Subject: Re: Nearest Neighbor ... again!

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> The stupid solution is (sorry for the very very ugly code):
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> ---
>   for i = 0l, n2 - 1 do begin
>     quad = (x2[i] - x1)^2 + (y2[i] - y1)^2
>     for j=0, 3 do begin
>       minquad = min(quad, p)
>       if N_ELEMENTS(p) gt 1 then p = p[0] ; it happens.....
>       out[j,i] = p
>       quad[p] = max(quad) * 2. ;dummy large distance
>     endfor
>   endfor
> ---
>
> But I just cannot find a cleverer solution with triangulation...
> Someone clever than me to help ?
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> Thanks a lot!
>
> Fabz
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While there is certainly a better solution, you can start by removing the j loop, and use sort(quad) instead of min() ... you can then take the first 4 index.

Jean
