Subject: Re: matrix operation

Posted by pgrigis on Thu, 23 Dec 2010 15:50:53 GMT

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For large values of N, the methods you mentioned are likely to be slower then a simple addition/multiplication combo.

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x'=a1*x+b1*y+c1*z+d1
y'=a2*x+b2*y+c2*z+d2
z'=a3*x+b3*y+c3*z+d3
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Ciao, Paolo

On Dec 23, 9:39 am, Gray <grayliketheco...@gmail.com> wrote:

> Hi all,

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- > I'm just getting really confused about how to do this properly. Can
- > you all help?

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- > I have a list of x y coordinates, and I want to perform an affine
- > transformation on them, so I have a 3xN array of (xi,yi,1) and a 3x3
- > matrix for my transformation, and I want to end up with a 3xN array of
- > (x'i,y'i,1). How can I transform all my coordinates at once? I know
- > my tools are #, ##, transpose/reform, and matrix\_multiply, but I seem
- > to be chronically unable to sort this out. Thanks!

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> --Gray