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Subject: Re: Array Multiplication

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On 25 mar, 11:22, IDL beginner <moxam...@gmail.com> wrote:

> Dear All,

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> I have the following question. Let's say we have a vector A and matrix

> array B so that:

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> A = [1, 2, 5, 2, 3]

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> B = [[2, 4], [1, 9]]

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> I want to multiply each element of the vector A with the matrix array

> B but WITHOUT using a FOR loop. Is that possible??? I need to do so in

> order to save execution time.

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> The output result should be an array C with dimensions C[2, 2, 5, 1].

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> Any help is appreciated.

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C = reform(reform(B, 4, OVER=over) # A, 2, 2, 5)

Regarding any optimization, using over=1 is faster, but will change dimensions of B; using over=0 will keep B unchanged, but a temporary copy of B is created.

alx.

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