
Subject: Re: Using Haar wavelet with `wv_cwt`
Posted by [benjamin.castellani](#) on Fri, 13 Oct 2017 17:12:44 GMT
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On Sunday, December 18, 2016 at 12:32:21 PM UTC-7, owentr...@gmail.com wrote:

> Hi all,
> I've been trying to use `wv_cwt` to perform the wavelet transform on a 1d time series. It works fine with the morlet and paul wavelets but I cannot use it with the Haar wavelet. All I get in the console is "Keyword parameters not allowed in call."
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> Any thoughts?
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> Many thanks,
> Owen

I apologize that our wavelet documentation is a little "light" and confusing. The issue is that the Haar wavelet family is of type discrete. `WV_CWT` is for continuous wavelets only. You will want to use `WV_DWT` (for discrete).

You need to run `WV_FN_HAAR` separately first to create your coefficients based on the order you define.

Then you input all that information into `WV_DWT` to develop create wavelet transform.

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Example:

```
coefficients_parameters = wv_fn_haar(1,scaling,wavelet,ioff,joff)
data = randomu(1,64)
part_wv = wv_dwt(data, wavelet,scaling,ioff,joff, N_LEVELS=3)
```

Does this make sense? For continuous families, you can use `WV_CWT` directly. For discrete families, you must wave the `WV_FN_FAMILYNAME` function first, then `WV_DWT`.

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Hope this helps.

P.S. I will look into making this more clear in the IDL Documentation Center.

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