
Subject: Re: FFT in 1 dimension

Posted by [hradilv.nospam](#) on Fri, 07 Dec 2001 19:05:36 GMT

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Here's what I came up with. Any comments?

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function ft1d, data, dim, inverse=inverse

  ds = size(data)
  ndim = ds[0]
  nlines = n_elements(data)/ds[dim]

  dims = lindgen(ndim)+1
  dims[dim-1] = -1
  porder = sort(dims)

  fdata = transpose(data,porder)
  fdata = reform(fdata,ds[dim],nlines)

  for i=0, nlines-1 do fdata[* ,i] = fft(fdata[* ,i],inverse=inverse)

  porder = (ds[1:ndim])[sort(dims)]
  fdata = reform(fdata,porder)
  fdata = transpose(fdata,sort(porder))

  return, fdata
end
```

Subject: Re: FFT in 1 dimension

Posted by [hradilv.nospam](#) on Fri, 07 Dec 2001 20:10:03 GMT

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OOPS - I think this one works:

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```
for i=0, nlines-1 do fdata[* ,i] = fft(fdata[* ,i],inverse=inverse)

dims[0] = dim
porder = sort(dims)
fdata = reform(fdata,(ds[1:ndim])[porder])
fdata = transpose(fdata,porder)

return, fdata
end
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On Fri, 07 Dec 2001 19:05:36 GMT, hradilv.nospam@yahoo.com wrote:

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Posted by [Wayne Landsman](#) on Fri, 07 Dec 2001 21:41:10 GMT

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hradilv.nospam@yahoo.com wrote:

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```

I haven't examined your code in detail, but there is one line where the

speed of the program can be improved significantly:

Instead of writing

```
for i=0, nlines-1 do fdata[* ,i] = fft(fdata[* ,i],inverse=inverse)
```

write

```
for i=0, nlines-1 do fdata[0,i] = fft(fdata[* ,i],inverse=inverse)
```

I'm actually not sure why this speed things up. I suppose by writing `fdata[0,i]` on the left hand side, you've directly specified a starting location to place the computation, but if you instead write `fdata[* ,i]` then IDL first extracts a temporary variable, assigns it to the value of the computation, and then writes the temporary variable back into `fdata`. Still, I would think that the compiler could recognize that these two notations are equivalent.

--Wayne Landsman landsman@mpb.gsfc.nasa.gov

Subject: Re: FFT in 1 dimension
Posted by [Paul Woodford](#) on Sat, 08 Dec 2001 04:09:27 GMT
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From the What's New in IDL 5.5 document at
<<http://www.rsinc.com/idl/whatsnew.cfm>>:

New Dimension-specific Transforming for FFT

Paul
