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Posted by [Lavanya](#) on Tue, 03 Aug 2010 09:30:08 GMT
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Posted by [Lavanya](#) on Fri, 06 Aug 2010 06:05:02 GMT
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Here the code below. Please help

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help, corr
print, corr
END

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Posted by [rogass](#) on Thu, 26 Aug 2010 08:04:23 GMT
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Ok, sorry for delay - holidays...

Correct me if I'm wrong. As far as I understood you have 2 images sized x,y,z where z are the bands. Now do you want to get a correlation matrix (for what)?

Case 1: a correlation between pixel x0,y0,all z from image 1 and pixel x0,y0,all z from image 2 - store correlation in corr[0,0] and then the next pixel?

Case 2: a correlation between pixel x0,y0,z0 from image 1 and pixel x0,y0,z1 from image 2 - store correlation in corr[0,0,n_correlations[0]] and then for all band combinations and pixels

Case x:

Pls, describe it in more detail, then i'm able and willing to help.

Regards

CR
