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Cheers, Heinz

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Posted by wlandsman on Thu, 16 Jun 2016 18:39:23 GMT
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The easiest way is to first make the output array

outarr = fltarr(1441,196)

and then add subarrays where you need them

outarr[0:1439,0:194] = findgen(1440,195)
outarr[1440,0:194] = findgen(195)
outarr[0:1439,195] = findgen(1440)

making the sure that the sizes of the arrays on the left and right hand side are the same. One of your subbarrays was integer while others were floating point. If you really want ot maintain this distinction when combining them then I suggest using the LIST() function.

--Wayne

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Heinz,
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Posted by Markus Schmassmann on Fri, 17 Jun 2016 09:06:56 GMT
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if i understand correctly what you want, i see 2 possibilities:

outarr=[[[reform(A,[1,195]),B,reform(C,[1,195])]],[0,D,0]]

or using Wayne's approach

outarr = fltarr(1442,196)
outarr[0 ,0:194]=reform(A,[1,195])
outarr[1:1440,0:194]=B

outarr[1441 ,0:194]=reform(C,[1,195])
outarr[1:1440,195]=D

You could also use transpose instead of reform, but reform should be
faster. However reform only gives the same result as transpose if A and
C are vectors, i.e. if 2 dimensions have size >1 you have to use transpose.
