
Subject: Need: general-purpose tomographic reconstruction routine

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I'm looking for an IDL routine to do a tomographic reconstruction of range-resolved radar data. I'm wondering if anyone has, or knows of, a general-purpose utility to back project, without or with filtering, or to do Radon transform. I'd like something like this example for unfiltered back projection---but with options for the type of transform.

```
na = 18           ; # of angles
angles=findgen(na)*10 ; degrees of the measurements
nb = 20           ; # of range bins
input = findgen(nb,na) ; (bogus) range data at the angles
out = fltarr(nb,nb) ; space for output image
y = (1+fltarr(nb)) ; image generator
for i=0,na-1 do out=out+rot(input(*,i)#y,angles(i))
```

The result, out, is the back-projected image of the input.

I'm looking for a better routine with options for other transforms and scaling. I thought somebody might have something. I'd appreciate seeing the code.

Thanks, Fred

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