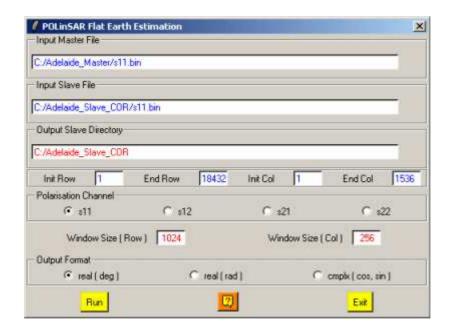


Flat Earth Estimation



Description:

This function applies a spectral analysis to estimate the flat Earth from the $2 \times (2x2)$ complex Sinclair [S2] raw binary data elements.

The Flat Earth estimation is based on a spectral analysis of the interfrogram phase over a patch located at the image centre.

Comments:

Parameters written in Red can be modified directly by the user from the keyboard.

Input/Output Arguments:

Input Master
Directory

Indicates the location of the considered Master Main Directory

(M-MD) containing the polarimetric data sets to be processed.

Input Slave
Directory

Output Slave
Directory

The default value is set automatically to:
Slave-Main Directory (S-MD).

Output Image Number of Rows/Columns:

The output image numbers of rows and columns are initialised to the input data set dimensions.

Users wishing to process a sub-part of the initial image can modify the **Init** and **End** values of the converted images rows and columns.

Note: init and end values have to remain within the range defined by the input image dimensions.

Polarization Channels:

Users have to select the polarisation channel on which will be applied the flat Earth estimation procedure

Window size:

Window Size Row Users have to set the size of the analysis window along the **Row direction** used to compute the flat Earth estimation.

The default value is set to 1024.

Window Size Col Users have to set the size of the analysis window along the **Col direction** used to compute the flat Earth estimation.

The default value is set to **256**.

Output Format:

Data Format

Indicates the type of output data.

- Real (deg): 4 bytes real data in degrees.
- Real (rad): 4 bytes real data in radians.
- Cmplx (cos,sin): 4 bytes interlaced real and imaginary parts.