
Subject: Re: Creating Variables in Programs
Posted by [Martin Schultz](#) on Fri, 10 Jul 1998 07:00:00 GMT
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Perry Phillips wrote:

>
> Does anyone know of a way to create a new array under program control, ie
> create a string and use that string to make an array. As far as I can see
> this is impossible in IDL?
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> --
> Perry Phillips p.phillips@mail.utexas.edu

here's a quick example

```
IDL> r=execute('a=fltarr(200)')
IDL> help,a
A            FLOAT    = Array[200]
```

Martin.

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