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I'm experimenting Dynamic Data Exchange (DDE) between Paradox for Windows
and IDL for Windows 3.1.1. I have data stored in Paradox database format and
would like to transfer to IDL for plotting, curve fitting and many more. The IDL
function DDE_REQUEST returns only a single value of the fieldname instead of
a range of data.

For Example:
 (Assuming weather.db is a table with 100 records and temperature
   is one of the fieldnames)

 IDL> print,dde_request('pdoxwin',':work:weather.db','temperature')
     ;answer is : 80

I need to pass a full range of data or the entire table into IDL?
 Any help is appreciated.

Thanks in advance ...

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