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Subject: Re: converting to array  
Posted by [hahn](#) on Tue, 13 Mar 2001 13:18:03 GMT  
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davidf@dfanning.com (David Fanning) wrote:

```
> array = FltArr(5) ; Or, however many values you have.  
> OPENR, lun, 'myfile.dat', /Get_LUN  
> READF, lun, array  
> FREE_LUN, lun
```

This is the shortest solution. However, I would read these values into a string, count the words there and then use ReadS to retrieve the data from the string.

Norbert

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