
Subject: Re: accessing heap variable elements

Posted by [Ken Mankoff](#) on Sat, 12 May 2001 17:28:27 GMT

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On Sat, 12 May 2001, Jared Crossley wrote:

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> Can any one explain this to me?
> -----
> IDL> a=ptr_new( lonarr(2) )
> IDL> help, a
> A          POINTER  = <PtrHeapVar2229>
> IDL> help, *a
> <PtrHeapVar2229>
>          LONG      = Array[2]
> IDL> help, *a[0]
> <PtrHeapVar2229>
>          LONG      = Array[2]
> IDL> help, *a[1]
> % Attempt to subscript A with <INT      (      1)> is out of range.
> -----
> I would expect that *a[0] and *a[1] would be long integers.  How do I
> access the elements in the long integer array heap variable?
>
> Thanks, Jared
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Hi Jared,

last line should be (*a)[0]

-k.

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