
Subject: accessing heap variable elements

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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
