Subject: Re: Array indexing "Feature"
Posted by Craig Markwardt on Wed, 12 Dec 2001 22:28:04 GMT

Andrew Cool <andrew.cool@dsto.defence.gov.au> writes:

> Hi All,
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> One of my colleagues has noted something apparently screwy in the
> indexing of
> arrays.
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> e.g.   a = indgen(10)
>   print, a(9)   -> you get 9
>   print, a(10)   -> you get an error, as expected for a zero-based
> index
>
>   but if you access the array with the index as a vector, it seems to
> truncate the index to the maximum   allowable:

See "Using Arrays as Subscripts" in the manual. I believe this
behavior has been true since the dawn of SYSTIME().

Craig

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