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Subject: Re: how to debug floating error

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In article <agggkc\$f13\$1@dipsy.missouri.edu>,  
"Julia" <julia65201@yahoo.com> wrote:

> % Program caused arithmetic error: Floating underflow  
> % Program caused arithmetic error: Floating overflow  
> % Program caused arithmetic error: Floating illegal operand  
> "  
>  
> The program can run till the end of it. And only these error informations  
> are displayed. How can I know where these errors occure? How can I debug  
> them out?

The first thing to do is to set

!EXCEPT = 2

See the chapter on controlling errors in the "Building IDL Applications"  
manual.

Regards, Ken

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