
Subject: dereferencing a pointer to an object array
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greetings,

What is the trick to dereferencing a pointer to an Object array? I want to keep track of an array of object references in another object. I don't know how many until runtime so I use a pointer to the object array and store that in the managing object. But when I go to access the thing, by dereferencing the pointer, the object array has the right size but all the objects are null.

here is how I create and store the object array

```
ZoneGroupObjs = objArr(self.numGroups)
For i = 0, self.numGroups-1 do begin
    ZoneGroupObjs[i] = obj_new('ZoneGroup')
endfor
self.ZoneGroupObjs = ptr_new(ZoneGroupObjs)
```

Then to access the objarr inside another method..

```
theseGroupObjs=*self.ZoneGroupObjs
```

But it doesn't work! Why?

Thanks!

Brent
