
Subject: Re: help, cannot create hdf-sd string array variable
Posted by [R.G. Stockwell](#) on Thu, 06 Mar 2003 17:06:40 GMT
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R.G. Stockwell wrote:

> Hopefully someone can give me a quick pointer.

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> ..... snip .....  
> headersize = size(header_array)  
> sds_header_id=HDF_SD_CREATE(sd_id,'Header',[headersize[1],headersize[2]],/string)  
>
```

Hi Bob,
good to hear from you!

Anyways, to answer myself, it seems you have to add space for the length of each string, like we are saving a 3D character array instead of a 2D string Array.
So I am going to define a string length and see what happens when I try to read it into matlab. (crossing fingers...)

-bob
