
Subject: Re: Differences between IDL's floats and Java's floats - a problem

Posted by [Neil Crosby](#) on Thu, 13 Nov 2003 13:38:32 GMT

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David Fanning wrote:

> necr@pml.ac.uk writes:

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> This is a byte order problem. I don't know Java, but

> consider this IDL experiment:

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> IDL> a=[0b, 64b, 206b, 67b]

> IDL> print, float(a,0)

> 412.500

> IDL> b=[67b,206b,64b,0b]

> IDL> print, float(b,0)

> 5.95146e-039

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> Java is apparently opposite-ended from whatever

> it is you are running on. :-)

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> Cheers,

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> David

Thanks David.

scurries off to try and get it working...
