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Subject: Re: Incremental variable names?

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Jonathan Greenberg writes:

> Have a question about variable names. Is there any way to create and then  
> call variable names that have some incremental value in them, e.g.:  
>  
> t0  
> t1  
> t2  
>  
> Etc... I want to be able to first create and assign a value to tn where n =  
> 0 to whatever, and then be able to subsequently call that variable using a  
> loop.

Here is how I do this in one of my programs. In this case, the files are named image01.tif, image02.tif... image53.tif.

```
FOR j=0, 53 DO BEGIN
  filename = 'image' + String(j, Format='(I2.2)') + '.tif'
  Write_Tiff, filename, Reverse(Reform(head[*,*],j)),2)
ENDFOR
```

Cheers,

David

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