
Subject: Bug in the DB_SQL function?

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Hi you all,

I'm using PV-WAVE Version 7.51 (hps700 hp-ux hp9000s700).

I wanted to know if someone already experienced the following problem with the DB_SQL function.

I first queried the Oracle DB with

```
table=DB_SQL(handle,sql_str)
```

Before and after this query I executed

```
info,/memory
```

The difference between the heap memory used before and after seems ok (~ 640 kb).

Then I tried to use the 'Null_Info' key:

```
info,/memory
```

```
table=DB_SQL(handle,sql_str,Null_info=InfoArr)
```

```
info,/memory
```

The difference between the heap memory used is not of more than 150 MB (!!!!). This wouldn't be a problem if the excess heap would be freed later on. The thing is that the heap is not freed even after the program exited the function that calls DB_SQL.

Did I do something wrong?

Thanks in advance for the reply

Carlo
