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Subject: Unicode Question

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Folks,

Here is a question for today. (Somebody needs to get this group going again, and it doesn't look like the whole MatLab/IDL thing is going to do it.)

Suppose I wrote a 16-bit Unicode value (a char in several programming languages) into a binary file. Then suppose I wanted to read that value out of the file in IDL and convert it to a string. How, exactly, would I go about doing that? Is it possible?

Cheers,

David

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