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Subject: Re: Basic format code question

Posted by [Foldy Lajos](#) on Mon, 16 Oct 2006 09:26:04 GMT

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I see. IDL portability :-)

On Mon, 16 Oct 2006, Wox wrote:

> Cfr. Manual on Format Code:

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> ...

> Data Type w d e

> Float, Complex 15 7 2 (3 for Windows)

> ...

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> Btw, I'm using 6.2 (Win)

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> On Mon, 16 Oct 2006 11:08:19 +0200, FÖLDY Lajos <foldy@rmki.kfki.hu>

> wrote:

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>> the min/max exponent for float is -/+38. Two figures is enough :-)

>> I have tried IDL 5.3 (Solaris), with the same result. Which IDL version

>> prints three figures?

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>> regards,

>> lajos

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>> On Mon, 16 Oct 2006, greg michael wrote:

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>>> So your version is using only two figures for the exponent - why is

>>> that?

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>>> Greg

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