
Subject: Re: Weirdest Error Ever

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 18 Oct 2006 18:44:12 GMT

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Lajos writes:

> Function lookup comes first, then array subscripting. So, this part can be
> explained :-)

Yeah, yeah. IDL is confused. It thinks a function call
is a variable reference. I get that that. I even understand
how this works internally (more or less).

What I don't get is how THIS line causes the confusion:

```
bar = BYTSCL(bar, TOP=(ncolors-1) < (255-bottom)) + bottom
```

And this line doesn't:

```
bar = BYTSCL(bar, TOP=(ncolors-1 < (255-bottom))) + bottom
```

Any insights into that?

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
