
Subject: Re: simple question (I hope)

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Hi Wayne,

I have one more question about it, but it is more about how IDL works than the REMOVE routine.

Say for example I do this:

```
group_array = huge_array[groupidx]
indices_2_remove_in_group_array = [...]
```

And If I call the REMOVE routine

```
REMOVE, indices_2_remove_in_group_array, huge_array[groupidx]
```

Will this call remove the elements from the **huge_array** or will it remove them from a temporary array created when calling the REMOVE routine?

I know that IDL passes references as arguments, but in this will it actually remove the elements from the original **huge_array** or not.

Thanks,
Ryan.
