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Subject: Re: error reading a large number of binary files  
Posted by [Mark Branson](#) on Mon, 23 Apr 2007 14:45:43 GMT  
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On Apr 20, 5:25 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:  
> m...@atmos.colostate.edu writes:  
>> And on repeated trials, the error always occurs in a different file.  
>> And I know that none of the files are actually corrupted.  
>> Interestingly, I wrote a similar program in fortran and using the  
>> NAGWare compiler it has similar problems, but it worked successfully  
>> using the xlf fortran compiler. However, I'd prefer to have it work  
>> in IDL, but I cannot for the life of me figure out what I'm doing  
>> wrong.  
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> From your description, I would say the chances are MUCH  
> better than they usually are that this is NOT operator  
> error. :-)  
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> But this might be the wrong place to look for an answer.  
> I think I would bump this one up to ITTVIS.  
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> Cheers,  
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> David  
> --  
> David Fanning, Ph.D.  
> Fanning Software Consulting, Inc.  
> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:<http://www.dfanning.com/>  
> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Thanks, David. Good suggestion. I sent a report to ITTVIS over the weekend. I'm now taking bets as to if/when I actually hear back from them... :)

BTW, I have you to blame for my lack of sleep lately. I recently bought the first three Anna Pigeon novels based on your recommendation, and you're right -- they're just about impossible to put down!

Cheers,  
Mark

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