
Subject: how to tell it is character or it is number?

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Hi,

I am reading in many line of mixed characters and numbers.

AA,01,02,003,anefg

BB,02,03,006,edjkflg

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FF,01,02,abc,eirjfdkf

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I need information from the 4th field, which can be either number or character. After I parsed the long records, I singled out this field.

Is there a way I can tell whether it is numbers or it is characters?

'fix' command can convert the numbers, it will give an error message then continue to the execution.

Thanks,
