
Subject: READU problems in IDL 4.0.1 for Windows

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I have been experiencing very odd flaky performance with the READU routine in certain circumstances. I use a Fortran program to generate binary format files readable by the IDL routine READU. For all files I create, I am also able to read them as format binary back into a Fortran program. However, in certain situations which do not appear to follow any pattern, the IDL routine READU will not be able to fully read some of these binary formatted files; it comes back with an error message saying "end of file encountered". Does this ring a bell with anyone? Is this a known IDL problem, and does anyone have a workaround?

Thanks. RSVP by e-mail unless you think the answer may be of general interest.

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