
Subject: Re: simple query: including loop variable in filename?

Posted by [Brian Larsen](#) on Fri, 14 Sep 2007 13:00:59 GMT

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```
> j=STRING(i)+'.jpg'
> DEVICE, FILENAME=j
```

This is the right track but not quite what you want. Doing this has a bunch of spaces in the front of the name...

```
IDL> print, string(1)+'.jpg'
    1.jpg
```

I do this all the time but you need to use trim.pro

```
IDL> print, trim(1)+ '.jpg'
1.jpg
```

You can get it here:

<http://sohowww.nascom.nasa.gov/solarsoft/gen/idl/string/trim.pro>

Cheers,

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