
Subject: Re: why does not show the number correctly
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 29 Aug 2008 15:20:57 GMT
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xiao writes:

> Hi~ everyone. This the the part of my program. The data is all right
> here, But when I run it , the number of my color bar and the grids
> does not show right. (Like letter or something) Why is that? Anyone
> can help?

It is because the number is a byte, and bytes, when they are converted to strings, are converted "literally". Most literal characters cannot be represented on computers. Make this number an INT before you convert it to a string for display.

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
