
Subject: Re: very simple Index question~~~help~~~
Posted by [Carsten Lechte](#) on Tue, 16 Sep 2008 08:22:26 GMT
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xiao wrote:

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> I have a very simple question , I have an 178*300 array, I want to  
> read it line by line like this :  
>  
> print,diff(53399)
```

This works, and this

```
> print,diff(178*299+177)      ;178*299+177=53399
```

does not? Try

```
PRINT, 178*299+177
```

and you will probably see a negative number.

Visit http://www.dfanning.com/code_tips/mostcommon.html and read
"Problems Caused by Short Integers". Swearing is optional;-)

chl
