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Has anyone else had problems reading hdf files? I'm using a program that uses a variety of the H5* routines in IDL version 6.2.. I read one of my data files and the program takes around 5 seconds. I read a couple more files and suddenly it takes an age to read. The solution I adopt is to shutdown IDL and re-start at the point that I'd got to. Programming purists may disapprove but it works for me as all I'm doing with the data is writing it out to another format. Presumably there is some kind of memory allocation problem going on, but what can I do about it?