## Subject: Re: creating dynamic array Posted by pgrigis on Wed, 07 Jan 2009 15:46:14 GMT

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David Fanning wrote:
> Bennett writes:
>> On Jan 6, 5:55=A0pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
>>> nakisa writes:
>>>> I have a file of data of
>>> = A0x,y,L.
>>>
>>>> I need to compare of L with a fix value and plot (x,y) with less " L "
>>>> with one color and the other (x,y) with other color.
>>>> The problem is I need to compare =A0L, then store the x and y s in new
>>> variable, for example new 1 and new2, then plot them.
>>>> Fro this plot, I think the only way is to store data in array, but I
>>> need dynamic array and I don't know how can I create dynamic array?
>>>
>>> I'm guessing the WHERE function might be your friend.
>>> IDL> ? where
>>>
>>> Cheers,
>>>
>>> David
>>
>> And pointers could be useful for dynamic arrays.
> Except this didn't sound like much of a dynamic array
> problem. :-(
Now we're going a bit off topic...
But I would argue that nothing(1) is *static* in IDL,
and everything is *dynamic* in IDL: variables, arrays,
(even memory leaks ;-), so you can redefine anything
to anything else at runtime...
Ciao,
Paolo
(1) well, of course, with the exception of named
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variables, etc. etc. etc. ;-)

structures, structure tags, common blocks

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> Cheers,
> David
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- > David Fanning, Ph.D.
- > Fanning Software Consulting, Inc.
- > Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: http://www.dfanning.com/
- > Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")