Subject: Re: Reading multiple ASCII files in as 2d arrays and putting them into a 3d array

Posted by polystethylene on Sun, 15 Feb 2009 19:35:50 GMT

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On Feb 15, 7:05 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:
> polystethylene writes:
>> Thanks for the swift response!
>> I've just tried that, and it fails with the message:
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>> % Attempt to subscript DATA with I is out of range.
>
>> a quick print of framearray and data reveal that 'framearray' contains
>> the values of the 125th file, but 'data' is full of zeros.
>> Not quite sure what it's complaint means...
>
> Whoops! Didn't notice your loop variables before.
> IDL is a zero indexed language. You loops will
> have to go from 0 to n-1, not from 1 to n.
>
> I think this might be what the error is about.
> I think I=125 is out of bounds of your last array
 dimension, which should go from 0 to 124.
>
 Cheers,
> David
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Ah yes of course. I know that as well, that's just me being stupid. Actually, looking at it, I know why I set the loop from 1 to 125: I make use of the loop index to open each file.

> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:http://www.dfanning.com/

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

If I change the loop counter to 0,124, it tries to open file 000.dump, which doesn't exist. Is there anyway to specify i+1 in my second line?

Thanks David