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Subject: IDL reading grib data on 64bit-machine  
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I used to work with the 32bit-GRIB data reading library provided in the IDL community code library ( <http://www.itvvis.com/UserCommunity/CodeLibrary.aspx>) and everything worked fine.

As I upgraded my system to a new computer and 64bit Linux, the routine does not work anymore. Certainly, I could convert the data to binary or netcdf. However, the GRIB routine from the code library was the more elegant solution and I would like to know, if there is a 64bit version or if I can start IDL in 32 bit mode.

Sincerely,  
Jan

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