
Subject: Re: How to skip lines when reading in a file
Posted by [Ashley Berg](#) on Mon, 07 Feb 2011 18:34:53 GMT
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On Feb 7, 11:23 am, Gray <grayliketheco...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Feb 7, 1:10 pm, Ashley Berg <ashley.b...@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> I have monthly mean temp data from Jan 1958 to Dec 2008 (1 col, 612
>> rows). I want only the data from the months of December, January, and
>> February in a new array, so the resulting time series will be one
>> column by 153 rows. I'm not sure how to grab only those three months
>> while ignoring the other 9. Could someone show me the best way to do
>> this? Thank you!

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> Do you have some way of knowing which month corresponds to which
> data? Like a month array or something? What are your data types?
> You're going to want to use WHERE().

That's a good idea; since there are no month labels on the data in the
file (just the numbers), I can just create a month array, and where
month[i] is DEC, JAN, or FEB I could have it grab temp[i] from my data
array. That way I'd get a new array with just the temps from those
three months. I'll give that a try.
