
Subject: Re: Name of arrays

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Sun, 19 Feb 2012 15:03:11 GMT

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Lajos Foldy writes:

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>
> On Feb 19, 1:30 pm, Israel Rodriguez Hermelo <israelherm...@gmail.com>
> wrote:
>> Hi there!
>>
>> I'd like to use a string as part of the name of an array:
>>
>> MONTH = [ 'FEBRUARY' , 'JULY' ]
>>
>> TEMPERATURE+MONTH(0)=fltarr(28)
>>
>> TEMPERATURE+MONTH(1)=fltarr(31)
>>
>> I found any way to do this simple task. Anybody can help me?
>>
>> Thanks in advance!
>
>
> (scope_varfetch('TEMPERATURE'+MONTH(0), /enter))=fltarr(28)
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Be careful. That's a slippery slope and rarely a good idea. :-)

Cheers,

David

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