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Subject: Re: bug? or how to distinguish between a Hash and an array of Hashes ?

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On Monday, March 4, 2013 5:37:26 PM UTC+1, superchromix wrote:

> thanks. Even for someone familiar with IDL, this seems somewhat  
>  
> backwards. For the rest of the IDL data types we can distinguish  
>  
> between array and scalar objects using SIZE(x, /N\_Dimensions)... no?  
>  
> Now for lists and hashes we have to check the typename() for HASH vs  
>  
> OBJREF ? that can't be how it was intended..?  
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>  
> -Mark

Except structures. There is no scalar structure, s={i:0} and a=replicate(s,2) are both arrays.

regards,  
Lajos

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