
Subject: Re: Hex to decimal???

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In article <5hbchs\$gb7@maze.dpo.uab.edu> rkj@dukebar.crml.uab.edu
(R. Kyle Justice) writes:

: >For example, I would like to convert "'0E'X" to its decimal
: >equivalent.

: >FIX works fine for strings containing decimals (i.e '14')
: >but not hex strings.

WAVE> print,fix('0e'x)

14

WAVE>

Looks all right to me! (Wave 6)

: You might try READS.

I am using PV-Wave. READS must be an IDL function. What exactly
does it do?

READS reads the input from a string instead of a file:

READS, string, var1, var2 instead of READF, unit, var1, var2

This way you have a possibility to use the usual READING procedures
to interpret any strings that pass by.

Regards, George

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