
Subject: Re: 'Replicat' a string array

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 18 Dec 2013 14:02:27 GMT

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zhangj.sdu@gmail.com writes:

> I have a string array representing date/time, for example, ['2008-07-25T20:56', '2008-07-25T21:32']. Any idea to 'replicate' it into a 2x100 array in a way similar to that described in the 'Dimensional Juggling Tutorial' (http://www.idlcoyote.com/tips/rebin_magic.html)?

Maybe something like this:

```
IDL> a = '2008-07-25T20:56' & b = '2008-07-25T21:32'
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```
IDL> c = [Reform(Replicate(a, 20), 1, 20), $  
        Reform(Replicate(b,20), 1, 20)]
```

```
IDL> help, c
```

```
C          STRING   = Array[2, 20]
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Cheers,

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

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