
Subject: String array Read and Write

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Hi,

I get garbage when I read in a array of strings that I had written using the following code

```
openw, lun, 'test.dat', /get_lun
```

```
afilename=bytarr(256,N)
```

```
read in N afilenames...
```

```
afilenames_temp=string(afilename(0:255,N) )
```

```
writeu, lun,afilenames_temp(0:N-1)
```

```
close,lun
```

* Here If I give pring afilenames_temp(0:10) I get first 11 file complete names

Looks like afilenames_temp has all the info that I needed to store in it and I should have written it into the binary file...

However when I read test.dat with the following code I get garbage.

```
openr, lun, 'test.dat', /get_lun
```

```
afile = string(lengths+1)
```

```
readu, lun,afile
```

Can anybody help...

GlanPlon !!
