
Subject: -32768

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I'd like to set an integer variable to the value -32768, but this doesn't work...

```
IDL> a=-32768
```

```
IDL> help,a
```

```
A          LONG    =    -32768
```

...it gives a long. This works:

```
IDL> a=-32767-1
```

```
IDL> help,a
```

```
A          INT     =    -32768
```

but it's a strange thing to have to do.

Greg
