
Subject: Re: Reading in date & time from csv file
Posted by [Fabzi](#) on Mon, 19 May 2014 06:59:05 GMT
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On 19.05.2014 03:40, justinclouds wrote:

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> This would work. However, the output to:  
>  
> time=string(data.field01[*])  
>  
> is:  
>  
> IDL> print, time[0]  
>    2014.0000  
>  
> and the value in the csv file is 2014_05_12_18_39_33.194  
>  
> So I need to fix how the data is read into 'time' vector.  
>  
> Any ideas?  
>  
> - D
```

It does not make much sense. If I have a csv file which looks like this:

```
2014_05_12_18_39_33.194, 12.25  
2014_05_13_18_39_33.194, 12.25
```

and I read it with read_csv i get:

```
IDL> data = READ_CSV('test.csv')  
IDL> print, data.FIELD1[0]  
2014_05_12_18_39_33.194
```

then I would do what mMtthew said and maybe use the julday() function

Cheers,

Fabien
