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Subject: Read Microsoft FORTRAN binary format??  
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I have some rather large data files that were generated (I believe) with Microsoft FORTRAN on a PC using a `FORMAT='BINARY' OPEN` statement. I would like to read these files on my Sun using IDL. I do know the length of each record and which bytes correspond to given variables. Can anyone tell me how I should approach this??

Thanks.

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