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Subject: raw contents of data memory

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Ok, I'm not sure how to ask the question, because I'm not sure what it is I don't know.

I'm looking at some python code that I want to do in IDL, the line I'm getting stuck on is using the numpy function: `numpy.tostring()` . here's the documentation for that function:

<http://docs.scipy.org/doc/numpy/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.tostring.html>

The manual says "Constructs Python bytes showing a copy of the raw contents of data memory. " and so that seems to be what I want to do, but I haven't got the foggiest idea where to even begin looking in the IDL manuals or existing libraries? Any thoughts out there?

-Russell

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