
Subject: Re: Feature request: printing very long arrays
Posted by [wlandsman](#) on Tue, 09 Jun 2015 17:03:20 GMT
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On Monday, June 8, 2015 at 8:48:47 AM UTC-4, Helder wrote:

> However, sometimes I'm too eager to look at what's hidden under the name and I go directly for the print option. And if I'm so stupid to do that on array of say 4096 x 4096 elements... well it takes a while and the only way to stop this useless overflow of data is to kill the IDL process.

You should be able to interrupt the display with Control^C without killing the IDL process.

At the terminal, I still like to use the MORE capability, and instead of PRINT I use a procedure that tests for the value of !MORE, e.g.

<http://idlastro.gsfc.nasa.gov/ftp/pro/misc/forprint.pro>

But this doesn't work from the IDL workbench.
