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Subject: Re: READF: Input conversion error.  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 29 Jun 2015 16:15:00 GMT  
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Priyadarsini Sivaraj writes:

- > Thank you so much sir!
- > But another error pops out saying,
- > READF: Input conversion error. Unit: 105,
- > How can I handle this..?

Without you giving us information about where errors are occurring in your program, we can only guess. Normally, errors like this occur when you tell IDL to read a number is there is only a string there, or visa versa.

Find the line that is causing you the error (it is in your error message), then stop the code there and examine what is in the file at that location and what you are trying to read (the HELP command will be useful to you). You are making assumptions about what is happening that aren't true. Make sure all your data types are matching. :-)

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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