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Subject: Re: Adding two strings together

Posted by [wlandsman](#) on Wed, 18 Nov 2015 03:01:51 GMT

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I suspect you have spaces in front of your variable1. Try setting

```
variable1 = strtrim(variable1,2)
```

before your concatenation. --Wayne

On Tuesday, November 17, 2015 at 9:36:30 PM UTC-5, Wayana Dolan wrote:

> So I'm having a devil of a time with something that should be easy.

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> So I want the end product to look like 'Run07656\_Seq0001\_Scan012', for every scan in a file I have

> So I put the following in a loop for all of the scans

> x='Run0'+string(variable1)+'\_Seq0001\_Scan'+string(variable2)

> where variable 1 is the run (ex. 7657), and variable 2 is the scan (ex. 012).

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> But for some reason they all print out like 'Run0        7656\_Seq0001\_Scan012'

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> How so I make it so there is no space between the 0 and the 7?

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> Please help!

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