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Subject: Re: Where.. Then Loop IDL help

Posted by [Markus Schmassmann](#) on Fri, 14 Oct 2016 09:25:20 GMT

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On 10/14/2016 07:08 AM, Cheryl wrote:

> On Thursday, October 13, 2016 at 9:39:33 PM UTC-7, Cheryl wrote:

>> I am new to IDL world, and was wondering if you can help me create a loop.

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>> I need to create an array by replacing all values in 'a' that are greater than 5 by 20.

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>> c= where(a gt 5) then [c] = 20

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>> Is this the correct way to do it?

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>> Thanks

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> I think i found a way to do it

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> a[where(a gt 5,/null)]=20 is it correct?? How can I create an array for this?

> I tried to do :c= a[where(a gt 5,/null)]=20, but I keep getting a syntax error  
if you want to retain a unchanged, then

b=a

b[where(b gt 5,/null)]=20

otherwise, just

a[where(a gt 5,/null)]=20

if a is already an array, so will b, and a remains an array

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