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Subject: Re: help needed in timegen

Posted by [gunvicsin11](#) on Thu, 29 Dec 2016 04:22:44 GMT

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On Wednesday, December 28, 2016 at 9:42:54 PM UTC+5:30, Jim P wrote:

> On Wednesday, December 28, 2016 at 4:37:36 AM UTC-7, fawltl...@gmail.com wrote:

>> On Wednesday, December 28, 2016 at 11:10:06 AM UTC+1, sid wrote:

>>> Hi all,

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>>> I have given below what I have done.

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>>> print,julday(10,22,2014,14,00,32),format='(g)'

>>> 2456953.083703704

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>>> mytimes=timegen(1,units='seconds',step\_size=14,start=2456953 .083703704)

>>>

>>>

>>> The idea is to get julian at this date/time

>>> 10,22,2014,14,00,32 and

>>>

>>> 14 second after this, that is at 10,22,2014,14,00,46

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>>> I expect the result to be 2456953.083865741.

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>>> But If I do

>>> print, mytimes

>>> 2456953.0

>>>

>>> Please anybody let me know how to resolve this.

>>>

>>> thanks

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>> IDL> mytimes=timegen(2,units='seconds',step\_size=14,start=2456953 .083703704d)

>> IDL> print, mytimes, format='(D20.10)'

>> 2456953.0837037046

>> 2456953.0838657417

>>

>> regards,

>> Lajos

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> If you have IDL 8.5 or later, the new "implied print" syntax helps you get around the default formatting of the standard PRINT behavior.

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> First option, simply type the variable name at the prompt.

>

> IDL> mytimes

> 2456953.0837037046 2456953.0838657417

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> This is the same as using PRINT with the /IMPLIED keyword.  
>  
> IDL> print, mytimes, /implied  
>     2456953.0837037046     2456953.0838657417  
>  
> The keyword can be unambiguously abbreviated to "/i":  
>  
> IDL> print, mytimes, /i  
>     2456953.0837037046     2456953.0838657417  
>  
> There's less typing involved than with an explicit FORMAT string. (But also see the new  
C-style formatting in IDL 8.6.)  
>  
> Jim P.

But if I need to get the values in the variable itself without printing, then what should I do,

Because I am going to use the variable in a loop, I want the variable mytimes to have value with 2456953.083703704 format.

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