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Subject: extracting bits from bytes

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I have a (graphic) file that is an 8-bit byte. Each of the 8 bits in each byte indicates the graphic position is on or off.

Is there a way with IDL to determine which of the 8 bits is on (1) or off (0)? Like it can be done in FORTRAN or C.

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