
Subject: Any ideas on how to make an array of assoc variables?

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My problem:

How do I use assoc variables to handle ~50 files simultaneously.

IDL does not allow one to make an array of assoc variables

or to bury assoc variables inside a structure definition.

This requires that each assoc variable be individually named,
which means NO for loops or other automated techniques.

The only solution I have been able to come up with is ugly
and is based on automatically generating strings for variable
names (like a1, a2,...) and then using the execute command

to assoc and operate on these string names as variables.

There must be a better way

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