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Posted by [BigDavell](#) on Wed, 09 Mar 2011 23:43:07 GMT

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Subject: Re: binary files

Posted by [Paul Van Delst\[1\]](#) on Mon, 14 Mar 2011 23:35:00 GMT

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Whether or not this is a homework question, you'll find that help is more likely to be given if you show what you have already tried to do that didn't work.

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