
Subject: Re: length of an ascii file
Posted by [Phil Williams](#) on Mon, 30 Dec 1996 08:00:00 GMT
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Here's something that should work.

```
function file_size, filename
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openr, lun, filename, /get_lun
stats = fstat(lun)
free_lun, lun
```

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return, stats.size
end
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Subject: Re: length of an ascii file
Posted by [David Foster](#) on Thu, 02 Jan 1997 08:00:00 GMT
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R. Bauer wrote:

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>
> Hi,
>
> I like to read ascii files at once, therefore I need to know how much
> bytes are in the file.
>
```

Use the fstat function.

Dave

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