
Subject: Reading data from file
Posted by [Neil Winrow](#) on Wed, 23 Jul 1997 07:00:00 GMT
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Can anyone help me!

I need to read data from a file I open as part of my program. The problem is the data I need to read is on a specific line and column of the data file and I can't seem to read the correct column. I have seen the 'TL' function for reading formatted data, but can't seem to use it. The idea is to search down so many lines and then across so many columns, and read the next three columns of integer values. If anyone understands my problem can they help.

Many Thanks

Neil.

Subject: Re: reading data from file
Posted by [greg michael](#) on Thu, 06 Jul 2006 18:32:29 GMT
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Try this:

```
header=strarr(lines)
data=intarr(4,3)
openr,1,filename
readf,1,header
readf,1,data
close,1
```

regards,
Greg

Subject: Re: reading data from file
Posted by [Nicola](#) on Fri, 07 Jul 2006 09:02:55 GMT
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> Greg

thank you Greg. It was so simple sorry for the disturbance
regards
Nicola
