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# EEPROM[]

## Description

This operator allows using the identifier `EEPROM` like an array. EEPROM cells can be read and written directly using this method.

## Syntax

EEPROM[address]

## Parameters

address: the location to read/write from, starting from 0 (int)

## Returns

A reference to the EEPROM cell

## Example

```
#include <EEPROM.h>

void setup(){

  unsigned char val;

  //Read first EEPROM cell.
  val = EEPROM[ 0 ];

  //Write first EEPROM cell.
  EEPROM[ 0 ] = val;

  //Compare contents
  if( val == EEPROM[ 0 ] ){
    //Do something...
  }
}

void loop(){ /* Empty loop */ }
```

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## See also

- [EEPROM.write \(//www.arduino.cc/en/Reference/EEPROMWrite\)](https://www.arduino.cc/en/Reference/EEPROMWrite)()
- [EEPROM.read \(//www.arduino.cc/en/Reference/EEPROMRead\)](https://www.arduino.cc/en/Reference/EEPROMRead)()
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