Subject: How to kill a procedure?
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I am wondering how to kill an errant IDL procedure in Windows 95 without killing the whole application and starting over. I sometimes make a programming error which causes a procedure to go into an infinite loop. It seems like I used to be able to hit ctrl-C in older versions of IDL, at least in procedures that had some sort of print statement in them, to exit out of a procedure. But recently when this has happened, nothing seems to work and I have to hit ctrl-alt-delete and kill IDL entirely, which is very annoying, especially if I have unsaved variables. Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated!

Thanks in advance,

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