In article gua@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu, chu@baron.ncsa.uiuc.edu (Kelvin Chu) writes:
> Hallo, all. We are running IMSL/IDL. Version Beta 1.5 for vax vms and
> I've encountered a minor problem. Since our cluster only has one license,
> I sometime use the 7minute demo version of the software. The only problem
> is that the demo can't write anything to disk! Is there any call that
> can determine if I am running the demo, so I don't have my programs crash
> every time I get the demoversion?
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> Thanks! --k
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Check out userlib function DEMO_MODE(). It does what you are looking for.

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