Subject: Re: about memory
Posted by Craig Markwardt on Tue, 22 May 2001 16:21:10 GMT
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davidf@dfanning.com (David Fanning) writes:
> DELVAR can only be used at the IDL main level. Another
> alternative is to use something like my UNDEFINE program,
> which can be used anywhere and has the effect of undefining
> a program variable.
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>   http://www.dfanning.com/programs/undefine.pro

I use UNDEFINE all the time. It's great. When I'm writing an
exportable program, where I'm not sure that UNDEFINE will be
available, then I use the essence of the algorithm:

a = 0 & dummy = temporary(a)

Then A is undefined and the memory is unallocated.

Craig

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