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Subject: Re: IDL Virtual Machine information  
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JD Smith writes:

> That said, there are lots of uses of EXECUTE which are no longer  
> really necessary in IDL 6.0, e.g., building variable-length argument  
> lists of dimensions for various routines (I've noticed Craig using  
> that trick a lot). Since the VM will only run .sav files compiled  
> with IDLv6.0, there's no need to hang onto these old constructions for  
> compatibility's sake.

What!? And get rid of that old IDL 4.0 license Craig  
has hanging around still. Say it ain't so, Craig!  
Don't do it!

Cheers,

David

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