
Subject: how to add a menu item for printing a variable when debugging

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Hi, there,

As I remember, in previous version of IDL, I can do this:

Set a breakpoint, run the program. When the program stops at the breakpoint, highlight a variable, then choose a menu item, "print variable", the highlighted variable will be printed out.

However, I can not find such menu item in the IDL 5.6. If I want to print a variable when debugging, I can only input "print **" in the command line.

So my question is:

How to add a menu item for printing a variable when debugging like we can did in IDL 5.4?

I suppose "MACRO" can do this.

Could anyone give me a hint how to do this? Thanks!

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