
Subject: Ambiguous keyword abbreviation error

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So I have NEVER seen this error before, and now I've seen it twice in one day, with two completely different programs (one I wrote, one I didn't):

Ambiguous keyword abbreviation: [name of function/program]

I've been poring through the user group here and I *sort-of* see what is going on, but what ARE the rules for naming keywords? I was under the mistaken notion that these were like named variables, so as long as I had unique names for each one I was good to go. Does this behavior differ from system to system (the 2nd of the two failures was from a program that I have to assume has been run at least ONCE before I got a hold of it, so it should have shown the error before I received it -- this may be an incorrect assumption...)? Is there an easy way to disable this, or do I have to go back through and rename keywords all over the place...

Thoughts? Thanks!

--j
