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Subject: String input to PRO ??

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This is a novice PV-WAVE (on UNIX) question:

How do I write a procedure which will be called with a file-name as a parameter? I want a file demo.pro which I call in wave with the statement `demo,file_name` where `file_name` is an ascii string naming a file in my UNIX directory. For example:

```
PRO demo,file_name
openr,1,file_name
... etc ...
```

compiled and then used, eg:

```
wave> demo,file.1234
```

which would open 'file.1234' in my directory. I would prefer to NOT do this from a C-shell script ... I'd like to do it within wave.

thanx --dcarney@lerc.nasa.gov

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