
Subject: Re: How do I print the procedure name?
Posted by [David.Steele](#) on Mon, 29 Apr 1996 07:00:00 GMT
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In article <3184E8C8.3292@pha.jhu.edu>, sahnnow@pha.jhu.edu says...

>
> Does anyone know of a way to extract the name
> of the currently executing procedure or function? I
> want to print the name of the procedure that's running
> along with the results of the calculation that's being
> done. That way I'll have a record of how the output was
> generated.
> I'm using v4.0 on a Unix machine.
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> -Dave

Hi, Dave. The MESSAGE procedure should work. It is usually used for outputting error messages, but with the /INFORMATIONAL keyword set it can be used to print any text message you wish. See p. 1-579 of the IDL Reference Guide.

Dave

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