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Subject: Re: passing parameters to .sav file in IDL VM  
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> You may be right. I can't get the Windows version to pick up  
> command arguments in the VM either. Have you talked to ITTVIS  
> support?

Works for me in version 7.1 on Windows...

```
pro test_vm_args
  cla=command_line_args(count=count)
  null=dialog_message([string(count),cla],/information)
end
```

```
IDL> save,/routines,file="D:\mydocs\tmp\test_vm_args.sav"
```

```
C:\Program Files\ITT\IDL71\bin\bin.x86>idlrt -vm="D:\mydocs\tmp
\test_vm_args.sav" -args "fred" "bert" "alf"
```

I see all three strings in the window.

regards,  
Greg

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