
Subject: Re: command line input

Posted by [Oana Coman](#) on Mon, 23 Jul 2012 21:42:58 GMT

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Yay thanks! Exactly what I wanted

On Monday, July 23, 2012 2:19:38 PM UTC-7, Mike Galloy wrote:

> On 7/23/12 2:46 PM, Kat wrote:

> > Hi guys,

> > Is there any way that, once inside of a procedure, to get input from the command line? If there is, what functions are available for doing this?

> > Thanks!

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> Try the READ routine.

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> IDL> line = ''

> IDL> read, line

> : Hello

> IDL> help, line

> LINE STRING = 'Hello'

>

> Mike

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