
Subject: Re: command line input

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Mon, 23 Jul 2012 21:19:38 GMT

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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!

Try the READ routine.

```
IDL> line = "
```

```
IDL> read, line
```

```
: Hello
```

```
IDL> help, line
```

```
LINE          STRING   = 'Hello'
```

Mike

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