Subject: Interesting quirk in IDLdoc (3.5.0)
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I spent a couple of hours this friday evening tracking down why all my RST comments in one file disappeared, and I could not see anything wrong with my comments.

I managed to whittle it down to this, the smallest case that reproduces the behaviour.
IDL has no problem with the extra $ after 'begin', but it seems to upset IDLdoc tremedously.

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; ----------------- >8 -----------
;+
; One description
;-
pro one
   if 1 then begin $         ; remove the dollar on this line to restore sanity
      print, "hello, "
   endif
end

;+
; This description (and everything from here on) disappears
;-
pro two
   print, " world!"
end
```