Subject: Re: Requested change to "SAVE" procedure
Posted by Matthew on Wed, 23 Jan 2013 17:33:07 GMT
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> If "accidental" overwrites are that big of an issues for you, how come
> you are not checking that the file exists before you try to create it --
> and thus clobber existing ones?

The SAVE command works without any arguments. If SAVE is called without arguments, I would assume that the user wants a new file, not to overwrite existing files. In this case, a '-001' appended to the filename seems like the right move. Either that, or make FILENAME required.

If SAVE is called with the FILENAME keyword, then clobbering should take place. It is definitely the user's fault this time.

My two cents...