Subject: setting variable to global scope? Posted by Mark Fardal on Mon, 14 Apr 1997 07:00:00 GMT

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Hi,

sometimes I'll be working from the command line in the middle of a routine, either because I'm debugging, because the routine crashed, or because I need access to the variables inside the routines and don't want to rewrite it to make them parameters. Sometimes I want to save some data so that I'll have access to it when the routine returns. In other words, I want to declare a variable to have global scope in the middle of a routine. Is there a way to do this?

The easiest way I thought of was to use save/restore, but even this is somewhat cumbersome. Not sure if common blocks work from the command line, but they're annoying anyway.

Thanks, Mark Fardal University of Colorado (email+post preferred)