Subject: does restoring sav file routines open the way to some sort of decompilation?
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In order to hand my idl routines to other research groups, I would like to not give away my source code but only binaries of my routines. Now, sav files look like the way to go. My only concern is whether the restoring of such sav files might give access in some obscure way to the source code of my routines, ie does the restore command enable a gifted IDL user to perform a decompilation of the binaries? Or am I perfectly safe by handing over sav file routines (ie not give away the ideas and work in my source code)?
Thanks for your answers.