
Subject: Re: does restoring sav file routines open the way to some sort of decompilation?

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Here is citing from IDL Help (v8.3)

You can create binary files containing data variables, system variables, functions, procedures, or objects using the SAVE procedure. These SAVE files can be shared with other users who will be able to execute the program, but who will not have access to the IDL code that created it. Variables that are used from session to session can be saved as and recovered from a SAVE file.

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>> User can't get access to your IDL code through SAV files.
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> Thanks for the quick reply. Can you give some kind of technical details about the inner workings of a function call "restore"? Or some official reference in IDL docs? (This does not mean I distrust your word nor is it meant to discredit your expertise in any way, I just want to be double-sure about this).
