
Subject: Re: How do I incorporate two or more subroutines from a main program
Posted by [Craig Markwardt](#) on Thu, 30 Oct 2014 23:13:27 GMT

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On Thursday, October 30, 2014 6:51:43 PM UTC-4, ians...@bigpond.net.au wrote:

> My question is does the additional subroutine also precede the main program ?

You can do it that way.

IDL has a set way that it looks for subroutines. It looks in the current working directory first, and then it looks in the directories listed in your IDL path.

So the easiest way is to actually just copy or move your third party subroutines to the current working directory (the same directory where your main program is). IDL should compile it automatically when you put that subroutine name into your main program.

Craig
