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Subject: Re: 2 questions about .sav files  
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Mon, 03 Mar 2003 17:12:21 GMT  
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Evgeny Turchin wrote:

> Hello, All !  
> I have a couple of questions about launching .sav files under Windows.  
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> Question 1. Can a .sav file be combined with used IDL libraries into one  
> .exe  
> file for the purpose of launching this .exe file from Windows applications  
> ? (I'm sorry if the question is stupid but maybe someone has found a way  
> to do this ?)

You can store all data into a function or procedure and this could be added to the routines sav file.

I am using such a mechanism by my compile routine which stores data in the "routine\_name"\_info function.

You can't compile yourself to an exe file but to a runtime routine.

If you give your code to rsi and pay some money they can build a routine like the demo which is delivered with each idl version,

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> Question 2. Can a .sav file be launched together with IDL runtime from  
> other Windows  
> applications with automatic exit from IDL runtime after the termination of  
> program  
> contained in .sav file ?

I don't know.

But I believe it's possible because on unix this is no problem.

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regards  
Reimar

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> Thanks in advance.  
> Best regards, Evgeny Turchin.

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a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich

[http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl\\_icglib/idl\\_lib\\_intro.html](http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html)

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