
Subject: restore

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Hi,

I have inherited an old IDL save file from which I would like to get some data.

I have tried to extract this information with the RESTORE command, but get the following error messages:

```
IDL> restore, 'mydata.iss'  
% RESTORE: Obsolete SAVE/RESTORE file: . Use OLD_RESTORE.  
% Execution halted at $MAIN$ (RESTORE).
```

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IDL> old_restore, 'mydata.iss'  
% Attempt to call undefined procedure/function: 'OLD_RESTORE'.  
% Execution halted at $MAIN$ .
```

Does anybody have any idea what OLD_RESTORE is, or what I am doing wrong?

I'm using IDL 3.5.1 (vms alpha) but have also tried on a Sparc with SunOS4.1.3_U1 and IDL 3.6.1a with similiar results.

Thanks,

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