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Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 26 Apr 2012 16:49:14 GMT
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Cheers,

David

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Oh, sorry, you were asking about PrintF. That routine
writes to a file (PRINT to a File). To learn more, type

this:

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IDL> ? printf
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