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Posted by [hadi](#) on Wed, 13 Jun 2012 07:07:58 GMT

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Best, Hadi

Subject: Re: Define a variable

Posted by [dplatten](#) on Wed, 13 Jun 2012 08:12:42 GMT

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This method of checking whether a variable is defined is in the IDL help.

Regards,

David

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Posted by [hadi](#) on Wed, 13 Jun 2012 08:40:54 GMT

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On Jun 13, 5:12 pm, David Platten <dplat...@gmail.com> wrote:

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Dear David
Thank you it is working. I want to make command to read DEM.bin file.
How i can do that?
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Subject: Re: Define a variable
Posted by [dplatten](#) on Wed, 13 Jun 2012 13:03:45 GMT
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Hi Hadi,

I'm afraid that I don't know what a DEM.bin file is. I suspect it is related to satellite data from a quick Google search. I'm a medical physicist, so I'd suggest you post another question on the list to ask a specific question.

Regards,

David
