

# Re: Run macro from command line

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Alan,  
What is "process\_create" ? Similar to Shell ?

You could specify a workbook that has a suitable routine in its Workbook\_Open event instead of the "file.txt".  
And there are ways to read the command line to Excel so you can pass more parameters, e.g. the text file to open, the .SaveAs file name etc.

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Declare Function GetCommandLine Lib "kernel32" Alias "GetCommandLineA" () As String
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But still need a macro in the WB open to do the saving.

Or use a VBScript + Automation

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I can open a tab-separated file automatically from the command line, eg  
process\_create("excel.exe","file.txt"), but then I want to Save As an  
Excel file: I can create a macro to do that, but how can I run the  
macro automatically, on the command line?  
Any help appreciated!

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