## FLOOR

PURPOSE
Return the integer portion of a number or variable rounded to negative infinity (i.e., the step function).

## SYNTAX

LET <y $2>=$ FLOOR $(<\mathrm{y} 1>) \quad$ <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification>
where $\langle\mathrm{y} 1\rangle$ is a variable or a parameter;
$\langle\mathrm{y} 2\rangle$ is a variable or a parameter (depending on what $\langle\mathrm{y} 1\rangle$ is) where the computed integer values are stored; and where the <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification> is optional.

## EXAMPLES

LET A $=\operatorname{FLOOR}(2.83)$
LET A = FLOOR(A1)

## DEFAULT

None

## SYNONYMS

STEP

## RELATED COMMANDS

CEIL $=$ Compute the integer value rounded to positive infinity.
INT
$=\quad$ Compute the integer value rounded to zero.
SIGN
$=\quad$ Compute the sign of a number.
FRACT
$=\quad$ Compute the fractional portion of number.
MSD
$=\quad$ Compute the most significant digit of a number.
ROUND
$=\quad$ Round to the closest integer of a number.

## APPLICATIONS

Elementary function
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## PROGRAM

TITLE AUTOMATIC
PLOT FLOOR(X) FOR X = -5 . 015


