FLOOR

PURPOSE

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

SYNTAX

LET <y2> = FLOOR(<y1>)

<SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification>

where <y1> is a variable or a parameter;

 $\langle y2 \rangle$ is a variable or a parameter (depending on what $\langle y1 \rangle$ is) where the computed integer values are stored; and where the $\langle SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR$ qualification \rangle is optional.

EXAMPLES

LET A = FLOOR(2.83) LET A = FLOOR(A1)

DEFAULT

None

SYNONYMS

STEP

RELATED COMMANDS

CEIL

INT SIGN FRACT MSD ROUND

=	Compute the integer value rounded to positive infinity.
=	Compute the integer value rounded to zero.
=	Compute the sign of a number.
=	Compute the fractional portion of number.
=	Compute the most significant digit of a number.

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Round to the closest integer of a number.

APPLICATIONS

Elementary function

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

95/4

PROGRAM

TITLE AUTOMATIC PLOT FLOOR(X) FOR X = -5 .01 5

