

DEGREES**PURPOSE**

Specifies that all subsequent trigonometric calculations (e.g., LET Y = SIN(X) and ANGLE 45) be carried out in degrees (as opposed to radians or grads).

SYNTAX

DEGREES <ON or OFF>

where ON specifies that degrees are used while OFF reverts to radians.

EXAMPLES

DEGREES ON
DEGREES OFF
DEGREES

NOTE

The DEGREES command with no arguments is equivalent to DEGREES ON.

DEFAULT

Radians are the default trigonometric units.

SYNONYMS

ANGLE UNITS DEGREES

RELATED COMMANDS

TEXT	=	Writes a text string.
RADIANS	=	Sets the angle units to radians.
GRADS	=	Sets the angle units to grads.
ANGLE UNITS	=	Sets the angle units (to degrees/radians/grads).
ANGLE	=	Sets the angle for TEXT string.

APPLICATIONS

Trigonometry

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

Pre-1987

PROGRAM

DEGREES
PLOT SIN(X) FOR X = -360 0.5 360