

CBESSI**PURPOSE**

Compute either the real or complex component of the modified Bessel function of the first kind and order ν for a complex argument where ν is a non-negative real number.

DESCRIPTION

The modified Bessel function of the first kind with order ν (ν is a non-negative real number) can be defined as:

$$I_{\nu}(z) = \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^{\nu} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{z^2}{4}\right)^k}{k! \Gamma(\nu + k + 1)} \quad (\text{EQ Aux-52})$$

where z is a complex number, Γ is the Gamma function and $!$ is the factorial function.

The real part of the input argument must be less than the logarithm of the largest single precision number on the given computer. In addition, the input number times its complex conjugate cannot be zero. The order is restricted to values between 0 and 100.

SYNTAX 1

LET <y2> = CBESSIR(<r1>,<i1>,<v>) <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification>

where <r1> is the real component of a number, variable or parameter;

<i1> is the complex component of a number, variable or parameter;

<v> is a non-negative number, variable, or parameter that specifies the order of the Bessel function;

<y2> is a variable or a parameter (depending on what <r1> and <i1> are) where the computed Bessel value is stored; and where the <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification> is optional.

This syntax computes the real component.

SYNTAX 2

LET <y2> = CBESSII(<r1>,<i1>,<v>) <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification>

where <r1> is the real component of a number, variable or parameter;

<i1> is the complex component of a number, variable or parameter;

<v> is a non-negative number, variable, or parameter that specifies the order of the Bessel function;

<y2> is a variable or a parameter (depending on what <r1> and <i1> are) where the computed Bessel value is stored; and where the <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification> is optional.

This syntax computes the complex component.

EXAMPLES

LET X2 = CBESSIR(2,1,2)

LET A = CBESSII(2,2.5,5)

LET A = CBESSIR(R1,C1,3)

LET A = CBESSII(R1,C1,3)

NOTE 1

DATAPLOT uses the routine BESICF from the BESPAC library. This library was written by David Sagin (Sookne), Computer Center, Tel Aviv University.

NOTE 2

Although DATAPLOT does not allow negative orders, negative orders can be calculated with the following relation:

$$I_{-\nu}(x) = I_{\nu}(x) + \frac{2}{\pi} \sin(\nu\pi) K_{\nu}(x) \quad (\text{EQ Aux-53})$$

where z is a complex number and K_{ν} is the modified Bessel function of the third kind. The functions CBESSIR, CBESSII, CBESSKR, and CBESSKI can be used to compute the relevant Bessel functions.

DEFAULT

None

SYNONYMS

None

RELATED COMMANDS

BESSIN	=	Compute the modified Bessel function of order N and real argument.
CBESSJR	=	Compute the real component of the Bessel function of the first kind, order N, and complex argument.
CBESSJI	=	Compute the complex component of the Bessel function of the first kind, order N, and complex argument.
CBESSYR	=	Compute the real component of the Bessel function of the second kind, order N, and complex argument.
CBESSYI	=	Compute the complex component of the Bessel function of the second kind, order N, and complex argument.
CBESSKR	=	Compute the real component of the modified Bessel function of the third kind, order N, and complex argument.
CBESSKI	=	Compute the complex component of the modified Bessel function of the third kind, order N, and complex argument.

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APPLICATIONS

Special Functions

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

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PROGRAM

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LET XR = SEQUENCE .1 .1 5
LET XC = SEQUENCE .1 .1 5
LET ORDER = 2
LET YR = CBESSIR(XR,XC,ORDER)
LET YI = CBESSII(XR,XC,ORDER)
PRINT XR XC YR YI
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