

SQRT**PURPOSE**

Compute the square root of a non-negative number.

SYNTAX

LET <y2> = SQRT(<y1>) <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification>

where <y1> is a non-negative decimal number, parameter, or variable;

<y2> is a variable or a parameter (depending on what <y1> is) where the computed square roots are stored;
and where the <SUBSET/EXCEPT/FOR qualification> is optional.

EXAMPLES

LET A = SQRT(14.2835,1)

LET A = SQRT(A1,2)

LET X2 = SQRT(X1-4,2)

NOTE

If a negative number is passed to this routine, an error message is printed.

DEFAULT

None

SYNONYMS

None

RELATED COMMANDS

ABS	=	Compute the absolute value of a number.
EXP	=	Compute the exponential of a number.
MOD	=	Compute the modulo function.
MIN	=	Compute the minimum of two numbers.
MAX	=	Compute the maximum of two numbers.
DIM	=	Compute the positive difference of two numbers.
IND	=	Compute the mathematical indicator function.

APPLICATIONS

Data transformation

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

Pre-1987

PROGRAM

TITLE PLOT SQUARE ROOT FUNCTION
PLOT SQRT(X) FOR X = 0.1 9.9

