

Examples

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Function Test()
  Variable oldPrefState
  Preferences 1; oldPrefState=V_flag      // remember prefs setting
  Make wave0=x
  Display wave0          // Display uses preferences
  Preferences oldPrefState    // put prefs back, like a macro would
End
```

See Also

Chapter III-18, **Preferences**.

PrimeFactors

PrimeFactors [/Q] *inNumber*

PrimeFactors calculates the prime factors of *inNumber*. By default factors are printed in the history and are also stored in the wave W_PrimeFactors in the current data folder.

Flags

/Q Suppresses printing of factors in the history area.

Details

The largest number that this operation can handle is $2^{32}-1$.

See Also

gcd, **RatioFromNumber**

Print

Print [*flags*] *expression* [, *expression*]...

The Print operation prints the evaluated expressions in the history area.

Parameters

An expression can be a wave, a numeric expression (e.g., $3\pi/4$), a string expression (e.g., "Today is " + date()), or a individual structure element or an entire structure variable.

Flags

/C Evaluates all numeric expressions as complex.

/D Prints a greater number of digits.

/F Prints numeric wave data (1D and 2D waves only) using "nice," easily readable formatting.

/LEN=*len* Sets the string break length to *len* number of bytes. The default is 200 and *len* is clipped to between 200 and 2500.

/S Obsolete. Numeric results are printed with a moderate number of digits whether you use /S or not. To print more digits, use /D.

/SR Prints a wave subrange for expressions that start as "waveName[". Without /SR, such an expression is taken as the start of a numeric expression such as wave[3]-wave[2]. (You can still use wave[pnt] but only if it does not start the numeric expression.)

Wave subrange printing is not done with /F.

You can specify a single row or column using [r] syntax. For example, to print column 4 of a matrix, use:

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Print mymat[] [4]
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Details

Numeric expressions are always evaluated in double precision. The /D flag just controls the number of digits displayed.