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# Input & Output Script:

As MATLAB R2020b outputs values to 4 decimal places, the use of 'format long' allows the output values to display all digits.

Following the step algorithm, setting epsilon to equal 1 so that the smallest value can be determined, as this new determined value will be added to 1 giving a overall value greater to 1.

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epsilon =
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1
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Beginning the loop section by stated if epsilon is greater than 1 then it must run the 'while' command. While epsilon continues to be greater than 1 then it must divide epsilon by 2 and this will repeat until the value of epsilon is less than 1. After each loop the previous calculated values of epsilon will be used to form the new value.

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epsilon =
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0.5000000000000000
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epsilon =
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0.2500000000000000
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epsilon =
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0.1250000000000000
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epsilon =
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0.0625000000000000
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epsilon =
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```
0.0312500000000000
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epsilon =
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0.0156250000000000
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epsilon =
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0.0078125000000000
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*epsilon* =

0.003906250000000

*epsilon* =

0.001953125000000

*epsilon* =

9.765625000000000e-04

*epsilon* =

4.882812500000000e-04

*epsilon* =

2.441406250000000e-04

*epsilon* =

1.220703125000000e-04

*epsilon* =

6.103515625000000e-05

*epsilon* =

3.051757812500000e-05

*epsilon* =

1.525878906250000e-05

*epsilon* =

7.629394531250000e-06

*epsilon* =

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3.814697265625000e-06

*epsilon* =

1.907348632812500e-06

*epsilon* =

9.536743164062500e-07

*epsilon* =

4.768371582031250e-07

*epsilon* =

2.384185791015625e-07

*epsilon* =

1.192092895507812e-07

*epsilon* =

5.960464477539062e-08

*epsilon* =

2.980232238769531e-08

*epsilon* =

1.490116119384766e-08

*epsilon* =

7.450580596923828e-09

*epsilon* =

3.725290298461914e-09

*epsilon* =

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1.862645149230957e-09

*epsilon* =

9.313225746154785e-10

*epsilon* =

4.656612873077393e-10

*epsilon* =

2.328306436538696e-10

*epsilon* =

1.164153218269348e-10

*epsilon* =

5.820766091346741e-11

*epsilon* =

2.910383045673370e-11

*epsilon* =

1.455191522836685e-11

*epsilon* =

7.275957614183426e-12

*epsilon* =

3.637978807091713e-12

*epsilon* =

1.818989403545856e-12

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$\epsilon =$   
 $9.094947017729282 \times 10^{-13}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $4.547473508864641 \times 10^{-13}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $2.273736754432321 \times 10^{-13}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $1.136868377216160 \times 10^{-13}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $5.684341886080801 \times 10^{-14}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $2.842170943040401 \times 10^{-14}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $1.421085471520200 \times 10^{-14}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $7.105427357601002 \times 10^{-15}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $3.552713678800501 \times 10^{-15}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $1.776356839400250 \times 10^{-15}$

$\epsilon =$   
 $8.881784197001252 \times 10^{-16}$

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*epsilon* =

*4.440892098500626e-16*

*epsilon* =

*2.220446049250313e-16*

*epsilon* =

*1.110223024625157e-16*

When epsilon is less than 1, a new value for epsilon will be formed by multiplying epsilon by 2. After this the script will stop and the final value of epsilon will be calculated.

*epsilon* =

*2.220446049250313e-16*

MatLab contains a in-built 'eps' function that will produce a value for epsilon, this value will be compared with the value calculated by the above script, the loop calculated values should equal to the validation value from the 'eps' function.

*Validation* =

*2.220446049250313e-16*

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