

## Program Examples

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'
MsgBox "Hello World"
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'
a = 3                ' Pythagoras's Theorem
b = 4
sqrt(a^2 + b^2)     ' Hypotenuse
'
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'
Ask "Enter the number: ",num
If(num < 5) then
    MsgBox "The number was less than 5"
Endif
'
'-----
'
Ask "Enter the number: ",num
If(num < 5) then
    MsgBox "The number was less than 5"
Elseif (num < 10) then
    MsgBox "The number was between 5 and 10"
Else
    MsgBox "The number was 10 or greater"
Endif
'
'-----
'
s1$ = "There is always something you miss"
loc$ = mid(s1$,3,10)
MsgBox loc$
' Answer is: ere is alw
'
'-----
'
s1$ = "There is always something you miss"
loc$ = left(s1$,10)
MsgBox loc$
' Answer is: There is a
'
'-----
'
s1$ = "There is always something you miss"
loc$ = right(s1$,10)
MsgBox loc$
' Answer is: g you miss
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'
n = asc("A")
MsgBox n
' Answer is: 65
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'
m$ = chr(66)
MsgBox m$
' Answer is: B
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'
numBags = 6
m$ = str(numBags,"Includes %lg bags of fasteners")
MsgBox m$
' Answer is: Includes 6 bags of fasteners
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'
cutLength = 6.2
m$ = str(cutLength,"Cut Length %.3f metres")
MsgBox m$
' Answer is: Cut Length 6.200 metres
' Note the %.3f denotes a floating point number with 3 decimal places
'
'-----
'
v$ = "55.8"           ' v$ is a string variable
dd = val(v$)         ' dd is a floating point number
dHalf = dd/2         ' Now half the value of dd
MsgBox dHalf
'Answer is: 27.9
'
'-----
'
' Macro: WhileProd.mac
fnum = 0
i = 1
while (i <= 10)
    fnum = fnum + i
    ' Increment counter
    i++
endwhile
'
MsgBox "Total number: %g",fnum
'
'-----
'
' Macro: ForProd.mac
fnum = 0
for (i = 1; i <= 10; i++)
    fnum = fnum + i
endfor
'
MsgBox "Total number: %g",fnum
'
'-----
'
' Macro To Use A Function Call
'
function adder()
    ' Simple function to add two numbers together
    ivar = $1           ' first argument is put into $1 ie 10
    kvar = $2           ' second argument is put into $2 ie 20
    ires = ivar + kvar
    return(ires)       ' return the sum of the numbers to the calling macro
endfunction
'
' Main line of macro
i = 10                 ' Set two variables i and k
k = 20

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' Call adder with the variables i and k
ires = adder(i,k) ' This will return the number 30
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MsgBox ires          ' Put the result of 30 on the screen
'
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'      File Write Example
'
filename$ = "C:\devel\eroof\testout.txt"      ' filename - note requires two back slashes
between folder names
iLunw = open(filename$, "w")                  ' Open file for writing and iLunw
is set to the Logical Unit Number for the file
if(iLunw) then
    write(iLunw, "Hello World\n")            ' write line - note the New Line
character \n
    write(iLunw, "This is from a Macro\n")    ' write line
    close(iLunw)                              ' Close the file
else
    MsgBox "Error: Could Not Open .." + filename$
endif
'
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'
'      File Read Example
'
' filename - note requires two back slashes between folder names
filename$ = "C:\devel\eroof\testin.txt"
' Open file for reading and iLunr is set to the Logical Unit Number or Handle for the file
iLunr = open(filename$, "r")
if(iLunr) then
    ReadNextLine_Flag = 1                    ' Set the Read Next Line Flag to true
    ' Now read the file one line at a time in following while loop
    while(ReadNextLine_Flag)
line      sinput$ = read(iLunr, 512)          ' Read a line from the file - up to 512 chars per
        ' Check that the End Of File marker EOF$ has NOT been found
        if(NOT(searchstr(sinput$,EOF$))) then
            MsgBox sinput$                    ' Line read successfully
            ' ... code here to process line ...
        else
            ' End Of File marker encountered so Set ReadNextLine_Flag to false
            ReadNextLine_Flag = 0
            close(iLunr)                      ' Close the file
        endif
    endwhile
else
    MsgBox "Error: File Not Found .." + filename$
endif
'
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