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BBBBBBBB      AAAAAA      SSSSSSSS      CCCCCCCC      MM      MM      PPPPPPPP      AAAAAA      PPPPPPPP      PPPPPPPP
BBBBBBBB      AAAAAA      SSSSSSSS      CCCCCCCC      MM      MM      PPPPPPPP      AAAAAA      PPPPPPPP      PPPPPPPP
BB      BB      AA      AA      SS      CC      MMMM      MMMM      PP      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP      PP      PP
BB      BB      AA      AA      SS      CC      MMMM      MMMM      PP      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP      PP      PP
BB      BB      AA      AA      SS      CC      MM      MM      PP      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP      PP      PP
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BBBBBBBB      AA      AA      SSSSSS      CC      MM      MM      PPPPPPPP      AA      AA      PPPPPPPP      PPPPPPPP
BB      BB      AAAAAAAAAA      SS      CC      MM      MM      PP      AAAAAAAAAA      PP      PP
BB      BB      AAAAAAAAAA      SS      CC      MM      MM      PP      AAAAAAAAAA      PP      PP
BB      BB      AA      AA      SS      CC      MM      MM      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP
BB      BB      AA      AA      SS      CC      MM      MM      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP
BBBBBBBB      AA      AA      SSSSSSSS      CCCCCCCC      MM      MM      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP
BBBBBBBB      AA      AA      SSSSSSSS      CCCCCCCC      MM      MM      PP      AA      AA      PP      PP

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LL      IIIIII      SSSSSSSS
LL      IIIIII      SSSSSSSS
LL      II      SS
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LL      II      SS
LL      II      SSSSSS
LL      II      SSSSSS
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LL      II      SS
LL      II      SS
LLLLLLLLLL      IIIIII      SSSSSSSS
LLLLLLLLLL      IIIIII      SSSSSSSS

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1 0001 0 MODULE BASSCMP_APPROX (
2 0002 0 IDENT = '1-006'
3 0003 0 ) =
4 0004 1 BEGIN
5 0005 1
6 0006 1 *****
7 0007 1 *
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26 0026 1 *****
27 0027 1
28 0028 1
29 0029 1
30 0030 1 ++
31 0031 1 FACILITY: BASIC-PLUS-2 Miscellaneous
32 0032 1
33 0033 1 ABSTRACT:
34 0034 1
35 0035 1 This module implements the BASIC approximate compare function,
36 0036 1 which indicates whether or not its two arguments will print the same.
37 0037 1
38 0038 1 ENVIRONMENT: VAX-11 User Mode
39 0039 1
40 0040 1 AUTHOR: John Sauter, CREATION DATE: 01-MAR-1979
41 0041 1
42 0042 1 MODIFIED BY:
43 0043 1
44 0044 1 1-001 - Original. JBS 01-MAR-1979
45 0045 1 1-002 - Change from JSB to CALL entry points. JBS 21-MAR-1979
46 0046 1 1-003 - Reverse the result definition, so TSI BEQL will work. JBS 25-MAR-1979
47 0047 1 1-004 - Use the new conversion routines. JBS 11-JUL-1979
48 0048 1 1-005 - Add entry points for g and h floating. PLL 26-Oct-81
49 0049 1 1-006 - Fix calls to conversion routines in g and h routines.
50 0050 1 --
51 0051 1
52 0052 1 !<BLF/PAGE>

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54 0053 1 |
55 0054 1 | SWITCHES:
56 0055 1 |
57 0056 1 |
58 0057 1 SWITCHES ADDRESSING_MODE (EXTERNAL = GENERAL, NONEXTERNAL = WORD_RELATIVE);
59 0058 1 |
60 0059 1 |
61 0060 1 | LINKAGES:
62 0061 1 |
63 0062 1 |     NONE
64 0063 1 |
65 0064 1 | TABLE OF CONTENTS:
66 0065 1 |
67 0066 1 |
68 0067 1 FORWARD ROUTINE
69 0068 1     BAS$CMPF_APP,      ! Compare floating values
70 0069 1     BAS$CMPD_APP,      ! Compare double values
71 0070 1     BAS$CMPI_APP,      ! Compare g floating values
72 0071 1     BAS$CMPI_APP,      ! Compare h floating values
73 0072 1 |
74 0073 1 |
75 0074 1 | INCLUDE FILES:
76 0075 1 |
77 0076 1 |
78 0077 1 REQUIRE 'RTLIN:RTLPSECT';      ! Macros for defining psects
79 0172 1 |
80 0173 1 LIBRARY 'RTLSTARLE';      ! System definitions
81 0174 1 |
82 0175 1 |
83 0176 1 | MACROS:
84 0177 1 |
85 0178 1 |     NONE
86 0179 1 |
87 0180 1 | EQUATED SYMBOLS:
88 0181 1 |
89 0182 1 |     NONE
90 0183 1 |
91 0184 1 | PSECTS:
92 0185 1 |
93 0186 1 DECLARE_PSECTS (BAS);      ! Declare psects for BAS$ facility
94 0187 1 |
95 0188 1 | OWN STORAGE:
96 0189 1 |
97 0190 1 |     NONE
98 0191 1 |
99 0192 1 | EXTERNAL REFERENCES:
100 0193 1 |
101 0194 1 |
102 0195 1 EXTERNAL ROUTINE
103 0196 1     BAS$CVT_OUT_D_G,      ! Convert double to text
104 0197 1     BAS$CVT_OUT_G_G,      ! Convert gfloat to text
105 0198 1     BAS$CVT_OUT_H_G,      ! Convert hfloat to text
106 0199 1     BAS$$STOP :~NOVALUE; ! signals fatal error
107 0200 1 |
108 0201 1 |
109 0202 1 | The following are the error codes used in this module.
110 0203 1 |

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: 111      0204 1
: 112      0205 1 EXTERNAL LITERAL
: 113      0206 1   BAS$K_PROLOSSOR;
: 114      0207 1
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! Program lost, sorry

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: 116      0208 1 GLOBAL ROUTINE BASSCMPF_APP (           ! Compare floating values
: 117      0209 1     VAL1,                               ! First value to compare
: 118      0210 1     VAL2                               ! Second value to compare
: 119      0211 1     ) =
: 120      0212 1
: 121      0213 1
: 122      0214 1 ++
: 123      0215 1 FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION:
: 124      0216 1     Compares two floating values.  If the values will PRINT the same,
: 125      0217 1     they are considered "approximately equal".  This function is useful
: 126      0218 1     in Computer Assisted Education applications, when one value is
: 127      0219 1     computed and another is read from the terminal.  If the two values
: 128      0220 1     print the same we do not want to say: "Wrong! You typed x, correct
: 129      0221 1     answer is x."
: 130      0222 1
: 131      0223 1 CALLING SEQUENCE:
: 132      0224 1
: 133      0225 1     PUSHL   VAL2
: 134      0226 1     PUSHL   VAL1
: 135      0227 1     CALLS   #2, BASSCMPF_APP
: 136      0228 1     TSTL    R0
: 137      0229 1     BEQL    1$                               ; Branch if VAL1 == VAL2
: 138      0230 1
: 139      0231 1 FORMAL PARAMETERS:
: 140      0232 1
: 141      0233 1     VAL1.rf.v       The first value to compare
: 142      0234 1     VAL2.rf.v       The second value to compare
: 143      0235 1
: 144      0236 1 IMPLICIT INPUTS:
: 145      0237 1
: 146      0238 1     NONE
: 147      0239 1
: 148      0240 1 IMPLICIT OUTPUTS:
: 149      0241 1
: 150      0242 1     NONE
: 151      0243 1
: 152      0244 1 ROUTINE VALUE:
: 153      0245 1 COMPLETION CODES:
: 154      0246 1
: 155      0247 1     1 = not approximately equal,
: 156      0248 1     0 = approximately equal.
: 157      0249 1
: 158      0250 1 SIDE EFFECTS:
: 159      0251 1
: 160      0252 1     NONE
: 161      0253 1
: 162      0254 1 --
: 163      0255 1
: 164      0256 2 BEGIN
: 165      0257 2
: 166      0258 2 BUILTIN
: 167      0259 2     CVTFD;
: 168      0260 2
: 169      0261 2 LOCAL
: 170      0262 2     D VALUE : VECTOR [2],
: 171      0263 2     DSC1  : BLOCK [8, BYTÉ],
: 172      0264 2     BUF1  : VECTOR [14, BYTÉ],

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: 173      0265      2
: 174      0266      2
: 175      0267      2
: 176      0268      2
: 177      0269      2
: 178      0270      2
: 179      0271      2
: 180      0272      2
: 181      0273      2
: 182      0274      2
: 183      0275      2
: 184      0276      2
: 185      0277      2
: 186      0278      2
: 187      0279      2
: 188      0280      2
: 189      0281      2
: 190      0282      2
: 191      0283      2
: 192      0284      2
: 193      0285      2
: 194      0286      2
: 195      0287      2
: 196      0288      2
: 197      0289      2
: 198      0290      2
: 199      0291      2
: 200      0292      2
: 201      0293      2
: 202      0294      2
: 203      0295      2
: 204      0296      2

DSC2 : BLOCK [8, BYTE],
BUF2 : VECTOR [14, BYTE],
RET_LENGTH;

!+
Call the formatter for each value to get two character strings.
!-
DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
DSC1 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
DSC1 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF1;
CVTFD (VAL1, D VALUE [0]);
BASSCVT_OUT_D_G (D VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC1, 0);
DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;

DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
DSC2 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
DSC2 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF2;
CVTFD (VAL2, D VALUE [0]);
BASSCVT_OUT_D_G (D VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC2, 0);
DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;

!+
If the two strings are equal, the values are approximately equal.
!-
IF (.DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] NEQU .DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH]) THEN RETURN (1);
IF (CH$EQL (.RET_LENGTH, .DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER], .RET_LENGTH, .DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER])) THEN RETURN (0);
RETURN (1);
END;
! end of BASSCMPF_APP

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.TITLE BASSCMP_APPROX
.IDENT \1-006\

.EXTRN BASSCVT_OUT_D_G
.EXTRN BASSCVT_OUT_G_G
.EXTRN BASSCVT_OUT_H_G
.EXTRN BASS$STOP, BASS$K_PROLOSSOR

.PSECT _BASSCODE, NOWRT, SHR, PIC, 2

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: 0208
: 0272
: 0275
: 0276
: 0277
: 0278

001C 00000
54 0000000G 00 9E 00002
5E 3C C2 00009
2C AE 010E000E 8F D0 0000C
30 AE 1C AE 9E 00014
34 AE 04 AC 56 00019
7E D4 0001E
30 AE 9F 00020
08 AE 9F 00023
7E D4 00026
44 AE 9F 00028
2C 64 05 FB 0002B
AE 6E B0 0002E

.ENTRY BASSCMPF_APP, Save R2,R3,R4
MOVAB BASSCVT_OUT_D_G, R4
SUBL2 #60, SP
MOVL #17694734, DSC1
MOVAB BUF1, DSC1+4
CVTFD VAL1, D_VALUE
CLRL -(SP)
PUSHAB DSC1
PUSHAB RET_LENGTH
CLRL -(SP)
PUSHAB D_VALUE
CALLS #5, BASSCVT_OUT_D_G
MOVW RET_LENGTH, DSC1

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	14	AE	010E000E	8F	D0	00032	MOVL	#17694734, DSC2	:	0280
	18	AE	04	AE	9E	0003A	MOVAB	BUF2, DSC2+4	:	0283
	34	AE	08	AC	56	0003F	CVTFD	VAL2, D_VALUE	:	0284
				7E	D4	00044	CLRL	-(SP)	:	0285
			18	AE	9F	00046	PUSHAB	DSC2	:	
			08	AE	9F	00049	PUSHAB	RET_LENGTH	:	
				7E	D4	0004C	CLRL	-(SP)	:	
			44	AE	9F	0004E	PUSHAB	D_VALUE	:	
		64		05	FB	00051	CALLS	#5, BASSCVT_OUT_D_G	:	
	14	AE		6E	B0	00054	MOVW	RET_LENGTH, DSC2	:	0286
	14	AE	2C	AE	81	00058	CMPW	DSC2, DSC2	:	0291
				08	12	0005D	BNEQ	1\$	:	
18	BE			6E	29	0005F	CMPC3	RET_LENGTH, @DSC1+4, @DSC2+4	:	0293
				04	13	00065	BEQL	2\$	:	
		50		01	D0	00067	MOVL	#1, R0	:	0295
					04	0006A	RET		:	
				50	D4	0006B	CLRL	R0	:	0296
					04	0006D	RET		:	

; Routine Size: 110 bytes, Routine Base: \_BASSCODE + 0000

; 205 0297 1

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207 0298 1 GLOBAL ROUTINE BASSCMPD_APP (
208 0299 1 VAL1_LO,
209 0300 1 VAL1_HI, VAL2_LO,
210 0301 1 VAL2_HI) =
211 0302 1
212 0303 1
213 0304 1
214 0305 1
215 0306 1
216 0307 1
217 0308 1
218 0309 1
219 0310 1
220 0311 1
221 0312 1
222 0313 1
223 0314 1
224 0315 1
225 0316 1
226 0317 1
227 0318 1
228 0319 1
229 0320 1
230 0321 1
231 0322 1
232 0323 1
233 0324 1
234 0325 1
235 0326 1
236 0327 1
237 0328 1
238 0329 1
239 0330 1
240 0331 1
241 0332 1
242 0333 1
243 0334 1
244 0335 1
245 0336 1
246 0337 1
247 0338 1
248 0339 1
249 0340 1
250 0341 1
251 0342 1
252 0343 1
253 0344 1
254 0345 1
255 0346 2
256 0347 2
257 0348 2
258 0349 2
259 0350 2
260 0351 2
261 0352 2
262 0353 2
263 0354 2
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GLOBAL ROUTINE BASSCMPD\_APP (

VAL1\_LO,                   : Compare double values  
VAL1\_HI, VAL2\_LO,         : First value to compare  
VAL2\_HI) =                 : Second value to compare

++  
FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION:

Compares two double values. If the values will PRINT the same, they are considered "approximately equal". This function is useful in Computer Assisted Education applications, when one value is computed and another is read from the terminal. If the two values print the same we do not want to say: "Wrong! You typed x, correct answer is x."

CALLING SEQUENCE:

MOVD VAL2, -(SP)  
MOVD VAL1, -(SP)  
CALLS #4, BASSCMPD\_APP  
TSTL R0  
BEQL 1\$                   : Branch if VAL1 == VAL2

FORMAL PARAMETERS:

VAL1.rd.v                 The first value to compare  
VAL2.rd.v                 The second value to compare

IMPLICIT INPUTS:

NONE

IMPLICIT OUTPUTS:

NONE

ROUTINE VALUE:  
COMPLETION CODES:

1 = not approximately equal,  
0 = approximately equal.

SIDE EFFECTS:

NONE

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BEGIN

LOCAL

D VALUE : VECTOR [2],  
DSC1 : BLOCK [8, BYTE],  
BUF1 : VECTOR [14, BYTE],  
DSC2 : BLOCK [8, BYTE],  
BUF2 : VECTOR [14, BYTE],  
RET\_LENGTH;

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: 264 0355 2
: 265 0356 2
: 266 0357 2
: 267 0358 2
: 268 0359 2
: 269 0360 2
: 270 0361 2
: 271 0362 2
: 272 0363 2
: 273 0364 2
: 274 0365 2
: 275 0366 2
: 276 0367 2
: 277 0368 2
: 278 0369 2
: 279 0370 2
: 280 0371 2
: 281 0372 2
: 282 0373 2
: 283 0374 2
: 284 0375 2
: 285 0376 2
: 286 0377 2
: 287 0378 2
: 288 0379 2
: 289 0380 2
: 290 0381 2
: 291 0382 2
: 292 0383 2
: 293 0384 2
: 294 0385 1

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!+
Call the formatter for each value to get two character strings.
-
DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
DSC1 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
DSC1 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUFT;
D_VALUE [0] = .VAL1_LO;
D_VALUE [1] = .VAL1_HI;
BASSCVT OUT_D_G (D_VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC1, 0);
DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;

DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
DSC2 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
DSC2 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF2;
D_VALUE [0] = .VAL2_LO;
D_VALUE [1] = .VAL2_HI;
BASSCVT OUT_D_G (D_VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC2, 0);
DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;

!+
If the two strings are equal, the values are approximately equal.
-
IF (.DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] NEQU .DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH]) THEN RETURN (1);
IF (CH$EQL (.RET_LENGTH, .DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER], .RET_LENGTH, .DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER])) THEN RETURN (0);
RETURN (1);
END;
! end of BASSCMPF_APP

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			001C 0000	.ENTRY	BASSCMPD APP, Save R2,R3,R4	: 0298
	54	00000000G	00 9E 00002	MOVAB	BASSCVT_OUT_D_G, R4	
	5E		3C C2 00009	SUBL2	#60, SP	
2C	AE	010E000E	8F D0 0000C	MOVL	#17694734, DSC1	: 0359
30	AE	1C	AE 9E 00014	MOVAB	BUF1, DSC1+4	: 0362
34	AE	04	AC 7D 00019	MOVQ	VAL1_LO, D_VALUE	: 0363
			7E D4 0001E	CLRL	-(SP)	: 0365
		30	AE 9F 00020	PUSHAB	DSC1	
		08	AE 9F 00023	PUSHAB	RET_LENGTH	
			7E D4 00026	CLRL	-(SP)	
		44	AE 9F 00028	PUSHAB	D_VALUE	
	64		05 FB 0002B	CALLS	#5, BASSCVT_OUT_D_G	
2C	AE		6E B0 0002E	MOVW	RET_LENGTH, DSC1	: 0366
14	AE	010E000E	8F D0 00032	MOVL	#17694734, DSC2	: 0368
18	AE	04	AE 9E 0003A	MOVAB	BUF2, DSC2+4	: 0371
34	AE	0C	AC 7D 0003F	MOVQ	VAL2_LO, D_VALUE	: 0372
			7E D4 00044	CLRL	-(SP)	: 0374
		18	AE 9F 00046	PUSHAB	DSC2	
		08	AE 9F 00049	PUSHAB	RET_LENGTH	
			7E D4 0004C	CLRL	-(SP)	
		44	AE 9F 0004E	PUSHAB	D_VALUE	

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		64		05	FB	00051		CALLS	#5, BASSCVT_OUT_D_G	:	
	14	AE		6E	B0	00054		MOVW	RET_LENGTH, DSC2	:	0375
	14	AE	2C	AE	B1	00058		CMPW	DSC1, DSC2	:	0380
				08	12	0005D		BNEQ	1\$	:	
18	BE	30	BE	6E	29	0005F		CMPC3	RET_LENGTH, @DSC1+4, @DSC2+4	:	0382
		50		04	13	00065		BEQL	2\$	:	
				01	D0	00067	1\$:	MOVL	#1, R0	:	0384
					04	0006A		RET		:	
				50	D4	0006B	2\$:	CLRL	R0	:	0385
					04	0006D		RET		:	

; Routine Size: 110 bytes, Routine Base: \_BASSCODE + 006E

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: 296 0386 1 GLOBAL ROUTINE BASSCMPG_APP (           ! Compare g floating values
: 297 0387 1     VAL1_LO,                          ! First value to compare
: 298 0388 1     VAL1_HI, VAL2_LO,                 ! Second value to compare
: 299 0389 1     VAL2_HI) =
: 300 0390 1
: 301 0391 1
: 302 0392 1 ++
: 303 0393 1 FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION:
: 304 0394 1     Compares two g floating values.  If the values will PRINT the same,
: 305 0395 1     they are considered "approximately equal".  This function is useful
: 306 0396 1     in Computer Assisted Education applications, when one value is
: 307 0397 1     computed and another is read from the terminal.  If the two values
: 308 0398 1     print the same we do not want to say: 'Wrong! You typed x, correct
: 309 0399 1     answer is x.'
: 310 0400 1
: 311 0401 1 CALLING SEQUENCE:
: 312 0402 1
: 313 0403 1     MOVG     VAL2, -(SP)
: 314 0404 1     MOVG     VAL1, -(SP)
: 315 0405 1     CALLS   #4, BASSCMPG_APP
: 316 0406 1     TSTL    R0
: 317 0407 1     BEQL    1$                               ; Branch if VAL1 == VAL2
: 318 0408 1
: 319 0409 1 FORMAL PARAMETERS:
: 320 0410 1
: 321 0411 1     VAL1.rg.v      The first value to compare
: 322 0412 1     VAL2.rg.v      The second value to compare
: 323 0413 1
: 324 0414 1 IMPLICIT INPUTS:
: 325 0415 1
: 326 0416 1     NONE
: 327 0417 1
: 328 0418 1 IMPLICIT OUTPUTS:
: 329 0419 1
: 330 0420 1     NONE
: 331 0421 1
: 332 0422 1 ROUTINE VALUE:
: 333 0423 1 COMPLETION CODES:
: 334 0424 1
: 335 0425 1     1 = not approximately equal,
: 336 0426 1     0 = approximately equal.
: 337 0427 1
: 338 0428 1 SIDE EFFECTS:
: 339 0429 1
: 340 0430 1     NONE
: 341 0431 1
: 342 0432 1 --
: 343 0433 1
: 344 0434 2 BEGIN
: 345 0435 2
: 346 0436 2 LOCAL
: 347 0437 2     G_VALUE : VECTOR [2],
: 348 0438 2     DSC1  : BLOCK [8, BYTE],
: 349 0439 2     BUF1  : VECTOR [14, BYTE],
: 350 0440 2     DSC2  : BLOCK [8, BYTE],
: 351 0441 2     BUF2  : VECTOR [14, BYTE],
: 352 0442 2     RET_LENGTH;

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353 0443 2
354 0444 2
355 0445 2 Call the formatter for each value to get two character strings.
356 0446 2
357 0447 2 DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
358 0448 2 DSC1 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
359 0449 2 DSC1 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
360 0450 2 DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUFT;
361 0451 2 G_VALUE [0] = .VAL1_LO;
362 0452 2 G_VALUE [1] = .VAL1_HI;
363 0453 2 BASSCVT OUT_G G (G VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC1);
364 0454 2 DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;
365 0455 2
366 0456 2 DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
367 0457 2 DSC2 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
368 0458 2 DSC2 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
369 0459 2 DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF2;
370 0460 2 G_VALUE [0] = .VAL2_LO;
371 0461 2 G_VALUE [1] = .VAL2_HI;
372 0462 2 BASSCVT OUT_G G (G VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC2);
373 0463 2 DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;
374 0464 2
375 0465 2 If the two strings are equal, the values are approximately equal.
376 0466 2
377 0467 2
378 0468 2 IF (.DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] NEQU .DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH]) THEN RETURN (1);
379 0469 2
380 0470 2 IF (CH$EQL (.RET_LENGTH, .DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER], .RET_LENGTH, .DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER])) THEN RETURN (0);
381 0471 2
382 0472 2 RETURN (1);
383 0473 2 END;
! end of BASSCMPG_APP

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			001C 00000	.ENTRY BASSCMPG APP, Save R2,R3,R4	: 0386
	54	00000000G	00 9E 00002	MOVAB BASSCVT_OUT_G_G, R4	:
	5E		3C C2 00009	SUBL2 #60, SP	:
2C	AE	010E000E	8F D0 0000C	MOVL #17694734, DSC1	: 0447
30	AE	1C	AE 9E 00014	MOVAB BUF1, DSC1+4	: 0450
34	AE	04	AC 7D 00019	MOVQ VAL1_LO, G_VALUE	: 0451
		2C	AE 9F 0001E	PUSHAB DSC1	: 0453
		04	AE 9F 00021	PUSHAB RET_LENGTH	:
		7E	D4 00024	CLRL -(SP)	:
		40	AE 9F 00026	PUSHAB G_VALUE	:
	64		04 FB 00029	CALLS #4, BASSCVT_OUT_G_G	:
2C	AE		6E B0 0002C	MOVW RET_LENGTH, DSC1	: 0454
14	AE	010E000E	8F D0 00030	MOVL #17694734, DSC2	: 0456
18	AE	04	AE 9E 00038	MOVAB BUF2, DSC2+4	: 0459
34	AE	0C	AC 7D 0003D	MOVQ VAL2_LO, G_VALUE	: 0460
		14	AE 9F 00042	PUSHAB DSC2	: 0462
		04	AE 9F 00045	PUSHAB RET_LENGTH	:
		7E	D4 00048	CLRL -(SP)	:
		40	AE 9F 0004A	PUSHAB G_VALUE	:
	64		04 FB 0004D	CALLS #4, BASSCVT_OUT_G_G	:
14	AE		6E B0 00050	MOVW RET_LENGTH, DSC2	: 0463

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		14	AE	2C	AE	B1	00054		CMPW	DSC1, DSC2	:	0468
					08	12	00059		BNEQ	1\$	:	
18	BE	30	BE		6E	29	0005B		CMPC3	RET_LENGTH, @DSC1+4, @DSC2+4	:	0470
					04	13	00061		BEQL	2\$	:	
			50		01	D0	00063	1\$:	MOVL	#1, R0	:	0472
						04	00066		RET		:	
					50	D4	00067	2\$:	CLRL	R0	:	0473
					04	00069			RET		:	

; Routine Size: 106 bytes, Routine Base: \_BAS\$CODE + 00DC

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385 0474 1 GLOBAL ROUTINE BAS$CMPH_APP (           ! Compare h floating values
386 0475 1     VAL1_0,                             ! First value to compare
387 0476 1     VAL1_1,
388 0477 1     VAL1_2,
389 0478 1     VAL1_3,
390 0479 1     VAL2_0,                             ! Second value to compare
391 0480 1     VAL2_1,
392 0481 1     VAL2_2,
393 0482 1     VAL2_3) =
394 0483 1
395 0484 1  !++
396 0485 1  FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION:
397 0486 1
398 0487 1  Compares two h floating values.  If the values will PRINT the same,
399 0488 1  they are considered "approximately equal".  This function is useful
400 0489 1  in Computer Assisted Education applications, when one value is
401 0490 1  computed and another is read from the terminal.  If the two values
402 0491 1  print the same we do not want to say: "Wrong! You typed x, correct
403 0492 1  answer is x."
404 0493 1
405 0494 1  CALLING SEQUENCE:
406 0495 1
407 0496 1  MOVH    VAL2, -(SP)
408 0497 1  MOVH    VAL1, -(SP)
409 0498 1  CALLS  #4, BAS$CMPH_APP
410 0499 1  TSTL    R0
411 0500 1  BEQL    1$                               ; Branch if VAL1 == VAL2
412 0501 1
413 0502 1  FORMAL PARAMETERS:
414 0503 1
415 0504 1  VAL1.rh.v    The first value to compare
416 0505 1  VAL2.rh.v    The second value to compare
417 0506 1
418 0507 1  IMPLICIT INPUTS:
419 0508 1
420 0509 1  NONE
421 0510 1
422 0511 1  IMPLICIT OUTPUTS:
423 0512 1
424 0513 1  NONE
425 0514 1
426 0515 1  ROUTINE VALUE:
427 0516 1  COMPLETION CODES:
428 0517 1
429 0518 1  1 = not approximately equal,
430 0519 1  0 = approximately equal.
431 0520 1
432 0521 1  SIDE EFFECTS:
433 0522 1
434 0523 1  NONE
435 0524 1
436 0525 1  !--
437 0526 1
438 0527 2  BEGIN
439 0528 2
440 0529 2  LOCAL
441 0530 2  H_VALUE : VECTOR [4],

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: 442      0531      2          DSC1 : BLOCK [8, BYTE],
: 443      0532      2          BUF1 : VECTOR [14, BYTE],
: 444      0533      2          DSC2 : BLOCK [8, BYTE],
: 445      0534      2          BUF2 : VECTOR [14, BYTE],
: 446      0535      2          RET_LENGTH;
: 447      0536      2
: 448      0537      2
: 449      0538      2          !+ Call the formatter for each value to get two character strings.
: 450      0539      2          !-
: 451      0540      2          DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
: 452      0541      2          DSC1 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
: 453      0542      2          DSC1 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
: 454      0543      2          DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF1;
: 455      0544      2          H_VALUE [0] = .VAL1_0;
: 456      0545      2          H_VALUE [1] = .VAL1_1;
: 457      0546      2          H_VALUE [2] = .VAL1_2;
: 458      0547      2          H_VALUE [3] = .VAL1_3;
: 459      0548      2          BASSCVT OUT_H_G (H_VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC1);
: 460      0549      2          DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;
: 461      0550      2
: 462      0551      2          DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = 14;
: 463      0552      2          DSC2 [DSC$B_DTYPE] = DSC$K_DTYPE_T;
: 464      0553      2          DSC2 [DSC$B_CLASS] = DSC$K_CLASS_S;
: 465      0554      2          DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER] = BUF2;
: 466      0555      2          H_VALUE [0] = .VAL2_0;
: 467      0556      2          H_VALUE [1] = .VAL2_1;
: 468      0557      2          H_VALUE [2] = .VAL2_2;
: 469      0558      2          H_VALUE [3] = .VAL2_3;
: 470      0559      2          BASSCVT OUT_H_G (H_VALUE, 0, RET_LENGTH, DSC2);
: 471      0560      2          DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH] = .RET_LENGTH;
: 472      0561      2
: 473      0562      2          !+ If the two strings are equal, the values are approximately equal.
: 474      0563      2          !-
: 475      0564      2
: 476      0565      2          IF (.DSC1 [DSC$W_LENGTH] NEQU .DSC2 [DSC$W_LENGTH]) THEN RETURN (1);
: 477      0566      2
: 478      0567      2          IF (CH$EQL (.RET_LENGTH, .DSC1 [DSC$A_POINTER], .RET_LENGTH, .DSC2 [DSC$A_POINTER])) THEN RETURN (0);
: 479      0568      2
: 480      0569      2          RETURN (1);
: 481      0570      2          END;
:                                     ! end of BASSCMPH_APP

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			001C 0000	.ENTRY BASSCMPH APP, Save R2,R3,R4	: 0474
	54	00000000G	00 9E 00002	MOVAB BASSCVT_OUT_H_G, R4	
	5E	BC	AE 9E 00009	MOVAB -68(SP), SP	
2C	AE	010E000E	8F D0 0000D	MOVL #17694734, DSC1	: 0540
30	AE	1C	AE 9E 00015	MOVAB BUF1, DSC1+4	: 0543
34	AE	04	AC 7D 0001A	MOVQ VAL1_0, H_VALUE	: 0544
3C	AE	0C	AC 7D 0001F	MOVQ VAL1_2, H_VALUE+8	: 0546
		2C	AE 9F 00024	PUSHAB DSC1	: 0548
		04	AE 9F 00027	PUSHAB RET_LENGTH	
		7E	D4 0002A	CLRL -(SP)	
		40	AE 9F 0002C	PUSHAB H_VALUE	
	64	04	FB 0002F	CALLS #4, BASSCVT_OUT_H_G	

2C	AE		6E	B0	00032	MOVW	RET_LENGTH, DSC1	:	0549
14	AE	010E000E	8F	D0	00036	MOVL	#17694734, DSC2	:	0551
18	AE	04	AE	9E	0003E	MOVAB	BUF2, DSC2+4	:	0554
34	AE	14	AC	7D	00043	MOVQ	VAL2_0, H_VALUE	:	0555
3C	AE	1C	AC	7D	00048	MOVQ	VAL2_2, H_VALUE+8	:	0557
		14	AE	9F	0004D	PUSHAB	DSC2	:	0559
		04	AE	9F	00050	PUSHAB	RET_LENGTH	:	
		40	7E	D4	00053	CLRL	-(SP)	:	
		64	AE	9F	00055	PUSHAB	H_VALUE	:	
		14	04	FB	00058	CALLS	#2, BASSCVT_OUT_H_G	:	
14	AE		6E	B0	0005B	MOVW	RET_LENGTH, DSC2	:	0560
14	AE	2C	AE	B1	0005F	CMPW	DSC1, DSC2	:	0565
			08	12	00064	BNEQ	1\$	:	
18	BE	30	6E	29	00066	CMPC3	RET_LENGTH, @DSC1+4, @DSC2+4	:	0567
			04	13	0006C	BEQL	2\$	:	
		50	01	D0	0006E	MOVL	#1, R0	:	0569
				04	00071	RET		:	
			50	D4	00072	CLRL	R0	:	0570
				04	00074	RET		:	

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: 482 0571 1  
: 483 0572 1 END  
: 484 0573 1  
: 485 0574 0 ELUDOM

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