

About this Documentation

This documentation describes various Natural "built-in" functions for use in certain statements.

Note:

As of Natural Version 6.2 for Windows and UNIX, Version 6.3 for OpenVMS and Version 4.2 for Mainframes, all new system functions are preceded by an asterisk (*) to avoid naming conflicts with, for example, user-defined variables in existing applications.

This documentation is organized under the following headings:

●	System Functions for Use in Processing Loops	Describes Natural system functions which can be used in a program loop context.
●	Mathematical Functions	Describes the system functions which are supported in arithmetic processing statements and in logical condition criteria.
●	Miscellaneous Functions	Describes various system functions for field identification, receiving return code from a non-Natural program called via a CALL statement, converting "incorrectly sorted" characters.

See also:

- *System Functions in the Programming Guide.*
- *Example of System Variables and System Functions in the Programming Guide.*

Note:

The mathematical functions are not included in the selection box below. Use the above link instead.