
Subject: Re: divide by zero problems

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> IDL> PRINT, !VALUES.F_NAN EQ !VALUES.F_NAN
> 1
> % Program caused arithmetic error: Floating illegal operand
```

I thought that by definition NaNs are not a number and hence not equal to *anything* else. Thus the FINITE function.

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