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Subject: Re: xyouts: define decimal places of variable  
Posted by [Carsten Lechte](#) on Wed, 18 Feb 2009 11:35:19 GMT  
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julia.walterspiel@gmail.com wrote:

> is there a way to define the number of decimal places when plotting a  
> (float) variable into a plot via xyouts?

Use the STRING function, which does accept format statements:

```
XYOUTS, 0.5, 0.5, STRING( 0.3453534534, FORMAT='(F6.2)')
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