


parseFloatExpression

Syntax	<pre>set aFloat = aString.parseFloatExpression(aFormat, aLocale?)</pre>	
Semantics	parseFloatExpression() initializes a Float object from a string using the given format expression. The format expression is a string with placeholders for number variables. The syntax is described in Number Formatting .	
Substitutables	aString	Can be any variable or object attribute having the type String .
	aFormat	Can be any variable or object attribute having the type String . The pattern syntax is described in Number Formatting .
	aLocale	<p>Optional variable or object attribute having the type Basic Components::Basic Behavior::NumbersLocale</p> <p>This parameter can be used to define the following properties:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• negativeSign: characters used to signify negative values. Usually '-'• positiveSign: characters used to signify positive values. Usually '+'• thousandsSeparator: characters used to separate units of thousand, e.g. ','• decimalPoint: e.g. '.'• currencySymbol: e.g. '\$' <p>Default values are given by the system locales.</p>
Examples	<pre>set aFloat = aString.parseFloatExpression("99.99");</pre> <p>Formatting examples can be found in Number Formatting.</p>	

Example File (Builder project E2E Action Language/BaseTypes):



<your example path>\E2E Action Language\BaseTypes\uml\formatExpressions.xml