st_isname( ) — Whether valid Stata name

Description

st_isname(*s*) returns 1 if *s* contains a valid Stata name and 0 otherwise.

st_islmname(*s*) returns 1 if *s* contains a valid Stata local-macro name and 0 otherwise.

Syntax

>> *real scalar*   st_isname(*string scalar s*)

>> *real scalar*   st_islmname(*string scalar s*)

Conformability

st_isname(*s*), st_islmname(*s*):
           s: 1×1
    result: 1×1

Diagnostics

st_isname(*s*) aborts with error if *s* is a view (but st_islmname() does not).

Also see

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