

HARDCOPY

PURPOSE

Specifies that all subsequent plots should be automatically copied onto the local hardcopy unit.

DESCRIPTION

This command only applies to the Tektronix 4014 type terminals with a Tektronix 4631 hard copy unit. This hard copy device is now obsolete, so this command is rarely used. The PP command can be used to send the most recent plot to a printer on some installations. See the documentation for the PP command in the Output Devices chapter for details.

SYNTAX

HARDCOPY <ON or OFF> <number of copies>

where ON specifies that subsequent plots should be copied while OFF specifies they should not be copied;

and <copies> is an optional integer number or parameter that specifies the number of copies to make (1 copy is made if this argument is omitted).

EXAMPLES

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HARDCOPY ON
HARDCOPY
HARDCOPY OFF
HARDCOPY ON 3
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NOTE

HARDCOPY with no arguments is equivalent to HARDCOPY ON 1.

DEFAULT

The default is no copying of plots.

SYNONYMS

None

RELATED COMMANDS

PLOT	=	Generates a data or function plot.
COPY DELAY	=	Sets the delay after screen hardcopying.
PRE-ERASE	=	Sets the automatic pre-erase switch for plots.
SEQUENCE	=	Sets the automatic sequence switch for plots.
RING	=	Rings the bell (immediately).
ERASE	=	Erases the screen (immediately).

APPLICATIONS

This command is essentially obsolete.

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

Pre-1987