ERASE DELAY

PURPOSE
Specifies the number of null lines to be transmitted immediately after subsequent screen erasures.

DESCRIPTION
This command is necessary only when the terminal being used has an inadequate buffer area. The net effect of this command is that the beginning portion of a plot may be destroyed in the erase because the erase takes a finite amount of time (typically about 1 second), and the terminal is receiving and plotting data even while the erase is taking place.

SYNTAX
ERASE DELAY <n>
where <n> is a number or parameter that specifies the desired number of null lines to be sent.

EXAMPLES
ERASE DELAY 5
ERASE DELAY 10
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NOTE 1
The ERASE DELAY command with no arguments is equivalent to ERASE DELAY 1 .

NOTE 2
This command currently only applies to Tektronix terminals.

DEFAULT
The default is 1 null line being sent.

SYNONYMS
None

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APPLICATIONS
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IMPLEMENTATION DATE
Pre-1987