DRAWDATA

PURPOSE

Draws a line segment in units of the most recent plot.

DESCRIPTION

The 2 pairs of coordinates define the (x,y) values for the tail and the head (respectively) of the line segment.

SYNTAX 1

DRAWDATA <x1>   <y1>   <x2>   <y2>

where <x1> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for one end of the line segment;
<y1> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for one end of the line segment;
<x2> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for the other end of the line segment;
and  <y2> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for the other end of the line segment.

This syntax draws from (x1,y1) to (x2,y2).

SYNTAX 2

DRAWDATA <x1>   <y1>

where <x1> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for one end of the line segment;
and  <y1> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for one end of the line segment.

This syntax draws from the current point (typically specified by a MOVE or MOVEDATA command) to (x1,y1).

SYNTAX 3

DRAWDATA <x1> <y1> <x2> <y2> ... <xn> <yn> etc.

where <x1> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for the first point of the line segment;
<y1> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for the first point of the line segment;
<x2> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for the second point of the line segment;
<y2> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for the second point of the line segment;
<xn> is a number or parameter that specifies the x coordinate for the nth point of the line segment;
and  <yn> is a number or parameter that specifies the y coordinate for the nth point of the line segment.

This syntax draws from (x1,y1) to (x2,y2) to (x3,y3) and so on for each coordinate pair listed.

EXAMPLES

DRAWDATA 345 216 98 211
DRAWDATA X1 Y1 X2 Y2

NOTE 1

The DRAW command draws line segments in DATAPLOT screen units (i.e., 0 to 100 in both the horizontal and vertical directions). In contrast, the DRAWDATA command uses the coordinates of the most recent plot. A typical use is to draw reference lines on a plot.

NOTE 2

The line style (i.e., solid, dash), color, and thickness of the line segment are controlled by the first entry of the LINE, LINE COLOR, and LINE THICKNESS commands. In particular, for SYNTAX 3 (where multiple lines are drawn) each of the line segments is drawn with the same attributes.

NOTE 3

Line segments defined by the SEGMENT COORDINATES command are drawn whenever a subsequent plot is generated. Line segments defined by the DRAWDATA or DRAW commands are generated immediately.

DEFAULT

None

SYNONYMS

None

RELATED COMMANDS

DRAW = Draws a line in units of 0 to 100.
SEGMENT COORDINATES = Draws line segments on subsequent plots.
MOVE = Moves to a point.
ARROW = Draws an arrow.
TRIANGLE = Draws a triangle.
BOX = Draws a box.
LINE = Sets the line type for figures and plot lines.
LINE THICKNESS = Sets the line thickness for figures and plot lines.
LINE COLOR = Sets the line colors for figures and plot lines.
CROSS-HAIR = Activates and reads the cross-hair.
TEXT = Writes a text string.

APPLICATIONS
Presentation Graphics

IMPLEMENTATION DATE
94/9
PROGRAM
SKIP 25
READ SHEESLE2.DAT Y PROC PLANT SPEED SHIFT PROC
.BAR ON; BAR WIDTH 0.5
.LINES BLANK; TITLE DEX PARETO PLOT
..MULTIPLY 2 2; MULTIPLY CORNER COORDINATES 0 0 100 100
.Y1LABEL MEAN
.LABEL A = MEAN Y; BAR BASE A
.DEX MEAN PARETO PLOT Y PROC PLANT SPEED SHIFT
.LET XFIRST = 1
.LET XLAST = MAXIMUM XPLPLOT
.LINE SOLID; DRAWDATA XFIRST A XLAST A; LINE BLANK
.Y1LABEL MEDIAN
.LABEL A = MEDIAN Y; BAR BASE A
.DEX MEDIAN PARETO PLOT Y PROC PLANT SPEED SHIFT
.LINE SOLID; DRAWDATA XFIRST A XLAST A; LINE BLANK
.YLIMITS
.Y1LABEL STANDARD DEVIATION
.LABEL A = STANDARD DEVIATION Y
.BAR BASE A
.DEX SD PARETO PLOT Y PROC PLANT SPEED SHIFT
.LINE SOLID; DRAWDATA XFIRST A XLAST A; LINE BLANK
.Y1LABEL RANGE
.LABEL A = RANGE Y
.BAR BASE A
.DEX RANGE PARETO PLOT Y PROC PLANT SPEED SHIFT
.LINE SOLID; DRAWDATA XFIRST A XLAST A; LINE BLANK
END OF MULTIPLY