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ON	TRT, TRW, TRH
PMT, PMW, PMH	ZGET

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BIAS	INVERT
BMODEL	MOMENT
BOXCAR	PEAK
BSET	POWSPEC
BSET2	RAP
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G1

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GMODEL	RESIDUAL
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BASEOFF	GALLAT
BFWHM	GALLONG
BMORENT	HARMONIC
BMTHROW	HEADLEN
BW	INDX
CHAN	INDY
COORDCD	INTTIME
CYCLLEN	LOFACT
DATALEN	LOIF
DELTA	LST
DELTA	NOINT
DELTA	NOPHASE
DELTA	NOPTS
DESORG	NORCHAN
DSF	NOSWVAR
EL	NOXPTS
EPOCH	NOYPTS
EPOCRA	NT
EPODEC	OBJECT
FIRSTIF	OBSERVER
FOCUSH	OBSFREQ
FOCUSR	

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PROJID	UT
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RAZOFF	UXPNT
REFPT	UYPNT
RELOFF	VELDEF
RESTFREQ	VELOCITY
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RVSYS	XCELLO
SAMPRAT	XPOINT
SCAN	XREF
SCANANG	XSOURCE
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RMS

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PMT	PTWH



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BOXCAR  
HANNING  
SMOOTH

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A2	FOLD
AB	HALVES
ACCUM	LISTSHIFT
ADD	NSTACK
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BDROP (RCVR)	FR
BGAUSS	FS
BMARK	HEIGHT (6)
BMOMENT (RCVR)	HWIDTH (6)
CENTER (6)	LEVS (20)
CLIPMAX (RCVR)	MRATIO
CLIPMIN (RCVR)	NBOX
CMARK (6)	NFIT
DF	NGAUSS
EBASE (RCVR)	NITER
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## INTRODUCTION

### I. INTRODUCTION

This manual describes the spectral line data reduction program currently running in the VAX 11/750 computer at the 12-m radio telescope. Similar versions of the program operate in Green Bank, West Virginia.

Tom Cram wrote the original version for the 140- and 300-ft telescopes in Green Bank in 1970. The program was based upon the POPS (People-Oriented Parsing Service) language developed by Jerry Hudson. Later Betty Stobie expanded the program and adapted it to the 36-ft (now 12-m) millimeter wave telescope in Tucson. Contributors to this documentation over the years include Tom Cram, Darrel Emerson, Mark Gordon, Kathy Hart, and Betty Stobie.

This analysis system, now 20 years old, consists of a collection of individual "procedures" --- also known as "verbs" --- which can be concatenated together on a single line. POPS parses the string and executes the "verbs" sequentially. The advantages of this system lie in its flexibility; the disadvantages, in its complexity.

This manual consists of a *Quickstart* section to get you up and running, a brief discussion of the principles underlying the system, and a summary and dictionary of the individual verbs. If you need additional help or advice, please ask the telescope operator or call any of the NRAO staff scientists in Tucson.

For this edition, special thanks go to Werner Scharlach who collated information and examples for verbs introduced since the last edition in 1981 and to Jennifer Neighbours who typed the text.

M. A. Gordon, Editor

## II. QUICKSTART

<u>Objective</u>	<u>Command</u>	<u>Explanation</u>
Log In	<CR>	Type carriage return on any graphics terminal to generate USERNAME prompt on the VAX. If the terminal has already been logged in, type EXIT at the > prompt, then LO at the \$ prompt to exit. Then press <CR> to log in.
	OBS <CR>	Selects the data reduction area on the VAX.
	iii <CR>	Enter your initials or those for whom the operator has established the computer area for your data reduction. This area is [OBS.iii].
	LINE <CR>	Selects the program for spectral analysis. You should see the > prompt on the screen. Typing TESTLINE will select the unproved "beta" version.
Plot a Scan	nnnn F <CR>	Plots the spectra from filterbank 1 (first 256 channels of Scan nnnn). The number nnnn is an even number.
	nnnn S <CR>	Plots the spectra from filterbank 2 (second 256 channels of Scan nnnn). The number nnnn is also an even number)
Plot the average of several scans	EMPTY <CR>	Empties STACK, which may contain the numbers of the scans to be averaged. This command prepares the STACK for loading.
	nnnn mmmm ADD <CR>	Adds the contiguous range of scan numbers from nnnn to mmmm into the stack. (nnnn & mmmm are even numbers)
	nnnn A; mmmm A <CR>	Adds the single scans nnnn and mmmm into the stack. (Also, nnnn and mmmm are even numbers)



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	<b>STACK &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Lists the numbers of scans in the stack.
	<b>nnnn DELETE &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Deletes the individual scan nnnn.
	<b>C1 &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Averages scans in the stack for filterbank 1 (first 256 channels) weighted inversely by the square of the RMS noise and plots the result.
	<b>C2 &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Averages scans in the stack for filterbank 2 (second 256 channels) weighted as noted above and plots the result.
	<b>CB &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Averages first and second group of channels weighted by system temperature and plots results. Both groups must have same frequency resolution.
Removing a baseline	<b>BSET &lt;CR&gt;</b>	After a spectrum has been plotted, this procedure uses the cursor to select the region to be fitted. For a single region, type 1 in answer to the question, move the crosshair to the beginning of the region and press the space bar, move the crosshair to end of the region and press the space bar. This procedure will assign values to the parameters NREGION(1,i) and NREGION(1,i+1)
	<b>NFIT = n &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Choose the degree of the polynomial to be fitted.
	<b>BASELINE PAGE SHOW &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Calculates and subtracts the polynomial baseline and replots the spectrum.
Smoothing a spectrum	<b>HANNING &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Convolve the spectrum with a Hanning filter. See also the verbs BOXCAR, SMOOTH, and CHGRES.
Fitting a Gaussian	<b>GSET &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Similar to BSET, GSET uses the cursor to select the centers and then the widths of the lines to be fit. Sets the parameters NGAUSS, CENTER(i), HEIGHT(i), and HWIDTH(i). Pressing the space bar enters the value of the cursor position.

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	<b>GSHOW &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Fits the Gaussian, overlays the fit, and lists the fit parameters in the order height (K), width (km/s), center (km/s) with the RMS error (K) below the line. GSHOW uses the verbs GAUSS and GMODEL.
Clear graphics page	<b>PAGE &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Clears the graphics page of the terminal <i>while in line or testline</i> . There are also function keys on the Modgraph terminals to do this in or out of Line.
Replot scan	<b>XX &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Clears screen and replots whatever is in the scan buffer. XX uses the verbs PAGE and SHOW.
Change ordinate scale	<b>n.n m.m RANGE &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Changes the ordinate range of the plot from n.n (bottom limit) to m.m (upper limit) degrees. After doing this, type XX <CR> to replot spectra.
Reset ordinate scaling to automatic	<b>FREEY &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Institutes automatic scaling that, like RANGE, remains in effect until changed.
List values	<b>TABLE &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Lists temperatures for scan in memory in a raster format.
List header	<b>HEADER &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Lists "header" parameters associated with a data scan.
Prints plot	<b>MAKECOPY &lt;CR&gt;</b>	Prints displayed scan on the laserprinter.

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### III. POPS: THE HEART OF THE SYSTEM

POPS (which stands for "People-Oriented Parsing Service") is an interactive, interpretive compiler with a set of built-in functions that may be extended by the programmer before the program is put into operation and, afterwards, by the user. This language can be used as the base for various applications. In addition to supporting spectral line data reduction, POPS is also used to support the CONDAR continuum program and the AIPS image processing system.

The on-site single dish spectral line data reduction program (POPS/Spectral Line) consists of an interactive base program (POPS) and a set of application routines (Spectral Line). These routines are similar to the routines incorporated into the Charlottesville and Green Bank data reduction programs. Although use of POPS/Spectral Line does not depend on an understanding of the distinction between POPS and Spectral Line, they are described separately in the hope that this will make the program easier to understand.

When the user logs into the system, a "prompt" character is printed on the CRT screen of the interactive graphics terminal. When POPS is finished loading and initializing memory, a second prompt character is printed. Once the second prompt character has been printed, the user may enter a command by typing it on the keyboard. (It will be printed on the CRT screen.) The typed message is completed by striking the RETURN key on the keyboard. Once this key has been struck, POPS examines the typed line for errors. If an error is found, a message is printed and a new prompt character is printed. If no errors are found, the line is processed. How the line is processed depends on the resident POPs "mode of operation".

## A. MODES OF OPERATION

POPS has three basic modes of operation: EXECUTE, INPUT, and COMPILE. The modes are distinguished by how a line of input is treated and by different prompt characters.

EXECUTE mode is the most often resident mode. The program enters this mode when loaded. Entry to each of the other modes is from this mode. Each of the other modes exits to this mode, and an error in a statement in any mode returns the program to this mode.

EXECUTE mode prompts with a caret (>) and, as its name implies, immediately executes the commands entered by the user. A session with POPS in EXECUTE mode might look like this:

```
>PRINT 'RADIO ASTRONOMY'
  RADIO ASTRONOMY
>PRINT SQRT(2)
  1.4142
>
```

INPUT mode is a special purpose mode. When in this mode, POPS prompts with a number sign (#). This mode is entered by means of the READ command, which has the form READ <list>. <list> is a list of variable names. Once this command is entered, POPS prompts with the number sign until the user has input enough values to satisfy the list. For example, a session might look like this:

```
>READ BMARK BBASE
#1
#30 40
>
```

(BMARK is a single-valued variable, and BBASE is a two-value array; both are application variables.) In INPUT mode, input is treated as a value to be assigned to a

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variable. Note that once the argument list is satisfied, POPS automatically returns to EXECUTE mode. The reader is referred to the Verb and Operator Dictionary entry for READ.

COMPILE mode is really two modes -- DEFINE and EDIT. Both of these use the colon (:) as the prompt character. DEFINE mode is entered by means of the PROCEDURE statement and is used to create a new user-defined operator. The word PROCEDURE must be followed by an unused name, which becomes the new operator. The program responds to the PROCEDURE statement by prompting with a colon. All statements entered by the user after a colon constitute the definition of the new operator. The definition is terminated by the command FINISH (entered immediately after a colon) which also returns the program to EXECUTE mode. An additional flexibility of procedures is that their definitions may include logical constructions which cannot be used in EXECUTE mode. These constructions are the FOR, IF THEN ELSE, and WHILE constructions. A session with POPS using the DEFINE mode might look like:

```
>PROCEDURE EXAMPLE
:FOR I = 1 TO 10
:  PRINT I, SQRT(I)
:  END
:FINISH
>
```

Note that END completes the FOR construction; FINISH completes the PROCEDURE definition. Input entered in the DEFINE mode is treated as part of a definition of a new operator. Note that this code is not executed until the user returns to EXECUTE mode and invokes the name of the procedure he has defined. The reader is referred to the Verb and Operator Dictionary entries for PROCEDURE, FOR, IF, and WHILE.

EDIT mode is similar in some respects to DEFINE mode. Statements entered in EDIT mode are treated as part of the definition of a procedure -- however in this case the procedure already exists. EDIT mode is used to change the definition of a user-defined operator. A session using EDIT mode might look like:

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```
>EDIT EXAMPLE 3
:   PRINT SQRT(I), I, I*I
:ENEDIT
>
```

Note that 3 is the line in the procedure **EXAMPLE** that is to be changed. The first statement entered will replace statement 3; if further statements were entered, they would be inserted between the new statement 3 and statement 4. **ENEDIT** signals the end of the corrections at statement 3 and returns the program to **EXECUTE** mode. Note also that the editing is of entire lines. To change anything in a line, you must replace the entire line. The reader is referred to the Verb and Operator Dictionary entry for **EDIT**.

### B. OPERATORS, VARIABLES, CONSTANTS, AND EXPRESSIONS

POPS recognizes two basic types of symbols. These are operators and variables. Operators stand for an operation. The program decodes these as instructions to do something. Operators may be arithmetic (+ - \* / \*\* SQRT), inclusion (), logical (= < > - &), pseudo (IF THEN ELSE FOR WHILE END), or symbolic (PRINT PROCEDURE EDIT LIST STORE).

Symbolic operators may also be application operators, or user-defined operators. User-defined operators are defined in terms of POPS and application operators.

Since an operator is a command to do something, various operators have restrictions on the context or format in which they may be properly used. For example, "=" doesn't mean much without something on both sides of it, and **PROCEDURE** needs an "operand", which is a procedure name. Some errors of these types are checked for by POPS, but the user should understand how an operator is properly used.

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A variable is an entity that has a value. Variables, like symbolic operators, may also be POPS, application, or user-defined. User variables may be defined only in `COMPILE` mode. Variables may be either scalars or arrays.

Variables are maintained as single-precision floating point numbers (32 bits). When needed for an array index, the floating point number is rounded down to the next integer value.

Names of variables may be up to 10 alphanumeric characters. The leading character must not be numeric. No imbedded blanks are permitted. No imbedded non-alphanumeric characters are permitted (`A*B` will be three symbols). These rules also apply to procedure names (user-defined operators). All names, whether operator or variable, should be distinct. POPS or application names cannot be redefined by the user.

User scalars are defined by a statement of the form `A=B`, appearing in a procedure. `B` may be an already defined symbol or an expression consisting of constants and already defined variables and operators. User arrays are defined by a statement of the form `ARRAY A(N)`, appearing in a procedure. The reader is referred to the dictionary entry for `ARRAY` for further information.

POPS recognizes two types of constants: decimal numbers written with or without a decimal and fraction; and Hollerith strings, enclosed in single quotes. Decimal constants may appear in expressions, and as operands of operators. Hollerith constants are used as operands of the verb `PRINT`.

POPS expressions are combinations of a few operators; symbolic, arithmetic, logical and inclusion and variables of any type.

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POPS expressions are of two kinds: arithmetic and logical. Arithmetic expressions make use of the operator

= + - \* / \*\*

(shown in order of ascending precedence; those of equal precedence are grouped together). Function calls and subscript evaluation are of the highest precedence (and of the same precedence). The logical operators are:

& % ] <=>

(again grouped according to precedence; where & is AND, % is OR, and ] is NOT). The operation carried out by the = symbol varies with the context in which it is found. It is used as a "store" operator when it appears the first time in any executable POPS statement, except when that statement begins with the "IF" keyword. The second instance of = in an arithmetic expression, or any instance within an IF statement is taken to be a comparison operation. The group, <=>, is on the same precedence level as the = (store) operation.

The same rules of precedence apply as in common mathematical notation whenever symbols of inclusion ( ) are encountered.

Operands of arithmetic or logical operators may be real scalars, constant or variable and also elements of arrays. Arithmetic on Hollerith constants or entire (unsubscripted) arrays is not defined.

The special values "TRUE" and "FALSE" are defined in the language for assigning Boolean states to variables. (Their values are +1.0 and -1.0, respectively.) Any variable may be used as a logical variable; no special declaration is required.



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Examples of arithmetic and logical expressions:

```
Y(I)+3*X+ALPHA(M,N)
LOGICAL=(P>Q)BETA(2*J)
IF 3*X>40 THEN ...
```

Generally, an expression may be substituted for a variable or constant in POPS statements; the exceptions to this rule are PROCEDURE and ARRAY declarations, FINISH, EDIT, LIST, AND ENEDIT. Formats for these statements are necessarily rigid.

### C. COMMUNICATION WITH POPS

As mentioned in the introduction to POPS, commands are entered to the program by typing a message immediately after a prompt character and striking the RETURN key. A message must consist of recognizable symbols to be accepted. (A message containing an unrecognizable symbol will generate the message SYMBOL ?, but no other action.) A message may be corrected by backspacing over the error and retyping the message beginning with the last character backspaced over. To backspace strike the RUB OUT key. The response will be a \ (back slash) for each time the key is struck. To see the line typed with the corrections, strike CTRL and R keys simultaneously. A message may also be cancelled by striking the CTRL and R keys simultaneously.

POPS is a linear communicator. It accepts one message at a time. Each time the RETURN key is hit, the input is examined and acted upon. While the program is processing the message, it cannot accept another message. Another message may be entered when the program prints another prompt character. A message is processed in the exact order given. SHOW BASELINE is not equivalent to BASELINE SHOW.

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Once "RUN POPS" is typed from the 4010, POPS/Spectral Line is loaded and running ("ready and waiting"). The program will remain ready and waiting until a command is input. Once the command has been completed, POPS returns to the ready and waiting state. No "initialization" is needed to get POPS' attention, unless the CRT screen is blank, in which case it is a good idea to hit the RETURN key. If the program is loaded and running, it will print a caret on the screen.

A message (one line of input begun after a prompt character and terminated by striking the RETURN key) to the program may contain two basic types of statements. Assignment statements are of the form  $A=EXPRESSION$ . Examples are  $BMARK=1$  and  $ZETA=ALPHA*BETA**2$ . Command statements are of the form  $OPERATOR <operand(s)>$ ; the operator may or may not require one or more operands. Examples are  $RESTART$ ,  $LIST EXAMPLE$ , and  $EDIT EXAMPLE 3$ .

In general, each statement (or complete thought) of either type must be entered entirely on one line. (The exceptions to this rule are the logical constructions.)

More than one statement may be entered on one line if the following rules are followed:

- (a) An assignment statement must be separated from any other statement by a semicolon(;).
- (b) A command statement whose operator is listed in the operator synopsis must be separated from any statement by a semicolon(;).
- (c) The following operators should always appear immediately after a prompt character:

$PROCEDURE$ ,  $EDIT$ ,  $ENEDIT$ ,  $RESTART$ ,  $STORE$ , and  $RESTORE$ .

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Examples are:

```
>BMARK=1;PRINT BMARK
>BMARK=1;ZLINE=0
>PROCEDURE EG(A): PRINT SQRT(A):FINISH
```

We note here that application operators (verbs) need not be separated by semicolons, but user-defined operators should be treated as POPS operators.

### D. OPERATOR SYNOPSIS

#### INFORMATION EXCHANGE

*	Begins a comment statement.
EXPLAIN	Documents the functions of all programmer defined procedures, <i>i.e.</i> , those defined permanently in the program.
HELP	Documents all verbs and lists all procedures, array variables, scalar variables and verbs. Object may be ARRAY, PROCEDURE, SCALAR, VERB or individual verb names.
PRINT<field>	Prints the requested field on the CRT. ? <field> may be a literal, or an expression or adverb whose value is then printed.
READ<field>	Reads the values of the adverb variables named from the CRT.
? <field>	An alias for PRINT.

#### MEMORY CONTROL

RESTART	Returns the program memory to its original, or default, condition.
STORE page#	Stores a copy of the current state of the program memory in the indicated disk page save area.

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**RESTORE page#** Copies the indicated disk page into the program memory space.

### PROCEDURE

#### DEFINITION

**PROCEDURE procname** Initiates the definition of a procedure with the given name.

**RETURN** Is required in procedures called by other procedures.

**FINISH** Terminates the definition of a procedure.

**INSTALL procname** Reads procedures stored in text editor files into program memory.

**SCRATCH procname** Deletes the specified procedure from the program but does not return that procedure space.

#### LISTING

**HELP PROCEDURE** Lists the names of the defined procedures.

**LIST procname** Lists the entire named procedure.

#### EDITING

**EDIT procname line#** Initiates editing of the named procedure at the specified line.

**ENEDIT** Terminates editing of a procedure.

#### LOGICAL CONSTRUCTIONS

**FOR x = a TO b BY c** Begins a logical construction similar the PL/I iterative DO loop.

**IF (test condition)** Begins a logical construction similar to the PL/I IF-THEN-ELSE.

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<b>WHILE</b> (test condition)	Begins a logical construction similar to the PL/I DOWHILE loop.
<b>END</b>	Terminates the logical constructions begun by FOR, IF, and WHILE.

### SPACE ALLOCATION

<b>ARRAY</b> arrayname( )	Allocates the requested space for an array with the specified name.
<b>CORE</b>	Lists the beginning and last used locations of the procedure and variable definition spaces.

## IV. SPECTRAL LINE: APPLICATIONS

The spectral line data reduction package is designed to manipulate scans. It therefore provides the user with various operators which do things to scans. These operators are the spectral line verbs, each of which is associated with a distinct data reduction routine. The routines perform four types of operations:

- (1) movement of scans,
- (2) modification of spectral values,
- (3) calculation, and
- (4) display of information or spectral values.

Some verbs only perform one of these functions; others combine two or three.

A scan consists of a set of spectral values and the identifying information associated with those values. It is this entity, or parts of it, which is manipulated by most of the spectral line routines. In the 36 foot POPS/Spectral Line Program, each filterbank is written to disk as a separate scan. Even scan numbers are the first filterbanks and the odd scan numbers are the second filterbanks. For example, scan

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500 is filterbank one and scan 501 is filterbank two. A filterbank in parallel mode is considered a two-receiver scan where the first 128 channels are receiver one and the second 128 channels are receiver two. A filterbank in series mode is a one receiver scan.

### A. BASIC ALGORITHM/PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The program structure, like the spectral line language (discussed below), reflects its function as a manipulator of scans. In order for a scan to be displayed, used or modified, it must first be copied from the disk, where it was stored by the on-line programs, to the POPS/Spectral Line program memory. This memory contains three locations where scans may be kept. These three locations are the WORK, TEMP, and HOLD arrays.

Once a scan has been put into one of these three arrays, it can be displayed, changed, moved to another array, or stored in one of 154 save bins on disk. These subsequent operations are influenced by the array pointer, PTWH. This pointer always has the value 1, 2, or 3, indicating that the "currently referenced array" is the TEMP, WORK, or HOLD array. Since most verbs are defined as operating on the scan in the currently referenced array, it is sometimes necessary and often useful to know which array is current. However, for many simple data reduction schemes, the user will find that the pointer takes care of itself. Briefly, those operations which move data change the pointer to the new location of the data. Most other operations use, but do not change the pointer.

The user who is designing a data reduction scheme will be most successful if he keeps track of the following: the contents of each program array, the value of the array pointer, and the definitions of the verbs. Careful attention to these points will prevent accidental destruction of much-reduced data, and enable the user to utilize the program most effectively.

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### B. VERBS, OBJECTS AND ADVERBS

The spectral line data reduction package has a language of its own. This language is very similar to the POPS command language; most of what has been said about the latter applies to the former. We add here additional qualifying remarks.

Verbs are operators; when encountered by the program, the action which is the definition of the verb, is performed. Verbs may be said to be of two kinds: Examples of verbs of the first type are

GET scan#  
TELL DISK

Each of these verbs requires an object which further specifies the action the verb is to perform. In the first case, scan# specifies which scan is to be copied. In the second case, DISK specifies that a listing of scans in the disk index is desired (the only other permitted objects of TELL is CSTACK and KSCANS).

Most verbs are of the second type. Examples are:

BASELINE  
MOMENT  
TRH  
ACCUM

The definition of verbs of the second type specify upon what the verbs act. BASELINE calculates a baseline for and removes it from the scan in the "currently referenced array" (see "Basic Algorithm/Program Structure"). MOMENT calculates a moment for the scan in the currently referenced array. TRH copies the scan in the currently reference array into the HOLD array. ACCUM adds the scan in the work array to the HOLD array, multiplying the spectrum by its integration time divided by its

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system temperature squared (INTEGRATION/TSYS2). To use verbs of the second type successfully, the user should understand what are the implied objects of the verbs. This information is given in the Verb Dictionary. For verbs of the first type, the Verb Dictionary entries describe the required object.

An adverb is simply a variable that is assigned a value which is used by a verb. Examples are the adverbs ZLINE and NBOX. If ZLINE = 1, the verb SHOW will draw a horizontal line at zero Kelvins. BOXCAR smoothes a spectrum by averaging NBOX channels together.

The values or adverbs are set by the program when it is restarted. However, many are set to zero, and the user must specify a meaningful value before using the verb which uses that adverb. New adverb values may be specified at any time and remain the same until the program is restarted or the user changes them again.

Many adverbs are vectors. Examples are CENTER, CLIPMIN, and NREGION. CENTER has six values, one for each of up to six gaussian functions. CLIPMIN has two values, one for each of up to two receivers. NREGION is doubly dimensioned; it has eight values for each of up to two receivers.

A single values adverb is set by a statement of the form:

**ADVERB=value**

Similarly, all values of a multi-valued adverb may be set equal by a statement of the same form. To set the values of a multi-valued adverb separately, statements of the form:

**ADVERB(1)=value1**

**ADVERB(2)=value2**



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and so on, if the adverb has more values, are used. Also for convenience a multi-valued adverb may be set in the following manner:

**ADVERB=value1, value2, value3, value4...etc.**

All subsequent values of the adverb array will be set to zero.

Spectral line also uses a few variables which are not strictly adverbs. These variables are **SIZE** and **VRMS**; they are used by the verbs **MOMENT** and **RMS** to store the results of calculations. They are most often used as operands of the operator **PRINT**.

**C. WRITING, INSTALLING, EXECUTING, AND SAVING PROCEDURES**

As described above, POPS allows a sequence of its "verbs" to be bundled into "Procedures". Often it is convenient to write procedures outside of LINE and install them when needed. For example, here is a procedure prepared with the DEC editor EDT as the file INT.PRC.

```

* This program integrates the intensity distribution for 2 regions of a
* spectrum by summing channels (filters) for a range of scans from STRTSCN
* to ENDSCN.
*
* Written by M. A. Gordon, 86.10.31
*
PROCEDURE IN(STRTSCN,ENDSCN)
* Enable the edit file (See section IV-G in this manual)
GETEDIT=1
* Enter the channel (filter) ranges for the summations
STRT1=24
END1=57
STRT2=152
END2=185
* Begin the summation loop, considering only even numbered scans
FOR SCANNO=STRTSCN TO ENDSCN BY 2
  GET SCANNO
  * Integrate the first range
  LSUM+0
  FOR J=STRT1 TO END1
    INDEX=J+129
    LSUM=LSUM+CHAN(INDEX)
  * CHAN(INDEX) returns the temperature stored in filter number INDEX
  END
  * Store result in INT1
  INT1=LSUM
  * Integrate the second range
  FOR J=STRT2 TO END2
    INDEX=J+129
    LSUM=LSUM+TWH(INDEX,PTWH)
  END
  * Store the result in INT2
  * List the results on the CRT screen
  PRINT 'SCAN, INT1, INT2 ', SCANNO,INT1,INT2
END
* End procedure
FINISH

```

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After entering the LINE program, you install this procedure by typing

```
INSTALL INT <CR>
```

which transfers the procedure into LINE, line by line. Comment lines are ignored. To use this procedure, type

```
nnnn mmmm INT <CR>
```

or

```
INT (nnnn, mmmm) <CR>
```

which starts the procedure operating from scan nnnn through mmmm.

Procedures can also be written within LINE, but without comment lines, as described in the section A of the chapter "The POPS Language". Because procedures are lost when you exit from LINE, store the procedure by typing

```
STORE n <CR>
```

where n is a number between 1 and 3. To recall the procedure (and all other variables which you may have set) after re-entering LINE, type

```
RESTORE n <CR>
```

**D. USING AND CHANGING HEADER VALUES**

Each record contains a "header" filled with parameters describing the observing equipment and spectral values. The parameters are either numerical or character, with slightly different procedures required to manipulate each type. You can use these values in calculations, and you can change these values permanently.

**Numeric Parameters****Typing**

```
PRINT AZ <CR>
```

lists the commanded azimuth in degrees for the record currently in memory. Or, typing

```
PRINT AZ*3.14/180 <CR>
```

lists the azimuth in radians. To change the azimuth number permanently to 185.2, type

```
SETAZ (185.2) <CR>.
```

You may also enter data in Reverse Polish Notation (RPN). Examples are

```
185.2 SETAZ <CR>, and
```

```
(5, -2.3456) SETCHAN <CR>
```

which sets channel (filter) 5 to the value -2.3456. Note that parentheses must enclose multiple arguments and some negative numbers.

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### Character or String Parameters

The names of character parameters usually begin with the letter S. Typing

```
PRINT SOBSID <CR>
```

will list the 8 character string loaded into this variable containing the identity of the observer associated with the spectral record in memory. To change the contents to \_MAG\_DTE, type

```
SOBSID = '_MAG_DTE'; SETOBSID <CR>
```

where the number of string characters must be equal to or less than the number defined by the character definition listed in the table below.

### List of Parameters and Setting Verbs

The following table<sup>1</sup> lists header parameters recommended by an *ad hoc* standards committee representing Cambridge University, IRAM, the NRAO, and the University of Arizona. Those yet to be implemented at the 12m telescope are marked with an asterisk. For organizational reasons the parameters are grouped into "Classes".

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<sup>1</sup> Based upon Memorandum 5 by R. L. Brown and E. B. Stobie in the NRAO 12-M Computing Report Series, 21 October 1986.

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<u>Description</u>	<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Setting Verb</u>	<u>Parameter Type</u>
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### Class 1: Basic Information

Header Length (bytes)	HEADLEN		R*8
Data Length (bytes)	DATALEN		R*8
Scan Number	SCAN	SETSCAN	R*8
Observer Initials	SOBSID	SETOBSID	C*8
Observer Name	SOBSERVER	SETOBSERVE	2C*8
Telescope	STELESCOP	SETTELESCO	C*8
Project Identification	SPROJID	SETPROJID	C*8
Source Name	SUBJECT	SETOBJECT	2C*8
Type Data/Observing Mode	SOBSMODE	SETOBSMODE	C*8
Frontend Descriptor	SFRONTEND	SETFRONTEN	C*8
Backend Descriptor	SBACKEND	SETBACKEND	C*8
Data Precision	SPRECIS	SETPRECIS	C*8

### Class 2: Pointing Parameters

Total Az/RA Pointing (arc sec)	XPOINT	SETXPOINT	R*8
Total El/Dec Pointing (arc sec)	YPOINT	SETYPOINT	R*8
User Az/RA Pointing (arc sec)	UXPNT	SETUXPNT	R*8
User El/Dec Pointing (arc sec)	UYPNT	SETUYPNT	R*8
Pointing Constants (4)	PTCON	SETPTCON	4R*8
Orientation Angle (deg)	ORIENT	SETORIENT	R*8
Radial Focus (mm)	FOCUSR	SETFOCUSR	R*8
North-South Focus (mm)	FOCUSV	SETFOCUSV	R*8
East-West Focus (mm)	FOCUSH	SETFOCUSH	R*8

### Class 3: Observing Parameters

Universal Time date (YY.MMDD)	UTDATE	SETUTDATE	R*8
Universal Time (hours)	UT	SETUT	R*8

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LST (hours)	LST	SETLST	R*8
Number of Receiver Channels	NORCHAN	SETNORCHAN	R*8
Number of Switching Variables	NOSWVAR	SETNOSWVAR	R*8
Number of Phases per Cycle	NOPHASE	SETNOPHASE	R*8
Length of Cycle (sec)	CYCLLEN	SETCYCLLEN	R*8
Length of Sample (sec)	SAMPRAT	SETSAMPRAT	R*8

### Class 4: Positions

Epoch (years)	EPOCH	SETEPOCH	R*8
Commanded Source X (deg)	XSOURCE	SETXSOURCE	R*8
Commanded Source Y (deg)	YSOURCE	SETYSOURCE	R*8
Commanded Reference X (deg)	XREF	SETXREF	R*8
Commanded Reference Y (deg)	YREF	SETYREF	R*8
Epoch Right Ascension (deg)	EPOCRA	SETEPOCRA	R*8
Epoch Declination (deg)	EPOCDEC	SETEPOCDEC	R*8
Galactic Longitude (deg)	GALLONG	SETGALLONG	R*8
Galactic Latitude (deg)	GALLAT	SETGALLAT	R*8
Commanded Azimuth (deg)	AZ	SETAZ	R*8
Commanded Elevation (deg)	EL	SETEL	R*8
Indicated X Position (deg)	INDX	SETINDX	R*8
Indicated Y Position (deg)	INDY	SETINDY	R*8
Descriptive Origin (3)	DESORG	SETDESORG	3R*8
Coordinate System Code	SCoordCD	SETCOORDCD	C*8

### Class 5: Environment

Ambient Temperature (C)	TAMB	SETTAMB	R*8
Pressure (mm Hg)	PRESSURE	SETPRESSUR	R*8
Relative Humidity (%)	HUMIDITY	SETHUMIDIT	R*8
Index of Refraction	REFRAC	SETREFRAC	R*8
Dew Point (C)	DEW_PT	SETDEW_PT	R*8
Precipitable Water Vapor (mm)	MMH2O	SETMMH2O	R*8

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### Class 6: Map Parameters<sup>2</sup>

Map Scanning Angle (deg)	SCANANG	SETSCANANG	R*8
X Position at Zero (arc sec)	XZERO	SETXZERO	R*8
Y Position at Zero (arc sec)	YZERO	SETYZERO	R*8
Delta X or X Rate (arcsec or arcsec/sec)	DELTA XR	SETDELTA XR	R*8
Delta Y or Y Rate (arcsec or arcsec/sec)	DELTA YR	SETDELTA YR	R*8
Number of Grid Points	NOPTS	SETNOPTS	R*8
Number of X Grid Points	NOXP TS	SETNOXP TS	R*8
Number of Y Grid Points	NOYP TS	SETNOYP TS	R*8
Starting X Grid Cell Number	XCELL $\emptyset$	SETXCELL $\emptyset$	R*8
Starting Y Grid Cell Number	YCELL $\emptyset$	SETYCELL $\emptyset$	R*8
XY Reference Frame Code	SFRAME	SETFRAME	C*8

### Class 7: Data Parameters

Beam Fullwidth at Half Maximum (arcsec)	BFWHM	SETBFWHM	R*8
Off Scan Number	OFFSCAN	SETOFFSCAN	R*8
Bad Channel value	BADCHV	SETBADCHV	R*8
Velocity Correction (km s <sup>-1</sup> )	RVSYS	SETRVSYS	R*8
Velocity wrt Reference (km s <sup>-1</sup> )	VELOCITY	SETVELOCIT	R*8
Velocity Definition & Ref	SVELDEF	SETVELDEF	C*8
Type of Calibration	STYPECAL	SETTYPECAL	C*8

### Class 8: Engineering Parameters

Antenna Aperture Efficiency	APPEFF	SETAPPEFF	R*8
* Antenna Beam Efficiency	BEAMEFF	SETBEAMEFF	R*8
* Antenna Gain	ANTGAIN	SETANTGAIN	R*8
* ETAL (Rear spillover & scattering eff)	ETAL	SETETAL	R*8

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<sup>2</sup> For an explanation of these parameters, consult *Continuum Mapping with the 12-m Telescope* by C. J. Salter, 1985, NRAO 12-m Computing Report Series, No. 4.



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*ETAFSS (Forward spillover & scatt. eff.)	ETAFSS	SETETAFSS	R*8
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### Class 9: Telescope Dependent Parameters (NRAO Green Bank)

*L1	L1	SETL1	R*8
*L1F1	L1F1	SETL1F1	R*8
*L1F2	L1F2	SETL1F2	R*8
*L2	L2	SETL2	R*8
*L2F1	L2F1	SETL2F1	R*8
*L2F2	L2F2	SETL2F2	R*8
*LA	LA	SETLA	R*8
*LB	LB	SETLB	R*8
*LC	LC	SETLC	R*8
*LD	LD	SETLD	R*8
*Level Correction	LEVCORR	SETLEVCORR	R*8
*Pointing fudge	PTFUDGE	SETPTFUDGE	R*8
*RHO	RHO	SETRHO	R*8
*THETA	THETA	SETTHETA	R*8
*Center Frequency Formula	SCFFORM	SETCFFORM	8C*8

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Synthesizer Frequency	SYNFREQ	SETSYNFREQ	R*8
LO Factor	LOFACT	SETLOFACT	R*8
Harmonic	HARMONIC	SETHARMONI	R*8
LO IF	LOIF	SETLOIF	R*8
First IF	FIRSTIF	SETFIRSTIF	R*8
Reference Azimuth Offset	RAZOFF	SETRAZOFF	R*8
Reference Elevation Offset	RELOFF	SETRELOFF	R*8
Beam Throw	BMTHROW	SETBMTHROW	R*8
*Beam Orientation	BMORENT	SETBMORENT	R*8
Baseline Offset	BASEOFF	SETBASEOFF	R*8

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Observing Tolerance	OBSTOL	SETOBSTOL	R*8
Sideband	SIDEBAND	SETSIDEBAND	R*8
Wavelength	WL	SETWL	R*8
GAIN Scan Number	GAINS	SETGAINS	R*8
+ Beam	PBEAM	SETPBEAM	R*8
- Beam	MBEAM	SETMBEAM	R*8
RA/Dec Offsets	SROFF	SETSROFF	R*8

### Class 10: Data Reduction Parameters (Open)

*Open Parameter Values	SOPENPAR	SETOOPENPAR	10C*8
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#### Phase Block

*Variable Value	VARVAL	SETVARVAL	R*8
*Variable Descriptor	SVARDES	SETVARDES	C*8
*Phase Table	PHASTB	SETPHASTB	C*8

### Class 12: Description Block for Each Receiver "Channel"

Observed Frequency (MHz)	OBSFREQ	SETOBSFREQ	R*8
Rest Frequency or TP Calib. (MHz)	RESTFREQ	SETRESTFRE	R*8
Frequency Resolution/SP Calib. (MHz)	FREQRES	SETFREQRES	R*8
Bandwidth (MHz)	BW	SETBW	R*8
Receiver Temperature (K)	TRX	SETTRX	R*8
Calibration Temperature (K)	TCAL	SETTCAL	R*8
Source System Temperature (K)	STSYS	SETSTSYS	R*8
Reference System Temperature (K)	RTSYS	SETRTSYS	R*8
Source Temperature (K)	TSOURCE	SETTSOURCE	R*8
Standard Deviation of Mean (K)	TRMS	SETTRMS	R*8
Reference Point Number	REFPT	SETREFPT	R*8
X Value at the Reference Point	XØ	SETXØ	R*8
Delta X	DELTA X	SETDELTA X	R*8

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Total Integration Time (sec)	INTTIME	SETINTTIME	R*8
Number of Integrations	NOINT	SETNOINT	R*8
Starting Point Number	SPN	SETSPN	R*8
H <sub>2</sub> O Opacity	TAUH2O	SETTAUH2O	R*8
H <sub>2</sub> O Temperature (K)	TH2O	SETTH2O	R*8
O <sub>2</sub> Opacity	TAUO2	SETTAUO2	R*8
O <sub>2</sub> Temperature (K)	TO2	SETTO2	R*8
Polarization	SPOLARIZ	SETPOLARIZ	C*8

### Class 13: Reduction Parameters

Number of Scans Stacked	NOSTAC	SETNOSTAC	R*8
First Scan in Stack	FSCAN	SETFSCAN	R*8
Last Scan in Stack	LSCAN	SETLSCAN	R*8
Line Amplitude (K)	LAMP	SETLAMP	R*8
Line Width (channels)	LWID	SETLWID	R*8
Integrated Line Intensity (K channels)	ILI	SETILI	R*8
RMS Noise (K)	DRMS	SETDRMS	R*8
Data Channel (point)	CHAN(n)	SETCHAN(n, x)	R*4

**E. WORKING DIRECTLY WITH THE POPS DATA RECORDS****Basic Concept**

Each POPS record --- known as a scan --- consists of a number of header words describing the equipment and the observational configuration (see previous section), followed by the individual data. You can recall and manipulate individual data points without using the verbs described in the previous section and with somewhat more control.

In memory the scan is stored in one of the 3 arrays, known as Temporary(T), Work(W), or Hold(H) arrays. The variable PTWH (pointer for TWH arrays) takes on the values 1, 2, or 3 to indicate which of the 3 arrays are active. Each element of these arrays is then defined as TWH(n,PTWH), where n is the element sequence and PTWH is the array pointer. Typing

```
6250 GET <CR>
```

loads a scan into PTWH = 2, the Work array.

The header size may vary from one type of observation to another thereby changing the address of the first data element. The verb HEADLEN gives the header size. Typing

```
PRINT HEADLEN <CR>
```

will give the header length, nnn.

To list the contents of channel (filter) 43, you type

```
PRINT TWH(nnn+43,PTWH) <CR>
```

where nnn is the content of HEADLEN indicating the data offset from the beginning of the TWH array. This command is equivalent to typing

```
PRINT CHAN (43) <CR>
```

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If you have an array stored in T (PTWH=1) and if PTWH happens to equal 2, you can recall the 43th datum in the T array, by typing

```
PRINT TWH(nnn+43,1) <CR>.
```

Only numbers may be recalled by this technique. String variables need to be converted into characters as described in the previous section.

### Working with the Array Elements

Suppose you want to replace a "bad" channel (filter) --- filter 43 --- in a spectrum with the average of the 2 contiguous values. Type

```
TWH(nnn+43,PTWh) = 0.5*(TWH(nnn+42,PTWH)+TWH(nnn+44,PTWH)) <CR>
```

will effect the relacement. This statement is equivalent to typing

```
SETCHAN(43,(0.5*(CHAN(42)+CHAN(44)))) <CR>
```

## F. KEEPING ALTERED DATA RECORDS

### Saving a Single Altered Scan

While the previous section describe making changes in the scans (data records), these changes disappear when you exit the program. They are not permanent. To keep the altered scans, you create and store a copy of the altered scan. Typing

```
RESAVE <CR>
```

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copies the scan from memory into the "keep" file PKFL.iii, where the iii are the observer identification letters (usually the observer's initials). To retrieve it, you must set the parameter

```
GETEDIT = 1 <CR>
```

to cause the GET verb to look for the scan in the PKFL file before looking in the original PDFL file. Setting GETEDIT to -1 will cause the GET verb to look only at the PDFL file.

### An Alternate Save Technique

Alternatively, you can save an altered scan into one of 100 save bins on the disk. Typing

```
NSAVE = 3 <CR>
```

```
PMW SAVE <CR>
```

will transfer the contents of the Work array into bin #3. To recall this scan for additional work, type

```
NSAVE = 3 <CR>
```

```
RECALL <CR>
```

This method is a "move to the edge of the desk" method of the contents of an array, whereas the RESAVE technique places altered scans into a storage system which can be recalled using the standard verbs such as GET nnn, etc.

### An Even More Alternate Save Technique

Scans in the work areas can also be stored in the "keep" file, PDFL.iii, by typing

```
KEEP <CR>
```

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However, if the scan is the result of a stack and averaging process, you will not be able to recall it into the online LINE program. This save method facilitates the transfer of the PKFL.iii file into a FITS format, which CAN be analyzed by other programs.

### G. EDITING INDIVIDUAL RECORDS WITHIN A SCAN

A position-switched scan is usually the average of many off/on record pairs. You may edit the individual records comprising these scans. The file IRFL.iii stores the individual records. Typing

```
6250 RGET <CR>
```

recalls the individual records of the scan 6250. nnnn RSHOW1 and nnnn RSHOW2 displays the records of filter bank 1 and 2 in the same plot so that they may be compared. RECN selects the number of records to be displayed on a single page, and SHIFT gives the temperature offset between contiguous spectra in the plot, as in

```
SHIFT = 0.1; RECN = 50; 6250 RSHOW1 <CR>
```

to plot 50 record spectra from scan 6250, each plot with a vertical separation of 0.1 K.

To delete the individual records n, m, ..., o from the scan, type

```
-n, -m, ... , -o RECS <CR>
```

To select only these records to be kept, type

```
n, m, ... , o RECS <CR>
```

RECS loads the stack RSTACK with the appropriate records. Typing

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**PRINT RCOUNT <CR>**

gives the number of records in the stack, and

**PRINT RSTACK <CR>**

lists the specific records. To plot the edited scan, type

**6250 REDIT1 <CR>**, or

**6250 REDIT2 <CR>**

for filterbanks 1 or 2. To store the edited scan, type **RESAVE**. To recall the edited scan, set **GEDTEDIT = 1** and type **6250 GET ---** as described in an earlier section.



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#### ACCESS

The following relate to access or storage of data on disc, from within the LINE analysis program.

<b>FETCH</b>	Retrieves total power raw data from disk.
<b>GET</b>	Copies a raw spectral scan from disk to the WORK array.
<b>GGET</b>	Copies the current calibration array or specified calibration array from the disk to the WORK array.
<b>KEEP</b>	Copies the scan in the currently referenced array into the PKFL file on disk.
<b>OFF</b>	Copies a scan from the disk to the TEMP array. OFF requires the desired scan number as its object.
<b>ON</b>	Copies a scan from the disk to the WORK array.
<b>PMT, PMW, PMH</b>	Set the value of PTWH to point at one of the three TWH arrays.
<b>QGET</b>	Copies current scan from the disk to the WORK array.
<b>RECALL</b>	Copies the scan in the disk save bin named by the adverb NSAVE into the currently referenced array.
<b>RGET</b>	Retrieves all records of a given scan from the individual record file.
<b>SAVE</b>	Copies the scan in the currently referenced array into one of the 100 save areas on the disk called "BINS".
<b>SORT</b>	Sorts spectral line data in observer's raw data file and fills stack (ASTACK) with scan numbers that meet the sort criteria.
<b>TRT, TRW, TRH</b>	Copies the contents of the currently referenced array to the indicated array and sets PTWH to that array as well.
<b>ZGET</b>	Copies current zero check or specified zero check into the WORK array.

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**ANALYSIS** Various keywords for data analysis and manipulation.

<b>ALIGN</b>	Calculates number of channels by which scan must be shifted to add equal velocities or frequencies and sets this value in <b>ASHIFT(r)</b> .
<b>BASELINE</b>	Fits and removes polynomial frequency baseline from data in the currently referenced array.
<b>BIAS</b>	Adds the values of <b>FACT(r)</b> to the scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>BMODEL</b>	Evaluates the last computed coefficients for a polynomial baseline for each channel and replaces the data in the currently referenced array with the evaluated polynomial.
<b>BOXCAR</b>	Smooths scan by averaging odd number of consecutive channels together.
<b>BSET</b>	A procedure which uses the vertical crosshair to set the values of <b>NREGION</b> for receiver 1. (See Procedures)
<b>BSET2</b>	A procedure which uses the vertical crosshair to set the values of <b>NREGION</b> for receiver 2. (See Procedures)
<b>BSHAPE</b>	Calculates coefficients of a Chebyshev polynomial for specified spectral values by a least squares fit.
<b>BSHOW</b>	Fits, evaluates, and displays a polynomial frequency baseline without altering data in the current array.
<b>CHGRES</b>	Smooths spectral line data from its initial resolution to a lower resolution specified by <b>NEWRES</b> .
<b>DCBASE</b>	Computes average spectral value over specified range and subtracts average from all values in current array.
<b>DELTA V</b>	Calculates area, mean flux, high & low velocity peak fluxes, high & low peak velocities, and delta velocities at specified fractions of peak flux.
<b>DIFF</b>	Subtracts the scan in the <b>TEMP</b> array from the currently referenced array.
<b>DIVIDE</b>	Divides the scan in the currently referenced array by the scan in the <b>TEMP</b> array and leaves the result in the currently referenced array.
<b>FFT</b>	Performs a fast Fourier transform of the data in the currently referenced array.

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<b>GAUSS</b>	Fits up to 6 gaussian functions over a specified interval of a scan.
<b>GDISPLAY</b>	Evaluates the parameters of NGAUSS gaussians and displays the sum without altering current array.
<b>GMEASURE</b>	This routine calculates the area, mean flux, high and low velocity peak fluxes, high and low peak delta velocities and the minimum flux and delta velocity of a specified region in the currently referenced array.
<b>GMODEL</b>	Evaluates the parameters of NGAUSS gaussians and constructs the sum of the gaussians.
<b>GPARTS</b>	Separately evaluates the parameters of NGAUSS gaussians, constructs & displays each gaussian.
<b>HANNING</b>	Smooths the scan in the currently referenced array with 1/4, 1/2, 1/4 weighting.
<b>INVERT</b>	Reverses the order of the spectral values and changes the sign of the velocity increments.
<b>MOMENT</b>	Calculates the MOMENT specified by NMOMENT over a specified range of channels and stores the result in the variable SIZE(r).
<b>PEAK</b>	Finds the CENTER, HWIDTH, and HEIGHT of a single gaussian.
<b>POWSPEC</b>	Computes the power spectrum of the data in the currently referenced array.
<b>RAP</b>	Averages the signal and reference spectra of a frequency switched scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>RDIFF</b>	Subtracts the contents of the B receiver of the scan in the currently referenced array from the contents of the A receiver of the same scan.
<b>RESIDUAL</b>	Takes the parameters of the gaussians, (usually refined by gauss), evaluates the total for each channel & subtracts the total from the currently referenced array.
<b>RIPPLE</b>	Is used to remove a sinusoidal frequency baseline from the data.
<b>RMODEL</b>	Evaluates the last calculated sine curve fit for each channel and replaces the currently referenced array with the sine curve.
<b>RMS</b>	Computes sample root mean squared of the scan in the currently referenced array.

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<b>RSET</b>	A procedure which uses the vertical crosshair to determine baseline regions by setting REGION. (See Procedures)
<b>RSHAPE</b>	Fits a sine curve to the scan in the currently referenced array, using the specified region(s) of the data & the approximate frequency specified.
<b>SCALE</b>	Multiplies the currently referenced array by the value of FACT(r).
<b>SLIDE</b>	Averages 2-receiver data; B is shifted by RSHIFT channels with respect to A.
<b>SMOOTH</b>	Smooths the scan in the currently referenced array by the weight function SMWGT specified by the user.
<b>SOLVETIP</b>	(Documentation not available)
<b>TEMP</b>	Computes spectral line quotients.

## BASELINE COMPUTATION AND REMOVAL

<b>BASELINE</b>	Computes and subtracts a polynomial baseline from the currently referenced array.
<b>BSHAPE</b>	Computes a polynomial baseline for the currently referenced array.
<b>BMODEL</b>	Constructs a model of the previously computed polynomial baseline in the currently referenced array.
<b>DCBASE</b>	Computes and subtracts an average spectral value from the currently referenced array.
<b>RIPPLE</b>	Computes and subtracts a sinusoidal baseline from the currently referenced array.
<b>RSHAPE</b>	Computes a sinusoidal baseline for the currently referenced array.
<b>RMODEL</b>	Constructs a model of the previously computed sinusoidal baseline in the currently referenced array.

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### CONTINUUM

Some of the features of the CONDAR continuum analysis program are available with LINE - *e.g.* 5-point pointing analysis, sky tips, and focus determinations.

AVGD	Computes the mean source temperature and standard deviation of the mean of continuum digital backend data.
CF	
CGET	Retrieves continuum data from disk within the LINE program.
CHEAD	
CS1	A procedure to retrieve the first receiver of the specified continuum scan from disk.
CS2	A procedure to retrieve the second receiver of the specified continuum scan from disk.
CSORT	Sorts the continuum data in the observer's data file and fills the stack (ASTACK) with scan numbers that meet the sort requirements specified.
DIFTIP	An alternative analysis technique for sky tip data.
FOCALIZE	
SPTIP	
STIP	This procedure fits tipping scan data for zenith optical depth and for rear spillover efficiency.
SWITCHED	Computes switched power data from the raw phases in the continuum digital backend scan.
TOTALPWR	Computes the total power data from the raw phases of the continuum digital backend scan.
TPTIP	

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### DATA TRANSFER

#### ARRAY-ARRAY

- TRH** Copies the contents of the currently referenced array into the HOLD array. (Transfer to HOLD array.)
- TRT** Copies the contents of the currently referenced array into the TEMP array. (Transfer to TEMP array.)
- TRW** Copies the contents of the currently referenced array into the WORK array. (Transfer to WORK array.)

#### ARRAY-DISK

- SAVE** Copies the currently reference array into a save bin on the disk.
- KEEP** Copies the currently referenced array into the KEEP file to be transferred to tape later.

#### DISK-ARRAY

- CGET #** Copies the current filterbank to the WORK array. Operand = 1 or 2.
- GET scan #** Copies the indicated scan to the WORK array.
- OFF scan #** Copies the indicated scan into the TEMP array.
- ON scan #** Copies the indicated scan into the WORK array.
- RECALL** Copies the contents of a disk save bin into the currently referenced array.

### DISPLAY

The following keywords relate to display of data on a Tektronix-compatible terminal (*e.g.*, the Modgraph), and general interactive work (*e.g.*, use of the cursor).

- ?** Identical to PRINT (q.v.).
- AUTO (FREEY)** Used to restore control of the y-scaling to the program after the user has overridden it.

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<b>BOTH</b>	Restores the default, two-receiver processing option after ONLYA or ONLYB has been used. See ONLYA and ONLYB.
<b>CCUR</b>	Activates the vertical crosshair and returns the channel number for its position when any key other than <RETURN> is struck.
<b>CHAR</b>	Prints a string of characters on the CRT at the current cursor position. Used in procedures.
<b>COMMENT</b>	Places the cursor at the bottom of the CRT screen, waits for the user to type in a remark no longer than a single line, then moves the cursor to the top of the screen.
<b>CROSSHAIR</b>	Activates horizontal and vertical crosshairs.
<b>DEC</b>	Sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use Declination as the y-coordinate for maps.
<b>F</b>	A procedure to retrieve the first filterbank of the specified scan from disk, erase the CRT page and display the scan on the CRT. (See Procedures)
<b>FLAG</b>	Draws a vertical flag at the specified frequency on the current display and labels the frequency.
<b>FREEY</b>	See AUTO
<b>FULLGRID</b>	Draws a rectangular grid over the current display on the CRT screen.
<b>FV (VF)</b>	Sets the axes labeling mode so that SHOW displays velocity for the upper x-axis labeling and frequency for the lower x-axis labeling.
<b>G1</b>	A procedure which retrieves and displays the current gains of the first filter bank.
<b>G2</b>	A procedure which retrieves and displays the current gains of the second filter bank.
<b>GB</b>	Sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use Galactic Latitude as the y-coordinate for maps.
<b>GL</b>	Sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use Galactic Longitude as the y-coordinate for maps.
<b>GSHOW</b>	A procedure that fits single or multiple (not greater than 6) component gaussian function to the data in the currently referenced array. (See Procedures)

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<b>HISTOGRAM</b>	Sets plotting mode for <b>SHOW</b> display to <b>HISTOGRAM</b> .
<b>HOLDY</b>	Causes the <b>SHOW</b> verb to use the y-scaling that was last used before <b>HOLDY</b> was specified.
<b>LABEL</b>	Used to complete contour map begun by <b>MAPSHOW</b> . Draws and labels axes.
<b>LIMIT</b>	Restricts data processing to only those channels within the minimum and maximum channels specified.
<b>LINE</b>	Sets plotting mode for <b>SHOW</b> display to <b>LINE</b> .
<b>MAKECOPY</b>	Is used to make a hard copy of the CRT screen.
<b>MAPSHOW</b>	Draws a position vs. velocity contour map of a set of scans.
<b>ONLYA</b>	Changes the two-receiver processing option of the scan in the currently referenced array to the A receiver only.
<b>ONLYB</b>	Changes the two-receiver processing option of the scan in the currently referenced array to the B receiver only.
<b>PAGE</b>	Erases the CRT screen and returns a caret (>) at the top of the now blank screen.
<b>PAUSE</b>	Causes the program to suspend operations for ten seconds.
<b>PLACE</b>	Moves cursor to position commanded by <b>IX</b> & <b>IY</b> .
<b>POINTS</b>	Sets plotting mode for <b>SHOW</b> display to <b>POINTS</b> .
<b>PRINT</b> <FIELD>	Prints the <FIELD> requested on the CRT.
<b>Q1</b>	A procedure to retrieve and display the current quotients of the first filter bank.
<b>Q2</b>	A procedure to retrieve and display the current quotients of the second filter bank.
<b>RA</b>	Sets an internal flag that causes <b>MAPSHOW</b> to use Right Ascension as the y-coordinate for maps.
<b>RANGE</b>	Allows the user to specify minimum and maximum values for the y-scaling in <b>SHOW</b> .



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RECSHOW	A procedure that displays all of the individual records of the scan loaded into program memory.
RESET	A procedure to reset all markers on the SHOW and RESHOW display to their initial values.
RESHOW	Plots the contents of the currently referenced array using the y-scaling last used by the SHOW-verb.
RHIST	Sets plotting mode for RESHOW display to HISTOGRAM.
RLINE	Sets plotting mode for RESHOW display to LINE.
RPOINTS	Sets plotting mode for RESHOW display to POINTS.
RSHOW	Displays all the individual records of the scan currently in memory in profile form.
RSHOW1	A procedure which gets and displays all of the individual records of the first filterbank of the specified scan in profile form. (See Procedures)
RSHOW2	A procedure which gets and displays all of the individual records of the second filterbank of the specified scan in profile form. (See Procedures)
S	A procedure to retrieve the second filterbank of the specified scan from disk, erase the CRT page and display the scan on the CRT. (See Procedures)
SHOW	Plots contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT, draws and labels the axes.
SHOW1	A procedure which displays the first filter bank of the scan numbers in the stack in a HISTOGRAM profile form. (See Procedures)
SHOW2	A procedure which displays the second filter bank of the scan numbers in the stack in a HISTOGRAM profile form. (See Procedures)
SHOWS	A procedure which displays the specified filter bank of the scan numbers in the stack in profile form. (See Procedures)
SPREAD	Restricts data processing to those channels within the minimum and maximum frequency or velocity specified Units depend on the coordinate of the lower X-axis.
TABLE	Prints antenna temperatures(kelvin) for each channel of scan in the currently referenced array and labels the information with scan number and filterbank.

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TCUR	Activates the horizontal crosshair and returns the temperature (in Kelvin) for its position when and key other than <RETURN> is struck.
VC (CV)	Sets the axes labeling mode so that SHOW displays channel number for the upper x-axis labeling and velocity for the lower x-axis labeling.
VCTR	Draws a line from the current cursor position to the position commanded by IX & IY.
VCUR	Activates the vertical crosshair and returns the velocity value for its position when any key other than <RETURN> is struck.
XCUR	Returns the X position of the cursor in terms of TEK points.
XX	A procedure to erase the CRT page and display the data in the currently referenced array.
YCUR	Returns the Y position of the cursor in terms of TEK points.
Z1	A procedure which retrieves and displays the current zero check of the first filter bank. (See Procedures)
Z2	A procedure which retrieves and displays the current zero check of the second filter bank.

## DISK INDEX

TELL DISK Lists the scans currently in the disk index.

**DOCUMENT** These keywords relate to display of header information, scans available on disc, etc.

CHECK Prints out the scan number (if valid) of data in the current NSAVE bin.

DATALOG Prints on the CRT a listing of all spectral line scans in the observer's raw data file, giving the scan number, source name, velocity and rest frequency for each scan.

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<b>DOC</b>	Writes one line of header information about the scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>HEAD</b>	A procedure that retrieves the specified scan and generates a listing of header information for that scan on the CRT screen. (See Procedures)
<b>HEADER</b>	Prints header information for the scan in the currently referenced array on the CRT.
<b>LDISK</b>	A procedure which prints one line of header information: scan number, date of observation, LST, position, length of scan, system temperature, filter bank resolution, frequency and source name for the specified scan range on the printer. (See Procedures)
<b>LOGFILE</b>	Writes two 80-byte records to file LOGFILE.DAT.
<b>PDOC</b>	Is used by the LF and CF pointing procedures to display the five points, the gaussian fits, updated pointing corrections and peak flux densities.
<b>SNAP</b>	Prints the header information for the currently referenced array on the printer.
<b>TABLE</b>	Lists the spectral values for the scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>TELL</b>	Lists information about data in disk files including PDFL(raw), IRFL(ind rec), PKFL(KEEP and edited) files.
<b>THUMB</b>	Prints main and reference azimuth, elevation, right ascension and declination offsets for the scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>TITLE</b>	Writes one line of documentation about the current scan on the CRT screen including scan number, LST, source name, rest frequency, filterbank and the sideband number.

### EDITING

Keywords relating to data editing.

<b>ALL</b>	A procedure to set all channels dropped to zero. (See Procedures)
<b>BADCH</b>	A procedure that determines bad data channels data is displayed with the bad channels removed and the bad channels are written across the top of the screen. (See Procedures)

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<b>CLIP</b>	Resets any spectral value in the scan in the currently referenced array that is > <b>CLIPMAX</b> to <b>CLIPMAX</b> and any that is < <b>CLIPMIN</b> to <b>CLIPMIN</b> .
<b>EDITING</b>	Specifies whether or not the edited file should be searched before the raw data file for scan retrieval.
<b>ESTACK</b>	Lists all record numbers currently in the <b>RSTACK</b> .
<b>INVERT</b>	Reverses the order of the spectral values and changes the sign of the velocity increments.
<b>PBAD</b>	A procedure called by the <b>BADCH</b> procedure to compute bad channels for the second receiver channel of the 2 MHz filterbanks. (See Procedures)
<b>RECS</b>	Used to specify which records the observer wishes to retain in a given scan when record editing.
<b>REDIT</b>	A procedure which averages together the specified individual records of the the scan loaded into program memory. (See Procedures)
<b>REDIT1</b>	A procedure that loads the individual records of the first filterbank of the desired scan into memory, averages together the specified records (see <b>RECS</b> verb), displays the result on the CRT screen and stores the result in the <b>LINE EDIT</b> file. (See Procedures)
<b>REDIT2</b>	A procedure that loads the individual records of the second filterbank of the desired scan into memory, averages together the specified records (see <b>RECS</b> verb), displays the result on the CRT screen and stores the result in the <b>LINE EDIT</b> file. (See Procedures)
<b>REPLACE</b>	Replaces up to 12 bad channels ( <b>BADPT</b> ) in the currently referenced array by a parabolic interpolation over adjacent channels.
<b>RESAVE</b>	Stores the scan in the currently referenced array as an edited scan in the <b>PKFL</b> file.
<b>RSCALE</b>	Computes the appropriate y-scaling for the individual record in the currently referenced array.
<b>SPIKE</b>	Searches for bad channels according to the criteria <b>ABSOLUTE VALUE OF CHANNEL VALUE &gt; NSIGMA</b> .
<b>SPN</b>	Puts the value of the starting point number for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

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### FOURIER TRANSFORM

**FFT**                    Computes the Fourier transform of the scan in the currently referenced array.

### GAUSSIAN FITTING

**GAUSS**                Fits the requested number of gaussians (1 to 6) to the data in the currently referenced array.

**GMODEL**             Constructs a model of the (sum of the) gaussian(s) fit by **GAUSS** in the currently referenced array.

**GPARTS**             Displays the separate gaussians fit by **GAUSS**.

**PEAK**                Finds the **CENTER**, **HWIDTH**, and **HEIGHT** of a single gaussian.

**RESIDUAL**           Subtracts the gaussian(s) fit by **GAUSS** from the data in the currently referenced array.

### GET HEADER

These keywords are used to retrieve header parameters from the scan in the currently referenced array.

**APPEFF**             Puts the value of the antenna aperture efficiency (ratio of total power observed to the total power incident on the telescope) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**AZ**                    Puts the value of the commanded azimuth of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**BACKEND**            Puts a field of eight characters that describe the backend used into the adverb **SBACKEND**. This adverb may then be printed.

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<b>BADCHV, GAINS</b>	Puts the value of the antenna temperature to be assigned to those filterbank channels, noted defective, of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>BASEOFF</b>	Puts the value of the baseline offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>BFWHM</b>	Puts the value of the beam full width at half maximum of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>BMORENT</b>	Not currently implemented.
<b>BMTHROW</b>	Puts the value of the beam throw parameter of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>BW</b>	Puts the value of the bandwidth (total bandwidth of filterbank) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The units are MHz.
<b>CHAN</b>	Puts the value of the specified data channel of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>COORDCD</b>	Puts a field of eight characters which specifies in which coordinate system the data in the currently referenced array was commanded into the adverb SCOODCD. (See Adverbs)
<b>CYCLELEN</b>	Puts the value of the cycle length in seconds (time required to complete one cycle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>DATALEN</b>	Puts the value of the data length (in R*4 words) of the scan in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>DELTA X</b>	Puts the value of the step-size along the x-axis (usually velocity) for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>DELTA XR</b>	Puts the value of DELTA X or X RATE of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>DELTA YR</b>	Puts the value of the cell size or distance between cells on the Y axis of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>DESORG</b>	Puts the value of the descriptive origin (horizontal position, vertical position, position angle describing the orientation of the sky "horizontal axis") of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

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<b>DSF</b>	A value of the data scale factor is placed on the value stack if the data is continuum.
<b>EL</b>	Puts the value of the commanded elevation of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>EPOCH</b>	Puts the value of epoch (as specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>EPOCRA</b>	Puts the value of the epoch right ascension of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>EPODEC</b>	Puts the value of the epoch declination of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FIRSTIF</b>	Puts the value of the <b>FIRST-IF</b> of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FOCUSH</b>	Puts the value of the horizontal (East-West) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FOCUSR</b>	Puts the value of the radial focus position of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FOCUSV</b>	Puts the value of the vertical (North-South) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FRAME</b>	Puts a field of eight characters in which the first four characters state whether the grid is polar ( <b>POLR</b> ) or cartesian ( <b>CART</b> ) and the second four state whether <b>DELTAXR</b> and <b>DELTAYR</b> refer to <b>STEP</b> sizes or <b>SCAN</b> ning rates of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, <b>SFRAME</b> . (See Adverbs)
<b>FREQRES</b>	Puts the value of the frequency resolution (bandwidth per channel) of the selected receiver of the spectral line data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>FRONTEND</b>	Puts a field of eight characters to describe the receiver used into the adverb <b>SFRONTEND</b> . (See Adverbs)
<b>GALLAT</b>	Puts the value of the commanded galactic latitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>GALLONG</b>	Puts the value of the commanded galactic longitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

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<b>HARMONIC</b>	Puts the value of the harmonic of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>HEADLEN</b>	Puts the value of the header length (in R*4 words) of the scan in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>INDX</b>	Puts the value of the horizontal telescope coordinate of the position actually observed ( <i>i.e.</i> , position measured by horizontal decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>INDY</b>	Puts the value of the vertical telescope coordinate of the position actually observed, <i>i.e.</i> , position measured by vertical decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>INTTIME</b>	Puts the value of the total integration time for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>LOFACT</b>	Puts the value of the LO factor (fundamental, doubler or tripler) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>LOIF</b>	Puts the value of the LO-IF of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>LST</b>	Puts the value of LST (local sidereal time at the start of the observation) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NOINT</b>	Puts the value of the total number of integrations for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NOPHASE</b>	Puts the value of the number of phases per cycle (different states of switched variables) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NOPTS</b>	Puts the value of the number of points (total number of cells in the map) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NORCHAN</b>	Puts the value of the number of independent polarizations or channels of this frontend of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NOSWVAR</b>	Puts the value of the number of switching variables of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NOXPTS</b>	Puts the value of the number of x points (map sample points along the "X-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.



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<b>NOYPTS</b>	Puts the value of the number of y points (map sample points along the "Y-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>NT</b>	The value of NT, noise tube true or false, is place on the value stack if the data is continuum.
<b>OBJECT</b>	Puts a field of sixteen characters which describe the source name of the object observed into the adverb <b>SOBJECT</b> .
<b>OBSERVER</b>	Puts a field of sixteen characters containing the observer name of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb <b>SOBSERVER</b> .
<b>OBSFREQ</b>	Puts the value of the observed frequency of the selected receiver channel of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>OBSID</b>	Puts a field of eight characters containing the observer and operator initials of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb <b>SOBSID</b> . (See Adverbs)
<b>OBSMODE</b>	Puts a field of eight characters where four describe the type of data and four describe the observing mode into the adverb, <b>SOBSMODE</b> .
<b>OBSTOL</b>	Puts the value of the observing tolerance of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>OFFSCAN</b>	Puts the value of the off scan number (the last designated total power off scan) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>OPENPAR</b>	Puts a field of 56 characters (the entire string is 80 characters in length but the first 24 are reserved for stacking) of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, <b>SOPENPAR</b> .
<b>ORIENT</b>	Puts the value of the rotation or polarization angle orientation of the receiver or reflector at the prime focus of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>POLARIZ</b>	Puts a field of eight characters which describe the type of polarization and the angle for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>PRECIS</b>	Puts a field of eight characters describing the precision of the data into the adverb <b>SPRECIS</b> .

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<b>PROJID</b>	Puts a field of eight characters which contains the program ID associated with the proposal as it appears on the telescope schedule of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb SPROJID.
<b>PTCON</b>	Puts the value of the selected pointing constant of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>RAZOFF</b>	Puts the value of the reference azimuth offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>REFPT</b>	Puts the value of the reference point (center channel) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>RELOFF</b>	Puts the value of the reference elevation offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>RESTFREQ</b>	Puts the value of the rest frequency of the selected receiver channel of spectral line data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>RTSYS</b>	Puts the value of the reference system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>RVSYS</b>	Puts the value of the Doppler correction for the earth's motion in the source direction with respect to the velocity reference frame chosen of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>SAMPRT</b>	Puts the value of the sample period (time required to complete a single sample) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>SCAN</b>	Puts the value of the scan number of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>SCANANG</b>	Puts the value of the map scanning angle of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>SIDEBAND</b>	Puts the value of the sideband used for the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>STSYS</b>	Puts the value of the source system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array.
<b>SYNFREQ</b>	Puts the value of the synthesizer frequency of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>TAMB</b>	Puts the value of the ambient temperature of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

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TAUH20	Puts the opacity of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TAUO2	Puts the value of the opacity of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TCAL	Puts the value of the calibration temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TELESCOP	Puts a field of eight characters which contain the telescope name of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb STELESCOP.
TH20	Puts the value of the temperature of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
T02	Puts the value of the temperature of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TRMS	Puts the value of the standard deviation of the mean source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TRX	Puts the value of the measured receiver temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TSOURCE	Puts the value of the source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
TYPECAL	Puts a field of eight characters which describe the calibration method used for the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, STYPECAL.
UT	Puts the value of universal time of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
UTDATE	Puts the value of the universal time date of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
UXPNT	Puts the value of the user Az/RA pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
UYPNT	Puts the value of the user EL/Dec pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

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<b>VELDEF</b>	Puts a field of eight characters which describe the velocity system of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, <b>SVELDEF</b> .
<b>VELOCITY</b>	Puts the value of the velocity with respect to the reference of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XO</b>	Puts the value of the velocity at the reference point for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XCELLO</b>	Puts the starting X cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XPOINT</b>	Puts the value of the total pointing correction applied in the X (horizontal - Az/RA) direction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XREF</b>	Puts the value of the commanded reference Xcoord (horizontal coordinate of the reference position in the system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XSOURCE</b>	Puts the value of the commanded source Xcoord (the horizontal coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>XZERO</b>	Puts the value of the horizontal telescope coordinate at the map reference position of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>YCELLO</b>	Puts the value of the starting y cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>YPOINT</b>	Puts the value of the total pointing correction applied in the Y (vertical - EL/Dec) direction of data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>YREF</b>	Puts the value of the commanded reference Ycoord (vertical coordinate of the reference position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>YSOURCE</b>	Puts the value of the commanded source Ycoord (vertical coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.
<b>YZERO</b>	Puts the value of the Y position at Zero of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB SYNOPSIS

### HELP

Documents all verbs, procedures, array variables and SCALAR variables.

### MATHEMATICAL

#### BASIC FUNCTIONS

- BIAS** Adds a constant to the scan in the currently referenced array.
- DIFF** Subtracts the scan in the TEMP array from the scan in the currently referenced array.
- DIVIDE** Divides the scan in the currently referenced array by the scan in the TEMP array.
- SCALE** Multiplies the scan in the currently referenced array by a constant.

#### SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

- MOMENT** Computes the moment requested by the value of the adverb NMOMENT of the scan in the currently referenced array.
- RMS** Computes the root-mean-squared noise over the regions specified for the scan in the currently referenced array.

#### POINTER CHANGE

- PMH** Sets the array pointer to the HOLD array. Points to HOLD array.
- PMT** Sets the array pointer to the TEMP array. Points to TEMP array.
- PMW** Sets the array pointer to the WORK array. Points to the WORK array.
- PTWH** See Glossary.

**SMOOTHING**

- BOXCAR**      Smoothes the scan in the currently referenced array by averaging NBOX channels together and placing the result in the central channel.
- HANNING**     Smoothes the scan in the currently referenced array by averaging three channels together, giving the central channel twice the weight of either flanking channel.
- SMOOTH**      Smoothes the scan in the currently referenced array with the SMWGT weighting function.

**STACKING**

- A**             Inserts one scan into the stack (ASTACK).
- A1**            A procedure which clears the accumulator (HOLD) array, accumulates the first filter bank of the positive scan numbers in the stack, accumulates the first filter bank of the negative scan numbers in the stack, differences the two sums, erases the CRT screen and displays the final result with the scan numbers in the stack.
- A2**            A procedure which clears the accumulator (HOLD) array, accumulates the second filter bank of the positive scan numbers in the stack, accumulates the second filter bank of the negative scan numbers in the stack, differences the two sums, erases the CRT screen and displays the final result with the scan numbers in the stack.
- AB**            A procedure which clears the accumulator (HOLD) array, accumulates the both filter banks of the positive scan numbers in the stack, accumulates both filter banks of the negative scan numbers in the stack, differences the two sums, erases the CRT screen and displays the final result with the scan numbers in the stack.
- ACCUM**       Sums weighted scans into HOLD array from WORK array. First use after program start, AVE or SCLEAR copies header and spectral values into HOLD array weighted by integration time/system temp\*\*2).
- ADD**           Inserts a series of scans into the stack.
- ALIGN**        Computes the number of channels necessary to shift the currently referenced array so that its velocities or frequencies will align with those of the HOLD array.

## VERB SYNOPSIS

- ALIGNF** Sets an internal flag so that the **ALIGN** verb will align frequencies.
- ALIGNV** Sets an internal flag so that the **ALIGN** verb will align velocities.
- AVE** Divides the accumulated scans in the **HOLD** array by the accumulated weighting factor (Sum of individual integration times/individual squares of system temperatures or sum of user supplied weighting.)
- C1** A procedure which clears the accumulator (**HOLD**) array, accumulates the first filter bank of all scans in the stack aligning the data in frequency (**ALIGNF**, the default) or velocity (**ALIGNV**) and weighting the data by integration time /**TSYS\*\*2**.
- C2** A procedure which clears the accumulator (**HOLD**) array, accumulates the second filter bank of all scans in the stack aligning the data in frequency (**ALIGNF**, the default) or velocity (**ALIGNV**) and weighting the data by integration time /**TSYS\*\*2**.
- CB** A procedure which clears the accumulator (**HOLD**) array, accumulates both filter banks of all scans in the stack aligning the data in frequency (**ALIGNF**, the default) or velocity (**ALIGNV**) and weighting the data by integration time /**TSYS\*\*2**.
- DELETE** Deletes one scan from the stack.
- EMPTY** Deletes all scans from the **STACK** and sets the stack counter to zero.
- FOLD** A procedure that averages the signal and reference and the center channel is redefined by **FS**.
- HALVES** A procedure that averages the data from two receivers of a filter bank in parallel configuration.
- LISTSHIFT** Lists all scans that have currently been stacked including the alignment offset that has been computed by **ALIGN** on the CRT. See **ALIGN**, **ALIGNF**, **ALIGNV**.
- NSTACK** A procedure which accumulates all data of the specified filter bank whose scan numbers have been entered negatively in the stack.
- OSB** Sets a flag so that **ALIGN** computes the shift when aligning frequency or velocity for the other sideband by changing the sign of the shift.
- PSTACK** A procedure which accumulates all data of the specified filter bank whose scan numbers have been entered positively in the stack.

## VERB SYNOPSIS

- RACCUM** Accumulates and averages the records specified by RSTACK after the records are loaded into memory by RGET. See RGET, RSCALE, RESAVE.
- SCLEAR** Clears the accumulator (HOLD) array before stacking data. See ACCUM, AVE, SUM.
- STACK** Lists all scans currently in the STACK.
- SUM** Sums weighted scans into HOLD array from WORK array.
- TELL CSTACK** Lists the number of scans accumulated in the HOLD array, as well as the scan numbers of the first 34 and the last scan that were accumulated.

## TWO-RECEIVERS

- BOTH** Selects processing and display of both receivers.
- ONLYA** Selects processing and display of the A receiver.
- ONLYB** Selects processing and display of the B receiver.
- RDIFF** Subtracts receiver B of the scan in the currently referenced array from receiver A and puts the result in the receiver A channels.
- SLIDE** Averages receivers A and B of the currently referenced array together, with weighting by system temperature and integration time, and puts the result in the receiver A channels.



## VERB DICTIONARY

This operator, when typed immediately after a caret (>) or colon (:), indicates to the program that the current line is a comment. The program does not interpret the line.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None

### OBJECT

<comment field> The comment field may contain any remarks or notes desired, but may not exceed the length of the line.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS** None

### ERRORS

If the asterisk appears in any column except the first, it is interpreted as a multiplication operator.

### EXAMPLES

To include a comment on a display of reduced data, use the \*:

\* STACK OF SCANS 500-520, BBASE = 30, EBASE = 30, NFIT = 2, SMOOTHED,  
NBOX = 3

## VERB DICTIONARY

### A

A will insert one scan into the STACK.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

#### ADVERBS

0 **ACOUNT** The STACK counter is incremented by one.

0 **ASTACK(n)** The specified scan is added to the STACK array. The maximum number of entries is 200.

**OPERANDS** The scan number to be inserted into the STACK.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**ADD (#,#)** Inserts a series of scans into the STACK.

**DELETE** Deletes one scan from the STACK.

**EMPTY** Deletes all scans from the STACK and sets the stack counter to zero.

**STACK** Lists all scans in the STACK.

**REMARKS** Positive and negative scan numbers may be entered in the STACK. The operand may precede or follow A. A negative scan number is ignored by the C1, C2 and CB procedures and causes that scan to be added to the negative sum by the A1, A2, and AB procedures.

Multiple references to A on a single line must be separated by semicolons.

#### EXAMPLE

To add 650 to the scans already in the STACK specify:

650 A or A 650

To add -660 to the scans in the STACK specify:

A -660 or -660 A

## VERB DICTIONARY

### ACCUM

A routine that is used to stack scans in the HOLD array. The first use of ACCUM after an AVE, SCLEAR or a program restart copies the header information and the spectral values in the WORK array to the HOLD array. The spectral values and system temperatures are multiplied by the weight factor\* of the scan. Subsequent uses of ACCUM add the spectral values and system temperatures contained in the WORK array (multiplied by the weight factor) to the contents of the HOLD array. Subsequent uses of ACCUM do not change the header stored in the HOLD array, except for the integration time, which is summed each time a scan is accumulated. ACCUM increments the internal stack counter each time a scan is accumulated, and stores the numbers of the first 34 and the last scan accumulated.

**PTWH** Must be pointing to WORK array. Is set to the HOLD array.

### ADVERBS

**0 ASHIFT (RCVR)** The number of channels by which a scan is shifted by subsequent calls to ACCUM. On the first call to ACCUM, the scan is not shifted even if ASHIFT  $\neq$  0.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect ACCUM. Either or both receivers may be accumulated, depending on the processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

**AVE** Divides the accumulated scans by the total weight factor. Sets the internal stack counter to zero. (See \*\* note on next page)

**TELL CSTACK** Prints the first, last and number of scans stacked.

**ALIGN** Sets the values of ASHIFT, using the header information in the WORK array, so that when the scan in the WORK array is accumulated, its velocities will be correctly aligned with the velocities in the HOLD array, or its frequencies will align with the frequencies in the HOLD array.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

<b>SCLEAR</b>	Sets the accumulator flag and internal stack counter to zero.
<b>SUM</b>	Adds a scan to the HOLD array (with user specified weighting.)

### EXAMPLE

To accumulate scans 602, 604, and 606 first specify

**SCLEAR**

to empty the stack. (This is not necessary if no scans have been accumulated since the last AVE.) Then, to accumulate the scans, specify

**GET 602 ACCUM**  
**GET 604 ACCUM**  
**GET 606 ACCUM**

If you now specify **TELL CSTACK**, you will get

3  
602 604 606

To average the accumulated scans, specify

**AVE**

- \* Weight factor = integration time/system temperature<sup>2</sup>
- \*\* The internal stack and counter are used by **ACCUM** and **AVE** for bookkeeping purposes and are stored in the header of the accumulated scan. They are not to be confused with **ASTACK** and **ACOUNT**, the POPS adverbs which are defined by the observer and are used by procedures **C1**, **C2**, **CB**, **A1**, **A2**, and **AB** to stack scans.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### ADD

A routine which inserts a series of scans into the STACK.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

#### ADVERBS

- |   |        |   |
|---|--------|---|
| 0 | ACOUNT | The STACK counter is incremented by the number of scans inserted. |
| 0 | ASTACK | The scan numbers are inserted into the STACK.                     |
| 2 | SINCR  | Increment between first and last scan numbers.                    |

**OPERANDS** Beginning and end scan number.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

- |          |                                  |
|----------|----------------------------------|
| A #      | Inserts one scan into the STACK. |
| DELETE # | Deletes one scan from the STACK. |
| EMPTY    | Empties the STACK.               |
| STACK    | Lists the STACK.                 |

#### REMARKS

The operands may precede or follow ADD. If they follow ADD they must be enclosed in parentheses. Multiple references to ADD on a single line must be separated by semicolons.

#### EXAMPLE

To accumulate the first filterbank of scans 500 to 600 type:

```
500 600 ADD or ADD (500,600)
C1
```

Scans 500 to 600 will be accumulated, averaged and displayed.  
C1 (C2) will accumulate, average and display the first (second) filterbank.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### ALIGN

**ALIGN** calculates the number of channels by which the scan in the **WORK** array must be shifted (when it is accumulated into the **HOLD** array) so that data points at equal velocities or equal frequencies will be added together. **ALIGN** sets the values of the adverb **ASHIFT**, which are used by the verbs **ACCUM** and **SUM**.

**PTWH** Does not affect **ALIGN**. Is set to the **HOLD** array.

### ADVERBS

**ASHIFT(RCVR)** The number of channels by which the velocities or frequencies in the **WORK** array are out of alignment with the velocities or frequencies in the **HOLD** array. **ASHIFT** is set by **ALIGN**.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **ALIGN**. The value of **ASHIFT** will be computed for either or both receivers depending on the processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

**ACCUM** Adds the contents of the **WORK** array to the contents of the **HOLD** array with weighting by integration time divided by system temperature squared. Used to stack scans.

**ALIGNF** Sets the option for **ALIGN** to align frequencies.

**ALIGNV** Sets the option for **ALIGN** to align velocities.

**AVE** Divides the accumulated scans in the **HOLD** array by the sum of their integration times divided by system temperature squared.

**SCLEAR** Clears the accumulator (**HOLD**) array before stacking data.

**SUM** Adds the contents of the **WORK** array to the contents of the **HOLD** array with weighting specified by the user.

**TELL CSTACK** Prints the internal stack counter and the scan numbers of the scans accumulated.

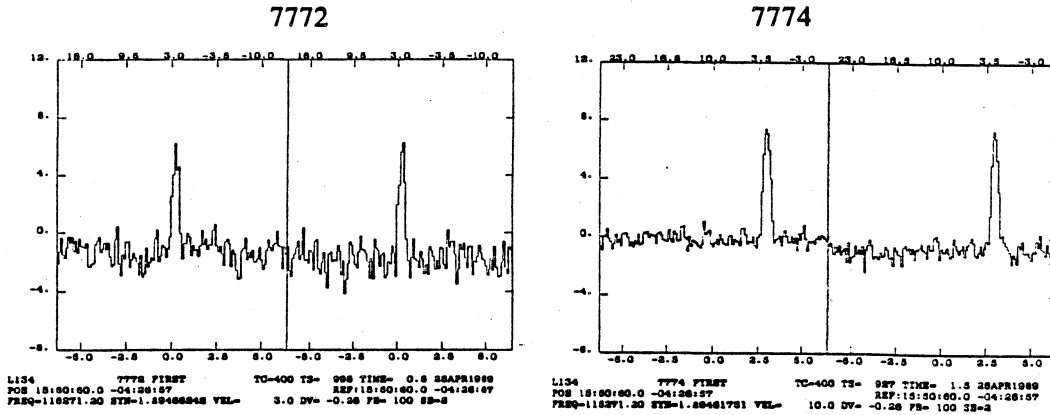
**REMARKS** The alignment for the first scan to be accumulated is always 0. The default alignment for **ALIGN** is frequency.

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**VERB DICTIONARY**

**EXAMPLE**

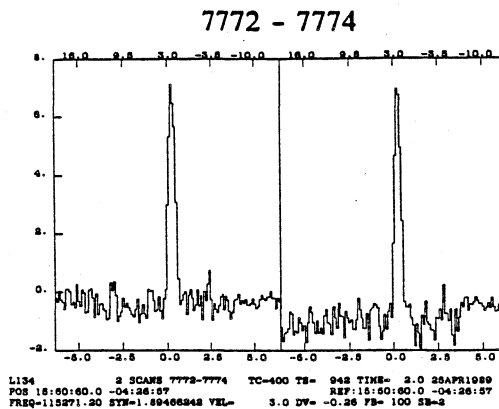
You have the following two scans:



You want to average them together. Specify:

- SCLEAR** To zero the stack counter in the header of the HOLD array.
- ALIGNV** Specify alignment of velocities.
- GET 7772 ACCUM** To copy scan 7772 to the WORK array weight it by its integration time/TSYS<sup>2</sup>.
- GET 7774 ALIGN ACCUM** To add 7774 correctly to 7772, with weighting by its integration time/TSYS<sup>2</sup>.
- AVE PAGE SHOW** To divide the weighted scans 7772 and 7774 by the sum of their weights and display the result.

You will see



**ALIGNF ALIGNV**

**ALIGNF** sets an internal flag so that the **ALIGN** verb will align frequencies.  
**ALIGNV** sets an internal flag so that the **ALIGN** verb will align velocities.

Frequency is the default alignment parameter for **ALIGN**.

See **ALIGN**

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

**ALIGN** Sets the values of **ASHIFT** so that when the scan in the **WORK** array is accumulated, its frequencies or velocities will be correctly aligned with the frequencies or velocities of the **HOLD** array.

**ACCUM** Adds the contents of the **WORK** array to the contents of the **HOLD** array with weighting by integration time divided by system temperature squared.

**SCLEAR** Clears the accumulator (**HOLD**) array before stacking data.

**SUM** Adds the contents of the **WORK** array to the contents of the **HOLD** array with weighting specified by the user.

**EXAMPLE**

See **ALIGN** verb.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### ARRAY

This routine defines an array. It requires as its object the name of the array that is to be constructed and the dimensions of the array. The dimensions of the array may be specified in two ways:

(SCALAR) or (SCALAR TO SCALAR)  
(SCALAR, LIMS) or (SCALAR TO SCALAR, LIMS).

SCALAR may be either a constant or a variable which has been assigned a value. LIMS may be a constant.

PTWH Is not used or changed by ARRAY.

ADVERBS None.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION Does not affect ARRAY.

RELATED VERBS None.

#### REMARKS

This verb can be used to set up an array in which results of operations can be stored. It can only be used in procedures. Arrays defined in procedures cannot be edited.

#### EXAMPLES

(1) Valid definitions

```
ARRAY ALPHA(N)
ARRAY BETA(-1 TO 1), GAMMA(3,5)
ARRAY DELTA(6 TO LEVEL, 8 TO 10)
```

(2) You want to store a number of results and print them all out at one time. For RMS calculations you could define the following procedure (you are using two receivers):

```
PROCEDURE RMSCALC(FSCAN, LSCAN, N)
ARRAY RESULTS (2*N)
FOR I = FSCAN TO LSCAN
  GET (I)
  RMS
  RESULTS (I) = VRMS(1)
  RESULTS (I+N) = VRMS(2)
END
PRINT RESULTS
FINISH
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### AUTO

AUTO returns the control of the Y-scaling of its graphs to the verb SHOW. SHOW normally determines the Y-scaling of its graphs, so AUTO is used to restore control of the Y-scaling to the program after the user has overridden it by means of HOLDY or RANGE or setting the values of the adverbs YMIN and YINCR.

PTWH            Is not used or changed.

#### ADVERBS

YMIN is set to -90000. SHOW sets its own Y-scaling if  $YMIN \leq -9999$ .

0 YINCR            The increment in Kelvin degrees between the 6 tic marks on the Y-axis.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION    Does affect AUTO. It is possible to free the Y-scaling of either or both receivers.

#### RELATED VERBS

HOLDY            Causes SHOW to use the last Y-scaling it used again. Does this by setting YMIN to -9E10.

RANGE (#,#)    Sets the scaling for SHOW by using the minimum and maximum values input.

SHOW            Plots the contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT; draws and labels the axes.

#### EXAMPLE

See FREEY

REMARKS            AUTO is an alias for FREEY.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### AVE

AVE divides the accumulated scans in the HOLD array by the accumulated weighting factor (sum of individual integration times/individual squares of system temperatures). The result is left in the HOLD array. AVE also zeros the stack counter (accumulator).

**PTWH** Does not affect AVE. Is set to the HOLD array.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Should be BOTH when AVE is specified.

### RELATED VERBS

**ACCUM** Adds a scan to the HOLD array (with weighting by integration time/system temperature<sup>2</sup>).

**SCLEAR** Clears the accumulator(HOLD) array before stacking data.

**SUM** Adds a scan to the HOLD array (with user specified weighting).

**TELL CSTACK** Prints the stack counter and the scan numbers of the scans accumulated.

### ERRORS

If the stack is empty when AVE is specified, the message AVE EMPTY? will appear. This tells the user that the stack counter is zero.

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**EXAMPLES**

- (1) See example with ACCUM
- (2) To stack a number of scans, or two groups of scans, you might define the following procedure:

```
PROCEDURE STACKSCANS (FSCAN, LSCAN)
FOR I = FSCAN TO LSCAN BY 2
GET (I) ACCUM
END
RETURN
FINISH
```

Then you could use the procedure to stack a few scans in the HOLD array:

```
STACKSCANS (700, 720)
STACKSCANS (760, 782)
```

When you have stacked all the scans you want, you can obtain the average and display it by

```
AVE PAGE SHOW
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### AVGD

Computes the mean source temperature and standard deviation of the mean of continuum digital backend data in the currently referenced array.

See SWITCHED, TOTALPWR

#### EXAMPLE

```
CGET 500 SWITCHED AVGD PAGE SHOW
```

### AZ

Puts the value of the commanded azimuth of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### BACKEND

Puts a field of eight characters that describes the backend used into the adverb SBACKEND. This adverb may then be printed.

**EXAMPLE:** To query the backend used in an observation type

```
BACKEND; PRINT SBACKEND
```

### BADCHV, GAINS

**BADCHV** Puts the value of the antenna temperature to be assigned to those filterbank channels, noted defective, of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**GAINS** For total power data, GAINS in the same header location refers to the scan number of the calibration data to be applied to the scan in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### BASELINE

**BASELINE** is used to fit and remove polynomial frequency baselines from the data. This routine computes the coefficients of a Chebyshev polynomial of a specified order by a least squares fit for a specified region or regions of the scan in the currently referenced array. The polynomial is then evaluated for each channel and subtracted from the scan.

#### PTWH

**BASELINE** computes and subtracts a polynomial baseline from the scan in the array at which **PTWH** is pointing. **BASELINE** does not change **PTWH**.

#### ADVERBS

- |    |                        |  |
|----|------------------------|--|
| 1  | <b>NFIT</b>            | The order of the polynomial baseline to be removed. <b>NFIT</b> must be between 1 and 12.<br>Example: 3 <b>NFIT</b>  |
| 0  | <b>BDROP(RCVR)</b>     | The number of channels at each end of each receiver which will be ignored by the routine.  |
| 0  | <b>EDROP(RCVR)</b>     |  |
| 0  | <b>NREGION(RCVR,N)</b> | Specifies the region or regions of the scan to be used to compute the baseline coefficients. <b>N</b> is an integer between 1 and 8.   |
| 50 | <b>BBASE(RCVR)</b>     | The number of channels at each end of each receiver (not including the channels dropped by <b>BDROP</b> and <b>EDROP</b> ) which will be used to compute the baseline coefficients if <b>NREGION(RCVR,1) = 0</b> . |
| 50 | <b>EBASE(RCVR)</b>     |  |

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **BASELINE**. A baseline may be removed from either or both receivers.

#### RELATED VERBS

- |               |  |
|---------------|--|
| <b>BSHAPE</b> | Computes the coefficients of the Chebyshev polynomial for specified spectral values by a least squares fit.              |
| <b>BMODEL</b> | Computes the channel by channel values of the baseline using the last computed coefficients of the Chebyshev polynomial. |

See also

**DCBASE**    **RIPPLE**    **RMODEL**    **RSHAPE**

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### REMARKS

The regions used to compute the baseline should not include a known or suspected spectral feature.

### ERRORS

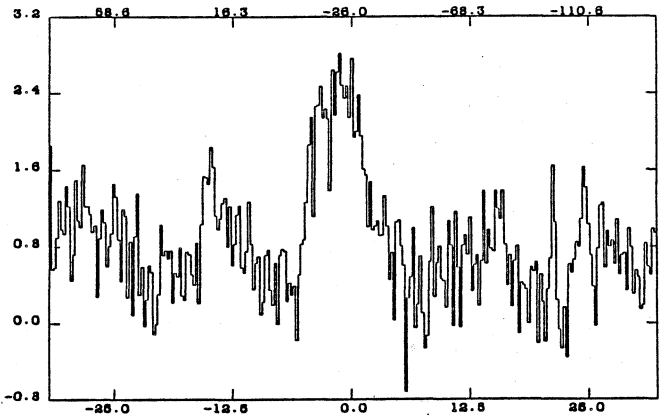
If  $NREGION(RCVR, N)$ , where  $N$  is even, is less than  $NREGION(RCVR, N-1)$ , the message

NREGION ?

will appear. (The endchannel of a baseline fitting region must be greater than the startchannel.)

### EXAMPLES

(1) Your one-receiver data looks like



IRC-10218      8831 SECOND      TC-800 TS-    862 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989  
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193812 VEL-    -26.0 DV- -0.86 FB- 250 SB-2

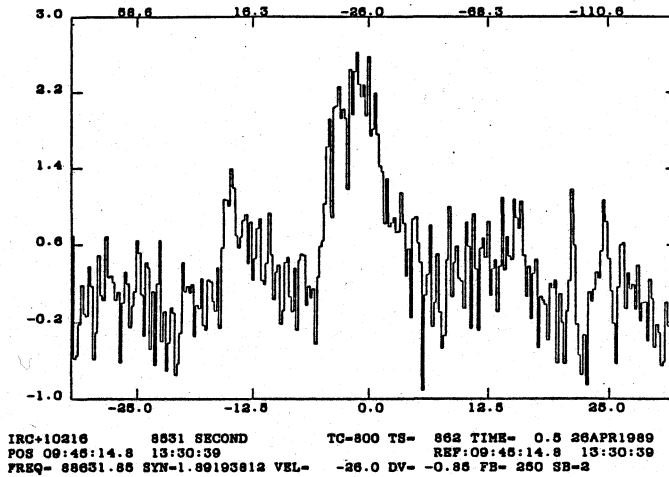
You want to remove a second order baseline. Specify:

NREGION (1,1) = 0  
BBASE = 50  
EBASE = 50  
NFIT = 2  
BASELINE PAGE SHOW

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## VERB DICTIONARY

You will get



- (2) If you had two-receiver data, but both receivers were essentially identical, you would use the same procedure.

### BASEOFF

Puts the value of the baseline offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### BFWHM

Puts the value of the beam full width at half maximum of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### BIAS

**BIAS** adds the values of **FACT(RCVR)** to the scan in the currently referenced array.

**PTWH** Determines to which scan **FACT** is added. Is not changed.

### ADVERBS

0 **FACT(RCVR)** The number of degrees Kelvin which is to be added to a scan. **FACT** is also used by the verb **SCALE**.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **BIAS**. **FACT** may be added to either or both receivers. (If both are biased, they may be biased by different values.)

### RELATED VERBS

**SCALE** Also uses the adverb **FACT**. **SCALE** multiplies each receiver of the currently referenced array by **FACT(RCVR)**.

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# VERB DICTIONARY

## EXAMPLE

BIAS can be used to plot more than one scan on the same graph, separated for visibility. Specify

```
GET 8530 PAGE SHOW
```

Set YMIN and YINCR so that the first scan will be plotted on the top of the graph. For the graph below,

```
-2 10 RANGE
```

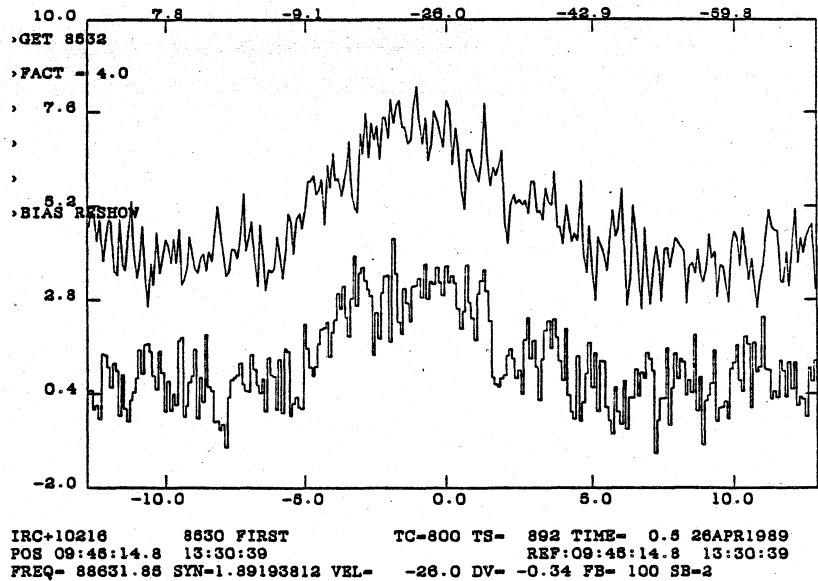
was used. Replot. Then set FACT to separate the scans

```
PAGE SHOW  
GET 8532  
FACT = 4.0
```

and specify

```
BIAS RESHOW
```

The results look like



## VERB DICTIONARY

### BMODEL

**BMODEL** evaluates the last computed coefficients for a polynomial baseline for each channel and replaces the currently referenced array with the evaluated polynomial.

**PTWH** Determines which array is replaced by the baseline model. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None used directly -- **BMODEL** uses the results of the previous **BASELINE** or **BSHAPE**.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **BMODEL**. Either or both receivers may be replaced by a baseline model depending on the processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

**BASELINE** Computes the coefficients for the polynomial, evaluates the polynomial and subtracts it from the currently referenced array.

**BSHAPE** Computes the coefficients for the polynomial using the currently referenced array.

### REMARKS

Most often used in conjunction with **BSHAPE** to compute a baseline without subtracting it from the data. It is often useful to plot the baseline model on top of the data for comparison purposes.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXAMPLE

You have twenty scans of the same source and you want to remove exactly the same baseline from each of them. You can do this by

```
GET 710 TRT BSHAPE BMODEL PMW DIFF SHOW
GET 712 DIFF PAGE SHOW
GET 714 DIFF PAGE SHOW
.
.
.
GET 748 DIFF PAGE SHOW
```

The first set of commands above create a model of the baseline in the TEMP array and subtract the result from the scan in the WORK array. The result of the subtraction is left in the WORK array and the TEMP array is not changed. Thus the model can be subtracted from scan after scan.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### **BMORENT**

Not currently implemented

### **BMTHROW**

Puts the value of the beam throw parameter of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. This is not implemented as yet. Instead the wavelength (focus step size) used in a continuum FOCALIZE is stored in this location and may be retrieved by the verb WL.

**BOTH**

**BOTH** sets the two-receiver processing option of the scan in the currently referenced array to both receivers. (Both receivers is the default processing option, so **BOTH** is used to restore the default after **ONLYA** or **ONLYB** has been used.)

**PTWH** Determines which scan's processing default is changed. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Is set by **BOTH** to both receivers.

**RELATED VERBS**

**ONLYA** Sets the two-receiver processing option to only the A receiver.

**ONLYB** Sets the two-receiver processing option to only the B receiver.

**REMARKS** **BOTH** should not be used on one-receiver data.

**EXAMPLE**

You have displayed the A receiver by

**GET 710 ONLYA PAGE SHOW**

And now you want to specify both receivers. To process both receivers, specify

**BOTH PAGE SHOW**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### BOXCAR

This routine smoothes a scan by averaging an odd number of consecutive channels together and placing the result in the center channel.

**PTWH** Determines which scan is smoothed. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver which
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)** will be ignored by the routine.
  
- 0 **NBOX** The number of channels which will be averaged together to smooth the scan.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **BOXCAR**. Either or both receivers may be smoothed. If both are smoothed, they are smoothed in the same way, i. e., **NBOX** cannot be specified separately for each receiver.

#### RELATED VERBS

- HANNING** A smoothing routine which averages three channels together with the center channel getting twice as much weight as either side channel.
  
- SMOOTH** A smoothing routine which averages channels according to user specified weighting.

#### ERRORS

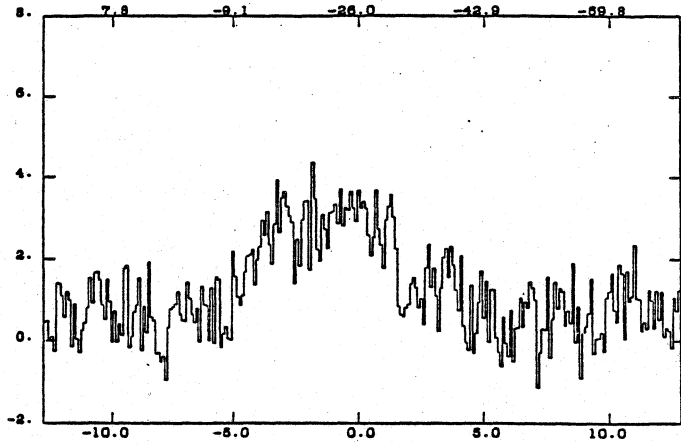
If **NBOX** is not odd, the error message "NBOX ODD?" is printed, and the **BOXCAR** operation is not performed.

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**VERB DICTIONARY**

**EXAMPLE**

Your data looks like

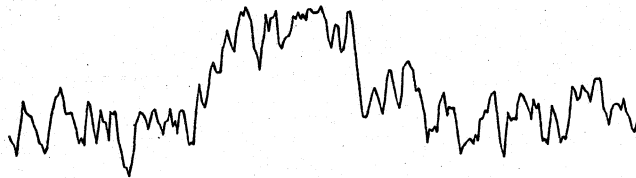


IRC-10216      8830 FIRST      TC-800 TS-    992 TIME-    0.5 26APR1989  
POS 09:45:14.8    13:30:39      REP:09:45:14.8    13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193812 VEL-    -26.0 DV-    -0.34 PB- 100 SB-2

And you want to smooth it. If you specify

**NBOX = 3  
BOXCAR PAGE RESHOW**

You will get



(RESHOW does not label the axes.)

If you specify

**NBOX = 7  
BOXCAR PAGE RESHOW**

You will get





## VERB DICTIONARY

### BSHAPE

BSHAPE calculates the coefficients of a Chebyshev polynomial of a given order by a least squares fit for a specified region or region of spectral values. BSHAPE does NOT evaluate the polynomial. (BASELINE and BMODEL do.)

**PTWH** BSHAPE computes the Chebyshev coefficients for the scan in the array at which PTWH is pointing. BSHAPE does not change PTWH.

### ADVERBS

- 1 NFIT The order of the polynomial baseline to be removed. NFIT must be between 1 and 12.
- 0 BDROP(R) The number of channels at each end of each receiver  
0 EDROP(R) which will be ignored by the routine.
- 0 NREGION(R,N) Specified the region or regions of the scan to be used to compute the baseline coefficients. N is an integer between 1 and 8.
- 0 BBASE(R) The number of channels at each end of each receiver  
0 EBASE(RCVR) (not including the channels dropped by BDROP and EDROP) which will be used to compute the baseline coefficients if NREGION(RCVR,1) = 0.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect BSHAPE. The coefficients will be computed for either or both receivers depending on the processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

- BASELINE** Not only computes the coefficients but evaluates them for each channel and subtracts the evaluated polynomial from the data.
- BMODEL** Evaluates a polynomial using the last computed coefficients and replaces the data with the evaluated polynomial.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### REMARKS

**BSHAPE** is most frequently used in conjunction with **BMODEL** to construct a model of a particular baseline. The set of commands

```
TRT   BSHAPE   BMODEL   PMW   DIFF
```

is equivalent to **BASELINE**.

### EXAMPLE

You want to remove a parabolic baseline from scan 712, which is in the **WORK** array, but before you subtract the parabola from the scan, you want to see how well it fits. You specify

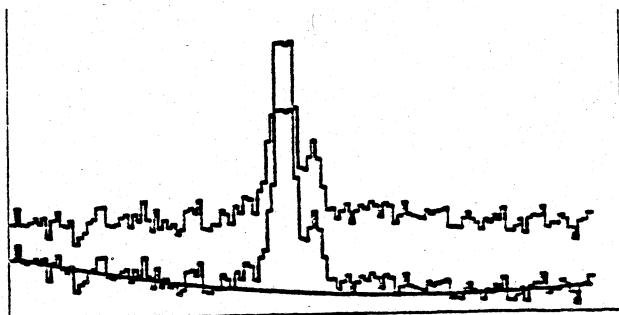
```
TRT   BSHAPE   BMODEL To copy the scan to the TEMP array, compute the
                        polynomial coefficients, and replace your copy of the
                        scan with the computed polynomial.
```

```
RESHOW To plot the baseline model over the scan already plotted
on the screen.
```

```
PMW   DIFF   RESHOW To subtract the model from the data in the WORK array
and plot the results over the original scan and the
baseline model.
```

When finished, you will have something like this:

```
Example: -2 10 RANGE
          1186 S
          TRT BSHAPE BMODEL
          RESHOW
          PMW DIFF RESHOW
```



## VERB DICTIONARY

### BSHOW

Fits, evaluates and displays a polynomial frequency baseline without altering data in the current array.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

1	NFIT	Order of polynomial baseline to be removed.
0	BDROP(r)	# channels at beginning of data to be ignored.
0	EDROP(r)	# channels at end of data to be ignored.
0	NREGION(r,n)	Region(s) of data where baseline is computed.
50	BBASE(r)	# channels at each end of data excluding BDROP
50	EBASE(r)	&EDROP where baseline is fit if NREGION(r,1)=0

### BUGREPORT

To report a problem with the analysis system, type BUGREPORT (or just BUG), and you will then be able to use the standard VMS EDT editor to describe the problem. Please give as much useful information as possible, including specific information (scan numbers, observing mode etc.)

When you have finished typing your report, enter CONTROL-Z and EX to exit from the editor and return to the analysis program.

### BW

Puts the value of the bandwidth (total bandwidth of filterbank) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The units are MHz.

### BY

Used in procedures in FOR, TO, BY logical construction.

Example: FOR X = 1 TO 3 BY 2; ...; END;

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CCUR

This routine activates the vertical crosshair and returns the channel number for that crosshair position on the current display when any key except RETURN is struck.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by CCUR.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Will compute proper channel for either receiver A, receiver B or both when both are displayed together.

#### RELATED VERBS

**CROSSHAIR** Activates the horizontal and vertical crosshairs and prints the channel number, temperature and velocity values at the crosshair positions.

**TCUR** Returns the temperature value at the current horizontal crosshair position.

**VCUR** Returns the velocity value at the current vertical crosshair position.

**REMARKS** CCUR is best used in a procedure, generally for defining baseline regions, bad points to be removed by REPLACE or initial guesses for fitting gaussians.

#### EXAMPLE

A procedure for setting gaussian parameters with the crosshairs is defined below.

```
PROCEDURE GSET
PRINT 'ENTER # OF GAUSSIANS'
READ NGAUSS
PRINT 'SET CENTERS'
FOR I = 1 TO NGAUSS
  X1 = CCUR; CENTER (I) = X1; END
PRINT 'SET HWIDTHS'
FOR I = 1 TO NGAUSS
  X1 = CCUR; X2 = CCUR; HWIDTH(I) = X2 - X1; END;
PRINT 'SET BGAUSS & EGAUSS'
X1 = CCUR; BGAUSS = X1; X1 = CCUR; EGAUSS = X1
RETURN
FINISH
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CGET

CGET retrieves the continuum data from disk within the LINE program. Continuum FIVE points, TIPS, and FOCALIZES processed in the LINE program use CGET to retrieve the raw data. An error occurs if GET is used to retrieve a continuum scan or if CGET is used to retrieve a LINE scan. CGET takes one object, the desired scan number.

**PTWH** Is not used by CGET, but is set to the WORK array.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OPERANDS** Specify 1 or 2 for first or second filterbank.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect CGET. After GET, the scan in the WORK array will have the default processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

See also GET

#### REMARKS

CGET does not require the scan number as its object. Its object is 1 or 2.

#### ERRORS

If there is no current scan, or if the current scan has not finished one pair, the message

SCAN ?

will be generated.

#### EXAMPLE

To bring the first filterbank of the current scan into the WORK array and display it, you specify

CGET 1 PAGE SHOW or Q1

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CHAN

Puts the value of the specified data channel of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**EXAMPLE**            **PRINT CHAN 31**

### CHAR

Prints a string of characters on the CRT at the current cursor position. Used in procedures. Requires two objects.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

**STRING**            Statement to be printed. Typed within single quotes.

**#CHARACTERS**    # of characters in string.

**EXAMPLE**            **CHAR ('HELP',4)**

### CHECK

Prints out the scan number (if valid) of data in the current NSAVE bin.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

**0 NSAVE**            The number of the disk bin whose data are checked.

### CHGRES

Smooths spectral line data from its initial resolution to a lower resolution specified by NEWRES. The routine steps a gaussian of appropriate FWHM through the existing spectrum and performs a convolution at each position. The scan frequency resolution and delta velocity are updated.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

**0 NEWRES**            The desired frequency resolution.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CLIP

CLIP resets any spectral value in the scan in the currently referenced array that is greater than CLIPMAX to CLIPMAX and any spectral value that is less than CLIPMIN to CLIPMIN.

**PTWH** Determines which scan is clipped. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

**CLIPMAX** The maximum spectral value that will be found in a scan after it is clipped.

**CLIPMIN** The minimum spectral value that will be found in a scan after it is clipped.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect CLIP. Either or both receivers may be clipped depending on the processing option.

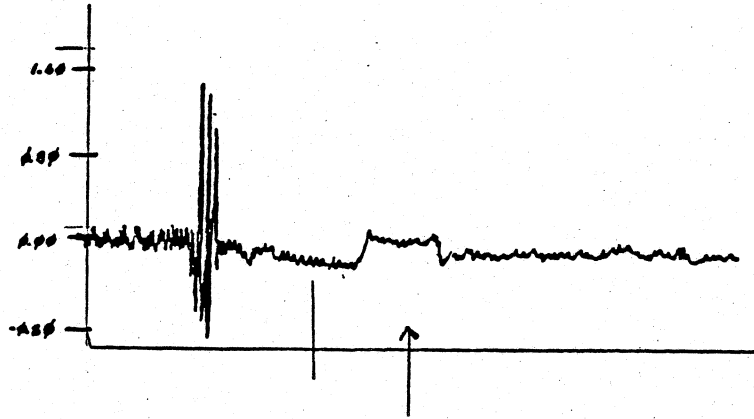
#### REMARKS

CLIP is commonly used to limit the range of spectral values in a scan.

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EXAMPLE

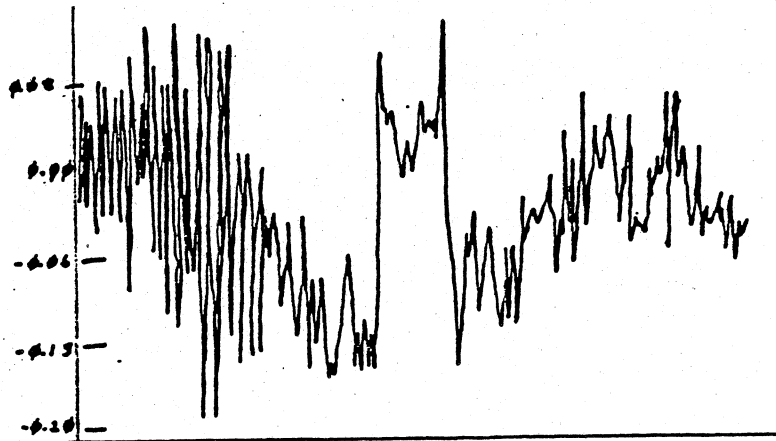
Your data will look like



You are interested in this structure. Specify

CLIPMIN = 0.18; CLIPMAX = 0.14; CLIP PAGE SHOW

You will get





## VERB DICTIONARY

### COMMENT

Places the cursor at the bottom of the CRT screen, waits for the user to type in a remark no longer than a single line, then moves the cursor to the top of the screen. The verb **COMMENT** does not appear on the hardcopy plot.

### COORDCD

Puts a field of eight characters which specifies in which coordinate system the data in the currently referenced array was commanded into the adverb **COORDCD**. This adverb may then be printed.

**CORE**

**CORE** prints the amount of memory available for programs, variables and source listings.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by **CORE**.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect **CORE**.

**RELATED VERBS**

**RESTART** Empties the procedure and variable space.

**STORE page #** Stores the current procedures in disk page bin page#  
(1 ≤ page# ≤ 6).

**RESTORE page#** Retrieves disk page bin N.

**REMARKS**

**CORE** is purely an informational verb. You can avoid getting the message **BLEW CORE** by not trying to define a procedure when there is very little space left in memory.

**EXAMPLE**

You have defined three procedures and you want to know if there is room for any more. You specify

**CORE**

and get the output

PROGRAM	VARIABLES	SOURCE
2997 4003	3729 4189	1225 2048

This tells you that you have 1006 words of program space, 460 words of variable space and 823 words of procedure source space left.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CROSSHAIR

This routine activates the horizontal and vertical crosshairs. Striking any key except the RETURN keys causes the intersection of the crosshairs to be marked with a '+' and the channel number, velocity and temperature at that point to be labeled. After the information is printed, the crosshairs are prompted again. Striking the '=' key will deactivate the crosshairs. Do not strike the RETURN key when using CROSSHAIR.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by CROSSHAIR.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does apply. Will only compute the proper velocity for one receiver at a time.

### RELATED VERBS

**CCUR** Returns the channel value at the current vertical crosshair position.

**TCUR** Returns the temperature value at the current horizontal crosshair position.

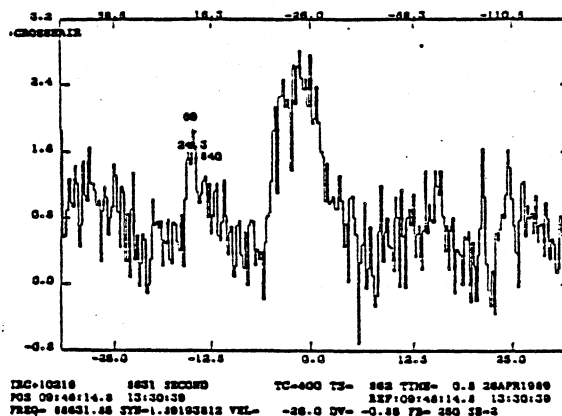
**VCUR** Returns the velocity value at the current vertical crosshair position.

### REMARKS

CROSSHAIR prints information concerning the crosshair positions on the CRT screen. CCUR, TCUR and VCUR derive a value from the appropriate crosshair and store the value in the program to be used in setting adverb values.

### EXAMPLE

An example of the output from CROSSHAIR is shown below.



**CRT**

Directs all non-graphic output from the printer back to the CRT.

See **PRINTER**

**EXAMPLE**                      **CRT**

**CSORT**

Sorts the continuum data in the observer's data file and fills the stack (**ASTACK**) with scan numbers that meet the sort requirements specified. One or more of the adverbs listed below may be used.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

<b>BSCAN</b>	Beginning scan number for the sort.
<b>ESCAN</b>	Ending scan number for the sort.
<b>SOURCE</b>	Source name used for the sort.
<b>FREQ(2)</b>	Beginning and ending rest frequency of sort.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### CYCLELEN

Puts the value of the cycle length in seconds (time required to complete one cycle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### DATALEN

Puts the value of the data length (in R\*4 words) of the scan in the currently referenced array on the value stack. This value may be printed or used in calculations. To find the total number of data points in the scan in the currently referenced array type:

PRINT DATALEN

### DATALOG

Prints on the CRT a listing of all spectral line scans in the observer's raw data file, giving the scan number, source name, velocity and rest frequency for each scan. A listing of all continuum scans follows with each scan number, source name and rest frequency.

**DCBASE**

**DCBASE** computes the average spectral value over a specified range of spectral values and subtracts the average from all the spectral values in the currently referenced array.

**PTWH**                      Determines which scan gets the average computed and subtracted. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)**                      The number of channels at each end of each receiver which are ignored by the routine.
  - 0 **EDROP(RCVR)**                      The number of channels at each end of each receiver which are ignored by the routine.
  - 0 **NREGION(RCVR, N)**                Specifies the region or regions of the spectrum which are used to compute the average value. Up to four regions may be specified for each receiver. N is an integer between 1 and 8.
  - 0 **BBASE(RCVR)**                      Specifies the number of channels at each end of each receiver (not including the channels dropped by **BDROP**) that will be used to compute the average spectral value, if
  - 0 **EBASE(RCVR)**                      Specifies the number of channels at each end of each receiver (not including the channels dropped by **BDROP**) that will be used to compute the average spectral value, if
- NREGION(RCVR, 1) = 0.**

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**                      Does affect **DCBASE**. The average will be computed and subtracted from either or both receivers depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

See                      **BASELINE**  
                              **BIAS**

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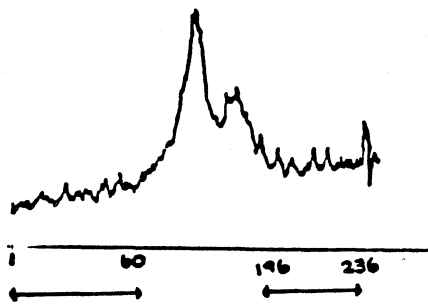
## VERB DICTIONARY

### REMARKS

A conservative means of frequency baseline removal.

### EXAMPLE

Your data looks like



You want to remove an average computed over these regions

So you specify

```
EDROP = 20
NREGION (1,1) = 0
BBASE = 60
EBASE = 40
DCBASE
PAGE SHOW
```

or (for receiver A only)

```
NREGION (1,1) = 11
NREGION (1,2) = 70
NREGION (1,3) = 133
NREGION (1,4) = 172
NREGION (1,5) = 0
DCBASE PAGE SHOW
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### DCL

Temporarily leaves the program, putting you into the Vax DCL environment. You may then give any DCL commands, in the normal way. To return to the analysis program, at the point you left it, type LO (to logoff from the spawned task).

### DEBUG

When followed by the object, TRUE, causes the LINE program to print diagnostic information as commands are executed. To turn off the diagnostics, type DEBUG FALSE.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### DEC

DEC sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use declination as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**GB** Sets galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**GL** Sets galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**RA** Sets right ascension as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**LABEL** Labels the map drawn by MAPSHOW.

**MAPSHOW** Draws a map with the levels specified by LEVS.

**DELETE**

A routine which deletes one scan from the **STACK**.

**PTWH** Is not changed or used.

**ADVERBS**

**ACOUNT** The **STACK** counter is decremented by one.

**ASTACK** The specified scan is deleted from the **STACK** array.

**OPERANDS** The number of the scan to be deleted from the **STACK**.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

**A #** Inserts one scan into the **STACK**.

**ADD (#,#)** Inserts a series of scans into the **STACK**.

**EMPTY** Empties the **STACK**.

**STACK** Lists the **STACK**.

**REMARKS**

The scan number may be typed immediately preceding or following the verb **DELETE**. The scan number is specified positive regardless of the sign of the scan number in the **STACK**.

**EXAMPLE**

The **STACK** currently has scans 512-536 in it, but you want to delete scan 524.  
Type

524      **DELETE**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### DELTAV

Calculates area, mean flux, high & low velocity peak fluxes, high & low peak velocities and delta velocities at specified fractions of peak flux.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

- |   |            |   |
|---|------------|---|
| 0 | DFRACT     | Increment between fractions for velocity. |
| 0 | NFRACT     | Number of fractions desired.              |
| 0 | FRACT      | Lowest fraction for velocity calculation. |
| 0 | BMOMENT(r) | Beginning channel of velocity window.     |
| 0 | EMOMENT(r) | Ending channel of velocity window.        |

### DELTAX

Puts the value of the step-size along the x-axis (usually velocity) for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### DELTAXR

Puts the value of DELTA X or X RATE of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The cell size or distance (in seconds of arc) between cells on the X axis. DELTAXR is used to specify the horizontal grid cell size in the mapping routines. See Mapping and GRID.

### DELTAYR

Puts the value of the cell size or distance between cells on the Y axis of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. DELTAYR is used to specify the vertical grid cell size in the mapping routines. See Mapping and GRID.

**DESORG**

Puts the value of the descriptive origin (horizontal position, vertical position, position angle describing the orientation of the sky "horizontal axis") of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**DIFF**

This routine subtracts the scan in the TEMP array from the currently referenced array.

**PTWH** Determines from which array the TEMP array is subtracted. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect DIFF. Either or both receivers may be differenced, depending on the value of the processing option.

**REMARKS**

This verb can be used to remove baselines by subtracting an off source scan.

**EXAMPLES**

To difference a scan 710 and an off-the-source scan 712, and display the result

OFF 712 ON 710 DIFF PAGE SHOW

**DIR**

Invokes the VMS DCL command DIRECTORY which causes the contents of the current directory to be listed on the screen.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### DIVIDE

This routine divides the scan in the currently referenced array by the scan in the TEMP array. The result is left in the currently referenced array. The currently referenced array must be in the TEMP array.

**PTWH** Determines which array is divided by the TEMP array. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect DIVIDE. Either or both receivers may be divided, depending on the processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

**OFF** Copies a scan from the disk to the TEMP array.

**ON** Copies a scan from the disk to the WORK array.

#### EXAMPLE

To divide one scan by another:

```
put the dividend scan in the WORK array      ON 548
put the divisor scan in the TEMP array       OFF 550
point to the dividend scan                   PMW
and                                           DIVIDE
                                           PAGE SHOW
```

to produce and display the result.

### DOC

Writes one line of header information about the scan in the currently referenced array. Scan number, date, LST, position, length of scan, TS, filterbank, frequency and source name are printed. See TITLE, HEADER, SNAP.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### EDIT

EDIT is used to change an already defined procedure. EDIT requires as its object the name of the procedure to be edited and the number of the line in the procedure which is to be changed. EDIT puts the program into EDIT mode and signals this to the user by prompting with a colon instead of a carat.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by EDIT.

**ADVERBS** None.

#### OBJECTS

**Procedurename** The name of the procedure to be edited.

**Linenumber** The line number of the line in the procedure which is to be changed.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect EDIT.

#### RELATED VERBS

**LIST procedurename** Lists the procedure with the given name.

**ENEDIT** Gets the program out of EDIT mode.

See also PROCEDURE.

#### EXAMPLE

To edit the already defined procedure PRUDE

```
first list it      >LIST PRCDR
                   1  PROCEDURE PRCDR(N)
                   2  GET(N)
                   3  BASELINE
                   4  HANNING
                   5  PAGE SHOW
                   6  ACCUM
                   7  RETURN
                   8  FINISH
                   >
```

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## VERB DICTIONARY

Suppose you want to change HANNING to BOXCAR

```
EDIT PRCDE 4
:BOXCAR
:ENEDIT
>
```

Now suppose you wanted to add a line to your procedure

```
EDIT PRCDR 2.5
:NBOX=3
:ENEDIT
>
```

The corrected procedure looks like

```
1 PROCEDURE PRCDR(N)
2 NBOX=3
3 GET(N)
4 BASELINE
5 BOXCAR
6 PAGE SHOW
7 ACCUM
8 RETURN
9 FINISH
```

You may also delete a line by

```
EDIT PRCDR 7
:*
:ENEDIT
>
```

**EDITING**

Specifies whether or not the edited file should be searched before the raw data file for scan retrieval.

EDITING takes one object

TRUE or FALSE

**EXAMPLE**    EDITING TRUE

**EDT**

Invokes the VMS editor. Do not use any arguments with EDT. The editor will prompt for the name of the file you wish to edit. Upon exiting from the editor, control will be passed back to the LINE program. EDT is very useful for creating procedures in .PRC files outside the LINE program.

**EL**

Puts the value of the commanded elevation of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**ELSE**

Used in procedures in IF, THEN, ELSE logical constructions. ELSE (do this) need not be included when no action is desired if the test is false.

See IF, END, FOR, WHILE

**EXAMPLE**            IF X = 2 THEN; Y = 3; ELSE Y = 1; END



## VERB DICTIONARY

### EMPTY

This routine will delete all scans from the **STACK**, **ASTACK**, and set the **STACK** counter, **ACOUNT**, to zero.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

### ADVERBS

**ACOUNT** The **STACK** counter is set to zero.

**ASTACK** The **STACK** array is zeroed.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**A #** Inserts a single scan into the **STACK**.

**ADD (#,#)** Inserts a group of scans into the **STACK**.

**DELETE #** Deletes a scan from the **STACK**.

**STACK** Lists all scans in the **STACK**.

### EXAMPLE

You have just stacked a group of scans and now wish to clear the **STACK**.  
Type

**EMPTY**

**END**

**END** is used to end a logical construction. It is used in conjunction with the verbs **IF**, **FOR**, and **WHILE**.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect **END**.

**RELATED VERBS**

See **FOR**  
**IF**  
**WHILE**

**EXAMPLE**

```
FOR I = 1 TO 3  
...  
...  
END
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### ENEDIT

ENEDIT is used in conjunction with EDIT. EDIT gets the program into EDIT mode; ENEDIT returns the program to EXECUTE mode. The program signals that it is in EXECUTE mode by prompting with a carat.

**PTWH**                    Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS**                None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect ENEDIT.

### RELATED VERBS

See **EDIT**                Used to change an already defined procedure.

**LIST**                    Produces listing of the requested procedure.

### EXAMPLE

```
EDIT XMPL 3
:...
:...
:ENEDIT
>
```

**EPOCH**

Puts the value of epoch (as specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**EPOCRA**

Puts the value of the epoch right ascension of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**EPODEC**

Puts the value of the epoch declination of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**ESTACK**

Lists all record numbers currently in the RSTACK.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

0	RSTACK(n)	Array dimensioned to 20 for record numbers.
0	RCOUNT	Counter of number of records in RSTACK.

**EXEDIR**

Invokes the VMS DCL command DIRECTORY \*.EXE which lists all files in the main directory with the extension .EXE.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXIT

EXIT is a routine that terminates the LINE program and returns control to VMS.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**STORE** Copies the program memory into a disk storage space called a "page" for later retrieval.

**RESTORE** Restores the program memory previously saved on disk by the store command.

### EXAMPLE

You have just finished your observing run and wish to take home a KEEP tape of reduced data. You must exit LINE in order to be able to run the KEEP program. To do so simply type:

**EXIT**

The terminal will respond with a message

**FORTRAN STOP**

**EXPLAIN**

Documents the functions of all NRAO defined procedures permanently residing in the program.

**EXAMPLE**

**EXPLAIN HALVES**

(Replaced by HELP PROCEDURES)

**FETCH**

Retrieves total power raw data from disk. A scan number is required as its object. **FETCH** copies the desired **ON** scan from disk to the **WORK** array, then copies the appropriate **OFF** scan into the **TEMP** array, the **ZERO** levels into the **HOLD** array and the **GAINS** into the **SPECT** array. **TEMP** may calculate a calibrated quotient after these data are loaded.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### FFT

Performs a fast Fourier transform of the data in the currently referenced array.

**PTWH** Determines which array is transformed. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)** which are ignored by the routine.
  
- 0 **INVFFT** Flag that denotes if an inverse Fourier transform is to  
be done. If so, **INVFFT = 1**.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect FFT. Either or both may  
be processed, depending on the  
processing option.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

**FINISH**

This verb is used to end the definition of a procedure. PROCEDURE puts the program into DEFINITION mode; FINISH puts the program back into EXECUTE mode. FINISH signals that the program has returned to EXECUTE mode by prompting with a carat.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect FINISH.

**RELATED VERBS**

**PROCEDURE** Begins the definition of a procedure.

**REMARKS**

FINISH must appear on a line by itself.

**EXAMPLE**

```
PROC XMPL
XX
FINISH
```

**FIRSTIF**

Puts the value of the FIRST-IF of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### FLAG

This routine will draw a vertical flag perpendicular to the horizontal frequency axis at the specified frequency on the current display and labels the frequency.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by FLAG.

#### ADVERBS

**FMARK** Frequencies at which to draw a vertical line when a scan is displayed. Used by SHOW.

**OBJECT** The frequency desired to be flagged specified in MHz.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** FLAG will work on either or both receivers simultaneously.

#### RELATED VERBS

**FULLGRID** Draws a rectangular grid on the CRT at each horizontal and vertical tic mark.

**SHOW** Plots contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT; draws and labels the axes.

**REMARKS** FLAG will mark the specified frequency once. If the adverb, FMARK, is set by the user, each call to SHOW will flag the specified frequencies with a vertical line.

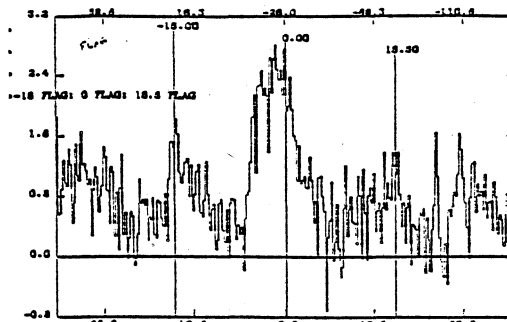
**ERRORS** If FLAG is typed without specifying a frequency the error message "ARG LIST?" is printed.

#### EXAMPLE

To flag and label -10, -5, 5, and 10 MHz frequencies on the current display, specify

**-15 FLAG; 0 FLAG; 15.5 FLAG**

and you will get



TRG=10216 8831 SECOND TC=000 TS= 182 TIME= 0.3 28APR1988  
POS 08:48:14.8 13:30:39 REP:08:48:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ= 18821.48 STD=1.48163812 VEL= -28.0 DV= -0.89 FS= 250 TS=3

**FOCUSH**

Puts the value of the horizontal (East-West) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**FOCUSR**

Puts the value of the radial focus position of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**FOCUSV**

Puts the value of the vertical (North-South) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### FOR

FOR begins a logical construction of the form

```
FOR (VARIABLE) = (ALPHA) TO (BETA) BY (GAMMA)
    (statements to be repeated for each value of
    (VARIABLE))
END
```

FOR can be used only in procedures. The FOR logical construction is a looping device completely similar to the iterative DO found in such languages as FORTRAN and PL/I.

(VARIABLE) can be any unused variable: it functions as an index for the loop. (ALPHA), (BETA) and (GAMMA) can be variables or arithmetic expressions or explicit numerical values. END is required to complete the construction. FOR loops may be nested and arranged on one or more lines; if arranged on one line, a semicolon must separate the statements to be iterated from the logical statements. BY (GAMMA) need not be included if (GAMMA) is to equal 1.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**END** Completes a logical construction.

**WHILE** Begins a logical construction of the form  
WHILE (test condition)  
(statements to be iterated)  
END

**IF** Begins a logical construction of the form  
IF (test condition)  
THEN (do this)  
ELSE (do this)  
END

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## VERB DICTIONARY

See PROCEDURE

### EXAMPLES

- (1) FOR construction on several lines in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG
READ N
FOR I=2 TO N
PRINT SQRT(N)
END
FINISH
```

- (2) FOR construction on one line in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EGALT
READ N
FOR I=2 TO N; PRINT SQRT(N);
END
FINISH
```

- (3) FOR constructions nested in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG2
READ N, M
SUM=0
FOR I=1 TO N
  FOR J=1 TO M
    SUM=SUM+J
  END
END
FINISH
```

### FRAME

Puts a field of eight characters in which the first four characters state whether the grid is polar (POLR) or cartesian (CART) and the second four state whether DELTAXR and DELTAYR refer to STEP sizes or SCANNING rates of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, SFRAME. This adverb may then be printed.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### FREEY

FREEY returns the control of the Y-scaling of its graphs to the verb SHOW. SHOW normally determines the Y-scaling of its graphs, so FREEY is used to restore control of the Y-scaling to the program after the user has overridden it by means of the verb HOLDY or setting the values of the adverbs YMIN and YINCR by the verb RANGE.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

### ADVERBS

YMIN is set to -90000 by FREEY. SHOW sets its own Y-scaling if  $YMIN \leq -9999$ .

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect FREEY. It is possible to free the Y-scaling of either or both receivers.

### RELATED VERBS

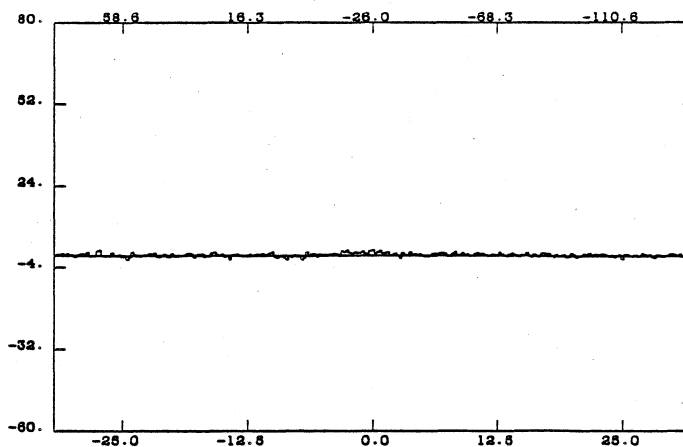
**HOLDY** Causes SHOW to use the last Y-scaling it used again. Does this by setting YMIN to -90000000000.

**AUTO** Alias for FREEY.

**RANGE** Sets YMIN and YINCR.

### EXAMPLE

Your last graph looked like this

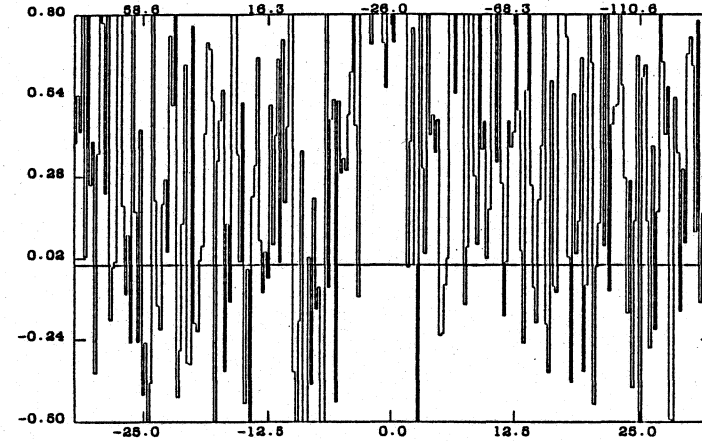


IRC+10216 8601 SECOND TC-800 TS- 870 TIME- 0.3 26APR1989  
POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:45:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193772 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.88 FB- 280 SB-2

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VERB DICTIONARY

or this

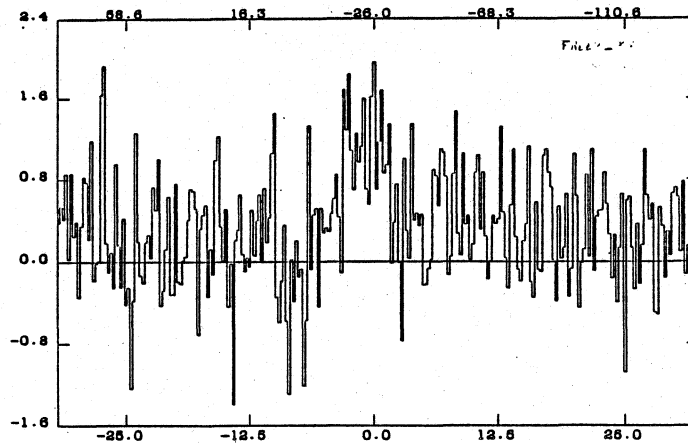


IRC+10216 8601 SECOND TC-800 TS- 870 TIME- 0.3 26APR1989  
POS 09:46:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:46:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193772 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.85 FB- 250 SB-2

To get a better graph, specify

FREEY PAGE SHOW  
OF  
AUTO XX

You will get



IRC+10216 8601 SECOND TC-800 TS- 870 TIME- 0.3 26APR1989  
POS 09:46:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:46:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193772 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.85 FB- 250 SB-2

## VERB DICTIONARY

### FREQRES

Puts the value of the frequency resolution NT (bandwidth per channel) of the selected receiver of the spectral line data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

If the data is continuum, the value of NT, noise tube true or false, is placed on the value stack.

### FRONTEND

Puts a field of eight characters to describe the receiver used into the adverb SFRONTEND. This adverb may then be printed.

#### EXAMPLE

To query the frontend used for an observation, type

```
FRONTEND; PRINT SFRONTEND
```

# VERB DICTIONARY

## FULLGRID

This routine draws a rectangular grid over the current display on the CRT screen.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by FULLGRID.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** A rectangular grid will be drawn for either receiver A, or receiver B or both when displayed together.

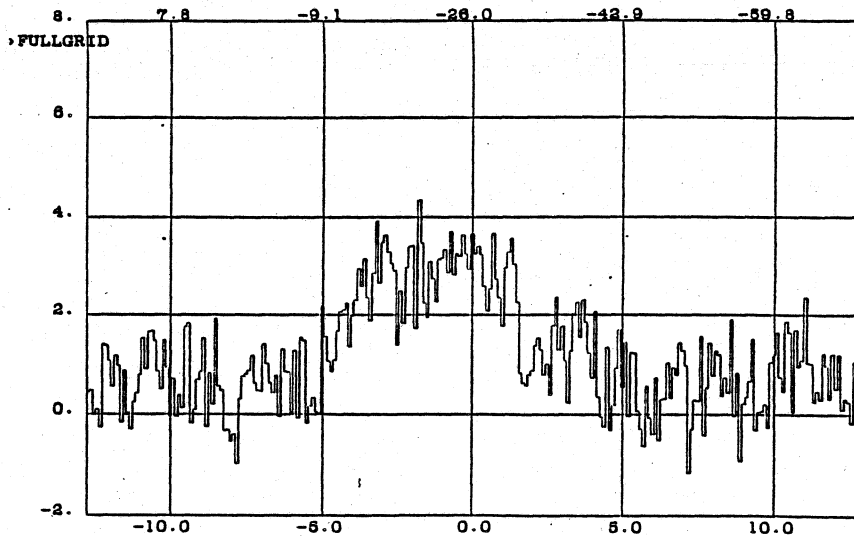
### RELATED VERBS

**FLAG** Draws a vertical flag perpendicular to the horizontal frequency axis at the specified frequency on the current display.

**SHOW** Plots the contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT; draws and labels the axes.

### EXAMPLE

In order to draw a rectangular grid on your current display, specify FULLGRID and you will get



IRC+10216 8530 FIRST TC-800 TS- 892 TIME- 0.6 26APR1989  
POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:45:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193812 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.34 FB- 100 SB-2



## VERB DICTIONARY

### FV or VF

A routine which sets the axis labeling mode so the SHOW displays velocity for the upper x-axis labeling and frequency for the lower x-axis labeling.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**VC or CV** Sets the axis labeling mode so that SHOW displays channel numbers for the upper x-axis labeling and velocity for the lower x-axis labeling.

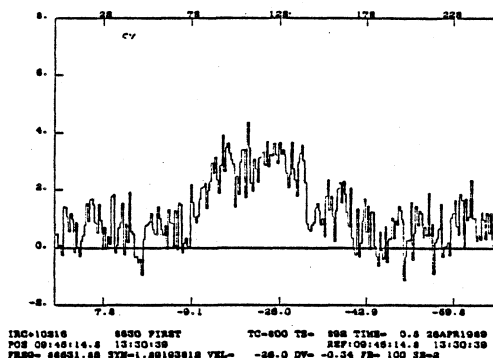
**SHOW** Plots contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT; draws and labels the axes.

### REMARKS

The default labeling in SHOW for the lower x-axis is frequency and for the upper x-axis is velocity.

### EXAMPLE

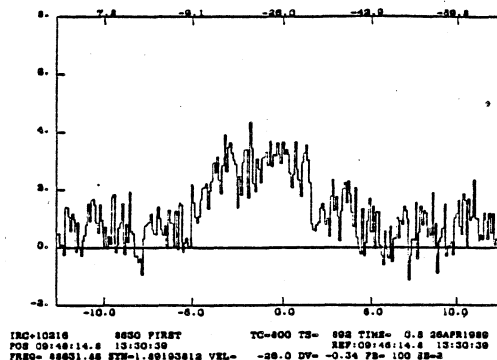
Your current display looks like



and you want to change your x-axes to frequency and velocity. Type:

**FV XX**

and you will get



**GALLAT**

**Puts the value of the commanded galactic latitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.**

**GALLONG**

**Puts the value of the commanded galactic longitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### GAUSS

This routine fits up to six gaussian functions of the form

$$f(x) = \text{HEIGHT} * \text{EXP} ( -2.772 * (x-\text{CENTER})^{**2} / \text{HWIDTH}^{**2} )$$

over a specified interval of a scan. The routine requires initial guesses of the center (explicit channel number) and width (in channels) at half the peak height of NGAUSS gaussians. The routine calculates initial guesses of the heights (in Kelvins) of the gaussians. Then the routine iterates the heights, center locations, and half-widths of the gaussians until a satisfactory fit is obtained. If the fit is successful, a carat is printed. If the fit is unsuccessful, the message FIT FAILED is printed.

**PTWH** Determines for which array the fit is calculated. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

- |   |           |  |
|---|-----------|--|
| 1 | NGAUSS    | The number of gaussians to be fit. NGAUSS = N, where $1 \leq N \leq 6$ .                           |
| 0 | BGAUSS    | The explicit channel numbers where the fit is to begin   |
| 0 | EGAUSS    | and end.   |
| 0 | CENTER(N) | The channel number where gaussian N has its center. Iterated by the routine.                       |
| 0 | HEIGHT(N) | The height in degrees Kelvin of gaussian N. Determined by the routine.                             |
| 0 | HWIDTH(N) | The width in number of channels of gaussian N at half its peak height. Iterated by the routine.    |
| 8 | NITER     | The number of iterations which will be made to try to find a fit. The initial value of NITER is 8. |
| 1 | FIXC      | If FIXC is less than zero, GAUSS will not iterate CENTER.  |
| 1 | FIXHW     | If FIXHW is less than zero, GAUSS will not iterate HWIDTH.   |

#### TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION

GAUSS may only be used to fit gaussians in one receiver at a time. To fit lines in the A receiver, specify BGAUSS, EGAUSS, and all CENTER values equal to channels in the A receiver.

To fit lines in the B receiver, specify BGAUSS, EGAUSS, and all CENTER values equal to channels in the B receiver.

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**RELATED VERBS**

- GMODEL**            Evaluates the parameters of the gaussian(s), constructs a model of the gaussian (or sum of the gaussians), and replaces the data in the currently referenced array with the model. Also prints the values of HEIGHT (in Kelvins), CENTER (in km/sec), and HWIDTH (in km/sec), plus the RMS error of the fit.
  
- RESIDUAL**        Evaluates the parameters of the gaussian(s) for each channel and subtracts the total from the currently referenced array.
  
- GPARTS**           Evaluates the parameters of each gaussian separately, constructs each gaussian, and displays it on the screen.
  
- PEAK**             Finds the peak value and sets all the gaussian parameters accordingly for GAUSS.

**REMARKS**

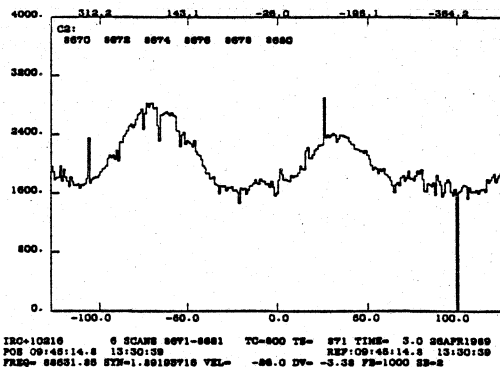
The frequency baseline should be removed before GAUSS is called. GAUSS is used to fit gaussians to data. The other gaussian verbs do not refine the parameters of the gaussian(s). GAUSS does not change the contents of any of the three arrays.

**ERRORS**

If the fit is unsuccessful after NITER iterations, the message FIT FAILED is printed.

**EXAMPLE**

Your A receiver data looks like



You specify

**NGAUSS=1; BGAUSS=105; EGAUSS=152; CENTER=129; HWIDTH=5  
GAUSS**

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## VERB DICTIONARY

All you get is a carat. RESHOW or SHOW will show you an unaltered spectrum. If you specify

PRINT CENTER (1) HEIGHT (1) HWIDTH (1)

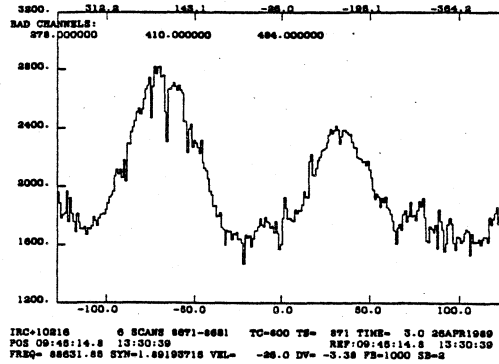
You will get

151.7371 28.6771 4.7104

(These refined values are in channels and Kelvins.)

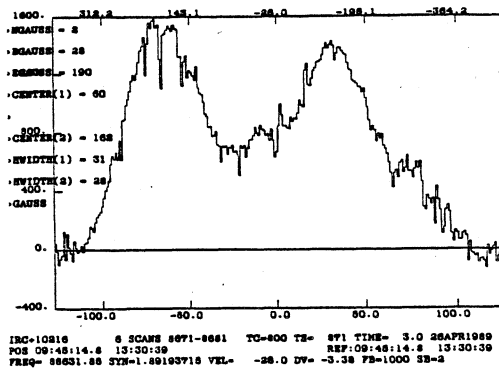
### 1. C2

which gives stack: 8670 8672 8674 8676 8678 8680



### 2. BAD CHANNELS (BADCH)

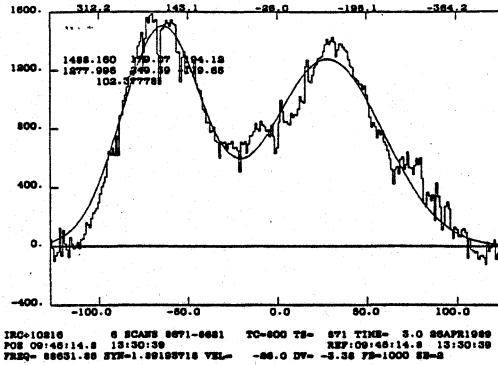
which gives: 278.000000 410.000000 484.000000



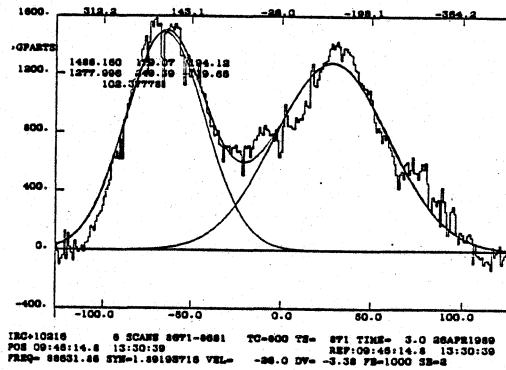
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**VERB DICTIONARY**

3.           ZLINE=1  
               NREGION(1,1)=0  
               BBASE=10  
               EBASE=10  
               NFIT=2  
               BASELINE XX  
               (which gives 4)



4.           NGAUSS=2  
               BGAUSS=28  
               EGAUSS=190  
               CENTER(1)=60  
               CENTER(2)=162  
               HWIDTH(1)=31  
               HWIDTH(2)=28  
               → GAUSS  
               XX GSHOW  
               (which gives 5)



5. Shows result of 4

- |    |                 |           |           |
|----|-----------------|-----------|-----------|
| 6. | PRINT CENTER(1) | HEIGHT(1) | HWIDTH(1) |
|    | 63....          | 1488....  | 52....    |
|    | PRINT CENTER(2) | HEIGHT(2) | HWIDTH(2) |
|    | 156....         | 1277....  | 73....    |

## VERB DICTIONARY

### GB

GB sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.

PTWH Is not changed or used.

ADVERBS None.

TWO-RECEIVER OPTION Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

DEC	Sets declination as the Y-coordinate for maps.
GL	Sets galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.
LABEL	Labels the map drawn by MAPSHOW.
MAPSHOW	Draws a map with the levels specified by LEVS.
RA	Sets right ascension as the Y-coordinate for maps.

### GDISPLAY

Evaluates the parameters of NGAUSS gaussians and displays the sum without altering current array.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

1	NGAUSS	# of gaussian components.
0	BGAUSS	Beginning channel for gaussian evaluation.
0	EGAUSS	Ending channel for gaussian evaluation.
0	CENTER(n)	Center channel of each gaussian.
0	HEIGHT(n)	Heights of each gaussian.
0	HWIDTH(n)	Halfwidths of each gaussian.

**GET**

GET copies a raw spectral scan from disk to the WORK array. A scan number is required for its object.

See QGET, ON, OFF, TELL DISK

**PTWH** Is not used, but is set to the WORK array.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECT**

Scan # The number of the scan to be copied from disk.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect GET. After GET, the scan in the WORK array will have the default processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

- CGET #** Copies the current scan into the WORK array.
- ON #** Copies the requested scan into the WORK array.
- OFF #** Copies the requested scan into the TEMP array.
- TELL DISK** Lists the numbers of the scans in the disk index.

**ERRORS**

If scan # does not appear in the disk index, the message SCAN ? will be generated.

**EXAMPLE**

To bring a scan from the disk and display it on the screen, specify

**GET 550 PAGE SHOW**

where 550 is the number of the scan you want to see.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### GGET

Copies the current calibration array or specified calibration array from the disk to the WORK array. Specify 1 or 2 if the current calibration is desired or if a previous calibration is desired specify its scan number.

**EXAMPLE**            **GGET 1**

### GL

GL sets an internal flag that causes MAPSHOW to use galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**PTWH**                    Is not changed or used.

**ADVERBS**                None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**DEC**                      Sets declination as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**GB**                        Sets galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**LABEL**                    Labels the map drawn by MAPSHOW.

**MAPSHOW**                Draws a map with the levels specified by LEVS.

**RA**                        Sets right ascension as the Y-coordinate for maps.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

0 **BMOMENT**( $r$ )    Beginning channel of window.  
0 **EMOMENT**( $r$ )    Ending channel of window.  
0 **GMFRAC**            % mean flux to window search for high/low peak.

### GMEASURE

This routine calculates the area, mean flux, high and low velocity peak fluxes, high and low peak delta velocities and the minimum flux and delta velocity of a specified region in the currently referenced array.

**GMODEL**

This routine evaluates the parameters of NGAUSS gaussians, and constructs the sum of the gaussians. The sum replaces the data in the currently referenced array. GMODEL also prints the values for HEIGHT(N) (in degrees Kelvin), CENTER(N) (in km/sec), HWIDTH(N) (in km/sec) and the value of the RMS error of the fit.

**PTWH**                      Determines which array is replaced with the model. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 1 NGAUSS                      The number of gaussians.
- 0 BGAUSS                      The first and last channels of the region which was used to fit the gaussian(s).
- 0 EGAUSS
- 0 CENTER(N)                      The center channels of the gaussians.
- 0 HEIGHT(N)                      The heights of the gaussians.
- 0 HWIDTH(N)                      The half widths of the gaussians.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect GMODEL. If GMODEL is used to model line(s) in the A receiver, either BOTH or ONLYA will be satisfactory process-options. If GMODEL is used to model line(s) in the B receiver, ONLYB should be specified before GMODEL.

**RELATED VERBS**

- GAUSS**                      Refines the user's first guesses of CENTER(N) and HWIDTH(N) for N gaussians. Determines HEIGHT for each gaussian.
- GPARTS**                      Evaluates the parameters of, constructs and displays each gaussian separately.
- RESIDUAL**                      Evaluates the parameters of each gaussian, constructs the sum of the NGAUSS gaussians and subtracts the sum from the currently referenced array.
- PEAK**                      Finds the peak value and sets all the gaussian parameters according for GAUSS.

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VERB DICTIONARY

REMARKS

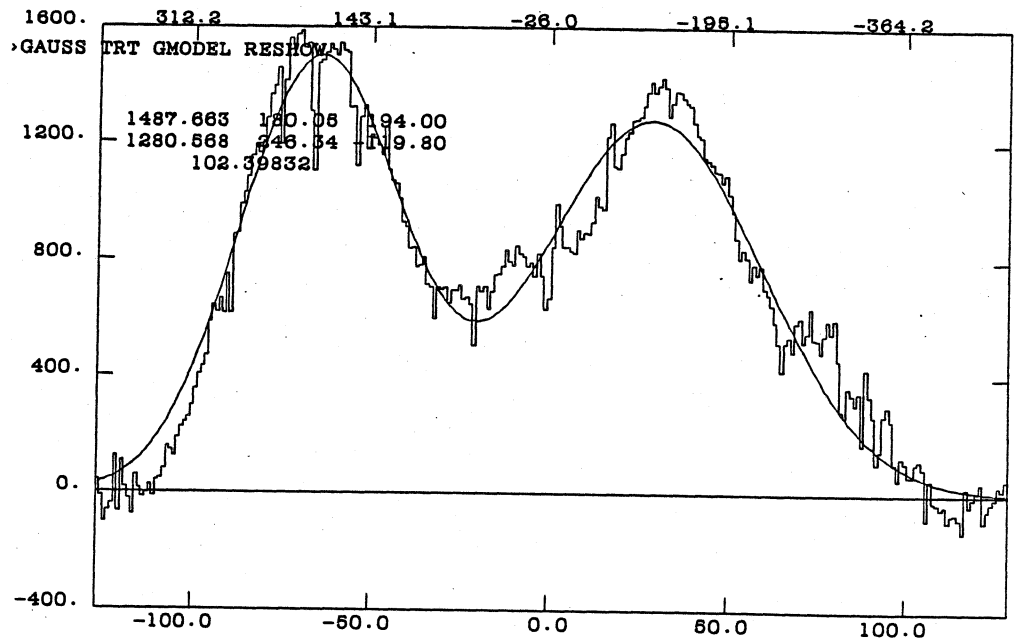
GMODEL is used after GAUSS to print out the parameters of the gaussian(s) and create a model of the fit, or by itself to create a particular gaussian or set of gaussians.

EXAMPLE

You fit two gaussians to your data. To display the model on top of the already displayed data, specify

GMODEL RESHOW

You will get



IRC+10216 6 SCANS 8671-8681 TC-800 TS- 871 TIME- 3.0 26APR1989  
POS 09:46:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:46:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193716 VEL- -26.0 DV- -3.38 FB-1000 SB-2

where 1487.663 and 1280.568 are the heights of the gaussians in Kelvins,  
180.05 and 246.34 are the widths of the gaussians in KM/SEC,  
194.00 and -119.80 are the centers of the gaussians in KM/SEC,

and 102.39832 is the RMS error of the fit in Kelvins.

**GPARTS**

**GPARTS** separately evaluates the parameters of **NGAUSS** gaussians, constructs each gaussian, and displays each gaussian on the CRT screen.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 1 **NGAUSS** The number of gaussians.
- 0 **BGAUSS** The first and last channels of the region over which
- 0 **EGAUSS** the parameters of each gaussian will be evaluated.
- 0 **CENTER(N)** The center channels of the gaussians.
- 0 **HEIGHT(N)** The heights of the gaussians.
- 0 **HWIDTH(N)** The half widths of the gaussians.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** To model gaussians in the A receiver, either **BOTH** or **ONLYA** should be in effect when **GPARTS** is used.

To model gaussians in the B receiver, **ONLYB** should be specified before **GPARTS** is used.

**RELATED VERBS**

- GAUSS** Refines the user's first guesses of **CENTER(N)** and **HWIDTH(N)** for N gaussians. Determines **HEIGHT** for each gaussian.
- GMODEL** Constructs the sum of the N gaussians using their parameters and replaces the currently referenced array with the sum.
- RESIDUAL** Same as **GMODEL**, except that the sum is subtracted from the currently referenced array.
- PEAK** Finds the peak value and sets all the gaussian parameters accordingly for **GAUSS**.

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VERB DICTIONARY

REMARKS

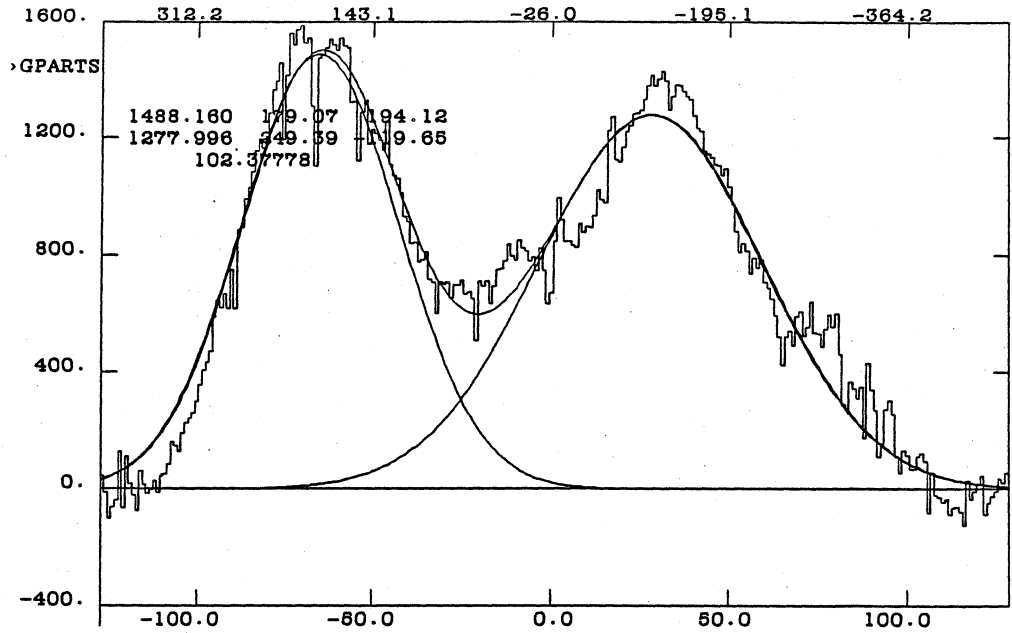
GPARTS does not change the contents of any of the three arrays.

EXAMPLE

You have already fit three gaussians to your data. To see the separate gaussians, specify

GPARTS

You will get



IRC+10216 6 SCANS 8671-8681 TC-800 TS- 871 TIME- 3.0 26APR1989  
POS 09:46:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:46:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193716 VEL- -26.0 DV- -3.38 FB-1000 SB-2

**HANNING**

**HANNING** smoothes the scan in the currently referenced array by the algorithm

$$x_i = 0.25X_{i-1} + 0.5 X_i + 0.25X_{i+1}$$

**PTWH** Determines which scan is smoothed. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)** receiver which will be ignored by the routine.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **HANNING**. Either or both receivers may be smoothed, depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

**BOXCAR** Smoothes a scan by averaging a specified number of channels together.

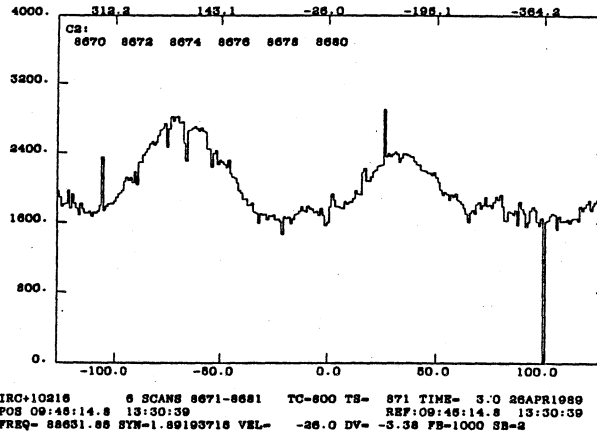
**SMOOTH** Smoothes a scan by averaging channels according to a user specified function.

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**VERB DICTIONARY**

**EXAMPLE**

Your data looks like



To smooth it, specify

**HANNING PAGE RESHOW**

You will get



**HARMONIC**

Puts the value of the harmonic of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**HEADER**

**HEADER** is an informational verb which prints the header information for the scan in the currently referenced array.

**PTWH** Determines which header is printed. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect **HEADER**.

**RELATED VERBS**

**TABLE** Prints the channel by channel values for the currently referenced array.

**SNAP** Prints the header information for the scan in the currently referenced array on the line printer.

**ERRORS**

If there is no scan in the currently referenced array when **HEADER** is specified, the message **LOAD SCAN** will be generated.

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**VERB DICTIONARY**

**EXAMPLE**

To print the header information for scan 8648, specify

**8648 HEADER**

You will get

>8648 HEADER

SCAN	8649	NRAO 12M		IRC+10216		WWS	
MM/DD/YY	LST		UTC		MODE	OPR	
04/26/89	12:28:43.1		05:38:17.5		PS	TWF	
	RA	DEC	OFFSETS		REF		
1950	09:45:14.8	13:30:39	AZ:	POINTING 00:02	+BEAM 02:00	30:00	
1950 REF	09:45:14.8	13:30:39	EL:	-1:07	00:00	00:00	
GALACTIC	221.4467	45.0598	RA:	00:00		00:00	
AZ/EL	253.5205	48.7068	DEC:	00:00		00:00	
TSYS	TC	RCVRS	BW/CHAN	REST FREQ	DOP FREQ	IFS	SB
871.	800.0	1	F 1000.0	88631.850	88629.117	100.	2.
			S 1000.0	1.89193734		1500.	
TIME	NS	SEC	VEL	VLSR/VR	VEL/CHAN	TOL	FO
15.0	30	30.0	-26.00	35.240	-3.382	10.	47.6

**HEADLEN**

Puts the value of the header length (in R\*4 words) of the scan in the currently referenced array on the value stack. This value may be printed or used in calculations. The index of the first spectral value is

**HEADLEN+1**

**EXAMPLE**

to zero the first spectral value

**LEN=HEADLEN; TWH(LEN+1,PTWH)=0.**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### HELP

HELP is an informational verb with two uses: (1) when used by itself, lists the verbs and symbols recognized by the program (adverbs not included); (2) when used with the object PROCEDURE, lists the names of the procedures currently defined and in memory; (3) when used with the objects ARRAY and SCALAR, lists the arrays and scalars (adverbs) used by the program.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

### OBJECTS

**ARRAY** When used with HELP, generates a list of the arrays (most are adverbs) used by the program.

**PROCEDURE** When used with HELP, generates a list of names of defined procedures.

**SCALAR** When used with HELP, generates a list of the scalars (adverbs and variables) used by the program.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**LIST procedurename** Lists the procedure whose name is specified.

**PRINT adverbname** Lists the value of the adverb whose name is specified. If the adverb does not exist, the message SYMBOL ? will appear.

**? adverbname** Alias for PRINT.

### REMARKS

HELP generates lists of the symbols reserved by the program. These symbols cannot be used as procedure or variable names.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXAMPLE

If you type HELP, the following output will appear on the screen:

HELP

The HELP command invokes the VAX/VMS HELP Facility to display information about a VMS command or topic. In response to the "Topic?" prompt, you can:

- o Type the name of the command or topic for which you need help.
- o Type INSTRUCTIONS for more detailed instructions on how to use HELP.
- o Type HINTS if you are not sure of the name of the command or topic for which you need help.
- o Type a question mark (?) to redisplay the most recently requested text.
- o Press the RETURN key one or more times to exit from HELP.

Press RETURN to continue ...

If you type HELP PROCEDURE before you have defined any of your own procedures, the following information will appear on the screen:

You can abbreviate any topic name, although ambiguous abbreviations result in all matches being displayed.

Additional information available:

:=	=	@	ACCOUNTING	ALLOCATE	ANALYZE	APPEND
ASSIGN	ATTACH	BACKUP	CALL	CANCEL	CC	CLOSE
CONNECT	CONTINUE	CONVERT	COPY	CREATE	DAU_Graph	
DEALLOCATE	DEASSIGN	DEBUG	DECK	DEFINE	DELETE	DEPOSIT
DIFFERENCES		DIRECTORY	DISCONNECT	Diskeeper	Disk_Analysis	
DISMOUNT	DUMP	EDIT	ENCRYPT	EOD	EOJ	Errors
EXAMINE	EXCHANGE	EXIT	FDL	FINGER	FORTRAN	FTP
GOSUB	GOTO	HELP	Hints	IF	INITIALIZE	INQUIRE
Instructions		JOB	Lexicals	LIBRARY	Line_editing	
LINK	LOGIN	LOGOUT	MACRO	MAIL	MERGE	MESSAGE
MIDAS	MONITOR	MOUNT	MULTINET	NewFeatures	V44	
NFSDISMOUNT		NFSMOUNT	ON	OPEN	PASSWORD	PATCH
PHONE	PRINT	PURGE	Queues	RCP	READ	RECALL
RECOVER	RENAME	REPLY	REQUEST	RETURN	RLOGIN	RMS
RSHELL	RTL_Routines		RUN	RUNOFF	RUSERS	SEARCH
SET	SHOW	SORT	SPAWN	Specify	START	STOP
SUBMIT	Symbol_Assign		SYNCHRONIZE		System_Services	
TALK	TELNET	TFTP	TYPE	UNLOCK	VAXsim	WAIT
WHOIS	WPCORP	WRITE				

Additional help libraries available (type @name for topics):

OPER12M PGPLOT NRAO TOOLS UATOOLS

Topic?

HISTOGRAM

A routine which sets the plotting mode for the SHOW display to histogram.

**PTWH** Is not changed or used.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

RELATED VERBS

**LINE** Causes SHOW to display spectra as a continuous line.

**POINTS** Sets the SHOW display mode to points.

**RLINE** Sets plotting mode for RESHOW display to **LINE**, **POINTS**,  
**RPOINTS** **HISTOGRAM**, respectively.  
**RHIST**

**RESHOW** Plots the contents of the currently referenced array.

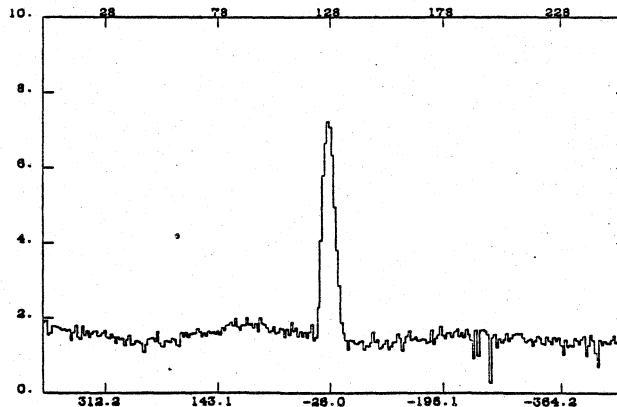
**SHOW** Plots the contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT screen; draws and labels the axes.

EXAMPLE

Your last display was in **LINE** mode. In order to redisplay the data in **HISTOGRAM** mode, specify

and you will get

HISTOGRAM PAGE SHOW



IRC-10216 8648 FIRST TC-800 TS- 909 TIME- 1.5 26APR1989  
 POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39  
 FREQ- 88631.88 SYN-1.89193754 VEL- -26.0 DV- -3.38 FS-1000 SB-2

## VERB DICTIONARY

### HOLDY

HOLDY causes the verb SHOW to use the Y-scaling that was last used before HOLDY was specified. Once HOLDY has been used, the Y-scaling will remain fixed until FREEY or AUTO is specified or the adverb YINCR is set to greater than -9999.

PTWH                      Is not used or changed.

### ADVERBS

-9999 YMIN(R)              Is set to -9E10 by HOLDY. The verb SHOW does not update its Y-scaling if  $YMIN \leq -9E09$ .

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION              Does affect HOLDY. The Y-scaling will be fixed for either or both receivers depending on the processing option when HOLDY was specified.

### RELATED VERBS

FREEY                      Sets YMIN to -9E04. The verb SHOW will calculate the Y-scaling to be used if  $9E09 < YMIN \leq -9999$ .

AUTO                        Alias for FREEY.

RANGE                      Sets YMIN and YINCR.

### EXAMPLE

You want to compare four scans of different sources. To do this most easily, you want to get all the scans plotted to the same scale. You can accomplish this by

```
GET 710 PAGE SHOW
HOLDY
GET 736 PAGE SHOW
GET 752 PAGE SHOW
GET 784 PAGE SHOW
FREEY
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### IF

IF begins a logical construction of the form

IF (test condition) THEN (do this) ELSE (do this) END

IF can be used only in procedures. The IF logical construction is a conditional device completely similar to the IF-THEN-ELSE construction found in PL/I.

(test condition) can be any expression which has a single true or false result. The (do this) parts may each consist of many statements. The first (do this) will be executed if the test condition is true; the second (do this) will be executed if the test condition is false. END is required to complete the construction. IF statements may be nested and arranged on one or more lines. If they appear on the same line, the IF, THEN, ELSE, and END clauses must be separated by semicolons. ELSE (do this) need not be included when no action is desired if (test condition) is false.

PTWH Is not used or changed.

ADVERBS None.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

END Completes a logical construction.

FOR Begins a logical construction of the form.

FOR (VARIABLE) = (ALPHA) TO (BETA) BY (GAMMA)  
(statements to be repeated)  
END

WHILE Begins a logical construction of the form.

WHILE (test condition)  
(statements to be iterated)  
END

See PROCEDURE

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXAMPLES

- (1) IF statement on several lines in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG
READ A,B
IF A>B
    THEN PRINT A
    ELSE PRINT B
    END
FINISH
```

- (2) IF statement on one line in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EGALT
READ A,B
IF A>B; THEN PRINT A; ELSE PRINT B; END
FINISH
```

- (3) IF statements nested in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG2
READ A,B,C
IF A>B; THEN PRINT A
    ELSE IF B>C; THEN PRINT B
        ELSE PRINT C
    END
    END
FINISH
```

**INDX**

Puts the value of the horizontal telescope coordinate of the position actually observed (i.e., position measured by horizontal decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**INDY**

Puts the value of the vertical telescope coordinate of the position actually observed (i.e., position measured by vertical decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**INSTALL**

Causes procedures to be read from editor files outside the program. Allows user to create ASCII files with the VAX text editor which can remain on disk indefinitely to be used on future observing runs. See EDT, PRCDIR

**EXAMPLE**    **INSTALL XMPL**

**INTTIME**

Puts the value of the total integration time for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.



# VERB DICTIONARY

## INVERT

A routine which reverses the order of the spectral values and changes the sign of the delta velocity.

**PTWH** Determines which array is reversed. Is not changed.

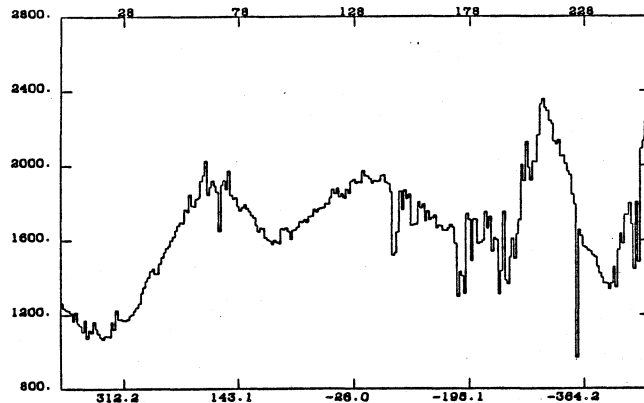
**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect INVERT. Either or both receivers may be inverted, depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

### EXAMPLE

Your data looks like

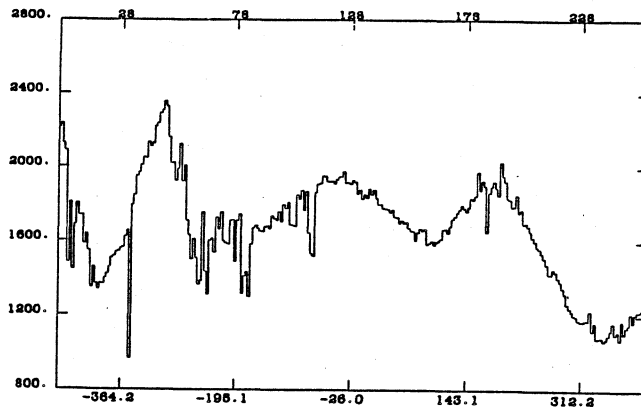


IRC+10216 8660 FIRST TC-800 TS- 914 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989  
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193718 VEL- -26.0 DV- -3.38 FB-1000 SB-2

but you want to reverse  
(invert) the display,

so you specify

**INVERT PAGE SHOW**



IRC+10216 8660 FIRST TC-800 TS- 914 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989  
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193718 VEL- -26.0 DV- 3.38 FB-1000 SB-2

## VERB DICTIONARY

### KEEP

**KEEP** copies the scan in the currently referenced array into the PKFL file on disk. Scans from this file can be exported to the observer in the ASCII FITS format. Observers can take home reduced data as well as the raw data. Data that is kept (**KEEP**) CANNOT be retrieved by the LINE program, but **EDITED** and **SAVE** data may be retrieved.

**PTWH** Determines which array will be copied to disk. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**RECALL** Copies the scan in the bin **NSAVE** into the currently referenced array.

**RESAVE** Stores the scan in the currently referenced array as an edited scan in the PKFL file.

**SAVE** Copies the currently referenced array into the disk bin **NSAVE**.

### REMARKS

Please see the programmer for information on the data tape format and how to read the tape.

### EXAMPLE

You have stacked sixty scans and wish to carry home the result to do further processing at your home institution. Type

**KEEP**

and at the end of your run exit **LINE** and fill out the "Data Tape Request Form." Give this to the operator or to the secretary at the Tucson office. Your files will be processed and sent to you as per your request.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### LABEL

**LABEL** is used to complete a contour map begun by **MAPSHOW**. **LABEL** draws and labels the axis of the contour map and labels the contour levels.

**PTWH** Determines which array's contents are mapped. Is not changed.

### ADVERBS

**BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver  
**EDROP(RCVR)** which are to be ignored by the routine.

**LEVS(M)** The levels at which the contours were drawn by **MAPSHOW**. Up to 20 levels may be specified.

**MRATIO** Is used to vary the relative X-Y scaling of the map made by **MAPSHOW**.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does apply. If **BOTH** or **ONLYA** is in effect when **MAPSHOW** and **LABEL** are used, the contour map for receiver A is drawn and labeled. If **ONLYB** is in effect, the contour map for receiver B is drawn and labeled.

### RELATED VERBS

**MAPSHOW** Draws a contour map with the labels specified by **LEVS**.

**RA** Selects right ascension as the Y-coordinate for the map.

**DEC** Selects declination as the Y-coordinate for the map.

**GL** Selects galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate for the map.

**GB** Selects galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate for the map.

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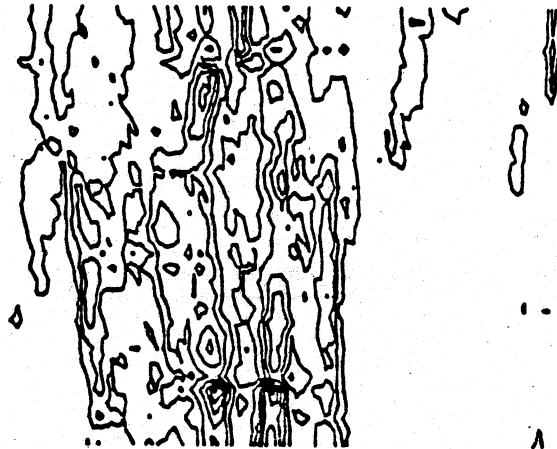
VERB DICTIONARY

REMARKS

LABEL should always be called after MAPSHOW.

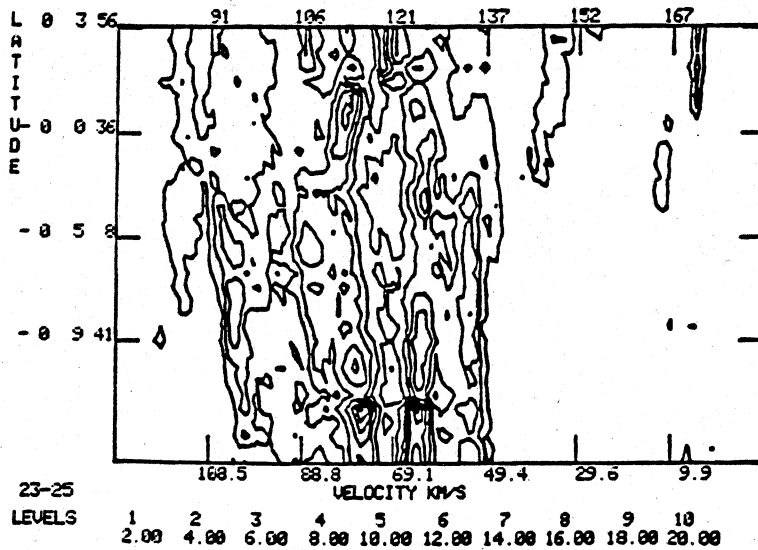
EXAMPLE

Contour map before labeling (see MAPSHOW):



Same map after LABEL has been specified:

(channel numbers)



## VERB DICTIONARY

### LASER

Invokes the VMS DCL command PRINT/QUE=QMS which allows the user to print ASCII files on the laser printer from the LINE program.

### LIMIT

This routine will restrict data processing to only those channels within the minimum and maximum channels specified.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by **LIMIT**.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECTS** The minimum and maximum channel numbers desired.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **LIMIT**. Only one receiver may be processed at a time.

### RELATED VERBS

**SPREAD** Limits the data processing to only those channels within the minimum and maximum frequency or velocity specified.

### REMARKS

**LIMIT** restricts the processing of data by setting the appropriate values of **BDROP** and **EDROP**. To return to the original limits, reset **BDROP** and **EDROP** to zero or use the **ALL** procedure.

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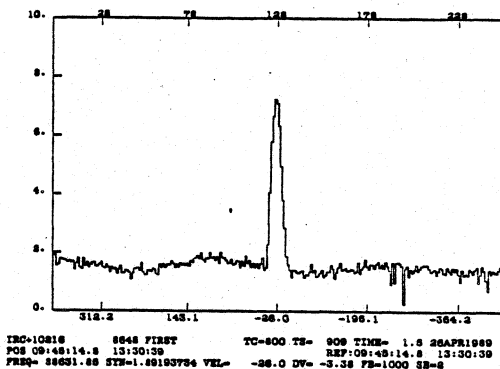
# VERB DICTIONARY

## ERRORS

If **LIMIT** is specified without minimum and maximum values, the message "ARG LIST?" will be printed.

## EXAMPLE

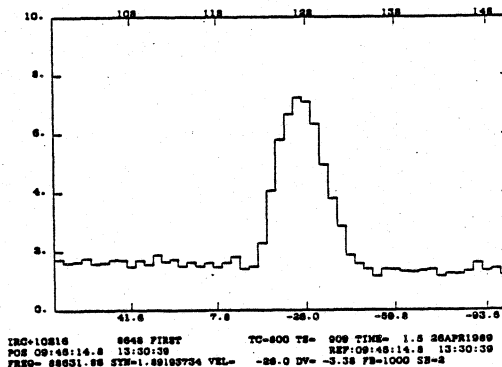
Your current display looks like



and you would like to limit your display to channels 100 thru 150.  
Specify

100 150 LIMIT PAGE SHOW

and you will get



## VERB DICTIONARY

### LINE

A routine which sets the plotting mode for the SHOW display to a continuous line.

**PTWH** Is not changed or used.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**HISTOGRAM** Causes SHOW to display spectra as a histogram.

**POINTS** Sets the SHOW display mode to POINT.

**RESHOW** Plots the contents of the currently referenced array using the y-scaling last used by the verb SHOW.

**RLINE** Sets plotting mode for RESHOW display to LINE,  
**RPOINTS** POINTS, HISTOGRAM, respectively.

**RHIST**

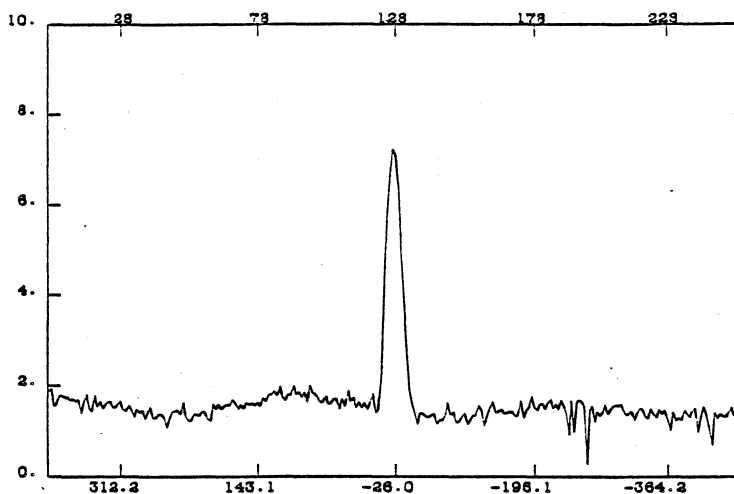
**SHOW** Plots the contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT screen.

#### EXAMPLE

Your last display was a HISTOGRAM. You want to change it to LINE.  
Specify

and you will get

LINE PAGE SHOW



IRC+10216 8648 FIRST TC-800 TS- 909 TIME- 1.5 26APR1989  
POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39 REF:09:46:14.8 13:30:39  
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193734 VEL- -26.0 DV- -3.38 FB=1000 SB=2

VD-95

**LIST**

**LIST** is an informational verb used to produce a listing of a defined procedure. **LIST** requires as its object the name of the procedure to be listed.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERB** None.

**OBJECTS**

Procedurename The name of the procedure to be listed.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

**HELP PROCEDURE** Lists the names of the defined procedures.

**PROCEDURE** Defines a procedure.

**REMARKS**

**LIST** numbers the lines of the procedures it lists. These line numbers should be used when editing the procedures.

**EXAMPLE**

You have defined the procedure **DUMMY**. To list it, specify

**LIST DUMMY**

You will get

```
1  PROCEDURE DUMMY
2  READ A
3  PRINT A
4  FINISH
```



# VERB DICTIONARY

## LISTSHIFT

This routine lists all scans that have currently been stacked including the alignment offset that has been computed by ALIGN on the CRT.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by LISTSHIFT.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**ALIGN** Computes the number of channels necessary to shift the currently referenced array so that its velocities or frequencies will align with those of the HOLD array.

**ALIGNF** Sets the alignment mode to align frequencies.

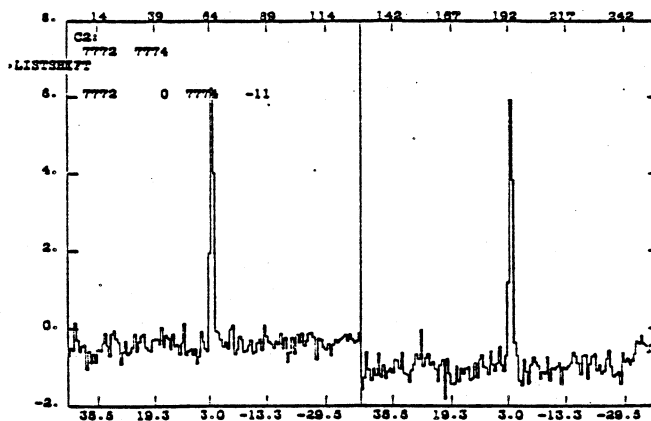
**ALIGNV** Sets the alignment mode to align velocities.

### EXAMPLE

The user types the following commands:

```
7772 7774 ADD
SCLEAR
ALIGNV
GET 7772 ACCUM
GET 7774 ALIGN ACCUM
AVE PAGE SHOW
C2
LISTSHIFT
```

and gets



L134 2 SCANS 7773-7773 TC=400 TS= 945 TIME= 2.0 28APR1989  
POS 18:50:60.0 -04:26:57 REF:18:50:60.0 -04:26:57  
FRZQ=115271.20 STM=1.89466242 VEL= 3.0 DV= -0.65 FB= 250 SB=2

**LOFACT**

Puts the value of the LO factor (fundamental, doubler or tripler) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**LOGFILE**

Writes two 80-byte records to file LOGFILE.DAT. If file already exists, records are added to it, otherwise a file is created. Contents of 1st rec: scan, source, RA, Dec, LII, BII, Az, El, and date. Contents of 2nd rec: LST, UT, TC, TAU, center freq and velocity, sideband, # rcvrs, # points for each receiver, filterbank resolution, delta velocity, integration time and 2 system temperatures.

**LOIF**

Puts the value of the LO-IF of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**LST**

Puts the value of LST (local sidereal time at the start of the observation) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### MAKECOPY

This command causes a hard copy to be made from the CRT screen. All input and output to the CRT screen is saved in a hardcopy file which is sent to the QMS laser printer when the MAKECOPY verb is invoked. The hardcopy file is not reinitialized until the PAGE verb is invoked, regardless of the number of hard copies made.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by MAKECOPY.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect MAKECOPY.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

**REMARKS** This verb can be used to make automatic hardcopies within a procedure.

#### EXAMPLE

You would like a hard copy of the spectrum on the screen. You can type MAKECOPY or strike the MAKECOPY button on the terminal.

**MAPSHOW**

This routine draws a position vs. velocity contour map of a set of scans (more than one). The first use of **MAPSHOW** after a **LABEL** (or a program restart) copies the scan in the currently referenced array into the **HOLD** array. Subsequent **MAPSHOWs** compare the scan in the currently referenced array to the scan in the **HOLD** array, draw the contours, and move the scan in the currently referenced array into the **HOLD** array.

**PTWH**                      Determines which scan is contoured. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 0    **BDROP(RCVR)**              The number of channels at each end of each receiver
- 0    **EDROP(RCVR)**              that are ignored by the routine.
  
- 1000 **LEVS(N)**                The levels at which a contour line is to be drawn. Up
- to 20 levels may be specified. If less than twenty levels
- are specified, the first level beyond the desired levels
- should be set equal to -1000.
  
- 1    **MRATIO**                      Is used to vary the relative X-Y scaling of the map
- made by **MAPSHOW**.
  
- 1    **SQMAP**                        (no info yet)

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**              Does apply. If the processing option is **BOTH** or **ONLYA**, a contour map for the A receiver will be generated. If the option is **ONLYB**, a contour map for the B receiver will be generated.

**RELATED VERBS**

- LABEL**                              Draws and labels the axis and labels the contours of the
- map made by **MAPSHOW**. Used after all the scans have
- been mapped.
  
- RA**                                      Selects right ascension as the Y-coordinate on the map.
  
- DEC**                                    Selects declination as the Y-coordinate of the map.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

- GL** Selects galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate of the map.
- GB** Selects galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate of the map.

### REMARKS

**MAPSHOW** contours only one scan at a time, so it is often used in a procedure.

### EXAMPLE

To produce a contour map of the scans that already have had baselines removed in the **NSAVE** area with contour levels at 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, and 20 Kelvins, specify

```
LEVS = 2., 4., 6., 8., 10., 12., 14., 16., 18., 20., -9999.
```

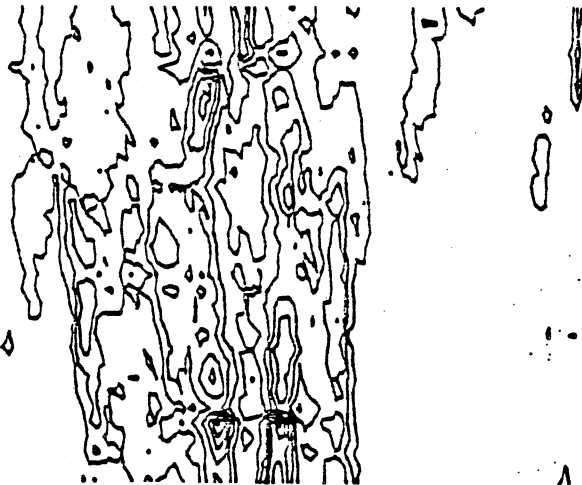
to set the levels, and

```
MRATIO = 2
```

to expand the graph in the vertical direction. Then enter

```
PROCEDURE MAP (NN)
FOR I = 1 to NN
  NSAVE = I; RECALL MAPSHOW
END
FINISH
PAGE MAP (33)
```

and you'll have something like



(see **LABEL** verb to label the completed contour map.)

VERB DICTIONARY

MOMENT

A routine which calculates the moment specified by the adverb NMOMENT over a specified range of channels and stores the result in the variable SIZE.

PTWH Determines for which scan the moment is calculated. Is not changed.

ADVERBS

0 NMOMENT The order of the moment to be calculated, as follows:

- 0 = AREA (Kelvins/km/sec)
- 1 = CENTROID (km/sec)

0 BMOMENT(RCVR) The first and last channels of the region over  
0 EMOMENT(RCVR) which the moment is to be calculated.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION Does apply. The specified moment may be calculated for either or both receivers, depending on the processing option.

REMARKS

The moment calculated by MOMENT is stored in the variable SIZE, which can be printed by the command

PRINT SIZE

One value is printed for each receiver.

EXAMPLE

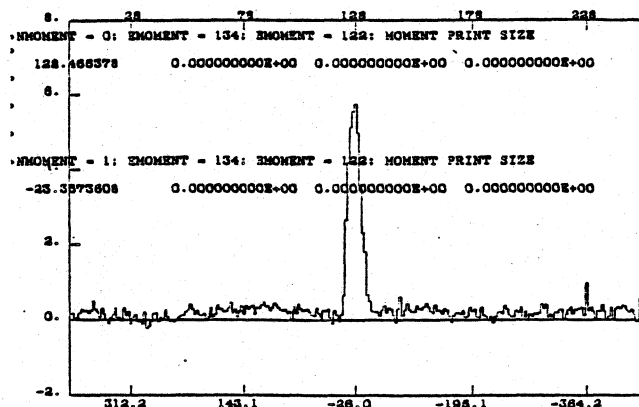
You want to calculate the area under your spectral line.

You specify

```

NMOMENT = 1
EMOMENT = 134
BMOMENT = 122
MOMENT
PRINT SIZE

```



```

IRC+10216      8649 SECOND      TC=800 TS= 866 TIME= 1.8 26APR1989
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39
FREQ= 88631.85 SYN=1.89193734 VKL= -26.0 DV= -3.38 FB=1000 SB=2

```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### NOINT

Puts the value of the total number of integrations for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### NOPHASE

Puts the value of the number of phases per cycle (different states of switched variables) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### NOPTS

Puts the value of the number of points (total number of cells in the map) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### NORCHAN

Puts the value of the number of independent polarizations or channels of this frontend of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. When receiver channels refer to different positions in the sky, they are expressed as separate scans.

### NOSWVAR

Puts the value of the number of switching variables of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### NOXPTS

Puts the value of the number of x points (map sample points along the "X-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### NOYPTS

Puts the value of the number of y points (map sample points along the "Y-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### OBJECT

Puts a field of sixteen characters which describe the source name of the object observed into the adverb **SOBJECT**.

**EXAMPLE**   to query the source name

**OBJECT; PRINT SOBJECT**

### OBSERVER

Puts a field of sixteen characters containing the observer name of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb **SOBSERVER**. **SOBSERVER** may then be printed.

**EXAMPLE**

**OBSERVER; PRINT SOBSERVER**



## VERB DICTIONARY

### OBSFREQ

Puts the value of the observed frequency of the selected receiver channel of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. Only the most significant 32-bits are stored on the stack. The receiver channel is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

#### EXAMPLE

```
RCVR=2; PRINT OBSFREQ
```

### OBSID

Puts a field of eight characters containing the observer and operator initials of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb SOBSID. This adverb may then be printed.

**EXAMPLE** To query the observer initials

```
OBSID; PRINT SOBSID
```

### OBSMODE

Puts a field of eight characters where four describe the type of data and four describe the observing mode into the adverb, SOBSMODE. This adverb may then be printed.

**EXAMPLE** To query the observing mode and type of data, type

```
OBSMODE; PRINT SOBSMODE
```

### OBSTOL

Puts the value of the observing tolerance of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### OFF

**OFF** requires a scan number as its object. **OFF** copies the indicated scan from the disk to the **TEMP** array.

**PTWH** Is not used, but is set to the **TEMP** array.

**ADVERBS** None.

### OBJECTS

**ON scan #** The number of the scan to be copied into the **TEMP** array.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect **OFF**. After **OFF**, the scan in the **TEMP** array will have the default processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

**ON scan #** Copies the indicated scan into the **WORK** array.

### REMARKS

**OFF** is commonly used in conjunction with **ON** to pair up off and onscans so that they can be differenced to remove baselines.

### ERRORS

If the scan # indicated is not in the disk index, the message **SCAN ?** will be generated.

### EXAMPLE

To difference 710 and offscan 708 and display the result, specify

**ON 710; OFF 708; DIFF PAGE SHOW**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### OFFSCAN

Puts the value of the off scan number (the last designated total power off scan) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### ON

It requires a scan number as its object. ON copies the indicated scan from the disk to the WORK array.

**PTWH** Is not used, but is set to the WORK array.

**ADVERBS** None.

#### OBJECTS

**OFF scan #** The number of the scan to be copied into the WORK array.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not affect ON. After ON, the scan in the WORK array will have the default processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

**OFF scan #** Copies the indicated scan into the TEMP array.

#### REMARKS

ON is commonly used in conjunction with OFF to pair up on and offscans so that they can be differenced to remove a baseline.

#### ERRORS

If the scan # indicated is not in the disk index, the message SCAN ? will be generated.

#### EXAMPLE

To difference onscan 710 and offscan 708 and display the result, specify

ON 710; OFF 708; DIFF PAGE SHOW

## VERB DICTIONARY

### ONLYA      ONLYB

**ONLYA** changes the two-receiver processing option of the scan in the currently referenced array to only the A receiver.

**ONLYB** changes the two-receiver processing option of the scan in the currently referenced array to only the B receiver.

**PTWH**                      Determines which scan's processing option is changed.

**ADVERBS**                      None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**                      Is changed for the scan in the currently referenced array.

### RELATED VERBS

**BOTH**                      Changes the processing option of the currently referenced scan to both receivers (the default option).

### REMARKS

**ONLYA** and **ONLYB** should not be used on one-receiver data. When **ONLYA**, **ONLYB** or **BOTH** are used, the processing option is changed only for that copy of the scan in the currently referenced array. Whenever a scan is copied from the disk, it will have the default processing option until it is changed by the user.

### EXAMPLE

To remove a baseline only from A receiver of the currently referenced array, specify

**ONLYA BASELINE PAGE SHOW**

To remove a baseline only from the B receiver, specify

**ONLYB BASELINE PAGE SHOW**

To display both receivers together again, specify

**BOTH PAGE SHOW**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### OPENPAR

Puts a field of 56 characters (the entire string is 80 characters in length but the first 24 are reserved for stacking) of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, SOPENPAR. This adverb may then be printed. These 56 characters are available to the observer for description of his data processing to be stored in the header of the data.

### ORIENT

Puts the value of the rotation or polarization angle orientation of the receiver or reflector at the prime focus of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### OSB

Sets a flag so that ALIGN computes the shift when aligning frequency or velocity for the other sideband by changing the sign of the shift. Typing OSB once sets it, typing it again clears it.

**PAGE**

**PAGE** erases the CRT screen and returns a carat (>) at the top of the now blank screen. **PAGE** is equivalent to striking the **PAGE ERASE** button (**ERASE SCREEN**) except that the **PAGE ERASE** button does not respond with a carat.

**PTWH**                      Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS**                None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**                Does not apply.

**REMARKS**

If you hit the **PAGE ERASE** button instead of entering the command **PAGE**, you will not get a carat. To be certain that the program is ready to accept a command, you can strike **RETURN** to get a carat.

N. B. The verb **PAGE** is preferred over striking the **PAGE ERASE** button because **PAGE** also resets the relative origin of the CRT screen.

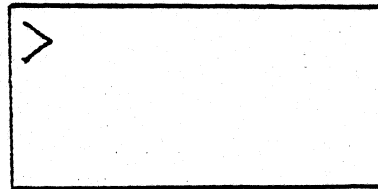
**EXAMPLE**

You have a full screen on the CRT.

You want to erase it, so you specify

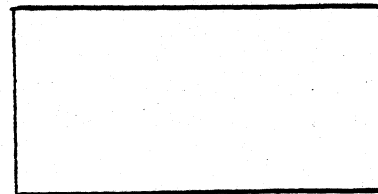
**PAGE**

and you will get



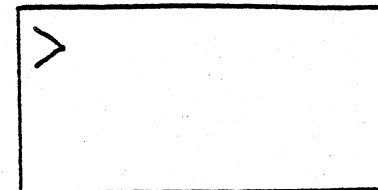
If instead you hit **PAGE ERASE**,

you will get



If you then hit **RETURN**,

you will get



## VERB DICTIONARY

### **PAUSE**

Causes the program to suspend operations for ten seconds. Used to build in a delay in large loops of data displays.

### **PDOC**

Is used by the LF and CF pointing procedures to display the five points, the gaussian fits, updated pointing corrections and peak flux densities. PDOC will fit spectral line and continuum five point data.

# VERB DICTIONARY

## PEAK

**PEAK** finds the **CENTER**, **HWIDTH** and **HEIGHT** of a single gaussian. Prints **CENTER** channel and velocity and **PEAK** temperatures. Sets **BGAUSS** and **EGAUSS** for **GAUSS** verb.

**PTWH** Determines which array is to be used.

**ADVERBS** Sets **CENTER(1)**, **HWIDTH(1)**, **HEIGHT(1)**, **BGAUSS** and **EGAUSS**.

### TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION

### RELATED VERBS

**GAUSS** Refines the first guesses of **CENTER(N)**, **HWIDTH(N)** and **HEIGHT (N)** for **N** gaussians.

**GMODEL** Evaluates the parameters of the gaussian(s), constructs a model of the gaussian (or the sum of the gaussians), and replaces the data in the currently referenced array with the model. Also prints the values of **HEIGHT** (in Kelvins), **CENTER** (in km/sec) and **HWIDTH** (in km/sec), plus the RMS error of the fit.

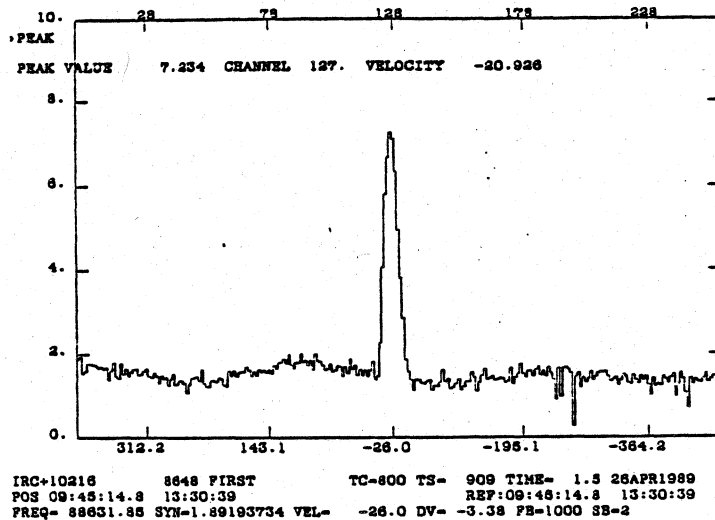
### EXAMPLE

You have just removed a baseline from scan 8648. Now you want to fit a gaussian to the primary peak. Type

**PEAK**

to set all the initial guesses for the gaussian fit.

You will get





## VERB DICTIONARY

### PLACE

Moves cursor to position commanded by IX & IY.

### PMH PMT PMW

These verbs set the value of PTWH so that it points at one of the three arrays.

PMT sets PTWH = 1 (which means TEMP array)  
PMW sets PTWH = 2 (which means WORK array)  
PMH sets PTWH = 3 (which means HOLD array)

**PTWH** Is set as described above.

**ADVERBS** None.

### TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION

**RELATED VERBS** None.

### REMARKS

These three verbs are used to change the pointer to the desired array prior to performing operations which work on "the currently referenced array".

### EXAMPLE

To display the contents of all three arrays on the same graph:

```
PMW PAGE SHOW
PMT RESHOW
PMH RESHOW
```

**POINTS**

A routine which sets the plotting mode for the SHOW display to points.

**PTWH**                      Is not used or changed by POINTS.

**ADVERBS**                  None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**

**RELATED VERBS**

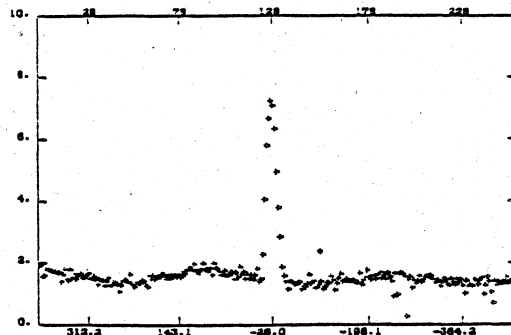
- HISTOGRAM**                Causes SHOW to display spectra in the form of a histogram.
- LINE**                      Causes SHOW to display spectra in the form of a continuous line.
- RESHOW**                  Plots the contents of the currently referenced array using the y-scaling last used by the verb SHOW.
- RHIST**                     Sets the plotting mode for RESHOW display to HISTOGRAM, LINE, POINTS, respectively.
- RLINE**
- RPOINTS**
- SHOW**                     Displays a scan with user specified or default scaling and user specified or default labeling.

**EXAMPLE**

You wish to display the current scan in points mode. Specify

**POINTS PAGE SHOW**

and you will get



INC-10216      8648 FIRST      TC-400 TS-      909 TIME-      1.8 28APR1988  
 POS 09:48:14.8      13:30:39      REF:09:48:14.8      13:30:39  
 FREQ- 28631.88 FTS-1.49193734 VEL-      -36.0 UV-      -3.38 FS-1000 SB-8

## VERB DICTIONARY

### POLARIZ

Puts a field of eight characters which describe the type of polarization and the angle for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### POWSPEC

Computes the power spectrum of the data in the currently referenced array.

### PRCDIR

Invokes the VMS DCL command DIRECTORY \*.PRC which lists all files in the current directory which have the extension PRC.

### PRECIS

Puts a field of eight characters describing the precision of the data into the adverb SPRECIS. This adverb may then be printed.

### EXAMPLE

To query the precision of the data

```
PRECIS; PRINT SPRECIS
```

**PRINT**

**PRINT** <field> prints the field requested on the CRT screen. <field> may be one or more variable or adverb names, literals, or arithmetic expressions. If <field> is an adverb or variable (a variable is an array or scalar defined in a procedure) name, the value(s) of the adverb or variable will be printed. If <field> is a literal, it must be enclosed in quotation marks, and it will be printed without the quotation marks. If <field> is an arithmetic expression, the result of the expression will be printed.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECTS**

<field> as described above.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**

**RELATED VERBS**

**READ** <field> Reads the values requested by <field> from the CRT. In this case field may be one or more variable or adverb names, and may not include expressions or literals.

? field Alias for PRINT.

**REMARKS**

PRINT can be used to monitor the values of adverbs, PTWH, SIZE and VRMS.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXAMPLES

> PRINT CENTER

25.0000 33.0000 78.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000

> PRINT 'YOU SHOULD USE THE 300-FOOT'

YOU SHOULD USE THE 300-FOOT

> PRINT SQRT(144)

12.0000

> PRINT HWIDTH(2)

5.0000

PRINT 'x = ' X

x = 1.2500

> PRINT BMARK Z\_LINE YMIN

1.0000 0.0000 -9999.9999 -9999.9999

### PRINTER

**Printer** directs all non-graphic output of the program to the printer instead of the CRT screen. The default is the CRT.

See CRT

**EXAMPLE** PRINTER

**PROCEDURE**

**PROCEDURE** is used to define a routine which can then be executed by entering its name on the terminal. (Procedure names are essentially user-defined verbs). The **PROCEDURE** statement is of the form

**PROCEDURE** procedurename (optional arguments)

and begins the definition of the procedure. The complete definition of a procedure has the form

**PROCEDURE** procedurename (optional arguments)  
statements the procedure is to execute  
**FINISH**

The **PROCEDURE** statement puts the program into **DEFINITION** mode. When in **DEFINITION** mode, the program prompts with a colon (:) instead of a carat (>). The **FINISH** statement is required to complete the definition of the procedure and return the program to **EXECUTE** mode.

**PTWH**                      Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS**                      None.

**OBJECTS**

procedurename              The name of the procedure which is being defined. A procedure name may be any not already defined alphanumeric name up to 10 characters long. The first character of the name must be an alphabetic character.

arguments                      Variables which are to be passed to the procedure when it is called by the user. Arguments may be any unused alphanumeric name up to 10 characters long. The first character must be an alphabetic character. There is no restriction on the number of arguments permitted, but they must be encased in parentheses and separated by commas.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### RELATED VERBS

<b>FINISH</b>	Completes the definition of a procedure.
<b>EDIT procedurename line #</b>	Initiates editing of a procedure.
<b>ENEDIT</b>	Terminates editing of a procedure.
<b>RETURN</b>	Is used in a procedure that is called by another procedure.
<b>HELP PROCEDURE</b>	Lists the names of the already defined procedures.
<b>LIST procedurename</b>	Lists the requested procedure.
<b>CORE</b>	Tells the user how much core is left for definition of procedures.
<b>RESTART</b>	Empties core of all procedures (and returns adverbs to their default values).

### EXAMPLE

To define a procedure to add two scans together:

```
>PROCEDURE ADDSCANS (SCAN1, SCAN2)
:GET (SCAN1)
:FACT=-1;SCALE TRT
:GET (SCAN2)
:DIFF
:PAGE SHOW
:FINISH
>
```

Now to use ADDSCANS, you specify

```
>ADDSCANS (710, 712)
```

**PROJID**

Puts a field of eight characters which contains the program ID associated with the proposal as it appears on the telescope schedule of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb SPROJID.

**EXAMPLE**

to query the project identification

PROJID; PRINT SPROJID

**PTCON**

Puts the value of the selected pointing constant of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. There are four pointing constants. Individual constants are selected by setting the value of the adverb, RCVR, to a number between one and four before trying PTCN.

**EXAMPLE**

to print the third pointing constant type

RCVR=3; PRINT PTCN

**PURGE**

Invokes the VMS DCL command PURGE \*.PRC which purges all but the latest version of the user defined procedure files.

**QGET**

Copies current scan from the disk to the WORK array. Specify 1 or 2 for the first or second filterbank.

**EXAMPLE**

QGET 1



## VERB DICTIONARY

### RA

**RA** sets an internal flag that causes **MAPSHOW** to use right ascension as the Y-coordinate for maps.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

<b>DEC</b>	Sets declination as the Y-coordinate for maps.
<b>GB</b>	Sets galactic latitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.
<b>GL</b>	Sets galactic longitude as the Y-coordinate for maps.
<b>LABEL</b>	Labels the map drawn by <b>MAPSHOW</b> .
<b>MAPSHOW</b>	Draws a map with the levels specified by <b>LEVS</b> .

### RACCUM

Accumulates and averages the records specified by **RSTACK** after the records are loaded into memory by **RGET**.

See **RGET**, **RSCALE**, **RESAVE**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RANGE

**RANGE** allows the user to specify minimum and maximum values for the Y-scaling in **SHOW**. **RANGE** then sets the values of **YMIN** and **YINCR**.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

#### ADVERBS

0 **YMIN** Minimum temperature to be plotted. Set by **RANGE**.  
-9999 **YINCR** Increment between tic marks. Set by **RANGE**.

**OPERANDS** Two, minimum and maximum values.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** The Y-scaling is set for both receivers.

#### RELATED VERBS

**HOLDY** Causes **SHOW** to use the last Y-scaling it used again. Does this by setting **YMIN** to -9E10.

**FREEY** Causes **SHOW** to do auto scaling for the y-axis.  
**AUTO**

#### REMARKS

The operands may proceed or follow **RANGE**. If they follow **RANGE**, they must be enclosed in parentheses.

#### EXAMPLE

You want to display 10 scans with the same Y scaling (-2~ to 7~). You specify:

-2 7 **RANGE** or **RANGE** (-2,7)

and then display the data.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RAP

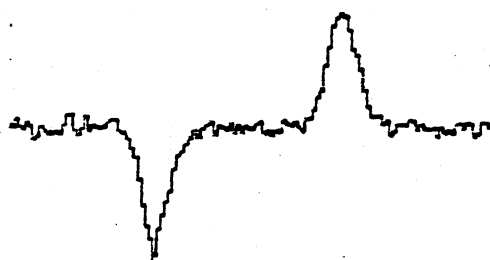
Averages the signal and reference spectra of a frequency switched scan in the currently referenced array. The signal (FS) and reference (FR) frequency adverbs and the sideband number determine the direction and the amount of the shift.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

0	FS	Signal Frequency
0	FR	Reference Frequency

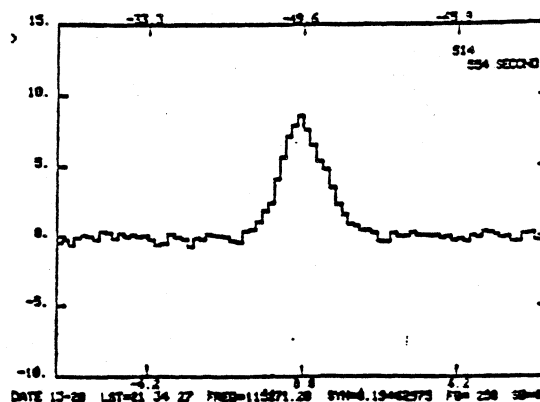
#### EXAMPLE

Your spectra look like



You want to combine the signal and reference spectra, so you specify

DF = 12; RAP PAGE SHOW



### RAZOFF

Puts the value of the reference azimuth offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

VERB DICTIONARY

RDIFF

RDIFF subtracts the contents of the B receiver of the scan in the currently referenced array from the contents of the A receiver of the scan in the currently referenced array. The result is left in the receiver A channels of the currently referenced array.

PTWH Determines for which scan the receivers are differenced. Is not changed.

ADVERBS None.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION The processing option should be BOTH when RDIFF is used.

RELATED VERBS

SLIDE Averages receivers A and B of the currently referenced scan, with weighting by integration time and system temperature.

EXAMPLE

You are doing a polarization experiment. Receiver A is measuring right circularly polarized flux, and receiver B is measuring left circularly polarized flux. You want to difference the two receivers. You specify

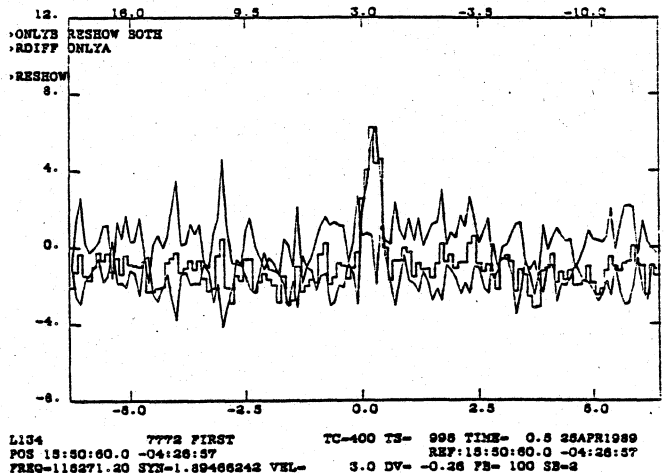
ONLYA PAGE SHOW to display the A receiver.

ONLYB RESHOW BOTH to display the B receiver and reselect the A receiver.

RDIFF ONLYA to difference the receivers.

RESHOW to display the difference

On the CRT, you will have something like:



## VERB DICTIONARY

### READ

READ <field> reads from the CRT the values of the variables named in <field>. <field> may be one or more adverb or variable names (a variable is an array or scalar defined in a procedure). READ will respond with "#" until the user has entered enough values to satisfy <field>, at which time a caret ('>') is returned.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

#### OBJECTS

<field> as described above.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**PRINT** <field> Prints the values, or literals, requested by <field> on the CRT.

? <field> Alias for PRINT.

#### REMARKS

READ can be used to diminish the typing required to input the values of adverb arrays.

#### EXAMPLE

(1) To input the values of CENTER, which has six elements, you can specify

```
READ CENTER
```

the program will respond with

```
#
```

and then you input the values of CENTER -- either all at once:

```
#25 70 65 0 0 0
```

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or one at a time:

```
#25  
#70  
#65  
#0  
#0  
#0
```

When you have input six values, the program will give you a caret again.

- (2) The READ command can be used in a procedure to allow the user to signal the program when to continue. For example, the procedure

```
PROCEDURE WAIT(FSCAN, LSCAN)  
FOR I = FSCAN TO LSCAN  
  GET (I) PAGE SHOW  
  READ N  
  END  
FINISH
```

Will graph FSCAN and then wait for the user to input something before it goes on and draws the next graph. The user can input either a number or a letter.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RECALL

**RECALL** copies the scan in the disk save bin named by the adverb **NSAVE** into the currently referenced array. Both the scan and its header information are copied from the disk bin into the array.

**PTWH** Determines into which array the scan is copied. Is not changed.

### ADVERBS

**0 NSAVE** The number of the disk bin whose contents are copied into the currently referenced array. **NSAVE** may range from 1 to 100.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**SAVE** Copies the currently referenced array into the disk bin **NSAVE**.

### ERRORS

If **NSAVE** is greater than 154, the message

**NSAVE ?**

will be generated.

### EXAMPLE

To recall two scans in two different arrays, you can retrieve them by

**NSAVE = 65; PMW RECALL**

**NSAVE = 66; PMT RECALL**

**RECS**

Used to specify which records the observer wishes to retain in a given scan when record editing. RECS takes multiple arguments where negative numbers are to be omitted from the sum and positive numbers are to be included in the sum. The end result (the records to be averaged) are placed in RSTACK to be used by RACCUM.

**EXAMPLE**

(-2, -4) RECS

**REFPT**

Puts the value of the reference point (center channel) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**RELOFF**

Puts the value of the reference elevation offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### REPLACE

A routine which replaces up to 12 bad channels (BADPT) in the currently referenced array by a parabolic interpolation over adjacent channels. The array BADPT is set by SPIKE or can be set by the user.

**PTWH** Determines which array is to be used.

#### ADVERBS

**0 BADPT (12)** Array of bad channels. Is set by SPIKE or can be set by user.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect REPLACE. Bad channels can be removed from one or both receivers depending on the processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

**SPIKE** Sets BADPT to channels whose absolute value is greater than NSIGMA.

#### EXAMPLE

See BADPT.

### RESAVE

Stores the scan in the currently referenced array as an edited scan in the PKFL file. To retrieve this version instead of the original raw data, set GETEDIT = 1 before GETting the scan. To retrieve the original data set GETEDIT = -1 before using GET.

See KEEP, SAVE, RECALL

**RESHOW**

This routine plots the contents of the currently referenced array using the y-scaling used by the last SHOW. RESHOW does not draw or label the axes.

**PTWH** Determines which array is plotted. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

**BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver  
**EDROP(RCVR)** which will not be plotted.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does apply. If the option is ONLYA, receiver A will be shown. If the option is ONLYB, receiver B will be shown. If the option is BOTH, the two receivers will be shown side by side.

**RELATED VERBS**

See SHOW.

**REMARKS**

RESHOW is often used to plot a polynomial baseline model, sine curve, or gaussian model on top of the spectrum for which the model was generated. RESHOW can also be used to plot the reduced spectrum on top of the original.

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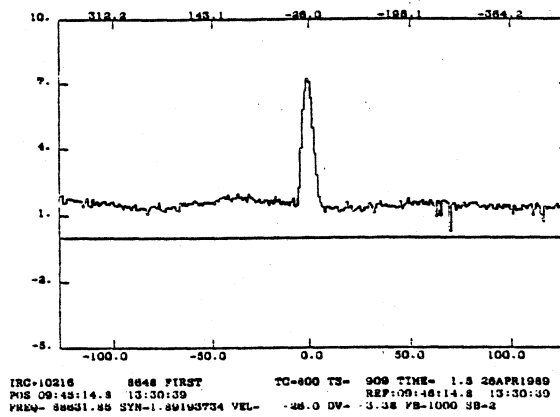
VERB DICTIONARY

EXAMPLE

To plot scan 8648, specify

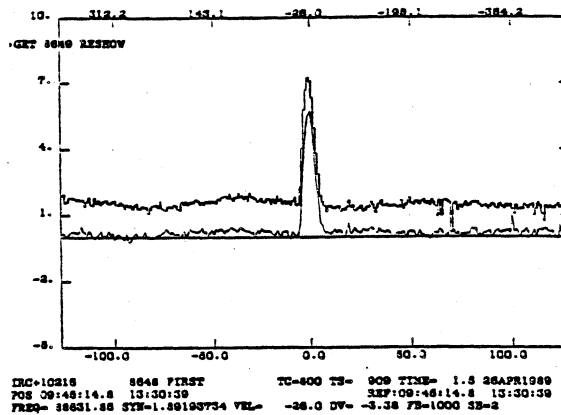
GET 8648 PAGE SHOW

to see the first filterbank



To see the second filterbank plotted on top of the first filterbank

GET 8649 RESHOW



**RESIDUAL**

This routine takes the parameters of the gaussians (usually refined by **GAUSS**), evaluates the total for each channel and subtracts the total from the currently referenced array.

**PTWH**                      Determines from which array the total model is subtracted. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 1   **NGAUSS**              The number of gaussians.
- 0   **BGAUSS**              The first and last channels of the region over
- 0   **EGAUSS**              which the gaussian(s) are subtracted.
- 0   **CENTER(N)**          The center channels of the gaussians.
- 0   **HEIGHT(N)**          The heights of the gaussians.
- 0   **HWIDTH(N)**          The half widths of the gaussians.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION**    To subtract one or more gaussians from the A receiver, the option should be **ONLYA** or **BOTH**. To subtract one or more gaussians from the B receiver, specify **ONLYB**.

**RELATED VERBS**

- GAUSS**                      Refines the user's first guesses of **CENTER(N)** and **HWIDTH(N)** for N gaussians. Determines **HEIGHT** for each gaussian.
- GMODEL**                  Constructs the sum of the N gaussians using the parameters **CENTER**, **HWIDTH**, and **HEIGHT**, and replaces the currently referenced array with the sum.
- GPARTS**                  Constructs each gaussian separately from the parameters and displays each on the screen.
- PEAK**                      Finds the **CENTER**, **HWIDTH**, and **HEIGHT** of a single gaussian. Also sets **BGAUSS** and **EGAUSS**.

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# VERB DICTIONARY

## REMARKS

GAUSS may or may not be called before RESIDUAL.

## EXAMPLE

You had

```
GET 8671 BASELINE PAGE SHOW
```

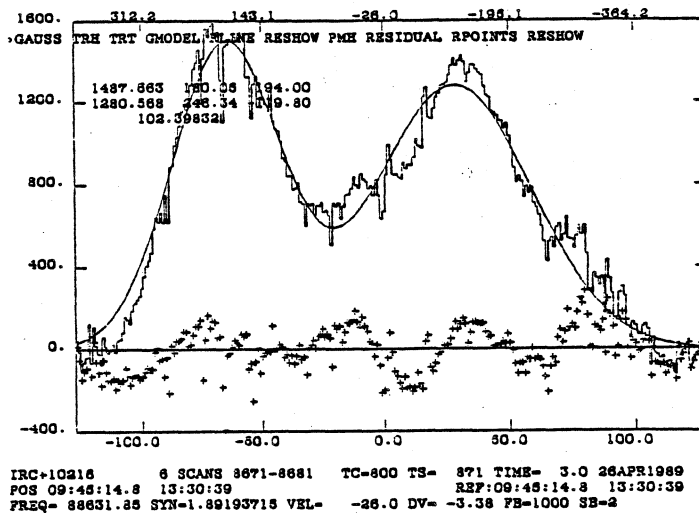
and you have calculated the parameters for two gaussians and displayed the model over the data

```
GAUSS TRH TRT GMODEL RLINE RESHOW
```

Now you want to remove the gaussians and see what the residual looks like. Specify

```
PMH RESIDUAL RPOINTS RESHOW
```

You will have



## VERB DICTIONARY

### RESTART

RESTART reinitializes the program memory. It zeros the three arrays (WORK, TEMP, and HOLD), empties the procedure definition space, and sets the values of all the adverbs to their initial values. RESTART puts the program into the same condition it has immediately after the LINE command which loads the program is executed.

**PTWH** Is not used, but is set to the WORK array.

**ADVERBS** All adverbs are set to their default values.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**STORE page#** Copies the program memory into a disk storage area called "page" page#.

**RESTORE page#** Copies disk page page# into the program memory.

### REMARKS

STORE, RESTORE, and RESTART are useful for control of the program memory space. RESTART is used to get a fresh page on which to write new procedures and to return the adverbs to their initial values.

### EXAMPLE

You were trying to define a procedure and got the message

**BLEW CORE**

which tells you that you are out of procedure space. To empty the procedure space, enter

**RESTART**

but (WARNING) realize that once you have done this, the three arrays will be empty and your adverbs will return to their initial values.

### RESTFREQ

Puts the value of the rest frequency of the selected receiver channel of spectral line data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. Only the most significant 32-bits are stored on the stack. The receiver channel is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR. If the data is continuum, the value of the data scale factor is placed on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RESTORE

**RESTORE page#** restores the program memory to the state it was in prior to the last **STORE** command, by copying the indicated disk page into the program memory. All adverbs and procedures defined in this memory page will be available in the program.

**PTWH** Is not used, but is reset to the value it had before the **STORE** page # command.

#### ADVERBS

All adverbs Are reset to the values they had before the **STORE** page # command.

#### OBJECTS

Page # The disk page which is copied into memory. Page# must be an integer between 1 and 3.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**STORE page#** Creates a copy of the current state of memory in disk page page#.

**RESTART** Restores the program memory to its original or default state.

#### REMARKS

**STORE**, **RESTORE**, and **RESTART** are used to control the program memory space. **RESTORE** restores the program to a prior condition saved for that purpose.

#### EXAMPLE

Remember that copy of memory you saved yesterday with all the procedures and adverb values just the way you wanted them? (See **STORE** example.) Well, you can get back to where you were before by specifying

**RESTORE 3**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RETURN

**RETURN** is required in procedures which are called by other procedures. The **RETURN** statement should immediately precede the **FINISH** statement when it is used. Any procedure which is called by another procedure must be defined before the procedure which calls it.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

See **PROCEDURE**

### REMARKS

A procedure which is called by another procedure must be defined before the procedure which calls it.

### ERRORS

If a procedure which is called by another procedure is not defined before the calling procedure, the message **SYMBOL ?** will be generated (and the program will return to **EXECUTE** mode) when the name of the not-yet-defined procedure is used while defining the calling procedure.

### EXAMPLE

To define a procedure which can be called by another

```
>PROCEDURE BUSY(T)
:R = T * T
:PRINT T R
:RETURN
:FINISH
>
```

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## VERB DICTIONARY

Now define the calling procedure:

```
>PROCEDURE EG
:T = 12
:BUSY(T)
:PRINT 'THATS ALL FOLKS'
:FINISH
>
```

Now you can execute BUSY through EG by

```
>EG
```

and you'll get

```
12.0000 144.0000
THATS ALL FOLKS
>
```

### RGET

Retrieves all records of a given scan from the individual record file. The maximum number of records to be retrieved is 14. A scan number is required as the object of RGET.

#### EXAMPLE

```
RGET 500
```

**VERB DICTIONARY**

**RHIST RLINE RPOINTS**

These routines control the type of plot made by the RESHOW verb. RHIST sets the RESHOW display mode to histogram. RLINE sets the RESHOW display mode to a continuous line and RPOINTS sets the RESHOW display mode to points.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by RHIST, RLINE or RPOINTS.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTIONAL** Does not apply.

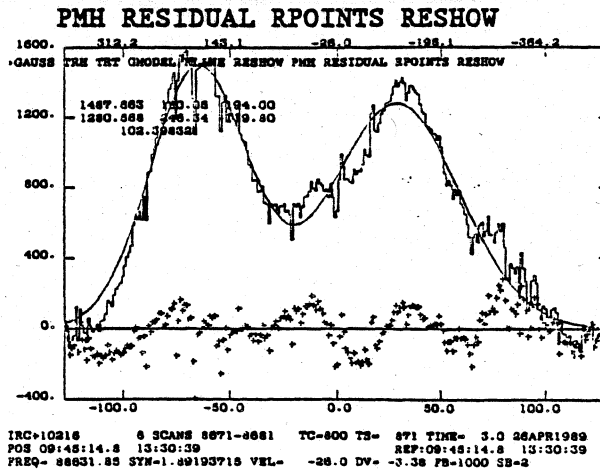
**RELATED VERBS**

- HISTOGRAM** Sets the SHOW display mode to histogram.
- LINE** Sets the SHOW display mode to a continuous line.
- POINTS** Sets the SHOW display mode to points.
- RESHOW** Graphs one or both receivers of the currently referenced array on the CRT, no labels or borders, using the scaling last used by SHOW.
- SHOW** Graphs one or both receivers of the currently referenced array on the CRT with labels and borders.

**EXAMPLE**

You have just fit a double gaussian to scans 8671-8681 and modeled the gaussian over the data. Now you would like to also see the residual by specifying

and you get



## VERB DICTIONARY

### RIPPLE

**RIPPLE** is used to remove a sinusoidal frequency baseline from the data. **RIPPLE** fits a sine curve to a specified region or regions of a scan, given an approximate frequency (in MHz). The sine curve is then evaluated over all channels and subtracted from the scan.

**PTWH** Determines for which scan the sine curve is fitted and subtracted. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

- 0 **RFREQ** The approximate frequency (in MHz) of the sinusoidal baseline to be removed. **RFREQ** is iterated by the routine.
- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver which will be ignored by the routine.
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)**
- 0 **NREGION(RCVR, N)** Specifies the region or regions of the scan to be used to fit the sine curve. **N** is an integer between 1 and 8.
- 0 **BBASE(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver (not including the channels dropped by **BDROP** and **EDROP**) which will be used to compute the sine curve, if **NREGION(RCVR, 1) = 0**.
- 0 **EBASE(RCVR)**

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **RIPPLE**. The sinusoidal baseline may be removed from either or both receivers, depending on the processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

- RSHAPE** Computes the sinusoidal fit for the indicated scan.
- RMODEL** Evaluates the last computed fit for each channel and replaces the currently referenced array with the model.

see also

**BASELINE BSHAPE BMODEL**

#### REMARKS

The regions used to compute the fit should not contain a known or suspected spectral feature.

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**ERRORS**

If NREGION(RCVR,N) where N is even, is less than NREGION(RCVR,N-1), the message

NREGION ?

will appear. The endchannel of a fitting region must be greater than the startchannel.

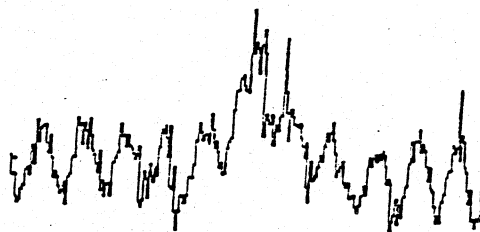
If the routine cannot fit a sine curve with the requested frequency, the message

FIT FAILED

is generated.

**EXAMPLE**

Your A receiver data looks like



You want to remove a sinusoidal baseline using these regions to calculate the fit

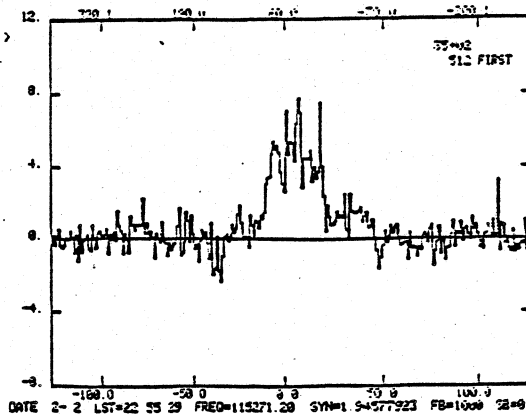
So you specify

NREGION (1,1) = 10; NREGION (1,2) = 80  
 NREGION (1,3) = 160; NREGION (1,4) = 250  
 NREGION (1,5) = 0

and

RFREQ = 23 (23 is the default value)  
 RIPPLE PAGE SHOW

to get and display the result



## VERB DICTIONARY

### RMODEL

RMODEL evaluates the last calculated sine curve fit for each channel and replaces the currently referenced array with the sine curve.

**PTWH** Determines which array is replaced by the sine curve. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None used directly. RMODEL uses the results of the previous RIPPLE or RSHAPE.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect RMODEL. Either or both receivers may be replaced by a sine curve, depending on the processing option.

### RELATED VERBS

**RIPPLE** Calculates the sine curve, evaluates it for each channel, and subtracts the result from the currently referenced array.

**RSHAPE** Calculates the sine curve for the currently referenced array.

### REMARKS

Most often used in conjunction with RSHAPE to compute a sine curve without subtracting it from the data. It is often useful to plot the sine curve on top of the data for comparison purposes.

### EXAMPLE

You have twenty scan of the same source and you want to remove the same sine curve from each of them. You can do this by

```
GET 710 TRT RSHAPE RMODEL PMW DIFF SHOW
GET 712 DIFF PAGE SHOW
GET 714 DIFF PAGE SHOW
GET 716 DIFF PAGE SHOW
.
.
.
GET 748 DIFF PAGE SHOW
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### RMS

This routine computes the sample root mean squared of the scan in the currently referenced array, using the specified region or regions. The result is stored in the variable VRMS(RCVR).

**PTWH** Determines for which scan the RMS is computed. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

- 0 BDROP(RCVR) The number of channels at each end of each receiver which will be ignored by the routine.
- 0 EDROP(RCVR)
- 0 NREGION(RCVR, N) Specifies the region or regions of the scan to be used to compute the RMS. N is an integer between 1 and 8.
- 0 BBASE(RCVR) The number of channels at each end of each receiver (not including the channels dropped BDROP and EDROP) which will be used to compute the RMS if NREGION(RCVR, 1)=0.
- 0 EBASE(RCVR)

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect RMS. The RMS may be computed for either or both receivers, depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

#### REMARKS

The RMS computed is stored in the variable VRMS.

#### EXAMPLE

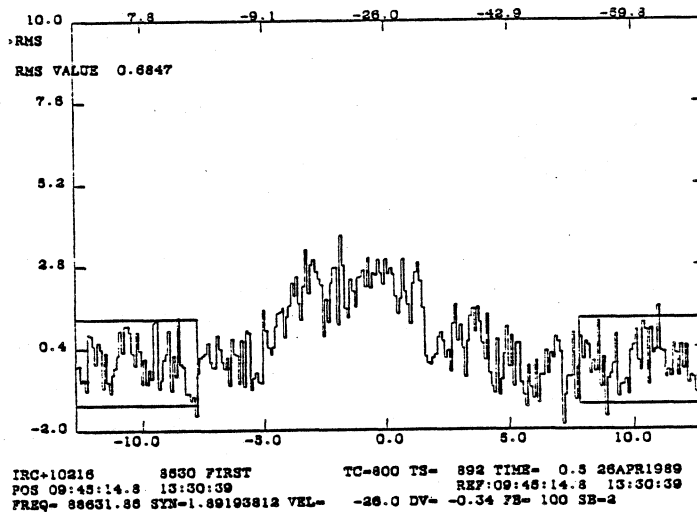
To compute the RMS of the scan in the currently referenced array, specify

```
BMARK=1; PAGE SHOW
```

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## VERB DICTIONARY

You will see something like



where the boxes indicate the regions over which the RMS will be computed. To compute and print the RMS, specify

**RMS**

In this case, the result is

**RMS VALUE 0.6847**

(One value is computed for each receiver).

**RSCALE**

Computes the appropriate y-scaling for the individual record in the currently referenced array.

**RSHAPE**

RSHAPE fits a sine curve to the scan in the currently referenced array, using the specified region or regions of the data and the approximate frequency specified. RSHAPE does not evaluate the fit for each channel.

**PTWH** Determines for which scan the fit is calculated. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS**

- 0 **RFREQ** The approximate frequency of the sine curve to be fit. Iterated by the routine.
- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)** which will be ignored by the routine.
- 0 **NREGION(RCVR, N)** Specifies the region or regions of the scan to be used to compute the fit. N is an integer between 1 and 8.
- 0 **BBASE(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver
- 0 **EBASE(RCVR)** (not including the channels dropped by BDROP and EDROP) which will be used to compute the sine curve.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect RSHAPE. The fit will be calculated for either or both receivers, depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

- RMODEL** Takes the calculated sine curve fit, evaluates it for each channel, and replaces the currently referenced array with the model of the sine curve.
- RIPPLE** Calculates the sine curve fit, evaluates it for each channel, and subtracts the model from the currently referenced array.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

### REMARKS

RSHAPE is most frequently used in conjunction with RMODEL to construct a model of a particular sine curve. The set of commands

```
TRT  RSHAPE  RMODEL  PMW  DIFF
```

is equivalent to RIPPLE.

### ERRORS

If a sine curve of the requested frequency cannot be fit, the message FIT FAILED is generated.

### EXAMPLE

You have scan 1520 in the WORK array and displayed on the screen. You would like to remove a sinusoidal baseline from the data, but you also want to see the sine curve before it is removed. You specify

```
TRT RSHAPE RMODEL
```

to copy your scan to the TEMP array, compute the sine curve fit for the scan, and replace the copy in the TEMP array with a model of the sine curve.

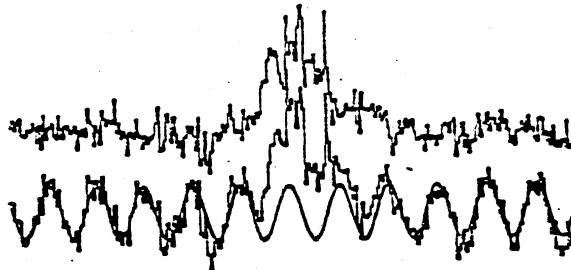
```
RESHOW
```

to plot the model on top of the data.

```
PMW DIFF RESHOW
```

to subtract the model from the data and plot the results on top of the model and the data.

You will have something like



## VERB DICTIONARY

### RSHOW

Displays all the individual records of the scan currently in memory in profile form. The records are retrieved by the verb RGET.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

- 0 RECN                Number of records in this scan. Usually set by RGET.
- 0 SHIFT              Bias added to all subsequent records after the first to make the profile plot. The bias added equals  $(\text{rec no} - 1) * \text{SHIFT}$ .

### RTSYS

Puts the value of the reference system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### RVSYS

Puts the value of the Doppler correction for the earth's motion in the source direction with respect to the velocity reference frame chosen of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### SAMPRAT

Puts the value of the sample period (time required to complete a single sample) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. A sample may be composed of multiple cycles. Also known as sample rate.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SAVE

SAVE copies the scan in the currently referenced array into one of 100 save areas on the disk called "bins". Both the scan and its header information are copied into the save bin named by the adverb NSAVE.

**PTWH** Determines which scan is saved. Is not changed.

### ADVERBS

**0 NSAVE** The number of the disk bins into which the scan in the currently referenced array is put. NSAVE must be an integer between 1 and 100.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

**RECALL** Copies the scan in bin NSAVE into the currently referenced array.

### ERRORS

If NSAVE is greater than 100, the message

NSAVE ?

is generated.

### EXAMPLE

You are observing between noon and six o'clock. It is now 5:59 and the next observer is anxious to get on the computer. You have a partly reduced scan in the WORK array and an incomplete stack of scans in the HOLD array. To save both of these until you can get back on the computer, specify

NSAVE = 65; PMW SAVE  
NSAVE = 66; PMH SAVE

(You may use any numbers between 1 and 100.)

SCALE

SCALE multiplies the currently referenced array by the values of the adverb FACT(RCVR). FACT may be specified separately for each receiver, and may have any real value.

PTWH Determines which scan is scaled. Is not changed.

ADVERBS

0 FACT(RCVR) The value by which each receiver is to be multiplied.

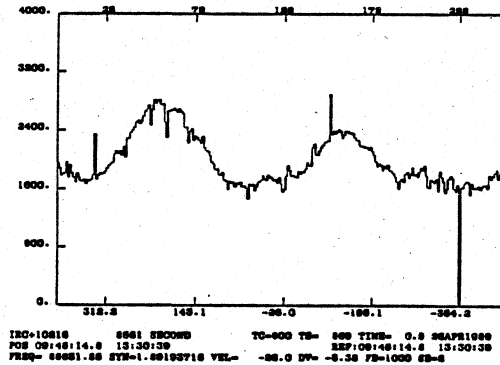
TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION Does apply. Either or both receivers may be scaled depending on the processing option. (If both are scaled, they may be scaled by different factors.)

RELATED VERBS

BIAS Also uses the adverb FACT. BIAS adds FACT(RCVR) to each receiver of the currently referenced array.

EXAMPLE

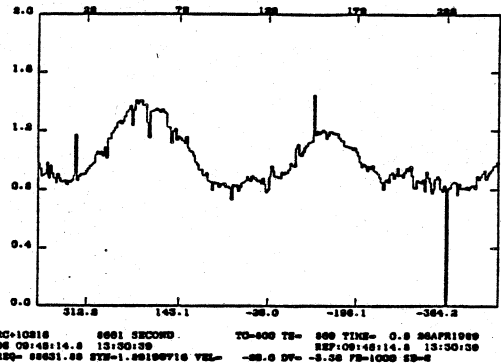
SCALE is often useful when the y-scale is so large that the numbers exceed the formats used by SHOW. If the numbers are too large, you will get



To get the scale down to numbers which fit in the format, specify

FACT = 1/2000  
SCALE PAGE SHOW

and you will get



## VERB DICTIONARY

### SCAN

Puts the value of the scan number of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. This value may be printed or used in calculations.

#### EXAMPLE

to verify the scan number of data in the currently referenced array

PRINT SCAN

### SCANANG

Puts the value of the map scanning angle of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. Orientation on the sky in the reference frame specified by "XY Reference Frame Code" of the rectangle to be mapped. It is not the angle through the rectangle that the telescope is driven. This provides an alternate capability to that of using descriptive coordinates.

### SCLEAR

A routine which clears the accumulator (HOLD) array before stacking data.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by SCLEAR.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**ACCUM** Adds the scan in the WORK array to the contents of the hold array with weighting by integration time/system temperature<sup>2</sup>.

**AVE** Divides the HOLD array by the accumulated weight of the accumulated scans.

**SUM** Adds the scan in the WORK array to the contents of the HOLD array with user specified weighting.

#### EXAMPLE

See ACCUM.

**SCRATCH**

**SCRATCH** deletes the specified user defined procedure from the program symbol table, but does not return the procedure or source space.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by **SCRATCH**.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECT** The name of the procedure to be deleted.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

See **PROCEDURE**  
**RESTART**

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETAPPEF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the antenna aperture efficiency (ratio of total power observed to the total power incident on the telescope) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETAZ

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded azimuth of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETBACKEND

Stores the adverb **SBACKEND** in the header location that describes the backend used for the data in the currently referenced array. **SBACKEND** is an 8-byte character string.

### SETBADCHV

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the antenna temperature to be assigned to those filterbank channels noted defective of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETBASEOFF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the baseline offset of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETBFWHM**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for beam full width at half maximum of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETBMORENT**

(Not currently implemented)

**SETBMTHROW**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the beam throw parameter of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETBW**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the bandwidth (total bandwidth of the filterbank) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETCHAN**

Stores the number on the value stack at the specified channel number of the data in the currently referenced array. SETCHAN takes two arguments, the desired channel and the desired data in that order.

**EXAMPLE**

to replace channel 15 with 0.0

15 0.0 SETCHAN



## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETCOORDCD

Stores the adverb **SCoordCD** in the header location which specifies in which coordinate system the data in the currently referenced array was commanded. **SCoordCD** is an 8-byte character string.

### SETCYCLEN

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the cycle length in seconds (time required to complete one cycle) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETDELTA X

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the step-size along the x-axis (usually velocity) for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb **RCVR**.

### SETDELTA XR

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for **DELTA X** or **X RATE** of the data in the currently referenced array. **DELTA XR** is used to specify the grid cell size in the mapping routines.

See **GRID**.

### SETDELTA YR

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the cell size or distance between cells on the Y axis of the data in the currently referenced array. **DELTA YR** is used to specify the grid cell size in the mapping routines.

See **GRID**.

**SETDESORG**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the descriptive origin (horizontal position, vertical position, position angle describing the orientation of the sky "horizontal axis") of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETEL**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded elevation of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETEPOCDEC**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the epoch declination of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETEPOCH**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for epoch (as specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETEPOCRA**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the epoch of right ascension of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETFIRSTIF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the **FIRST-IF** of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETFOCUSH

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the horizontal (East-West) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETFOCUSR

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the radial focus position of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETFOCUSV

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the vertical (North-South) focus offset of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETFRAME

Stores the adverb **SFRAME** in the header location in which the first four characters state whether the grid is polar (**POLR**) or cartesian (**CART**) and the second four state whether **DELTA XR** and **DELTA YR** refer to **STEP** sizes or **SCANning** rates of the data in the currently referenced array. **SFRAME** is an eight-byte character string.

**SETFREQRES**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the frequency resolution (bandwidth per channel) of the selected receiver of the spectral line data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of adverb RCVR. If the data is continuum, the value of NT is stored in this header location.

**SETFRONTEN**

Stores the adverb SFRONTEND in the header location that describes the receiver used for the data in the currently referenced array. SFRONTEND is an 8-byte character string.

**SETGAINS**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location indicated above to be the scan number of the calibration data for the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETGALLAT**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded galactic latitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETGALLONG**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded galactic longitude of the source or position specified of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETHARMONI

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the harmonic of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETINDX

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the horizontal telescope coordinate of the position actually observed (i.e., position measured by horizontal decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETINDY

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the vertical telescope coordinate of the position actually observed (i.e., position measured by vertical decoder) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETINTTIME

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the total integration time for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETLOFACT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the LO factor (fundamental, doubler or tripler) of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETLOIF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the LO-IF of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETLST

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for LST (local sidereal time at the start of the observation) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETNOINT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the total number of integrations for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETNOPHASE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of phases per cycle (different states of switched variables) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETNOPTS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of points (total number of cells in the map) of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETNORCHAN

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of independent polarizations or channels of this frontend of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETNOSWVAR

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of beam switching variables of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETNOXPTS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of X points (map sample points along the "X-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETNOYPTS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the number of Y points (map sample points along the "Y-edge" of the rectangle) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETOBJECT

Stores the adverb **OBJECT** in the header location for the source name of the object of the data in the currently referenced array. **OBJECT** is a 16-byte character string.

**SETOBSERVE**

Stores the adverb **SOBSERVER** in the header location for observer name of the data in the currently referenced array. **SOBSERVER** is a 16-byte character string.

**EXAMPLE**

**SOBSERVER = 'JOHN DOE'; SETOBSERVE**

**SETOBSFREQ**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the observed frequency of the selected receiver channel of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the **RCVR** adverb.

**SETOBSID**

Stores the adverb **SOBSID** in the header location for observer and operator initials of the data in the currently referenced array. **SOBSID** is an eight-byte character string.

**EXAMPLE**

**SOBSID = '\_PRJ\_PJR'; SETOBSID**

**SETOBSMODE**

Stores the adverb **SOBSMODE** in the header location for the type of data (4 bytes) and the observing mode (4 bytes) of the data in the currently referenced array. **SOBSMODE** is a character string of 8 bytes.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETOBSTOL

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the observing tolerance of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETOFFSCAN

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the off scan number (the last designated total power off scan) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETOPENPAR

Stores the adverb SOPENPAR in the header location for open parameters in the currently referenced array. SOPENPAR is a 56-byte character string that the observer may use to describe how he has processed his data.

### SETORIENT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the rotation or polarization angle orientation of the receiver or reflector at the prime focus of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETPOLARIZ

Stores the contents of the adverb SPOLARIZ in the header location which describes the type of polarization and the angle for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETPRECIS**

Stores the adverb **SPRECIS** in the header location that describes the precision of the data for the data in the currently referenced array. **SPRECIS** is an 8-byte character string.

**SETPROJID**

Stores the adverb **SPROJID** in the header location for the program ID as it appears on the telescope schedule of the data in the currently referenced array. **SPROJID** is an eight byte character string.

**SETPTCON**

Stores a number on the value stack in the selected header location for one of the four pointing constants of the data in the currently referenced array. Individual constants are selected by the value of the adverb **RCVR**.

**EXAMPLE**

to set the third pointing constant to 15

```
RCVR = 3; 15 SETPTCON
```

**SETRAZOFF**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the reference azimuth offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETREFPT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the reference point (center channel) of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETRELOFF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the reference azimuth offset in seconds of arc of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETRESTFRE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the rest frequency of the selected receiver channel of spectral line data in the currently referenced array. The receiver channel is selected by the adverb RCVR. If the data is continuum, the value of the data scale factor is replaced by the number on the value stack.

### SETRTSYS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the reference system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETRVSYS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the Doppler correction for the earth's motion in the source direction with respect to the velocity reference frame chosen of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETRX**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the measured receiver temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETSAMPRT**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the sample period (time required to complete a single sample) of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETSCAN**

Takes a number from the value stack and stores it in the header location for scan number of the data in the currently referenced array.

**EXAMPLE**

to change the scan number to 2070

2070 SETSCAN

**SETSCANANG**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the map scanning angle of the data in the currently referenced array.

**SETSIDEBAN**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the sideband used for the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETSPN

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the starting point number for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETSTSYS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the source system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETSINFREQ

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the synthesizer frequency of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETTAMB

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the ambient temperature of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETTAUH2O

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the opacity of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETTAUO2**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the opacity of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETTCAL**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the calibration temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETTELESCO**

Stores the adverb STELESCOP in the header location for the telescope name of the data in currently referenced array. STELESCOP is an eight-byte character string.

**SETTH2O**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the temperature of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SETTO2**

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the temperature of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETTRMS

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the standard deviation of the mean source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETTSOURCE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETTYPECAL

Stores the adverb STYPECAL in the header location that describes the calibration method used for the data in the currently referenced array. STYPECAL is an eight-byte character string.

### SETUT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for universal time of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETUTDATE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for universal time date of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETUXPNT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the user supplied AZ/RA pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETUYPNT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the user supplied El/Dec pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETVELDEF

Stores the adverb SVELDEF in the header location which describes the velocity system of the data in the currently referenced array. SVELDEF is an eight-byte character string where the first four characters denote the velocity definition (RADI, OPTL or RELV) and the last four denote the velocity reference (LSR, HELO, EART, BARI or OBS defined).

### SETVELOCIT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the velocity with respect to the reference of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETWL

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location noted above for the wavelength used in a continuum focalize scan. WL replaces the BMTHROW value for continuum data.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETX0

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the velocity at the reference point for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### SETXCELL0

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the starting X cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETXPOINT

Stores the number of the value stack in the header location for the total pointing correction applied in the X (horizontal - AZ/RA) direction of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETXREF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded reference Xcoord (horizontal coordinate of the reference position in the system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETXSOURCE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded source Xcoord (the horizontal coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SETXZERO

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the horizontal telescope coordinate at the map reference position of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETYCELL0

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the starting Y cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETYPOINT

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the total pointing correction applied in the Y (vertical - El/Dec) direction of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETYREF

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded reference Ycoord (vertical coordinate of the reference position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETYSOURCE

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the commanded source Ycoord (vertical coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array.

### SETYZERO

Stores a number on the value stack in the header location for the Y position at Zero of the data in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SHOW

SHOW plots the contents of the currently referenced array on the CRT screen. The routine also draws and labels the axis with the default as follows:

y axis	Temperature spectrum	Kelvins
x axis	Top of graph Bottom of graph	Velocity (km/sec) Frequency (MHz)

SHOW will compute automatically the scaling needed to display the scan in the currently referenced array; however, the user may control the scaling by means of the adverbs BDROP, EDROP, YMIN and YINCR and the verbs FREEY, HOLDY, and RANGE.

**PTWH** Determines which array is plotted. Is not changed.

#### ADVERBS

0	BDROP(RCVR)	The number of channels at each end of each receiver which will not be plotted.
0	EDROP(RCVR)	
0	BMARK	If = 1, the regions last used to compute a baseline or RMS will be indicated by boxes.
0	CMARK(N)	N is an integer between 1 and 6. If CMARK(N) > 0, a vertical line will be drawn at channel CMARK(N).
-9999	FMARK(N)	N is an integer between 1 and 6. If FMARK(N) > -9999, a vertical line will be drawn at frequency FMARK(N) IN MHz.
0	SLABEL	Determines where scan number and source name are printed on the display.
-9999	TMARK(N)	N is an integer between 1 and 6. If TMARK(N) > -9999, a horizontal line will be drawn at temperature TMARK(N) in degrees K.
-9999	VMARK(N)	N is an integer between 1 and 6. If VMARK(N) > -9999, a vertical line will be drawn at velocity VMARK(N) in km/sec.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

- 0 **YINCR(RCVR)** The user may specify how many degrees are to be between each y tic mark. If **YMIN** > -9999, **SHOW** will not compute the y-scaling, but will use the values specified by **YMIN** and **YINCR**.
- 0 **YMIN(RCVR)** The minimum temperature that is to appear on the graph. See note under **YINCR**.
- 0 **ZLINE** If = 1, a horizontal line will be drawn at zero degrees K.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **SHOW**. If the processing option is **BOTH**, both receivers will be displayed ignoring the values of **BDROP** and **EDROP**. If the option is **ONLYA**, receiver A will be shown taking into account the values of **BDROP** and **EDROP**. If the option is **ONLYB**, receiver B will be shown taking into account the values of **BDROP** and **EDROP**.

### RELATED VERBS

- CV or VC** Sets the upper x-axis coordinate to channels and the lower x-axis coordinate to velocity.
- FLAG** Draws vertical lines at specified frequency in MHz.
- FV or VF** Sets the upper x-axis coordinate to velocity and the lower x-axis coordinate to frequency.
- HISTOGRAM** Causes a **HISTOGRAM** plot to be drawn by **SHOW**.
- LINE** Causes a **LINE** plot to be drawn by **SHOW**.
- RANGE** Defines the values of **YMIN** and **YINCR** according to the specified max and min values.

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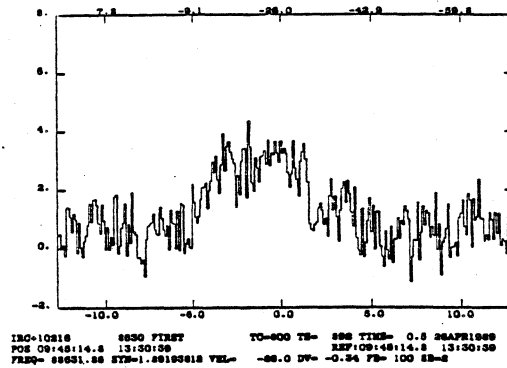
## VERB DICTIONARY

### EXAMPLE

After retrieving scan 8530 from disk, one may display the scan by

#### PAGE SHOW

and one will get



#### SIDEBAND

Puts the value of the sideband used for the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

# VERB DICTIONARY

## SLIDE

SLIDE is used on two-receiver data. B is shifted by RSHIFT channels with respect to A, each receiver weighted by integration time divided by system temperature squared. The resulting weighted average is in A receiver.

**PTWH** Determines which scan is slid. Is not changed.

### ADVERBS

**0 RSHIFT** The number of channels by which receiver B will be shifted when averaged with receiver A to properly align the spectral features.

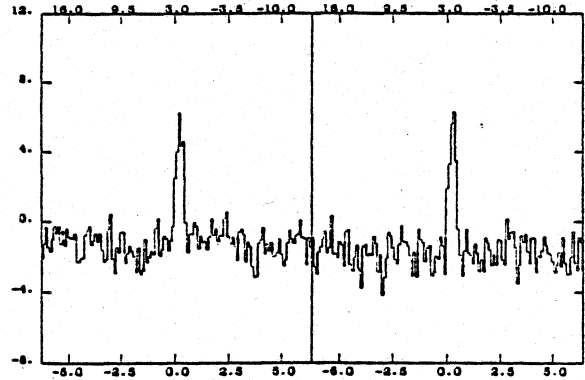
**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** The processing option should be BOTH when SLIDE is used.

### RELATED VERBS

**RDIFF** Subtracts receiver B from receiver A, without weighting, and puts the result in the receiver A channels.

### EXAMPLE

You have a two-receiver scan in the currently referenced array. Receiver A and B look like

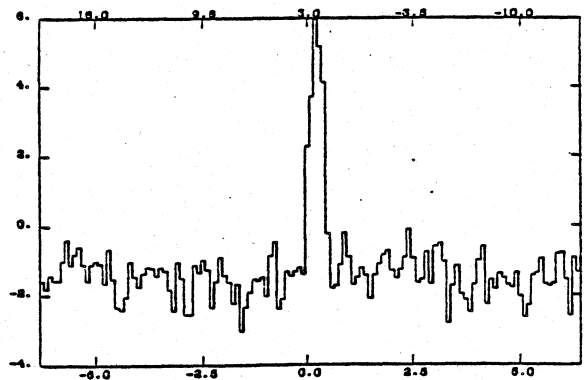


you specify

SLIDE ONLYA  
PAGE SHOW

Receiver A now looks like

L134 7772 FIRST TC-400 TS= 988 TIME= 0.8 28APR1989  
POS 18:50:50.0 -04:28:37 REF:18:50:50.0 -04:28:37  
FREQ=118271.20 SYN=1.49468242 VEL= 3.0 DV= -0.28 PS= 100 SB=2



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L134 7772 FIRST TC-400 TS= 1088 TIME= 1.0 28APR1989  
POS 18:50:50.0 -04:28:37 REF:18:50:50.0 -04:28:37  
FREQ=118271.20 SYN=1.49468242 VEL= 3.0 DV= -0.28 PS= 100 SB=2

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SMOOTH

**SMOOTH** smooths the scan in the currently referenced array by the weight function **SMWGT** specified by the user.

**PTWH** Determines which scan is to be smoothed.

#### ADVERBS

- 0 **BDROP(RCVR)** The number of channels at each end of each receiver which will be ignored.
- 0 **EDROP(RCVR)**
- 0 **SMWGT(12)** The smoothing function array. The first element of the array specifies the number of elements in the function - not greater than 11.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect **SMOOTH**. Either or both receivers may be smoothed, depending on the processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

**BOXCAR** Smooths a scan by averaging a specified number of channels together.

**HANNING** A smoothing routine which averages three channels together with the center channel getting twice as much weight as either side channel.

#### EXAMPLE

```
SMWGT(1) = 2
SMWGT(2) = .5
SMWGT(3) = .5
SMOOTH
```

See **SMWGT**

**SNAP**

**SNAP** is an informational verb which prints the header information for the currently referenced array on the printer.

**PTWH** Determines which header is printed. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

**HEADER** Prints the same documentation on the CRT.

**TABLE** Prints the channel by channel values for the currently referenced array.

**ERRORS**

If there is no scan in the currently referenced array when **SNAP** is specified, the message "LOAD SCAN" will be generated.

**EXAMPLE**

See **HEADER**



**SOLVETIP**

(Documentation not available)

**SORT**

Sorts spectral line data in observer's raw data file and fills stack (ASTACK) with scan numbers that meet the sort criteria. Sort by one or more of the below:

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

<b>BSCAN</b>	Beginning scan number for the sort.
<b>ESCAN</b>	Ending scan number for the sort.
<b>SOURCE</b>	Source name used for the sort.
<b>FREQ(2)</b>	Beginning and ending rest frequency of the sort.
<b>VEL(2)</b>	Beginning and ending velocity of the sort.

**SPIKE**

A routine which searches for bad channels according to the criteria, absolute value of channel value > NSIGMA. SPIKE will find up to 12 bad channels and print them on the CRT.

**PTWH** Determines which array is to be used.

**ADVERBS**

0 **BADPT** The bad channels. Set by SPIKE.

0 **NSIGMA** The maximum value for determining bad channels.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect SPIKE. Bad channels may be found in one or both receivers depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

**REPLACE** Replaces bad channels by a parabolic interpolation over adjacent channels.

**RMS** Computes the RMS over the specified regions in the currently referenced array and stores the result in VRMS(RCVR).

**EXAMPLE**

See BADPT adverb.

**SPN**

Puts the value of the starting point number for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### SPREAD

This routine will restrict data processing to only those channels within the minimum and maximum frequency or velocity specified. The units depend on the coordinate of the lower x-axis. If the lower x-axis is velocity, the units are KM/S and if the coordinate of the lower x-axis is frequency, the units are MHz.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by SPREAD.

#### ADVERBS

0 BDROP(R) The number of channels at each end of the spectrum  
0 EDROP(R) which will be ignored.

**OBJECTS** The minimum and maximum frequencies or velocities that limit the SPREAD.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect SPREAD. Either or both receivers will be spread depending on the processing option.

#### RELATED VERBS

**LIMIT** Limits the processing of data to only those channels between the minimum and maximum values specified.

#### REMARKS

SPREAD restricts the processing of data by setting the appropriate values of BDROP and EDROP. To return to the original limits, reset BDROP and EDROP to zero, or use the ALL procedure.

#### ERRORS

If SPREAD is specified without minimum and maximum values, the message

"ARG LIST ?"

will be printed.

#### EXAMPLE

```
PROCEDURE XSET  
X1 = VCUR  
X2 = VCUR  
X1 X2 SPREAD  
FINISH
```

See VCUR.

**STACK**

A routine which lists all scans currently in the **STACK**.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** Uses **ASTACK** and **ACOUNT** to list the scans in the **STACK**.

**TWO-RECEIVER OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

- A#** Inserts one scan into the **STACK**.
- ADD (#,#)** Inserts a series of scans into the **STACK**.
- DELETE #** Deletes one scan from the **STACK**.
- EMPTY** Empties the **STACK**.

**EXAMPLE**

After defining the **STACK** by

```
500 A; 506 A
512 520 ADD
```

**STACK** will produce the following output:

```
500. 506. 512. 514. 516. 518. 520.
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### STORE

**STORE** page# copies the program memory into a disk storage space called a "page". It does not change the present state of memory, it merely makes a copy of memory for later retrieval.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** (No adverbs are changed)

#### OBJECTS

**Page#** The disk page into which the copy of memory is to be put. Page# must be an integer between 1 and 3.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**RESTORE** page# Copies disk page # back into memory.

**RESTART** Wipes out the current state of memory by replacing it with the default or original state.

#### REMARKS

**STORE**, **RESTORE**, and **RESTART** are used to control the program memory space. **STORE** saves the current state of memory for later restoration and use.

#### EXAMPLE

You are one of three observers presently using the telescope. You have gone to a great deal of trouble to set up your adverb values and procedures and now it is time to get off the telescope. You are not thrilled at the prospect of having to redefine your procedures and reset your adverbs tomorrow. So you pick a number between 1 and 3, say 3, and specify

**STORE 3**

Now in disk page 3 there is a copy of memory exactly like the present copy.

**STSYS**

Puts the value of the source system temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**SUM**

A routine that is used to stack scans in the HOLD array with user specified weighting. The first use of SUM after an AVE, SCLEAR, or program restart copies the header information and the spectral values in the WORK array to the HOLD array. The spectral values are multiplied by WEIGHT(RCVR) \* INTEGRATION(RCVR). Subsequent uses of SUM add the spectral values contained in the WORK array (multiplied by WEIGHT(RCVR)\* INTEGRATION(RCVR) to the contents of the HOLD array. Subsequent uses of SUM do not change the header stored in the HOLD array, except for the integration time which is summed each time a scan is accumulated. SUM increments the internal stack counter each time a scan is accumulated, and stores the numbers of the first 34 and the last scan accumulated.

**PTWH** Does not affect SUM. Is set to the HOLD array.

**ADVERBS**

1 **ASHIFT(RCVR)** The number of channels by which a scan is shifted by subsequent calls to SUM. On the first call to SUM, the scan is not shifted even if ASHIFT  $\neq$  0.

1 **WEIGHT(RCVR)** Weighting to be applied to each scan.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does affect SUM. Either or both receivers may be summed, depending on the processing option.

**RELATED VERBS**

**ACCUM** Adds the scan in the WORK array to the contents of the HOLD array, with weighting by integration time/system temperature<sup>2</sup>.

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## VERB DICTIONARY

- ALIGN** Sets the values of ASHIFT, using the header information in the WORK array, so that when the scan in the WORK array is summed, its velocities or frequencies will be correctly aligned with the velocities or frequencies in the HOLD array.
- ALIGNF** Sets the alignment mode to frequency.
- ALIGNV** Sets the alignment mode to velocity.
- SCLEAR** Clears the accumulator (HOLD) array before stacking data.
- TELL CSTACK** Prints the internal stack counter and the numbers of the scans accumulated.

### EXAMPLE

Suppose you want to stack several scans and weight by  $e^{-\tau}$ . You might define the following procedure:

```
PROCEDURE STACKER
FOR I = 1 TO ACOUNT
  XSCAN = ABS(ASTACK(I)): GET XSCAN
  WEIGHT = EXP(-(1/COS(90.-TWH(31,PTWH))*TWH(34,PTWH)))
  ALIGN SUM END
AVE PAGE SHOW
RETURN
FINISH
```

where TWH(31, PTWH) is the elevation angle of the scan and TWH(34, PTWH) is the atmospheric attenuation.

**SWITCHED**

Computes switched power data from the raw phases in the continuum digital backend scan in the currently referenced array.

See TOTALPWR, AVGD

**EXAMPLE**

CGET 500 SWITCHED AVGD PAGE SHOW

**SYNFREQ**

Puts the value of the synthesizer frequency of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**SYSHELP**

Invokes the VMS DCL command HELP which makes all of the system help files available to the user.



**VERB DICTIONARY**

**TABLE**

TABLE is an informational verb. TABLE prints the antenna temperature (Kelvins) for each channel (from 1 to 256) and labels the information with scan number and filterbank.

**PTWH** Determines for which scan the table is printed. Is not changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECTS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS**

**HEADER** Prints the header information for the scan in the currently referenced array.

**EXAMPLE**

The user wants a list of the spectral values of scan 8661. He specifies

**GET 8661 PAGE TABLE**

and gets

TABLE								
	8661	SECOND	FB 1000					
0.9800	0.9425	0.8908	0.9029	0.9073	0.9833	0.8799	0.9601	
0.9072	0.8789	0.8482	0.9063	0.8787	0.8681	0.8641	0.8618	
0.8381	0.8870	0.8841	0.8640	0.8960	1.1730	0.8666	0.8913	
0.9039	0.9064	0.9072	0.9217	0.9433	0.9631	0.9703	0.9826	
1.0390	1.0887	1.0408	1.0882	1.0274	1.0891	1.0187	1.1460	
1.1442	1.1866	1.2027	1.2332	1.2636	1.2882	1.2479	1.2839	
1.2990	1.3332	1.3447	1.3709	1.2348	1.3408	1.4092	1.3842	
1.4083	1.4094	1.3740	1.3797	1.2863	1.1819	1.3318	1.3333	
1.3433	1.3833	1.3403	1.3264	1.3438	1.3270	1.3198	1.2231	
1.2218	1.1169	1.1966	1.2117	1.1340	1.1877	1.1479	1.1323	
1.1125	1.1876	1.0823	1.0622	1.0836	1.0269	0.9841	0.9723	
0.9338	0.9340	0.8971	0.8990	0.9102	0.8606	0.8636	0.7979	
0.8804	0.8487	0.8469	0.8180	0.8382	0.8373	0.8440	0.8182	
0.8204	0.8078	0.7343	0.8347	0.8288	0.8319	0.7932	0.8216	
0.8480	0.8503	0.8628	0.8900	0.8688	0.8617	0.8944	0.8802	
0.8758	0.8886	0.8643	0.8411	0.8793	0.8396	0.7842	0.8019	
0.8911	0.8830	0.9287	0.8903	0.8910	0.8849	0.8822	0.9218	
0.9078	0.9194	0.9184	0.9379	0.9828	0.9854	0.9818	1.0861	
1.1096	1.0380	1.0361	1.0621	1.0894	1.1014	1.1226	1.1284	
1.1318	1.4499	1.1764	1.1968	1.1808	1.1934	1.2077	1.1946	
1.1467	1.1715	1.1938	1.1938	1.1863	1.1802	1.1782	1.1815	
1.1334	1.1303	1.0994	1.0966	1.0928	1.0834	1.0846	1.0712	
1.0860	1.0868	1.0303	0.9888	0.9866	0.9748	0.9641	0.9298	
0.9892	0.9466	0.9638	0.9286	0.9218	0.9070	0.8835	0.8804	
0.8087	0.8892	0.8721	0.8519	0.9059	0.9179	0.8800	0.9002	
0.9472	0.8980	0.9014	0.8852	0.9188	0.9494	0.9318	0.9803	
0.8967	0.8134	0.8102	0.8634	0.8666	0.8454	0.8709	0.7881	
0.9217	0.8822	0.8824	0.7784	0.8053	0.8708	0.8916	0.8737	
0.8086	0.7842	0.8286	0.0070	0.8088	0.8148	0.8420	0.8638	
0.8487	0.7668	0.8392	0.8083	0.8104	0.8100	0.8203	0.8005	
0.8191	0.8280	0.8271	0.8098	0.8941	0.8693	0.8893	0.9103	

**TAMB**

Puts the value of the ambient temperature of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

**TAUH2O**

Puts the opacity of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**TAUO2**

Puts the value of the opacity of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**TCAL**

Puts the value of the calibration temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### TCUR

This routine activates the horizontal crosshair and returns the temperature value for that crosshair position on the current display when any key except RETURN is struck.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by TCUR.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

#### RELATED VERBS

**CCUR** Returns the channel value at the current vertical crosshair position.

**CROSSHAIR** Activates the horizontal and vertical crosshairs and prints the channel number, temperature and velocity values at the crosshair position.

**VCUR** Returns the velocity value at the current vertical crosshair position.

#### EXAMPLE

You want to expand the y-axis of the SHOW display between two temperatures designated by the horizontal crosshairs. A procedure for doing so is defined below.

```
PROCEDURE YSET
  X1 = TCUR: X2 = TCUR; X1 X2 RANGE
  RETURN
  FINISH
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### TELESCOP

Puts a field of eight characters which contain the telescope name of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb STELESCOP.

#### EXAMPLE

to query the telescope name

```
TELESCOP; PRINT STELESCOP
```

### TELL

TELL is an informational verb requiring an object. The six permitted objects of TELL are DATA, DISK, CSTACK, ESCANS, KSCANS, and RECORDS. Lists information about data in disk files including PDFL(raw), IRFL(ind rec), PKFL (KEEP and edited) files.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

#### OBJECTS

**DATA** Prints number of scans and remaining space PDFL.

**DISK** Lists LINE then CONTINUUMscan numbers in PDFL file.

**CSTACK** Is used to request a listing of the scans that have been accumulated. Only the numbers of the first and the last scans that were accumulated and number of spaces stacked will be printed.

**ESCANS** Lists EDITED scans in the PKFL file.

**KSCANS** Lists KEEP scans in the PKFL file.

**RECORDS** Prints number of scans and remaining space in IRFL.

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**VERB DICTIONARY**

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

The output of TELL DISK looks like:

TELL DISK

LIST OF SPECTRAL LINE SCANS ON DISK FOR WWS

596	598	600	602	604	606	608	5858	1672	1674
1676	1678	1680	1682	1684	1686	1688	1690	1692	1694
1696	1698	1700	1702	1704	1706	1708	1710	1712	1714
1716	1718	1720	1722	1724	1726	1728	1730	1734	1736
1738	1740	1742	1744	1746	1748	1750	1752	1754	1756
1758	1760	1762	1764	1766	1768	1770	1772	1774	1776
1778	1780	1792	1794	1796	1798	1800	1802	1814	1826
1860	1862	1864	1866	4696	4698	4700	4702	4704	4708
4710	4712	4714	4716	4718	4720	4722	4724	4726	4728
4730	4732	4734	4736	4738	4740	4742	4744	4748	4750
4752	4754	4756	4758	4760	4762	4764	4766	4768	4770
4772	4774	4776	4778	4780	4782	4784	4786	4788	4790
4792	4794	4796	4798	4800	686				

LIST OF CONTINUUM SCANS ON DISK FOR WWS

536	537	538	539	540	541	542	543	544	546
546	547	548	549	550	551	552	553	554	555
556	557	558	559	560	561	562	563	564	565
566	567	568	569	570	571	572	573	574	575
576	577	578	579	580	581	582	583	584	585
586	587	588	589	590	591	592	593	594	595
3868	3869	3870	3871	3872	3873	3874	3875	3876	3877
3878	3879	3880	3881	3882	3883	3884	3885	3886	3887
3888	3889	3890	3891	3892	3893	3894	3895	3896	3897
3898	3899	3900	3901	3902	3903	3904	3905	3906	3907
3908	3909	3910	3911	3912	3913	3914	3915	3916	3917
3918	3919	3920	3921	3922	3923	3924	3925	3926	3927
3928	3929	3930	3931	3932	3933	3934	3935	3936	3937
3938	3939	3940	3941	3942	3943	3944	3945	3946	3947
3948	3949	3950	3951	3952	3953	3954	3955	3956	3957
3958	3959	3960	3961	3962	3963	3964	3965	3966	3967
3968	3969	3970	3971	3972	3973	3974	3975	3976	3977

If you have accumulated 29 scans (1072 - 1128), the output of TELL CSTACK would be:

TELL STACK  
29  
1700 1756

## VERB DICTIONARY

### TEMP

Computes spectral line quotients:

$$((\text{Sig}(i) - \text{Ref}(i)) / (\text{Ref}(i) - \text{Zeros}(i))) * \text{Gains}(i)$$

from the total power data in the WORK and TEMP arrays, and the calibration data. The data must be loaded as follows:

WORK array = SIGNAL (ON)  
TEMP array = REFERENCE (OFF)  
HOLD array = ZERO levels  
SPECT array = GAINS

### TH20

Puts the value of the temperature of water as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### THEN

Used in procedures in IF, THEN, ELSE logical constructions.

See IF, ELSE, END, FOR, WHILE

### EXAMPLE

```
IF X = 2 THEN; Y = 3; END
```

### THUMB

Prints main and reference azimuth, elevation, right ascension and declination offsets for the scan in the currently referenced array.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### TITLE

**TITLE** writes one line of documentation about the current scan on the CRT screen including scan number, LST, source name, rest frequency, filterbank and sideband number.

**PTWH** Determines which array is used by **TITLE**.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply

### RELATED VERBS

<b>DOC</b>	Writes one line of header information about the scan in the currently referenced array.
<b>HEADER</b>	Prints header information about the currently referenced array on the CRT.
<b>SNAP</b>	Prints header information about the currently referenced array on the printer.

### EXAMPLE

You want to compute the area under the curve of several profiles and document the results. You might define the following procedure

```
PROCEDURE AREA (BS,ES)
FOR I = BS TO ES BY 2
  GET I BASELINE MOMENT TITLE PRINT SIZE
FINISH
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### TO

Used in procedures in FOR, TO, BY logical construction.

#### EXAMPLE

```
FOR X = 1 TO 3 BY 2; ... ; END
```

### TO2

Puts the value of the temperature of oxygen as computed by a model for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

### TOTALPWR

Computes the total power data from the raw phases of the continuum digital backend scan in the currently referenced array.

See SWITCHED, AVGD

#### EXAMPLE

```
CGET 500 TOTALPWR AVGD PAGE SHOW
```

### TRMS

Puts the value of the standard deviation of the mean source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.



## VERB DICTIONARY

### TRT TRW TRH

These routines copy the contents of the currently referenced array to the indicated array and sets PTWH to that array as well.

TRH copies to the HOLD array  
TRT copies to the TEMP array  
TRW copies to the WORK array

**PTWH** Determines which scan is transferred. Is changed to the indicated array.

TRH sets PTWH to the HOLD array  
TRT sets PTWH to the TEMP array  
TRW sets PTWH to the WORK array

**ADVERBS** None.

**OBJECTS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

**RELATED VERBS** None.

### EXAMPLE

The most common use of TRT is to create a copy of a scan to be replaced by a baseline or gaussian model, leaving one copy of the scan untouched in the WORK array. For example:

```
GET 710 PAGE SHOW
TRT
BSHAPE BMODEL RESHOW
```

**TRX**

Puts the value of the measured receiver temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**TSOURCE**

Puts the value of the source temperature of the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**TYPE**

Invokes the VMS DCL command TYPE. ASCII files outside of the LINE program may be listed on the CRT. TYPE will prompt for the name of the file to be typed.

**TYPECAL**

Puts a field of eight characters which describe the calibration method used for the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb STYPECAL. This adverb may then be printed.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### UT

Puts the value of universal time of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### UTDATE

Puts the value of the universal time date of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### UXPNT

Puts the value of the user Az/RA pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### UYPNT

Puts the value of the user EL/Dec pointing correction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

# VERB DICTIONARY

## VC or CV

A routine which sets an internal flag so that SHOW displays channel numbers for the upper x-axis labeling and velocity for the lower x-axis labeling.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

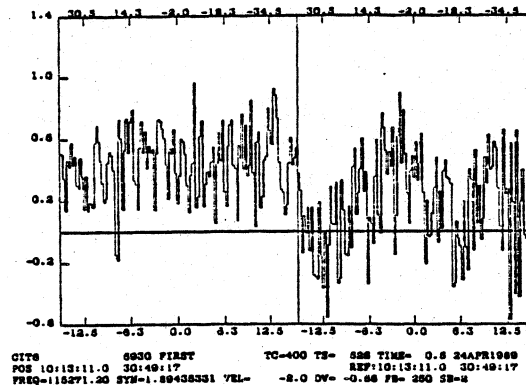
- VF or FV** Sets an internal flag so that SHOW displays velocity for the upper x-axis labeling and frequency for the lower x-axis labeling.
- SHOW** Displays a scan with user specified or default scaling and user specified or default labeling.

### REMARKS

The default labeling in SHOW for the lower x-axis is frequency and for the upper x-axis is velocity.

### EXAMPLE

Your current display looks like



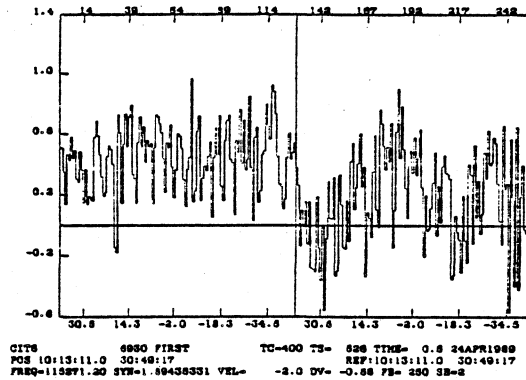
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## VERB DICTIONARY

and you want to change your x-axis to velocity and channel numbers. Type:

VC XX

and you will get



## VCTR

Draws a line from the current cursor position to the position commanded by IX & IY.

Other relevant parameters or adverbs, with initial value (if any):

IX One of 1024 horizontal points on the CRT screen.

IY One of 780 vertical points on the CRT screen. (Used in procedures)

See PLACE, CHAR

## EXAMPLE

VCTR ,(400,200)

## VERB DICTIONARY

### VCUR

This routine activates the vertical crosshair and returns the velocity for that crosshair position on the current display when any key except RETURN is struck.

**PTWH** Is not used or changed by VCUR.

**ADVERBS** None.

**TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION** Does apply. Will only compute the proper velocity for one receiver at a time.

### RELATED VERBS

**CCUR** Returns the channel value at the current vertical crosshair position.

**CROSSHAIR** Activates the horizontal and vertical crosshairs and prints the channel number, temperature and velocity values at the crosshair positions.

**TCUR** Returns the temperature value at the current horizontal crosshair position.

### EXAMPLE

You have displayed a scan with velocity as the bottom axis. You wish to spread the display for a certain velocity range specified by the vertical crosshairs. A procedure for doing so is defined below.

### PROCEDURE XSET

```
X1 - VCUR; X2 - VCUR; X1 X2 SPREAD  
RETURN  
FINISH
```

## VERB DICTIONARY

### VELDEF

Puts a field of eight characters which describe the velocity system of the data in the currently referenced array into the adverb, SVELDEF. The first four characters denote the velocity definition (RADI, OPTL or RELV) and the last four denote the velocity reference (LSR, HELO, EART, BARI or DBS defined). The adverb, SVELDEF, may then be printed.

### VELOCITY

Puts the value of the velocity with respect to the reference of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The source velocity specified by the observer relative to the velocity reference frame.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### WHILE

WHILE begins a logical construction of the form

```
WHILE (test condition)
  (statements to be iterated)
END
```

WHILE can be used only in procedures. The WHILE logical construction is a conditional looping device completely similar to the DO WHILE looping facility in PL/I.

The (test condition) can be any expression which has a single true or false result. As long as (test condition) is true, the (statements to be iterated) will be repeated. The (statements to be iterated) may be any group of statements. END is required to complete the construction. WHILE loops may be nested and arranged on one or more lines; if arranged on one line, the statements to be iterated must be separated from the logical statements by semicolons.

PTWH Is not used or changed.

ADVERBS None.

TWO-RECEIVER PROCESSING OPTION Does not apply.

### RELATED VERBS

END Completes a logical construction.

FOR Begins a logical construction of the form

```
FOR (VARIABLE) = (ALPHA) TO
  (BETA) BY (GAMMA) (statements to be repeated)
END
```

IF Begins a logical construction of the form

```
IF (test condition)
  THEN (do this)
  ELSE (do this)
END
```

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## VERB DICTIONARY

See PROCEDURE

### EXAMPLES

(1) WHILE construction on several lines in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG(X, Y)
  WHILE X>Y
    Y=X*Y/2+1
    PRINT X Y
  END
FINISH
```

(2) WHILE construction on one line in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EGALT
  WHILE X>Y ;Y=X*Y/2+1; PRINT X Y; END
FINISH
```

(3) WHILE constructions nested in a procedure

```
PROCEDURE EG2(X, Y)
  WHILE X>Y
    WHILE Y>SQRT(2)
      X=X+SQRT(2)
    END
  END
FINISH
```

**X0**

Puts the value of the velocity at the reference point for the selected receiver of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. The receiver is selected by the value of the adverb RCVR.

**XCELL0**

Puts the starting X cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. May be positive, negative, or zero. It is used to define the position of the rectangle to be mapped with respect to the reference position which, by definition, is  $(x,y) = (0.0)$ .

**XCUR**

Returns the X position of the cursor in terms of TEK points. Used in procedures.

See PLACE, VCTR, CHAR, YCUR

**EXAMPLE**

**IX=XCUR**

**XPOINT**

Puts the value of the total pointing correction applied in the X (horizontal - Az/RA) direction of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

## VERB DICTIONARY

### XREF

Puts the value of the commanded reference Xcoord (horizontal coordinate of the reference position in the system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### XSOURCE

Puts the value of the commanded source Xcoord (the horizontal coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### XZERO

Puts the value of the horizontal telescope coordinate at the map reference position of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack. Together with "Y position at Zero", this defines the cell  $(X,Y) = (0,0)$  at the map reference position.

### YCELL0

Puts the value of the starting y cell (cell number) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### YCUR

Returns the Y position of the cursor in terms of TEK points. Used in procedures.

See PLACE, VCTR, CHAR, XCUR

### EXAMPLE

IY=YCUR

## VERB DICTIONARY

### YPOINT

Puts the value of the total pointing correction applied in the Y (vertical - EL/Dec) direction of data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### YREF

Puts the value of the commanded reference Ycoord (vertical coordinate of the reference position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### YSOURCE

Puts the value of the commanded source Ycoord (vertical coordinate of source or position in the coordinate system specified by the observer) of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### YZERO

Puts the value of the Y position at Zero of the data in the currently referenced array on the value stack.

### ZGET

Copies current zero check or specified zero check into the WORK array. Specify 1 or 2 for the first or second filterbank if the current zero check is desired. If a previous zero check is desired, specify its scan number.

### EXAMPLE

ZGET 1

## ADVERB SYNOPSIS

### ADVERB SYNOPSIS

ACOUNT	The stack counter.
ASHIFT (RCVR)	The number of channels by which a scan must be shifted so that its velocities or frequencies align with the velocities or frequencies in the HOLD array. Used by ACCUM or SUM; set by ALIGN.
ASTACK (100)	The 100 element STACK array.
BADPT (12)	The bad channels found by SPIKE and altered by REPLACE.
BBASE (RCVR)	The number of channels at the left side of the spectrum which will be used to compute a baseline or RMS.
BDROP (RCVR)	The number of channels at the left side of the spectrum which will not be used.
BGAUSS	The channel at which GAUSS is to begin to fit.
BMARK	If $\geq 1$ , SHOW will draw boxes to indicate the regions last used to compute a baseline or RMS.
BMOMENT (RCVR)	The channel at which MOMENT will begin to compute.
CENTER (6)	The channels at which up to six gaussians have their centers.
CLIPMAX (RCVR)	The maximum spectral value desired.
CLIPMIN (RCVR)	The minimum spectral value desired.
CMARK (6)	The channels at which up to six vertical lines are to be drawn by SHOW.
DF	The amount of shift between the signal reference spectra in MHz for frequency switched data.
EBASE (RCVR)	The number of channels at the right end of the spectrum which are to be used to compute a baseline or RMS.
EDROP (RCVR)	The number of channels at the right end of the spectrum which are not to be used.
EGAUSS	The channel at which GAUSS is to stop fitting.

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EMOMENT (RCVR)	The channel at which MOMENT is to stop computing.
FACT (RCVR)	A number of Kelvins to be added to a scan, or a numerical factor to be multiplied with a scan.
FIXC	If $\geq 1$ , the values of CENTER will not be iterated by GAUSS.
FIXHW	If $\geq 1$ , the values of HWIDTH will not be iterated by GAUSS.
FMARK (6)	The frequencies at which up to six vertical lines are to be drawn by SHOW.
FR	Reference frequency of a frequency switched scan.
FS	Signal frequency of a frequency switched scan.
HEIGHT (6)	The height, in Kelvins, of up to six gaussians.
HWIDTH (6)	The half-width, in number of channels, of up to six gaussians.
LEVS (20)	Up to twenty levels at which a contour is to be drawn.
MRATIO	The ratio between the horizontal and vertical lengths of a contour map.
NBOX	The number of channels which are to be averaged together by BOXCAR.
NFIT	The order of a polynomial which is to be fit by BASELINE or BSHAPE.
NGAUSS	The number of gaussians which are to be fit by GAUSS.
NITER	The number of iterations which GAUSS will execute trying to compute a fit, before giving up.
NMOMENT	The order of the moment which is to be computed by MOMENT.
NREGION(RCVR, 8)	The channels, in sequential order, at which up to four regions per receiver are to begin and end.
NSAVE	Names a disk save bin.
NSIGMA	The value used to find BADPT's in SPIKE.
RFREQ	The approximate frequency, in MHz, of the sinusoid to be computed by RIPPLE or RSHAPE.
RSHIFT	The number of channels by which receiver B must be shifted relative to receiver A to align their velocities.
SHIFT	The amount of shift between scans shown in profile form by the SHOW1 and

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SHOW2 procedures.

SLABEL	A flag to determine where SHOW writes certain documentation information on the display.
SMWGT (12)	Smoothing function used by SMOOTH.
TMARK (6)	The temperatures at which up to six horizontal lines are to be drawn by SHOW.
VMARK (6)	The velocities at which up to six vertical lines are to be drawn by SHOW.
WEIGHT (RCVR)	The weight used by SUM in accumulating data.
YINCR (RCVR)	The distance between Y ticmarks that is to be used by SHOW.
YMIN (RCVR)	The value of Y which is to be the minimum value to appear on a graph by SHOW.
ZLINE	If $\geq 1$ , SHOW will draw a horizontal line at zero Kelvins.

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### ADVERBS

#### ACOUNT

A counter for the **ASTACK** adverb. Determines how many scans are in the **STACK**. Is used by **STACK** verb, and in procedures.

**ACOUNT** is modified by

**A      ADD      DELETE      EMPTY**

The initial value of **ACOUNT** is 0, which means that the stack is empty.

#### EXAMPLE

**EMPTY**  
**500    508    ADD**

The value of **ACOUNT** will be 5. The scans inserted into the stack are incremented by 2.



**ADVERB DICTIONARY**

**ASHIFT**

The number of channels by which a spectrum must be shifted so that when it is accumulated, the points at the same velocities or frequencies are added together.

ASHIFT is used by

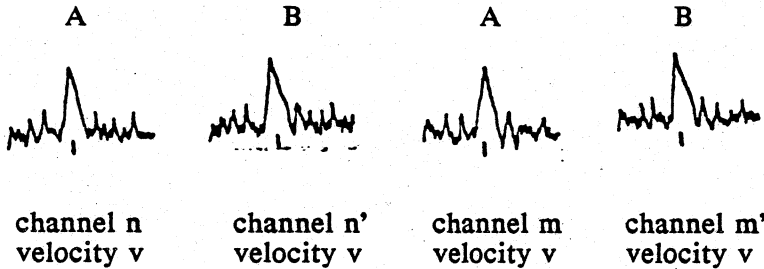
**ACCUM SUM**

The initial values of ASHIFT (RCVR) are 0.

The user may set the value of ASHIFT as required. ASHIFT may be set by using the verb ALIGN. ASHIFT may be specified separately for each receiver.

The value of ASHIFT is determined by

WORK array      HOLD array      ASHIFT(1)=-n-m  
ASHIFT(2)=-n'-m'



**EXAMPLES**

Your data was taken at two different LO settings.

In the HOLD array you have:



In the WORK array you have:



To add the contents of the WORK array to the contents of the HOLD array, with velocities matching, specify

**ASHIFT = 17  
ACCUM**

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### ASTACK

The STACK that is listed by STACK and used in procedures to operate on up to 100 scans.

STACK is modified by

A    ADD    DELETE    EMPTY

The initial values of ASTACK are 0.

Which means the stack is empty.

### EXAMPLE

EMPTY            assures that the stack is empty  
600 614    ADD inserts scans into the stack  
STACK            will produce the following output on the terminal

600. 602. 604. 606. 608. 610. 612. 614.

ADVERB DICTIONARY

BADPT

Channels in the filterbank that are considered bad. The channels are set by SPIKE and removed by REPLACE.

BADPT is used by

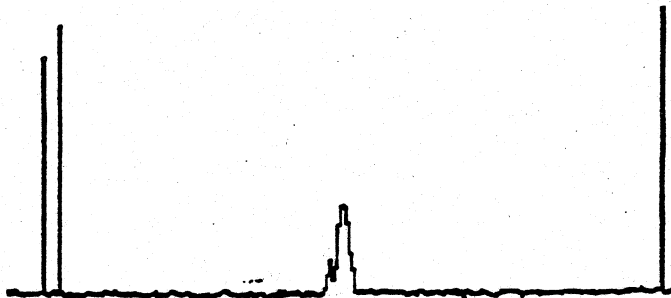
SPIKE REPLACE

The initial values of BADPT (12) are 0.

Which means that no bad channels have been found or will be replaced.

EXAMPLE

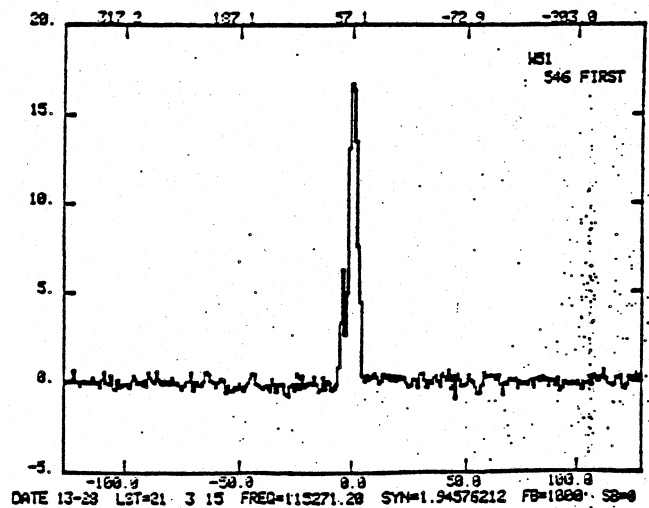
Your data looks like



and you wish to remove the spikes. You specify

NSIGMA = 20; SPIKE REPLACE PAGE SHOW

Your display will then look like



## ADVERB DICTIONARY

**BBASE**

**EBASE**

The number of channels at each end of the spectrum to be used to compute a baseline. **BBASE** is the number of channels at the beginning of the spectrum; **EBASE** is the number of channels at the end of the spectrum.

**BBASE** and **EBASE** are used by

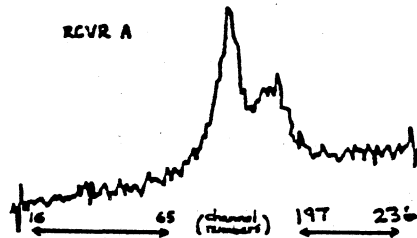
<b>BASELINE</b>	<b>BMODEL</b>	<b>BSHAPE</b>	<b>DCBASE</b>
<b>RIPPLE</b>	<b>RMODEL</b>	<b>RSHAPE</b>	<b>RMS</b>

The initial values of **BBASE** (**RCVR**) and **EBASE** (**RCVR**) are 50.

The default can be changed by the user as needed. No verbs change the values of **BBASE** and **EBASE**. **BBASE** and **EBASE** can be specified separately for each receiver.

### EXAMPLE

Your spectrum looks like  
(you are using two  
receivers)



You want to use these regions to fit the baseline (you want to use the corresponding regions on the B receiver).

so you specify

**BDROP = 15**  
**BBASE = 50**  
**EBASE = 40**  
**EDROP = 20**

before calling a baseline verb.

**BDROP**

**EDROP**

The number of channels at each end of the spectrum which will be ignored by the following routines:

BDROP and EDROP are used by

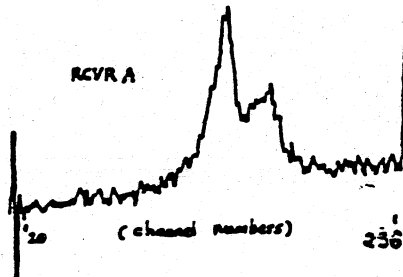
SHOW	RESHOW	MAPSHOW	LABEL
BMODEL	BASELINE	BSHAPE	DCBASE
RIPPLE	RMODEL	RSHAPE	
BOXCAR	HANNING		

The initial values of BDROP (RCVR) and EDROP (RCVR) are 0.

The default can be changed by the user as needed. No verbs change the values of BDROP and EDROP. BDROP and EDROP can be specified separately for the A and B receivers.

**EXAMPLE**

Your spectrum looks like



To get rid of the glitches, you specify

```
BDROP = 20
EDROP = 20
```

This drops 20 channels at each end of each receiver.

**PAGE SHOW**

Will then plot the spectrum without the glitches.

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

**BGAUSS**

**EGAUSS**

The explicit channel numbers where a gaussian fit is to begin and to end.

BGAUSS and EGAUSS are used by

**GAUSS**

**GMODEL**

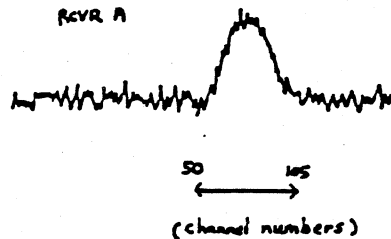
**GPARTS**

The initial values of BGAUSS and EGAUSS are 1 and 256.

PEAK will set the values of BGAUSS and EGAUSS or the user may specify their values before using GAUSS, GMODEL or GPARTS. BGAUSS and EGAUSS may be specified for only one receiver.

### EXAMPLE

Your spectrum looks like



and you want to fit a gaussian over this region,  
so you specify

**BGAUSS = 50**

**EGAUSS = 105**

**BMARK**

This adverb acts as a switch. If **BMARK = 1**, the verb **SHOW** will draw boxes indicating the baseline fitting regions last used. If **BMARK = 0**, the boxes will not be displayed.

**BMARK** is used by

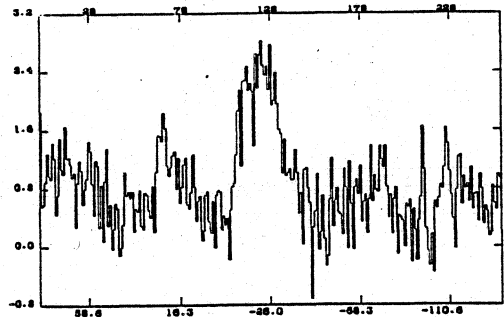
**SHOW**

The initial value of **BMARK** is 0.

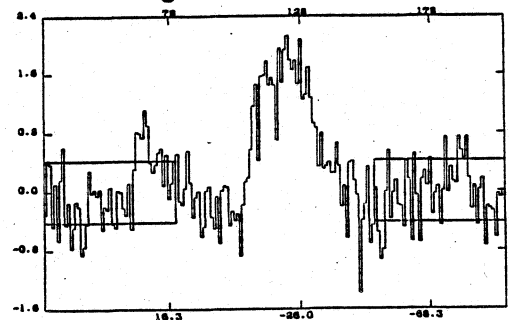
The user can change **BMARK** as he desires. No verbs change **BMARK**. **BMARK** cannot be specified separately for each receiver.

**EXAMPLE**

If **BMARK = 0**, **BASELINE PAGE SHOW** produces



but if **BMARK = 1** in the same situation, you will get the following



where the boxes delineate the parts of the spectrum used to calculate the baseline (or RMS).

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### BMOMENT

### EMOMENT

These adverbs specify the region of the spectrum which is used to compute a moment. **BMOMENT** is the first channel of the region and **EMOMENT** is the last channel of the region.

**BMOMENT** and **EMOMENT** are used by

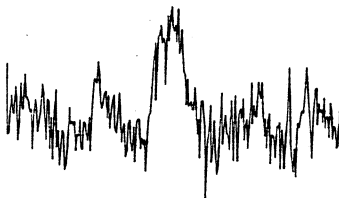
### MOMENT

The initial values of **BMOMENT (RCVR)** and **EMOMENT (RCVR)** are 0.

The user must specify values for **BMOMENT** and **EMOMENT** before using **MOMENT**. These adverbs are not changed by any verbs and may be specified separately for the A and B receivers.

### EXAMPLE

Your spectrum looks like



and you want to compute a moment for this region,

so you specify

```
BMOMENT(1) = 102  
EMOMENT(1) = 146
```



**CENTER**

User's first guess of the channel(s) at which the center(s) of up to six gaussians lie.

CENTER is used by

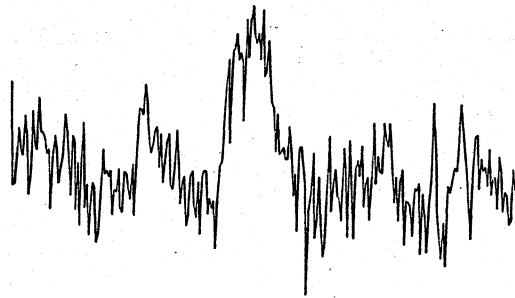
GAUSS      GMODEL      GPARTS      RESIDUAL

The initial values of CENTER(N) are 0.

The user must specify NGAUSS values of CENTER before calling GAUSS. These values will be iterated by the routine GAUSS unless the adverb FIXC is less than zero (see FIXC). CENTER values must all be channels in the same receiver. The values of CENTER (usually refined by GAUSS) are used by GMODEL, GPARTS, and RESIDUAL. PEAK will find the center of a single gaussian.

**EXAMPLE**

Your spectra looks like



and you want to fit gaussians with centers as shown. You specify

CENTER(1) = 69  
CENTER(2) = 123  
NGAUSS = 2

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### CLIPMAX

### CLIPMIN

These adverbs are the maximum and minimum temperatures (in Kelvin) that will be found in a spectrum after it is CLIPPed.

CLIPMAX and CLIPMIN are used by

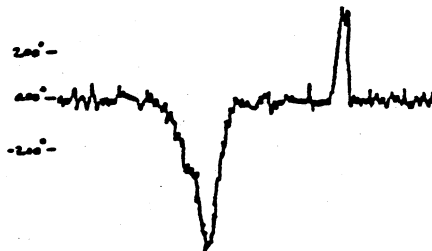
### CLIP

The initial values of CLIPMAX (RCVR) and CLIPMIN (RCVR) are 99999.9 and -99999.9, respectively.

The user may specify other values of CLIP\_MAX and CLIP\_MIN. No verbs change the values of CLIPMAX and CLIPMIN. CLIPMAX and CLIPMIN may be specified separately for the A and B receivers.

### EXAMPLE

Your spectra looks like



The upper spike is interference.  
To chop it down to noise level,

specify

CLIPMAX = 0.5  
CLIP

CMARK

Channels at which to draw a vertical line when a scan is displayed. Up to six different channels may be specified.

CMARK is used by

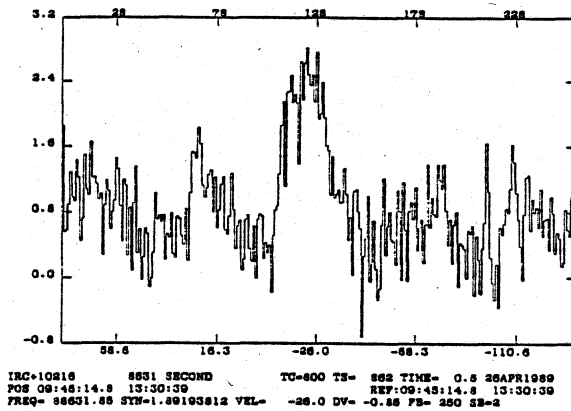
SHOW

The initial values of CMARK(N) are 0.

Which means that no vertical lines will be drawn. The user may change the values of CMARK. No verbs change CMARK.

EXAMPLE

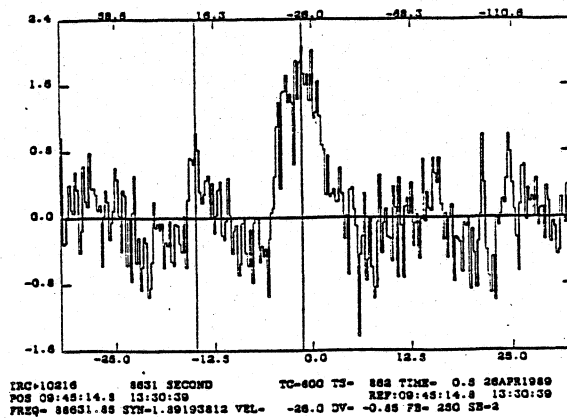
Your spectrum looks like



and you want to draw a vertical line down the center of your line, so you specify

CMARK(1) = 69; CMARK(2) = 123; SHOW

Your display will then look like



**DF**

The amount of shift between the signal and reference spectra in MHz for frequency switched data.

DF is used by

**RAP**

The initial value of DF is 0.

The user must specify the value of DF before using RAP or the FOLD procedure.

**EXAMPLE**

See RAP.

**FACT**

- (1) A numerical constant supplied by the user, by which a spectrum may be multiplied, or
- (2) A number of degrees Kelvin which may be added to the spectrum.

FACT is used by

SCALE      BIAS

The initial values of FACT (RCVR) are 1.0.

FACT may be set by the user. It is not changed by any verbs. It may be specified separately for the A and B receivers.

**EXAMPLE**

- (1) You want to multiply a spectrum by .001, so you specify

FACT = .001  
SCALE

- (2) You want to subtract 0.5K from a spectrum, so you specify

FACT = -0.5  
BIAS

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

**FIXC**

**FIXHW**

These adverbs are used as switches. If they are <0, then the gaussian routines will not iterate the user's guesses for the centers of the gaussians or the halfwidths of the gaussians.

**FIXC** and **FIXHW** are used by

**GAUSS**

The initial values of **FIXC** and **FIXHW** are 1.

For these default values, **GAUSS** will iterate on the values of **CENTER** and **HWIDTH** specified by the user. For values of **FIXC** and **FIXHW** less than zero, **GAUSS** will not iterate on the **CENTER** and **HWIDTH** values. **FIXC** and **FIXHW** may be changed by the user and are not set by any verb.

### EXAMPLE

If you want to fit a gaussian with center at channel 79, you specify

```
CENTER = 79
FIXC   = -1
```

(**FIXC** = -1 will fix all the center values if you are fitting more than one gaussian.)

**FMARK**

Frequencies at which to draw a vertical line when a scan is displayed. Up to six different frequencies may be specified.

FMARK is used by

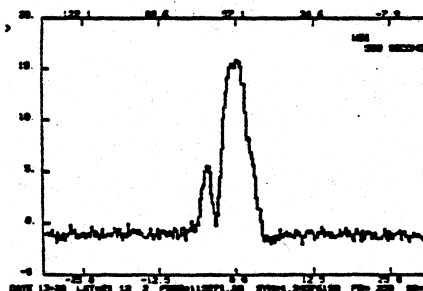
**SHOW**

The initial values of FMARK(N) are -9999.

Which means that no vertical lines will be drawn. The user may change the values of FMARK. No verbs change FMARK.

**EXAMPLE**

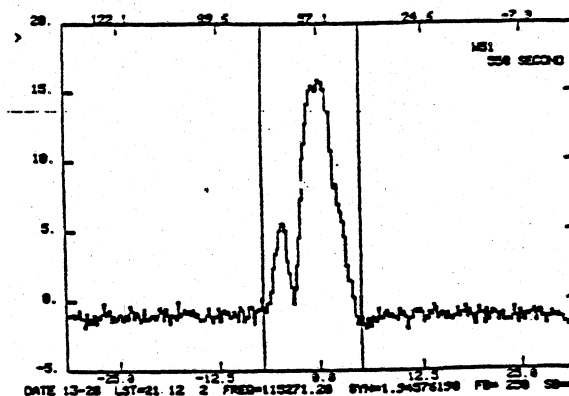
Your spectrum will look like



and you want to bracket your line, so you specify

**FMARK(1) = -7.5; FMARK(2) = 5.; SHOW**

Your display will look like



## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### HEIGHT

The height (in Kelvins) of up to six gaussians. The values of HEIGHT are determined by GAUSS, therefore, HEIGHT need not be specified before GAUSS is called. The values of HEIGHT are used by GMODEL, GPARTS, and RESIDUAL.

HEIGHT is used by

GMODEL      GPARTS      RESIDUAL

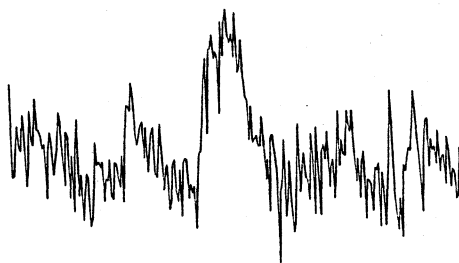
The initial values of HEIGHT(N) are 0.

The values of HEIGHT are set each time GAUSS is called. If GAUSS is not called before GMODEL, GPARTS, or RESIDUAL, NGAUSS values of HEIGHT should be set by the user. PEAK will set the HEIGHT of a single gaussian.

#### EXAMPLE

To fit one gaussian, you may specify

CENTER = 79  
HWIDTH = 12  
NGAUSS = 1



The value of HEIGHT will be ignored. After GAUSS, the calculated value of HEIGHT may be printed by PRINT HEIGHT(1).



**HWIDTH**

User's first guess of the width at half the peak height (in number of channels) of up to six gaussians.

HWIDTH is used by

GAUSS      GMODEL      GPARTS      RESIDUAL

The initial values of HWIDTH(N) are 0.

The user must specify the values of HWIDTH before calling GAUSS. The values of HWIDTH will be iterated by GAUSS unless the value of the adverb FIXHW is less than zero. (See FIXC FIXHW.) The values of HWIDTH (usually refined by GAUSS) are used by GMODEL, GPARTS, and RESIDUAL. PEAK will set the HWIDTH of a single gaussian.

**EXAMPLE**

Your data looks like

and you want to fit two gaussians.

For HWIDTH guesses, you specify

HWIDTH(1) = 7  
HWIDTH(2) = 27

## LEVS

The temperatures (in degrees Kelvin) at which a contour is to be plotted by **MAPSHOW**. Up to twenty contour levels (in monotonically increasing order) may be specified.

**LEVS** is used by

**MAPSHOW LABEL**

The initial values of **LEVS(M)** are  $-10 E + 4$

The user must specify the levels he wants drawn before he invokes **MAPSHOW**. No verb changes the values of **LEVS**. The first contour level beyond the highest level you wish to plot, should be less than  $-999$ .

### EXAMPLE

You want to get a contour map with contours at every half degree from 1 to 3,

You specify

```
LEVS(1) = 1
LEVS(2) = 1.5
LEVS(3) = 2
LEVS(4) = 2.5
LEVS(5) = 3
LEVS(6) = -1000
```

or more conveniently specify

```
LEVS = 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, -1000
```

MRATIO

A ratio between x and y scaling of contour maps.

MRATIO is used by

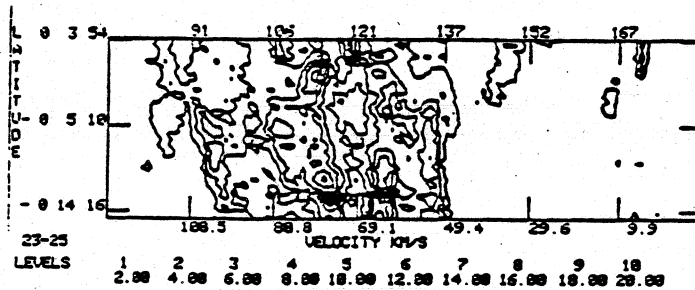
MAPSHOW LABEL

The initial value of MRATIO is 1.

The user may change MRATIO to get a larger or smaller contour map. No verbs change MRATIO.

EXAMPLE

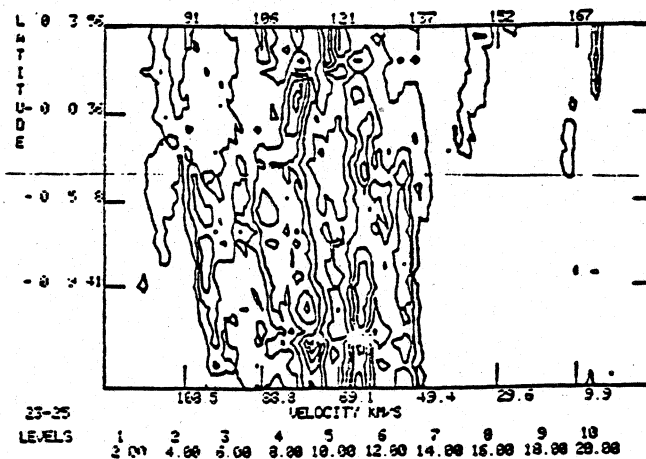
Your map looks like



You want it to fill up the screen,  
so you specify

MRATIO = 2

for your next try, and get this:



**NBOX**

An odd number of channels to be averaged together by **BOXCAR**.

**NBOX** is used by

**BOXCAR**

The initial value of **NBOX** is 3.

The user may change **NBOX** to any other positive odd integer. No verbs set **NBOX** and it cannot be specified separately for each receiver.

**EXAMPLE**

You want to average seven channels together for the purpose of smoothing your data. Before you **BOXCAR**, specify **NBOX = 7**.

**NFIT**

The order of the polynomial baseline to be computed.

NFIT is used by

**BASELINE      BMODEL      BSHAPE**

The initial value of NFIT is 1.

The user may specify any other value for NFIT between 1 and 12. NFIT is not changed by any verbs and cannot be specified separately for each receiver.

**EXAMPLE**

You want to remove a cubic baseline from your data; before you use a polynomial baseline routine, you specify

**NFIT = 3.**

NGAUSS

The number of gaussians to be fit by GAUSS or evaluated by GMODEL, GPARTS, or RESIDUAL.

NGAUSS is used by

GAUSS      GMODEL      GPARTS      RESIDUAL

The initial value of NGAUSS is 1.

The user may specify a value of NGAUSS between 1 and 6. No verbs change NGAUSS. If GAUSS is to be called next, NGAUSS values of CENTER and HWIDTH should be specified. If GMODEL, GPARTS, or RESIDUAL is to be called next, NGAUSS values of CENTER, HWIDTH, and HEIGHT should be specified.

EXAMPLE

To fit or model three gaussians,

specify

NGAUSS = 3.

**NITER**

The number of iterations which a gaussian routine will go through trying to fit a gaussian before giving up.

NITER is used by

**GAUSS**

The user may change NITER if he desires. NITER is not changed by any verbs.

**EXAMPLE**

Your attempt to fit a gaussian failed although you were certain your guesses for HEIGHT, CENTER, and HWIDTH were accurate,

so you specify

**NITER = 12**

and try again.

**NMOMENT**

The order of the moment to be calculated by the verb **MOMENT**. If **MOMENT = 0**, the area under the curve (between **BMOMENT** and **EMOMENT**) will be calculated. If **NMOMENT = 1**, the centroid will be calculated.

**NMOMENT** is used by

**MOMENT**

The initial value of **NMOMENT** is 1.

The user may specify any of the other values above as desired. No verbs change **NMOMENT** and it may not be specified separately for each receiver.

**EXAMPLE**

You want to calculate the area under a spectral feature, so you specify

**BMOMENT = 80**  
**EMOMENT = 112**  
**NMOMENT = 0**



**NREGION**

The beginning and ending channels of up to four regions for each receiver. These regions are used by following verbs.

NREGION is used by

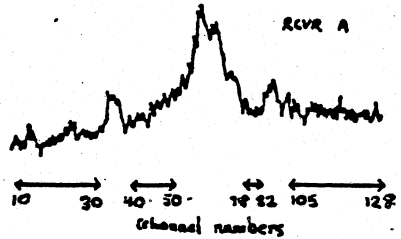
BASELINE	BMODEL	BSHAPE	DCBASE
RIPPLE	RMODEL	RSHAPE	
RMS			

The initial values of NREGION (RCVR, I) are 0.

NREGION has two dimensions: the first is the receiver and the second is a number between 1 and 8. If the second dimension is odd, the value of that element is a beginning channel of a region. If the second dimension is even, the value of that element is an ending channel of a region. NREGION is not set by any verbs.

**EXAMPLE**

Your data looks like

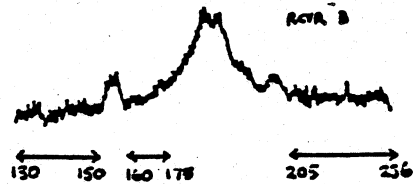


and you want to use these regions to compute a baseline so you specify

```

NREGION (1,1) = 10; NREGION (1,2) = 30
NREGION (1,3) = 40; NREGION (1,4) = 50
NREGION (1,5) = 78; NREGION (1,6) = 82
NREGION (1,7) = 105; NREGION (1,8) = 128
    
```

but for the B receiver you have



and you want to use these regions, so you specify

```

NREGION (2,1) = 130; NREGION (2,2) = 150
NREGION (2,3) = 160; NREGION (2,4) = 175
NREGION (2,5) = 205; NREGION (2,6) = 256
NREGION (2,7) = 0.
    
```

**NOTES:** Set the beginning channel of the first region and you don't want to use equal to zero. NREGION will supercede BBASE and EBASE (for a particular receiver) unless NREGION (RCVR, I) = 0.

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### NSAVE

The disk bin into which a scan is to be loaded or from which it is to be retrieved.

NSAVE is used by

SAVE      RECALL

The initial value of NSAVE is 0.

The user must select a save bin between 1 and 154 before using SAVE or RECALL. NSAVE is not changed by any verb.

### EXAMPLE

You have reduced scan which you wish to save so that you can show it to your colleague when he returns from coffee. Thirty four is your favorite number.

So you specify

NSAVE = 34  
SAVE

**NSIGMA**

An adverb that specifies the absolute maximum value to be used as the criteria for determining bad channels.

NSIGMA is used by

**SPIKE**

The initial value of NSIGMA is 3.

**EXAMPLE**

See BADPT

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### RFREQ

User's first guess to frequency of sinusoidal baseline (in Megahertz).

RFREQ is used by

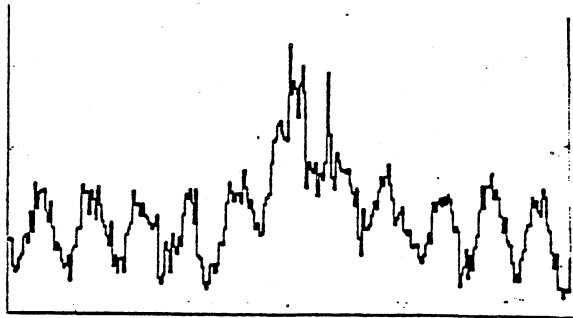
RIPPLE      RMODEL      RSHAPE

The initial value of RFREQ is 23.

The user must pick a positive value for RFREQ before using one of the verbs above. The program will try to fit a sinusoidal baseline with a frequency near RFREQ. If it can't do it, it will give the message "FIT FAILED". RFREQ cannot be specified separately for each receiver.

#### EXAMPLE

Your data looks like



and you want to remove a sinusoidal baseline so you guess its frequency, and specify

REFREQ = 23

**RSHIFT**

The number of channels by which receiver B is shifted when added to receiver A.

RSHIFT is used by

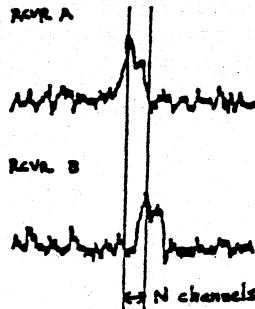
**SLIDE**

The initial value of RSHIFT is 0.

The user may change RSHIFT as needed. RSHIFT is not changed by any verbs.

**EXAMPLE**

Your data looks like



You specify

**RSHIFT = -N**  
**SLIDE**

If the peak in receiver B had been to the left of the peak in receiver A by N channels, you would have specified

**RSHIFT = N**  
**SLIDE**

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### SHIFT

The amount of shift between scans shown in profile form by the SHOW1 and SHOW2 procedures.

SHIFT is used by

SHOW1      SHOW2

The initial value of SHIFT is 1.

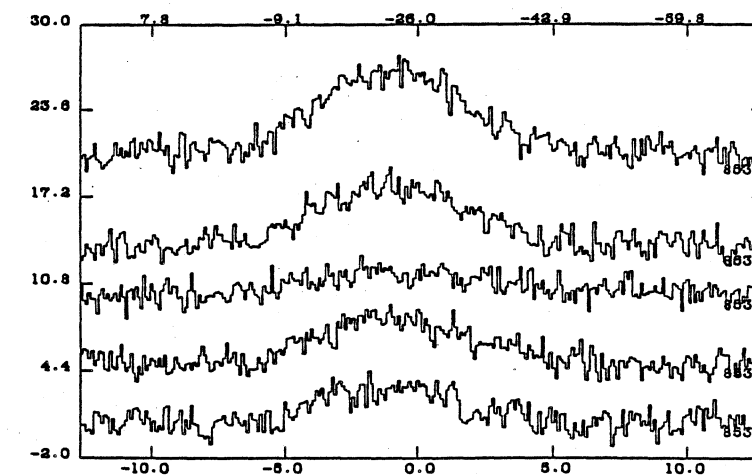
The user must specify the value of SHIFT before using the SHOW1 or SHOW2 procedures.

#### EXAMPLE

You want to make a profile of the scans you wish to map. You specify

```
8530 8538 ADD
-2 30 RANGE
SHIFT = 5
SHOW1
```

and you will get



```
IRC+10216      8530 FIRST      TC-800 TS- 892 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193812 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.34 FB- 100 SB-2
```

# ADVERB DICTIONARY

## SLABEL

The value of SLABEL determines the placement of the scan number and source name on the SHOW display. If SLABEL = 0, the information is written in the upper right corner of the SHOW display. If SLABEL = 1, the information is printed at the bottom of the SHOW display. SLABEL is set to 2 for profile displays where each scan is labeled with its scan number at the rightmost edge of its spectrum.

SLABEL is used by

SHOW

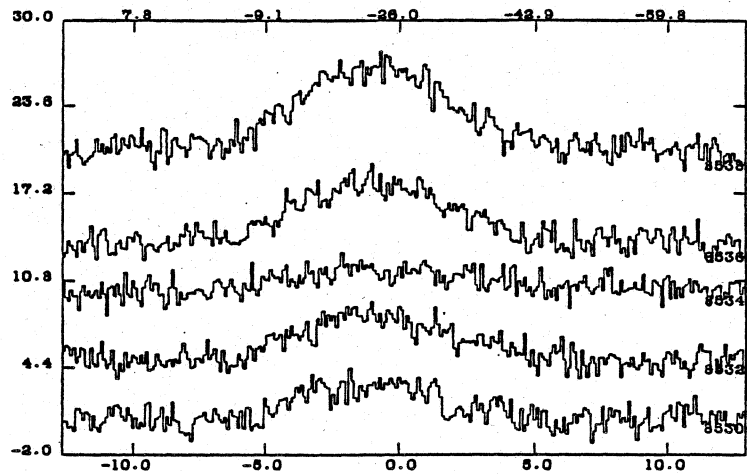
The initial value of SLABEL is 0.

The C1, C2, CB, A1, A2 and AB procedures set SLABEL = 1 so that when the STACK is printed at the top of the screen, it does not overprint the scan number and source name. These procedures then reset SLABEL to the default value. The SHOW1 and SHOW2 procedures set SLABEL = 2 so that each scan will be labeled with its scan number. SHOW1 and SHOW2 then reset SLABEL to the default.

### EXAMPLE

A typical SHOW2 display with SLABEL = 2 is shown below.

```
8530 8538 ADD
-2 30 RANGE
SHIFT = 5
SHOW1
```



```
IRC+10216      8530 FIRST      TC-800 TS- 892 TIME- 0.8 26APR1999
POS 09:48:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:48:14.8 13:30:39
FREQ- 88631.86 SYN-1.89193812 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.34 PB- 100 SB-2
```

ADVERB DICTIONARY

SMWGT

An array to describe a weighting function for smoothing data. The first element reflects the number of points in the weighting function (not greater than 11).

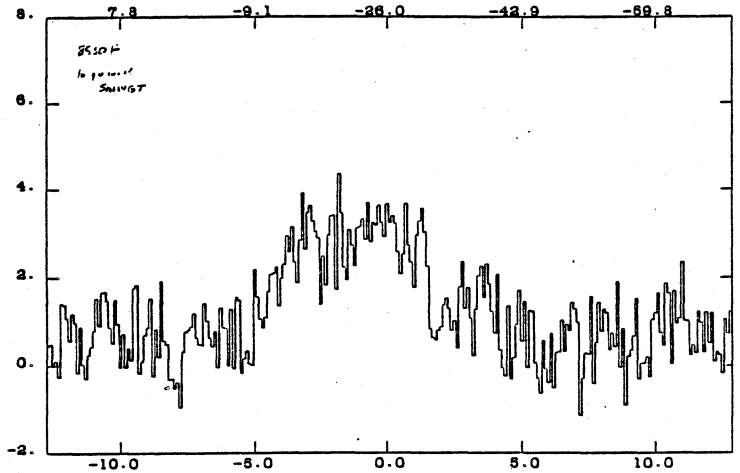
SMWGT is used by

SMOOTH

The initial values of SMWGT are 0.

EXAMPLE

Your data looks like



so you specify

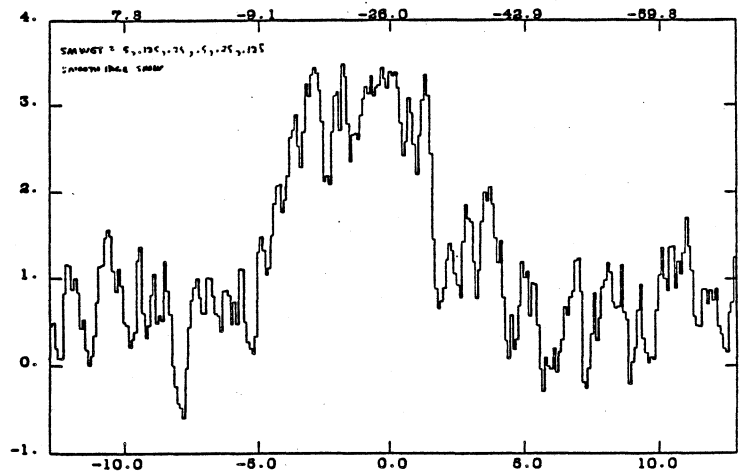
SMWGT = 5, .125, .25, .5, .25, .125  
SMOOTH PAGE SHOW

```

IRC+10216      8530 FIRST      TC-800 TS- 892 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989
POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:45:14.8 13:30:39
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193812 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.34 FB- 100 SB-2

```

Your data then looks like



```

IRC+10216      8530 FIRST      TC-800 TS- 892 TIME- 0.5 26APR1989
POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:45:14.8 13:30:39
FREQ- 88631.85 SYN-1.89193812 VEL- -26.0 DV- -0.34 FB- 100 SB-2

```



TMARK

Temperatures at which to draw a horizontal line when a scan is displayed. Up to six different temperatures may be specified.

TMARK is used by

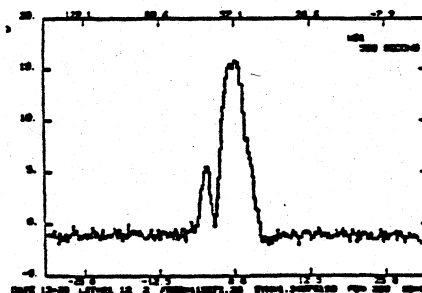
SHOW

The initial values of TMARK(N) are -9999.

Which means that no horizontal lines will be drawn. The user may change the values of TMARK. No verbs change TMARK.

EXAMPLE

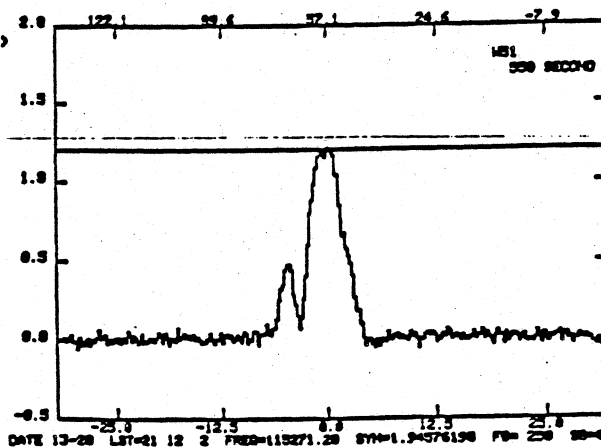
Your spectrum looks like



and you want to verify the line temperature, so you specify

TMARK(1) = 1.2; SHOW

Your display looks like



ADVERB DICTIONARY

VMARK

Velocities at which to draw a vertical line when a scan is displayed. Up to six different velocities may be specified.

VMARK is used by

SHOW

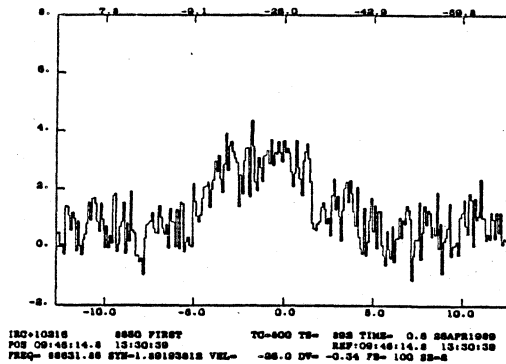
The initial values of VMARK(N) are -9999.

Which means no vertical lines will be drawn.

The user may change the values of VMARK. No verbs change VMARK.

EXAMPLE

Your spectrum looks like

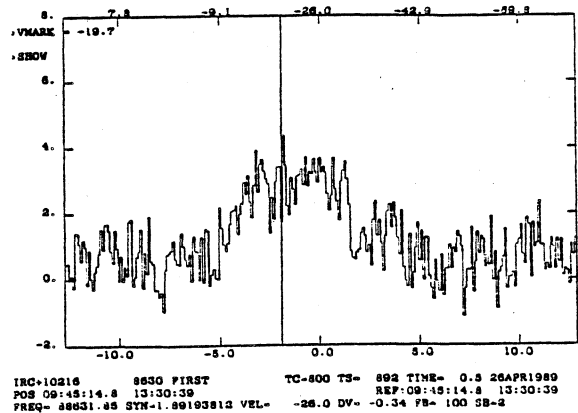


and you want to draw a vertical line down the center of your line, so you specify

VMARK = -19.7

SHOW

Note this sets VMARK(1) through VMARK(6) to -19.7. If you now change VMARK(1) to -9, the next time you SHOW, you will get lines at -9 and -19.7.



**WEIGHT**

The weighting that is applied to scans when stacked by **SUM**.

**WEIGHT** is used by

**SUM**

The initial value of **WEIGHT** is 1.

The user must set the desired value of **WEIGHT** before using **SUM**. If left unchanged, the data will be weighted by the integration time.

**EXAMPLE**

See **SUM**.

## ADVERB DICTIONARY

### YINCR

### YMIN

Are used to set the Y scaling of the spectrum graphs. YINCR equals the number of Kelvins that will appear between each Y tick mark. YMIN equals the lowest number of Kelvins that will appear on the graph.

YINCR and YMIN are used by

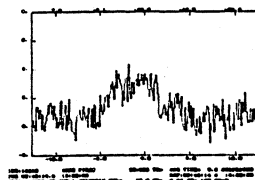
SHOW      RESHOW

The initial values of YINCR (RCVR) are 0.  
The initial values of YMIN (RCVR) are -99999.9.

If YMIN is less than or equal to -9999, SHOW and RESHOW will set the Y scaling automatically. If YMIN is set to greater than -9999 by the user, SHOW and RESHOW will use the values of YMIN and YINCR specified by the user. So if the user sets YMIN he should also set YINCR. Four verbs set the value of YMIN. FREEY and AUTO set YMIN to greater than -9999, so that SHOW and RESHOW will set the Y scaling. HOLDY sets YMIN to a very negative number (-9E10) so that SHOW will not update its Y scaling. Both YINCR and YMIN may be specified separately for each receiver.

### EXAMPLES

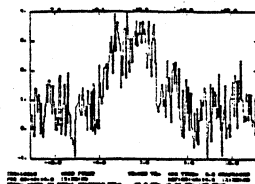
- (1) SHOW gives you this graph



To expand the scale to get this

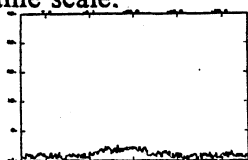
specify

YMIN = -1  
YINCR = 1.00

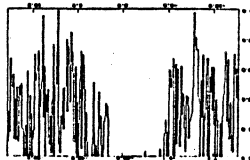


- (2) You want to compare two different spectra but you are frustrated because SHOW plots them to different scales. To get the second graph to the same scale you specify HOLDY, before you specify SHOW.
- (3) You followed the directions in example (2) and now everything is coming out to the same scale.

You get



or this



To get back to automatic scaling, specify FREEY or AUTO.

ZLINE

This adverb is used as a switch. If Z\_LINE = 1, a horizontal line is drawn at zero Kelvins. If Z\_LINE = 0, the line is not drawn.

ZLINE is used by

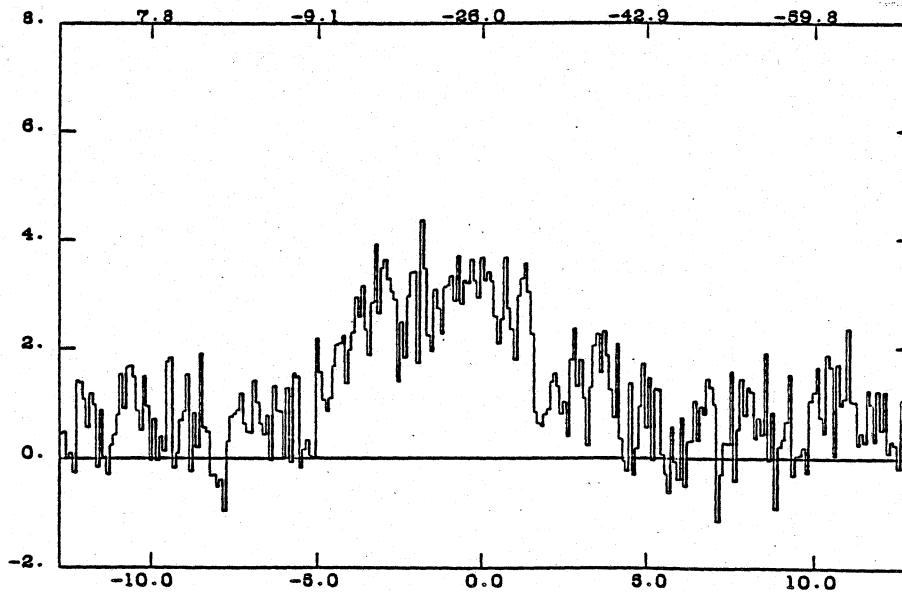
SHOW

The initial value of Z\_LINE is 0.

The user may change ZLINE as desired. No verbs change ZLINE. It is not specified separately for each receiver.

EXAMPLE

If ZLINE = 1, SHOW will draw the zero line as shown:



IRC+10216      8530 FIRST      TC-800 TS= 892 TIME= 0.5 26APR1989  
 POS 09:45:14.8 13:30:39      REF:09:45:14.8 13:30:39  
 FREQ= 88631.85 SYN=1.89193812 VEL= -26.0 DV= -0.34 FB= 100 SB=2