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Time Interval Analyzer
GP-IB Interface

USER'S MANUAL

Foreword

Thank you for purchasing YOKOGAWA 's TA520 Time Interval Analyzer. This GP-IB Interface User 's Manual contains useful information about the functions and commands of the GP-IB interface. To ensure correct use of the GP-IB interface, please read this manual thoroughly before operating it. Keep the manual in a safe place for quick reference whenever a question arises. The following manual is provided with this instrument in addition to this GP-IB Interface User 's Manual.

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How to Use this Manual

Structure of this Manual

This User's Manual consists of five chapters, an appendix and an index as described below.

Chapter 1 Overview of the GP-IB Interface

Describes the functions and specifications of GP-IB.

Chapter 2 Before Programming

Describes formats used when sending a command.

Chapter 3 Commands

Describes each command.

Chapter 4 Status Report

Describes the status byte, various registers and queues.

Chapter 5 Sample Program

Describes a program example written for a IBM PC/AT series personal computer written in Quick BASIC version 4.0/4.5.

Appendix

Contains references including the ASCII character code table.

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Provides an alphabetically ordered index.

Conventions Used in this Manual

Symbols used for Notes and Keys

Type	Symbol	Description
Unit	k	1000 e.g.: 100 kHz
	K	1024 e.g.: 128 KB (memory capacity)
Note	Note	Provides information that is necessary for proper operation of the instrument.

Symbols used in syntax descriptions

Symbols which are used in the syntax descriptions in Chapter 4 are shown below. These symbols are referred to as BNF notation (Backus-Naur Form). For detailed information, refer to pages 2-5 and 2-6.

Symbol	Description	Example	Example
<>	Defined value	WINDow<x> <x>=1 to 16	WINDOW2
{ }	One of the options in is selected.	MODE {AUTO MANual}	MODE AUTO
	Exclusive OR	MODE {AUTO MANual}	MODE AUTO
[]	Abbreviated	:MEASure[:MODE]	
...	May be repeated		

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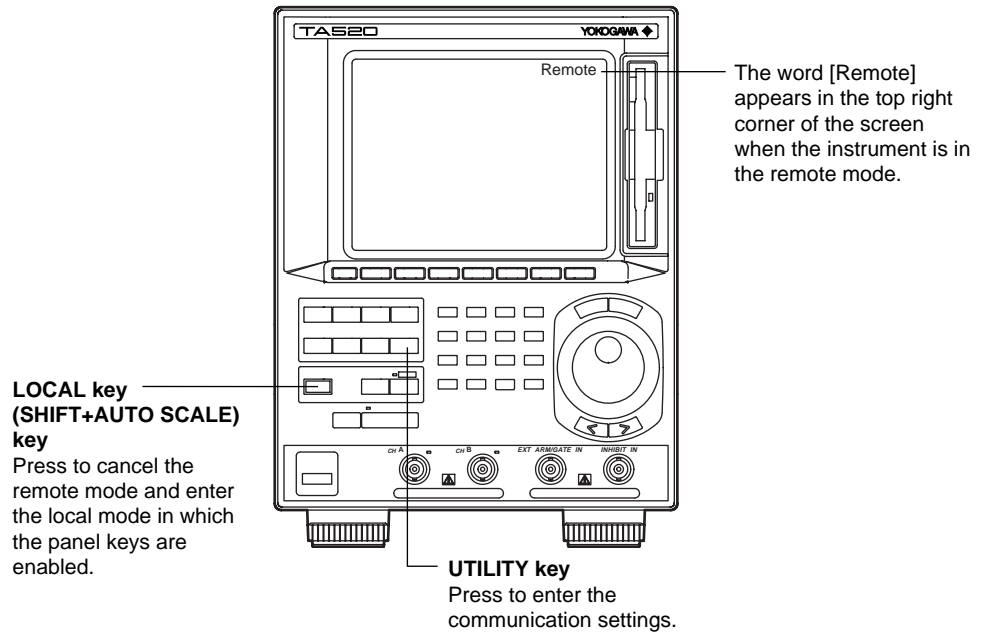
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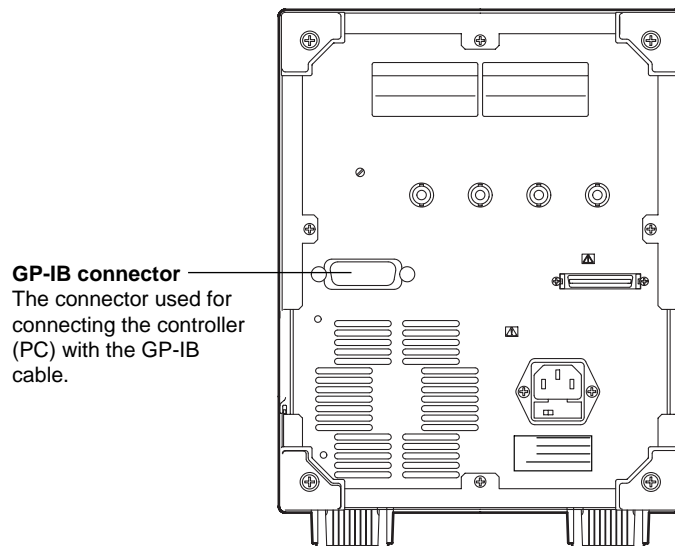
Chapter 1 Overview of the GP-IB Interface

1.1 Name of the Parts and Their Functions

Front Panel



Rear Panel



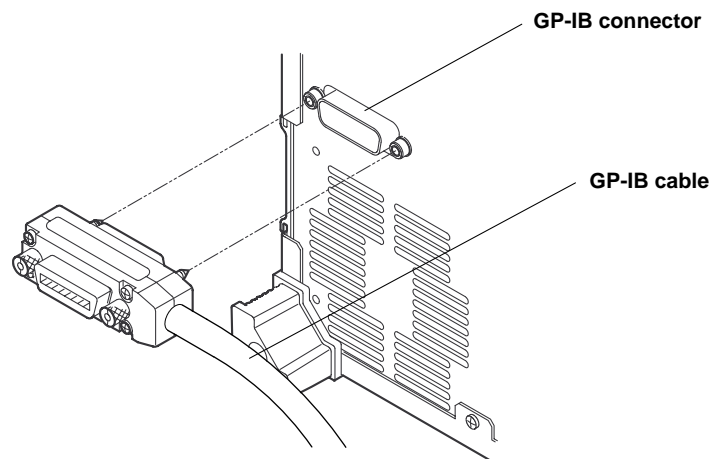
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GP-IB Cable

The GP-IB connector on the rear panel is a 24-pin connector that conforms to IEEE Standard 488-1978. Use a GP-IB cable that also conforms to IEEE Standard 488-1978.

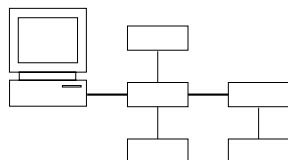
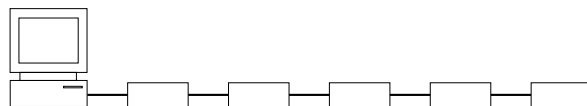
Connection Method

Connect the GP-IB cable as shown.



Points to Note

- Be sure to tighten the screws on the GP-IB cable connector firmly.
- The instrument can be connected to more than one item of equipment (such as a personal computer). However, it is not possible to connect more than 15 items of equipment (including the controller) to a single bus.
- If you connect the instrument to more than one other item of equipment, make sure that a different address is used for each item.
- Each connecting cable must be 2 m or less in length.
- The total length of all the cables must not exceed 20 m.
- While communications are in progress, more than two-thirds of the connected items of equipment must be turned ON.
- When connecting more than one item of equipment, connect the items so that the connection route forms a star or linear configuration. Loop or parallel wiring is not allowed.



1.3 GP-IB Interface Functions and Specifications

GP-IB Interface Functions

Listener function

- Allows you to make the same settings which you can make using the panel keys on the instrument (except for the power ON/OFF and GP-IB communications settings).
- Receives commands from a controller requesting output of set-up and waveform data.
- Also receives status report commands.

Talker function

Outputs set-up and waveform data.

Note

The listen-only, talk-only, and controller functions are not available on this instrument.

Switching between Remote and Local Modes

Switching from Local to Remote Mode

Remote mode is activated when a REN (Remote Enable) message is received from a controller while local mode is active.

- The word [Remote] appears in the top right corner of the screen (see page 1-1).
- All front panel keys except the LOCAL key are now inoperative.
- Settings that were entered in local mode are retained.

Switching from Remote to Local Mode

Pressing the Local key in remote mode puts the instrument in local mode. However, this is not possible if Local Lockout has been set by the controller (page 1-7).

- The word [Remote] in the top right corner of the screen disappears (see page 1-1).
- All front panel keys are operative.
- Settings that were entered in remote mode are retained.

1.3 GP-IB Interface Functions and Specifications

GP-IB Interface Specifications

Electrical and mechanical specifications	: Conforms to IEEE Standard 488-1978.
Mechanical specifications	: Refer to the table below.
Code	: ISO (ASCII) code
Mode	: Addressable mode/Talk-only mode (switched automatically)
Address setting	: Addresses 0 to 30 can be selected from the GP-IB setting menu, which is displayed when you press [GP-IB] soft key after having pressed the UTILITY key.
Remote mode clear	: Remote mode can be cleared by pressing the LOCAL key (SHIFT+AUTO SCALE key). However, this is not possible if Local Lockout has been set by the controller.

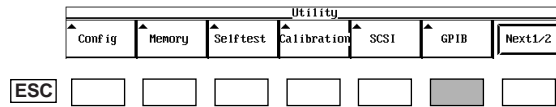
Mechanical Specifications

Function	Subset Name	Description
Source handshaking	SH1	Full source handshaking capability
Acceptor handshaking	AH1	Full acceptor handshaking capability
Talker	T6	Basic talker capability, serial polling, untalk on MLA(My Listen Address), No talk-only capability
Listener	L4	Basic listener capability, unlisten on MTA (My Talk Address), no listen-only capability
Service request	SR1	Full service request capability
Remote local	RL1	Full remote/local capability
Parallel poll	PP0	No parallel polling capability
Device clear	DC1	Full device clear capability
Device trigger	DT0	No device trigger capability
Controller	C0	No controller function
Electrical characteristic	E1	Open collector

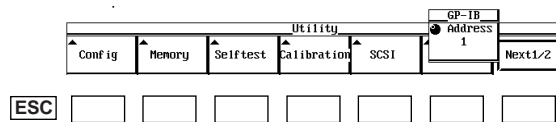
1.4 Settings on the Main Unit

Procedure

1. Press the UTILITY key to display the Utility menu.
2. Press the [GP-IB] soft key to display the GP-IB menu.



3. Use the rotary knob to select the address.



Explanation

Selecting the address

Devices that are connected with the GP-IB cable have their own unique address within the GP-IB system. This address is used to identify the different devices. Therefore, when connecting the instrument to another device such as a PC, the address of the instrument must be selected. The address is selected from the following range. The default setting is [1].

Selectable range: 0 to 30

1.5 Responses to Interface Messages

What is an Interface Message?

An interface message (also called an interface command or bus command) is issued by the controller. Interface messages are classified as follows.

Uni-line messages

Messages are transferred through a single control line. The following three types of uni-line message are available.

- IFC (Interface Clear)
- REN (Remote Enable)
- IDY (Identify)

Multi-line messages

Eight data lines are used to transmit a message. Multi-line messages are classified as follows.

Address commands

Valid when a piece of equipment is designated as a listener or a talker. The following five address commands are available.

- Commands valid for pieces of equipment designated as listeners
 - GTL (Go To Local)
 - SDC (Selected Device Clear)
 - PPC (Parallel Poll Configure)
 - GET (Group Execute Trigger)
- Command valid for pieces of equipment designated as talkers
 - TCT (Take Control)

Universal commands

Valid for any item of equipment, irrespective of whether the item is designated as a listener or a talker. The following five universal commands are available.

LLO (Local Lockout)
DCL (Device Clear)
PPU (Parallel Poll Unconfigure)
SPE (Serial Poll Enable)
SPD (Serial Poll Disable)

In addition to the above commands, a listener address, talker address or secondary command can be sent in an interface message.

Differences between SDC and DCL

The SDC command is an address command and requires that both the talker and listener be designated. DCL is a universal command and does not require that the talker and listener be designated. Hence, SDC is used for specific items of equipment, while DCL can be used for any equipment connected to the communications bus.

Response to Interface Message

Response to a uni-line message

- IFC (Interface Clear)
Clears the talker and listener. Stops output if data is being output.
- REN (Remote Enable)
Switches between remote and local modes.
- IDY (Identify) is not supported.

Responses to a multi-line message (address command)

- GTL (Go To Local)
Switches to local mode.
- SDC (Selected Device Clear)
Clears the program message (command) which is currently being output. Also empties the output queue (page 4-5).
- GET (Group Execute Trigger)
Same as *TRG.
- COMMunicate:WAIT will be stopped immediately.
- PPC (Parallel Poll Configure) and TCT (Take Control) are not supported.

Responses to a multi-line message (universal command)

- LLO (Local Lockout)
Invalidates the LOCAL key on the front panel, disabling switching to local mode.
- DCL (Device Clear)
Same as SDC.
- SPE (Serial Poll Enable)
Sets the talker function to serial poll mode for all equipment connected to the communications bus. The controller polls equipment sequentially.
- SPD (Serial Poll Disable)
Clears serial poll mode as the talker function for all equipment connected to the communications bus.
- PPU (Parallel Poll Unconfigure) is not supported.

Chapter 2 Before Programming

2.1 Messages

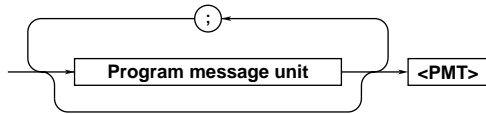
Messages

Blocks of message data are transferred between the controller and this instrument during communications. Messages sent from the controller to this instrument are called program messages, and messages sent back from this instrument to the controller are called response messages.

If a program message contains a query command, i.e. a command which requests a response, this instrument returns a response message. A single response message is always returned in reply to a program message.

Program Messages

As explained above, the data (message) sent from the controller to this instrument is called a program message. The format of a program message is shown below.



<Program message unit>

A program message consists of zero or more program message units; each unit corresponds to one command. This instrument executes commands one by one according to the order in which they are received.

Program message units are delimited by a ";". For a description of the format of the program message unit, refer to the explanation given further below.

Example

```
:MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM;FUNCTION PERIOD,A<PMT>
```

Unit Unit

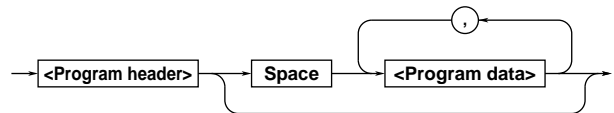
<PMT>

PMT is a terminator used to terminate each program message. The following three types of terminator are available.

- NL (New Line) : Same as LF (Line Feed). ASCII code "0AH" is used.
- ^END : END message defined in IEEE488.1. (EOI signal)
(The data byte sent with an END message will be the final item of the program message unit.)
- NL^END : NL with an END message attached (NL is not included in the program message.)

Program message unit format

The format of a program message unit is shown below.



<Program header>

A program header is used to indicate the command type. For details, refer to page 2-3.

<Program data>

If certain conditions are required for the execution of a command, program data must be added. Program data must be separated from the header by a space (ASCII code "20H"). If multiple items of program data are included, they must be separated by a "," (comma). For details, refer to page 2-5.

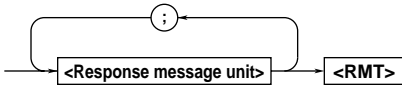
Example :SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT<PMT>

Header Data

2.1 Messages

Response Messages

The data returned by this instrument to the controller is called a response message. The format of a response message is shown below.



<Response message units>

A response message consists of one or more response message units: each response message unit corresponds to one response.

Response message units are delimited by a [;]. For the response message format, refer to the next page.

Example

```
:SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EXTERNAL;POLARITY POSITIVE<RMT>
```

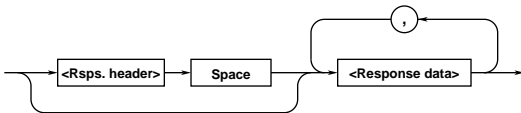
Unit
Unit

<RMT>

RMT is the terminator used for every response message. Only one type of response message is available; NL^END.

Response message unit format

The format of a program message unit is shown below.



<Response header>

A response header sometimes precedes the response data. Response data must be separated from the header by a space. For details, refer to page 2-4.

<Response data>

Response data is used to define a response. If multiple items of response data are used, they must be separated by a ", " (comma). For details, refer to page 2-5.

Example

```
500.0E-03<RMT> :SAMPLE:INTERVAL MINIMUM<RMT>
```

Data
Header
Data

If a program message contains more than one query, responses are made in the same order as the queries. Normally, each query returns only one response message unit, but there are some queries which return more than one response message unit. The first response message unit always responds to the first query, but it is not always true that the 'n'th unit always responds to the 'n'th query. Therefore, if you want to make sure that a response is made to each query, the program message must be divided up into individual messages.

Points to Note concerning Message Transmission

- It is always possible to send a program message if the previous message which was sent did not contain any queries.
- If the previous message contained a query, it is not possible to send another program message until a response message has been received. An error will occur if a program message is sent before a response message has been received in its entirety. A response message which has not been received will be discarded.
- If an attempt is made by the controller to receive a response message, even if there is no response message, an error will occur. An error will also occur if the controller makes an attempt to receive a response message before transmission of a program message has been completed.
- If a program message of more than one unit is sent and some of the units are incomplete, this instrument receives program message units which the instrument thinks complete and attempts to execute them. However, these attempts may not always be successful and a response may not always be returned, even if the program message contains queries.

Dead Lock

This instrument has a buffer memory in which both program and response messages of 1024 bytes or more can be stored. (The number of bytes available will vary depending on the operating state of the instrument.) If both buffer memories become full at the same time, this instrument becomes inoperative. This state is called dead lock. In this case, operation can be resumed by discarding the response message. No dead lock will occur, if the size of the program message including the PMT is kept below 1024 bytes. Furthermore, no dead lock will occur if the program message does not contain a query.

2.2 Commands

Commands

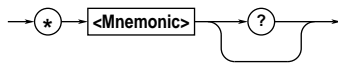
There are three types of command (program header) which can be sent from the controller to this instrument. They differ in the format of their program headers.

They are

- Common command header
- Compound header
- Simple header

Common Command Header

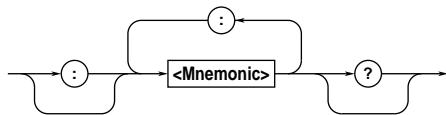
Commands defined in IEEE 488.2-1992 are called common commands. The header format of a common command is shown below. An asterisk (`*`) must always be attached to the beginning of a command.



An example of a common command
*CLS

Compound Header

Commands designed to be used only with this instrument are classified and arranged in a hierarchy according to their function. The format of a compound header is illustrated below. A colon (`:`) must be used when specifying a lower-level header.



An example of a compound header
MEASURE:FUNCTION

Simple Header

These commands (headers) are functionally independent of each other and are not arranged hierarchically. The format of a simple header is shown below.



An example of a simple header
START

Note

A mnemonic is a character string made up of alphanumeric characters.

When Concatenating Commands

Command Group

A command group is a group of commands which have the same compound header. A command group may contain sub-groups.

Example Commands relating to the sampling

SAMPLE?	SAMPLE:GATE?
SAMPLE:GATE:MODE	SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTSIZE
SAMPLE:GATE:POLARITY	SAMPLE:GATE:TIME
SAMPLE:INTERVAL	SAMPLE:ARMING:SOURCE
SAMPLE:ARMING:DELAY:MODE	
SAMPLE:ARMING:DELAY:TIME	

When Concatenating Commands of the Same Group

This instrument stores the hierarchical level of the command which is currently being executed, and performs analysis on the assumption that the next command to be sent will also belong to the same level. Therefore, it is possible to omit the header if the commands belong to the same group.

Example INPUT:ACHANNEL:COUPLING AC;IMPEDANCE
 I50<PMT>

When Concatenating Commands of Different Groups

A colon (`:`) must be included before the header of a command, if the command does not belong to the same group as the preceding command.

Example MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP;:DISPLAY:ITEM
 LIST<PMT>

When Concatenating Simple Headers

When you type in a simple header after another command, you must include a colon (`:`) before the simple header.

Example MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP;:START<PMT>

When Concatenating Common Commands

Common commands defined in IEEE 488.2-1992 are independent of hierarchical level. Thus, it is not necessary to add a colon (`:`) before a common command.

Example MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP;*CLS;FUNCTION
 DUTY,A<PMT>

2.2 Commands

When Separating Commands with <PMT>

If a terminator is used to separate two commands, each command is a separate message. Therefore, the common header must be typed in for each command even when commands of the same command group are being concatenated.

Example `MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP<PMT>MEASURE:
FUNCTION DUTY,A<PMT>`

Upper-level Query

An upper-level query is a compound header to which a question mark is appended. Execution of an upper-level query allows all a group's settings to be output at once. Some query groups comprising more than three hierarchical levels can output all their lower level settings.

Example `MEASURE?<PMT>->:MEASURE:
MODE HHISTOGRAM;FUNCTION PERIOD,A;
SLOPE RISE`

In reply to a query, a response can be returned as a program message to this instrument. Transmitting a response can restore the settings made when the query was executed. However, some upper-level queries will not return set-up data which is not currently in use. Note that not all a group's information will necessarily be sent out as a response.

Header Interpretation Rules

This instrument interprets the header received according to the following rules.

- Mnemonics are not case sensitive.
Example "MEASure" can also be written as "measure" or "Measure".
- The lower-case part of a header can be omitted.
Example "MEASure" can also be written as "MEASU" or "MEAS".
- If the header ends with a question mark, the command is a query. It is not possible to omit the question mark.
Example "MEASure?" cannot be abbreviated to anything shorter than "MEAS?".
- If the "x" at the end of a mnemonic is omitted, it is assumed to be "1".
Example If "WINDow<x>" is written as "WIND", this represents "WINDow1".
- Any part of a command enclosed by [] can be omitted.
Example `CALCulation[:WINDow1]:AVERage?` can be written as `"CALCulation:AVERage?"`.

However, a part enclosed by [] cannot be omitted if is located at the end of an upper-level query.

2.3 Response

On receiving a query from the controller, this instrument returns a response message to the controller. A response message is sent in one of the following two forms.

- Response consisting of a header and data
If the query can be used as a program message without any change, a command header is attached to the query, which is then returned.
Example `SAMPLE:GATE:MODE?<PMT>→:`
`SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT<RMT>`
- Response consisting of data only
If the query cannot be used as a program message unless changes are made to it (i.e. it is a query-only command), no header is attached and only the data is returned. Some query-only commands can be returned after a header is attached to them.
Example `STATUS:ERROR?<PMT>→`
`0,"NO ERROR"<RMT>`

When returning a response without a header

It is possible to remove the header from a response consisting of a header and data. The "COMMunicate:HEADer" command is used to do this.

Abbreviated form

Normally, the lower-case part is removed from a response header before the response is returned to the controller. Naturally, the full form of the header can also be used. For this, the "COMMunicate:VERBose" command is used. The part enclosed by [] is also omitted in the abbreviated form.

2.4 Data

Data

A data section comes after the header. A space must be included between the header and the data. The data contains conditions and values. Data is classified as below.

Data	Description
<Decimal>	Value expressed as a decimal number (Example: CH2's probe attenuation →SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTsize 100)
<Voltage><Time>	Physical value (Example: Gate time →SAMPLE:GATE:TIME 1US)
<Percent>	Register value expressed as either binary, octal, decimal or hexadecimal (Example: Extended event register value →STATUS:EESE #HFE)
<Character data>	Specified character string (mnemonic). Can be selected from { } (Example: Selecting of gate mode →SAMPLE:GATE:MODE {EVENT TIME EXTERNAL})
<Boolean>	Indicates ON/OFF. Set to ON, OFF or value (Example: Panorama display ON →DISPLAY:PANorama:STATe ON)
<Character string data>	Arbitrary character string (Example: File name to be saved →FILE:DELeTe:SETup "SETUP_1")
<Block data>	Arbitrary 8-bit data (Example: Response to acquired waveform data →#6000010ABCDEFHJI)

<Decimal>

<<Decimal> indicates a value expressed as a decimal number, as shown in the table below. Decimal values are given in the NR form specified in ANSI X3. 42-1975.

Symbol	Description	Example
<NR1>	Integer	125 -1 +100000
<NR2>	Fixed point number	125.0 -.90 +001.
<NR3>	Floating point number	125.0E+0 -9E-1 +.1E4
<NRf>	Any of the forms <NR1> to <NR3> is allowed.	

- Decimal values which are sent from the controller to this instrument can be sent in any of the forms to <NR3>. In this case, <NRf> appears.
- For response messages which are returned from this instrument to the controller, the form (<NR1> to <NR3> to be used) is determined by the query. The same form is used, irrespective of whether the value is large or small.
- In the case of <NR3>, the "+" after the "E" can be omitted, but the "-" cannot.
- If a value outside the setting range is entered, the value will be normalized so that it is just inside the range.
- If the value has more than the significant number of digits, the value will be rounded.

2.4 Data

<Voltage>, <Time>, <Percent>

<Voltage>, <Time> and <Percent> indicate decimal values which have physical significance. <Multiplier> or <Unit> can be attached to <NRf>. They can be entered in any of the following forms.

Form	Example
<NRf><Multiplier><Unit>	5MV
<NRf><Unit>	5E-3V
<NRf><Multiplier>	5M
<NRf>	5E-3

<Multiplier>

Multipliers which can be used are shown below.

Symbol	Word	Description
EX	Exa	10 ¹⁸
PE	Peta	10 ¹⁵
T	Tera	10 ¹²
G	Giga	10 ⁹
MA	Mega	10 ⁶
K	Kilo	10 ³
M	Mili	10 ⁻³
U	Micro	10 ⁻⁶
N	Nano	10 ⁻⁹
P	Pico	10 ⁻¹²
F	Femto	10 ⁻¹⁵
A	Atto	10 ⁻¹⁸

<Unit>

Units which can be used are shown below.

Symbol	Word	Description
V	Volt	Voltage
S	Second	Time
PCT	Percent	Percent

- <Multiplier> and <Unit> are not case sensitive.
- [U] is used to indicate [μ].
- [MA] is used for Mega (M) to distinguish it from Mili.
- If both <Multiplier> and <Unit> are omitted, the default unit will be used.
- Response messages are always expressed in <NR3> form. Neither <Multiplier> nor <Unit> is used, therefore the default unit is used.

<Register>

<Register> indicates an integer, and can be expressed in hexadecimal, octal or binary as well as as a decimal number. <Register> is used when each bit of a value has a particular meaning. <Register> is expressed in one of the following forms.

Form	Example
<NRf>	1
#H<Hexadecimal value made up of the digits 0 to 9, and A to F>	#H0F
#Q<Octal value made up of the digits 0 to 7>	#q777
#B<Binary value made up of the digits 0 and 1>	#B001100

- <Register> is not case sensitive.
- Response messages are always expressed as <NR1>.

<Character Data>

<Character data> is a specified string of character data (a mnemonic). It is mainly used to indicate options, and is chosen from the character strings given in {. For interpretation rules, refer to "Header Interpretation Rules " on page 2-4.

Form	Example
{EVENT TIME EXTERNAL}	EVENT

- As with a header, the "COMMunicate:VERBose" command can be used to return a response message in its full form. Alternatively, the abbreviated form can be used.
- The "COMMunicate:HEADer" command does not affect <character data>.

<Boolean>

<Boolean> is data which indicates ON or OFF, and is expressed in one of the following forms.

Form	Example
{ON OFF <NRf>}	ON OFF 1 0

- When <Boolean> is expressed in <NRf> form, OFF is selected if the rounded integer value is [0] and ON is selected if the rounded integer is [Not 0].
- A response message is always [1] if the value is ON and [0] if it is OFF.

<Character String Data>

<Character string data> is not a specified character string like <Character data>. It is an arbitrary character string. A character string must be enclosed in single quotation marks (' ') or double quotation marks (" ").

Form	Example
<Character string data>	'ABC' "IEEE488.2-1987"

- Response messages are always enclosed in double quotation marks.
- If a character string contains a double quotation mark ("), the double quotation mark will be replaced by two concatenated double quotation marks (" "). This rule also applies to a single quotation mark within a character string.
- <Character string data> is an arbitrary character string, therefore this instrument assumes that the remaining program message units are part of the character string if no single (') or double quotation mark (") is encountered. As a result, no error will be detected if a quotation mark is omitted.

<Block data>

<Block data> is arbitrary 8-bit data. <Block data> is only used for response messages. Response messages are expressed in the following form.

Form	Example
#8<8-digit decimal value><Data byte string>	#8000010ABCDEFGHJI

- #8
Indicates that the data is <Block data>.
- <6-digit decimal value>
Indicates the number of bytes of data. (000010=10 bytes)
- <Data byte string>
The actual data. (ABCDEFGHJI)
- Data is comprised of 8-bit values (0 to 255). This means that the ASCII code [0AH], which stands for [NL], can also be a code used for data. Hence, care must be taken when programming the controller.

2.5 Synchronization with the Controller

On the TA520, there are no overlap commands which permit the execution of the next command before the execution of the previous command completes. If multiple commands are sent sequentially, the execution of the next command is held until the execution of the previous command completes.

How to Achieve Synchronization

Synchronization is sometimes required for reasons other than communications related reasons, such as the activation of a trigger.

For example, if the program message (see below) is transmitted to make an inquiry about the data which is acquired during single measurement, the "MEMory:SEND?" command will be executed whether acquisition has been completed or not, causing a command execution error.

```
:SStart;:MEMory:SEND?<PMT>
```

In this case, synchronization with the time at which acquisition is completed must be accomplished, as shown below.

Using STATus:CONDition? query

A "STATus:CONDition?" query is used to make an inquiry about the contents of the condition register (page 4-4). It is possible to judge whether acquisition is in progress or not by reading bit 0 of the condition register. The measured data is effective if bit 0 is "1". If it is "0", acquisition is in progress, thus the measured data is not effective.

```
Example :SStart<PMT>
STATus:CONDition?<PMT>
(Returns to the previous status if bit 0 is
found to be [1] when the response is
decoded.)
MEMory:SEND?<PMT>
```

A "MEMory:SEND?" query will not be executed until bit 0 of the condition register has been set to [1].

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Using the extended event register

Changes in the condition register are reflected in the extended event register (page 4-4).

```
Example  STATus:FILTer1 RISE;:STATus:EESE 1;
        EESR?;*SRE 8;SStart<PMT>
        (Service request is awaited.)
        MEMory:SEND?<PMT>
```

"STATus:FILTer1 RISE" indicates that the transit filter is set so that bit 0 (FILTer1) of the extended register is set to "1" when bit 0 of the condition register is changed from [0] to [1].

"STATus:EESE 1" is a command used to reflect the status of only bit 0 of the extended event register in the status byte.

"STATus:EESR?" is used to clear the extended event register.

The "*SRE" command is used to generate a service request caused by the extended event register only.

"MEMory:SEND?" will not be executed until a service request is generated.

Using the COMMunicate:WAIT command

The "COMMunicate:WAIT" command halts communications until a specific event is generated.

```
Example  STATus:FILTer1 RISE;:STATus:EESR?;
        SStart<PMT>
        (Response to STATus:EESR? is decoded.)
        COMMunicate:WAIT 1;:MEMory:
        SEND?<PMT>
```

For a description of "STATus:FILTer1 RISE" and "STATus:EESR?", refer to "Using the extended event register " on this page.

"COMMunicate:WAIT 1" means that communications is halted until bit 0 of the extended event register is set to [1].

"MEMory:SEND?" will not be executed until bit 0 of the extended event register is set to [1].

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Command	Function	Page
AScale Group		
:AScale	Performs auto-scaling.	3-9
CALCulation Group		
:CALCulation?	Queries all settings related to statistics.	3-13
:CALCulation:AREA	Sets the area to calculate the statistics or queries the current setting.	3-13
:CALCulation:AUTot?	Queries the value of the constant T for the auto window mode.	3-13
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TAverage?	Queries the average value during the time variation display.	3-13
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TFLutter?	Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) during the time variation display.	3-13
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TJITter?	Queries the jitter value (P-P/average value) during the time variation display.	3-13
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TMAXimum?	Queries the maximum value during the time variation display.	3-13
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TMINimum?	Queries the minimum value during the time variation display.	3-14
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TPTopeak?	Queries the P-P value during the time variation display.	3-14
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TRF?	Queries the RF value during the time variation display.	3-14
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TSDeviation?	Queries the standard deviation (σ) during the time variation display.	3-14
:CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TSNumber?	Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics during the time variation display.	3-14
:CALCulation:CONStt	Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter?	Queries the ON/OFF state of each statistical value.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:CLEAr	Turns OFF all statistical values.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:AVERAge	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the average value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:ELERror	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the Effect Length Error during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:FLUTter	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the flutter value (σ /average value) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-14
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:JITTer	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the jitter value (σ /T) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:MAXimum	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the maximum value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:MEDian	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the median value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:MELE	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the MELE value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:MINimum	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the minimum value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:MODE	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the most frequent value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:PTOPeak	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the P-P value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:SDEViation	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the standard deviation (σ) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:TAverage	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the average value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:TJITter	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the jitter value (P-P/average value) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-15
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:TMAXimum	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the maximum value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:PARAMeter:TMINimum	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the minimum value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16

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Command	Function	Page
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TSDeviation	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the standard deviation (σ) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TPTOpeak	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the P-P value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TFLutter	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the jitter value (σ /average value) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TRF	Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the RF value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:POLarity	Sets which polarity to analyze when measuring both polarities during the pulse width measurement or queries the current setting.	3-16
:CALCulation:SUMMation:AVERage?	Queries the average value when the windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-16
:CALCulation:SUMMation:ELERror?	Queries the Effect Length Error when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-16
:CALCulation:SUMMation:FLUTter?	Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-16
:CALCulation:SUMMation:JITTer?	Queries the jitter value (σ/T) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:MAXimum?	Queries the maximum value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:MEDian?	Queries the median value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:MELE?	Queries the MELE value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:MINimum?	Queries the maximum value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:MODE?	Queries the most frequent value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:PTOPeak?	Queries the P-P value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:SDEViation?	Queries the standard deviation (σ) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation:SUMMation:SNUMber?	Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.	3-17
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:AVERage?	Queries the average value during the histogram display.	3-17
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:ELERror?	Queries the Effect Length Error value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:FLUTter?	Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:JITTer?	Queries the jitter value (σ/T) during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MAXimum?	Queries the maximum value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MEDian?	Queries the median value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MELE?	Queries the MELE value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MINimum?	Queries the minimum value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MODE?	Queries the most frequent value during the histogram display.	3-18
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:PTOPeak?	Queries the P-P value during the histogram display.	3-19
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:SDEViation?	Queries the standard deviation (σ) during the histogram display.	3-19
:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:SNUMber?	Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics during the histogram display.	3-19
COMMunicate Group		
:COMMunicate?	Queries all settings related to communications.	3-20
:COMMunicate:HEADer	Sets whether or not to attach headers to query responses or queries the current setting.	3-20
:COMMunicate:VERBose	Sets whether or not to use the full or abbreviated form for query responses or queries the current setting.	3-20
:COMMunicate:WAIT	Waits for the specified extended events to occur.	3-20
:COMMunicate:WAIT?	Creates a response when the specified extended events occur.	3-20

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DISPlay Group		
:DISPlay?	Queries all settings related to the display.	3-22
:DISPlay:BACKlight	Turns ON/OFF the back light or queries the current setting.	3-22
:DISPlay:BLOCK	Sets the block to be displayed or queries the current setting.	3-22
:DISPlay:BRIGhtness	Sets the brightness of the screen or queries the current setting.	3-22
:DISPlay:DOTConnect	Turns ON/OFF the dot connection function during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-22
:DISPlay:DOTType	Sets the display format of the measurement point during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-22
:DISPlay:GRAPhsize	Sets the size of the graph display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:GRID	Turns ON/OFF the grid during the time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:ITEM	Sets the display format or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:OVERlap	Sets whether or not to superimpose the polarity display (ON/OFF) when measuring both polarities or slopes.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama?	Queries all settings related to the panorama display.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama:AREA	Sets the panorama display range or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the panorama display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM?	Queries all settings related to the zoom function of the panorama display.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:ADJust	Adjusts the zoom setting of the panorama display.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:POSition	Sets the zoom position of the panorama display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:SPAN	Sets the zoom range of the panorama display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:SITem	Sets the type of statistical values to display or queries the current setting.	3-23
:DISPlay:SSTYLe	Sets the format of the statistics display or queries the current setting.	3-24
:DISPlay:STATistic	Turns ON/OFF the statistics display during the histogram or time variation display or queries the current setting.	3-24
:DISPlay:WINDow	Sets the window to display or queries the current setting.	3-24
FILE Group		
:FILE?	Queries all settings related to files.	3-25
:FILE:CDIRectory	Changes the current directory.	3-25
:FILE:DELeTe:BINary	Deletes the binary measurement data file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:BMP	BMP Deletes the screen image file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:POSTscript	Deletes the post script screen image file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:SETup	Deletes the setup information data file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:STATistic	Deletes the statistics data file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:TIFf	Deletes the TIFF screen image file.	3-26
:FILE:DELeTe:TEXT	Deletes the text measurement data file.	3-26
:FILE:DRIVE	Sets the drive.	3-26
:FILE:FORMat	Formats the floppy disk.	3-26
:FILE:FREE?	Queries the drive free space in number of bytes.	3-26
:FILE:LOAD:BINary	Loads the binary measurement data.	3-26
:FILE:LOAD:SETup	Loads the setup information data.	3-26
:FILE:MDIRectory	Creates a directory.	3-23
:FILE:PATH?	Queries the current directory.	3-26
:FILE:SAVE?	Queries all settings related to saving the file.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:ANAMing	Turns ON/OFF the auto naming function for saving files or queries the current setting.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:BINary	Saves the measured data in binary format.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:COMMeNt	Sets a comment in the top left corner of the screen or queries the current setting.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:SETup	Saves the setup information data.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:STATistic	Saves the statistical data.	3-27
:FILE:SAVE:TEXT	Saves the measured data in text format.	3-27
HCOPy Group		
:HCOPy?	Queries all settings related to the output of the screen image data.	3-28
:HCOPy:ABORt	Aborts the hard copy.	3-28
:HCOPy:ANAMing	Turns ON/OFF the auto naming function for saving the screen image to files or queries the current setting.	3-28

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:HCOpy:COMment	Sets a comment in the top left corner of the screen or queries the current setting.	3-29
:HCOpy:COMpression	Turns ON/OFF the compression when saving the screen image in BMP or TIFF format or queries the current setting.	3-29
:HCOpy:DEvice	Sets the output destination of the screen image or queries the current setting.	3-29
:HCOpy[:EXECute]	Executes a hard copy of the screen image.	3-29
:HCOpy:FILEname	Sets the name of the file in which to save the screen image or queries the current setting.	3-29
:HCOpy:FORMat	Sets the format of the file in which to save the screen image or queries the current setting.	3-29
:HCOpy:TONE	Sets the color for saving the screen image or queries the current setting.	3-29
HHIStogram Group		
:HHIStogram?	Queries all settings related to the histogram display during the hardware histogram mode.	3-31
:HHIStogram:AUTO?	Queries all settings related to the auto window mode.	3-31
:HHIStogram:AUTO:MODulation	Sets the modulation method during auto window mode or queries the current setting.	3-31
:HHIStogram:AUTO:TTYPe	Sets how the constant T is determined during the auto window mode or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the marker.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MARKer:LOW	Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MARKer[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the markers or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MODE	Sets the mode or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi?	Queries all settings related to the multi-window mode.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:SIZE	Sets the number of windows or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:TVALue	Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:UPDate	Changes the window setting based on the value of the constant T.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>?	Queries all settings related to each window.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of each window.	3-32
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:CENTer	Sets the center position of the horizontal axis of each window or queries the current setting.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:SPAN	Sets the width of the horizontal axis of each window or queries the current setting.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:LABeL	Sets the label of each window or queries the current setting.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis marker of each window.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT	Sets the position of the left marker of each window or queries the current setting.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LVALue?	Queries the frequency at the position of the left marker.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT	Sets the position of the right marker of each window or queries the current setting.	3-33
:HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RVALue?	Queries the frequency at the position of the right marker.	3-33
:HHIStogram:SINGLE?	Queries all settings related to single window.	3-33
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:HORizontal?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of the single window.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:HORizontal:CENTer	Sets the center position of the horizontal axis of the window or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:HORizontal:SPAN	Sets the width of the horizontal axis of the window or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis marker.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:MARKer:LEFT	Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:MARKer:LVALue?	Queries the frequency at the position of the left marker.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:MARKer:RIGHT	Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:MARKer:RVALue?	Queries the frequency at the position of the right marker.	3-34
:HHIStogram:SINGLE:TVALue	Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:VERTical?	Queries all settings related to the vertical axis during the hardware histogram mode.	3-34

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:HHIStogram:VERTical:AXIS	Sets the type of vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-34
:HHIStogram:VERTical:HIGh	Sets the upper limit of the vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-35
INPut Group		
:INPut?	Queries all settings related to the input section.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel?	Queries all settings related to channel A.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel:COUPling	Sets the coupling of channel A or queries the current setting.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel:IMPedance	Sets the input impedance of channel A or queries the current setting.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger?	Queries all settings related to the trigger of channel A.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:LEVel	Sets the trigger level of channel A or queries the current setting.	3-37
:INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:MODE	Sets the trigger mode of channel A or queries the current setting.	3-37
:INPut:AGATe?	Queries all settings related to arming and the external gate.	3-37
:INPut:AGATe:LEVel	Sets the arming or gate level or queries the current setting.	3-37
:INPut:BCHannel?	Queries all settings related to channel B.	3-38
:INPut:BCHannel:COUPling	Sets the coupling of channel B or queries the current setting.	3-38
:INPut:BCHannel:IMPedance	Sets the input impedance of channel B or queries the current setting.	3-38
:INPut:BCHannel:TRIGger?	Queries all settings related to the trigger of channel B.	3-38
:INPut:BCHannel:TRIGger:LEVel	Sets the trigger level of channel B or queries the current setting.	3-38
:INPut:BCHannel:TRIGger:MODE	Sets the trigger mode of channel B or queries the current setting.	3-38
:INPut:INHibit?	Queries all settings related to the inhibit function.	3-38
:INPut:INHibit:LEVel	Sets the inhibit level or queries the current setting.	3-38
MEASure Group		
:MEASure?	Queries all settings related to the measurement conditions.	3-39
:MEASure:FUNCTion	Sets the measurement function or queries the current setting.	3-39
:MEASure:MODE	Sets the sampling mode or queries the current setting.	3-39
:MEASure:POLarity	Sets the polarity during the pulse width measurement or queries the current setting.	3-39
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MEMory Group		
:MEMory?	Queries all settings related to the transmission of the measured data to external devices.	3-40
:MEMory:BLOCK	Sets the block during block sampling or queries the current setting.	3-40
:MEMory:BYTeorder	Sets the transmission byte order of the binary data or queries the current setting.	3-40
:MEMory:CLEar	Clears the measured data.	3-40
:MEMory:DATaselect	Sets the data to transmit or queries the current setting.	3-40
:MEMory:END	Sets the data position of the end of the transmission or queries the current setting.	3-41
:MEMory:FORMat	Sets the format of the transmission data or queries the current setting.	3-41
:MEMory:SEND?	Transmits the measured data specified with the "MEMory:DATaselect" command.	3-41
:MEMory:SIZE?	Queries the number of measured data points.	3-41
:MEMory:STARt	Sets the data position of the start of the transmission or queries the current setting.	3-41
RECall Group		
:RECall	Recalls the setup information.	3-41
SAMPle Group		
:SAMPle?	Queries all settings related to sampling.	3-43
:SAMPle:ARMinG?	Queries all settings related to the arming function.	3-43
:SAMPle:ARMinG:DELay?	Queries all settings related to the arming delay.	3-43
:SAMPle:ARMinG:DELay:EVENTsize	Sets the arming delay event or queries the current setting.	3-43
:SAMPle:ARMinG:DELay:MODE	Sets the arming delay mode or queries the current setting.	3-43
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:SAMPle:ARMinG:SLOPe	Sets the arming slope or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:ARMinG:SOURce	Sets the arming source or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK?	Queries all settings related to block sampling.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK:REST?	Queries all settings related to the pause period of the block sampling operation.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK:REST:EVENT	Sets the pause time of the block sampling operation in terms of the number of events or queries the current setting.	3-44

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:SAMPle:BLOCK:REST[:MODE]	Sets the pause mode of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK:REST:TIME	Sets the pause time of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK:SIZE	Sets the block size of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:BLOCK[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the block sampling function or queries the current setting.	3-44
:SAMPle:GATE?	Queries all settings related to the gate.	3-44
:SAMPle:GATE:EVENTsize	Sets the gate in terms of the number of events or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:GATE[:MODE]	Sets the gate type or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:GATE:POLarity	Sets the polarity of the external gate or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:GATE:TIME	Sets the gate in terms of time or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:INHibit	Sets the polarity of the inhibit input or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:INTerval	Sets the sampling interval or queries the current setting.	3-45
:SAMPle:RCLock	Sets the reference clock for sampling or queries the current setting.	3-45
SCSI Group		
:SCSI?	Queries all settings related to SCSI.	3-46
:SCSI:HDD	Sets the SCSI address of the internal hard disk or queries the current setting.	3-46
:SCSI:INITialize	Initializes the SCSI.	3-46
:SCSI:OWN	Sets the SCSI address of the instrument or queries the current setting.	3-46
SStart Group		
:SStart	Executes single measurement.	3-46
STARt Group		
:STARt	Starts the measurement.	3-46
STATus Group		
:STATus?	Queries all settings related to the communication status.	3-47
:STATus:CONDition?	Queries the status register.	3-47
:STATus:EESE	Sets the extended event enable register or queries the current setting.	3-47
:STATus:EESR?	Queries the extended event register and clears the register.	3-47
:STATus:ERRor?	Queries the error code and message.	3-47
:STATus:FILTer<x>	Sets the transition filter or queries the current setting.	3-47
:STATus:QMESsage	Sets whether or not to include the message information in response to the "STATus:ERRor?" command or queries the current setting.	3-47
STOP Group		
:STOP	Stops the measurement.	3-48
STORe Group		
:STORe	Stores the current setup information.	3-48
SYSTem Group		
:SYSTem?	SYSTem Queries all settings related to the group.	3-48
:SYSTem:BEEP	Turns ON/OFF the beep sound or queries the current setting.	3-48
:SYSTem:CLICkSound	Turns ON/OFF the click sound or queries the current setting.	3-49
:SYSTem:DATE	Sets today's date or queries the current setting.	3-49
:SYSTem:HDDMotor	Turns ON/OFF the HDD motor while waiting or queries the current setting.	3-49
:SYSTem:TIME	Sets the current time or queries the current setting.	3-49
:SYSTem:WARNing	Turn ON/OFF the warning display or queries the current setting.	3-49
THIStogram Group		
:THIStogram?	Queries all settings related to the histogram of the time stamp mode.	3-52
:THIStogram:HORizontal?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of the histogram of the time stamp mode.	3-52
:THIStogram:HORizontal:CENTer	Sets the center value of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.	3-52
:THIStogram:HORizontal:SPAN	Sets the width of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.	3-52
:THIStogram:ISI?	Queries all settings related to the inter-symbol interference analysis.	3-52
:THIStogram:ISI:MARK<x>	Sets the mark or queries the current setting.	3-52
:THIStogram:ISI:MODE	Sets the trigger mode or queries the current setting.	3-52
:THIStogram:ISI:POLarity	Sets the polarity or queries the current setting.	3-52

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:THIStogram:ISI:SIZE	Sets the number of windows or queries the current setting.	3-52
:THIStogram:ISI:SPACE<x>	Sets the space or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the inter-symbol interference analysis function or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:TARGet	Sets the item to be analyzed or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:TRIGger	Sets the trigger condition or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:TVALue	Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:UPDate	Changes the window setting based on the constant T.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>?	Queries all settings related to each window.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of each window.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:CENTer	Sets the center value of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.	3-53
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:SPAN	Sets the width of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:LABel	Sets the label of each window or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal marker cursor of each window.	3-54
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT	Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT	Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the markers.	3-54
:THIStogram:MARKer:LEFT	Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:MARKer:LOW	Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.	3-54
:THIStogram:MARKer:LVALue?	Queries the frequency at the left marker position.	3-54
:THIStogram:MARKer:RIGHT	Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.	3-55
:THIStogram:MARKer:RVALue?	Queries the frequency at the right marker position.	3-55
:THIStogram:MARKer[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the marker or queries the current setting.	3-55
:THIStogram:VERTical?	Queries all settings related to the vertical axis.	3-55
:THIStogram:VERTical:AXIS	Sets the type of vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-55
:THIStogram:VERTical:HIGH	Sets the upper limit of the vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-55
TVARiation Group		
:TVARiation?	Queries all settings related to the time variation display.	3-56
:TVARiation:HORizontal?	Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of the time variation display.	3-56
:TVARiation:HORizontal:MINimum	Sets the left end of the horizontal axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:HORizontal:SPAN	Sets the width of the horizontal axis scale or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer?	Queries all settings related to the markers.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:HIGH	Sets the position of the high marker or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:LEFT	Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:LOW	Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:LVALue?	Queries the measured value at the left marker position.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:RIGHT	Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer:RVALue?	Queries the measured value of the right marker position.	3-57
:TVARiation:MARKer[:STATe]	Turns ON/OFF the marker cursor or queries the current setting.	3-57
:TVARiation:VERTical?	Queries all settings related to the vertical axis.	3-57
:TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer	Sets the center value of the vertical axis or queries the current setting.	3-58
:TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN	Sets the width of the vertical axis or queries the current setting.	3-58
UNIT Group		
:UNIT?	Queries the default units for voltage, time, and frequency.	3-58
:UNIT:VOLTage	Sets the default unit for voltage or queries the current setting.	3-58
:UNIT:TIME	Sets the default unit for time or queries the current setting.	3-58

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Common Command Group		
*CAL?	Performs calibration and queries the result.	3-59
*CLS	Clears the standard event register, extended event register and error queue.	3-59
*ESE	Sets the value for the standard event enable register/queries the current setting.	3-59
*ESR?	Queries the value of the standard event register and clears it at the same time.	3-59
*IDN?	Queries the instrument model.	3-59
*OPC	Clears/does not clear the OPC event on completion of execution of the specified overlap command.	3-59
*OPC?	Creates a response on completion of execution of the specified overlap command.	3-59
*RST	Initializes the set-up information.	3-60
*SRE	Sets the value of the service request enable register/queries the current setting.	3-60
*STB?	Queries the value of the status byte register.	3-60
*TRG	Performs single measurement.	3-60
*TST?	Executes a self-test and queries the test result.	3-60
*WAI	Waits for the command following "*WAI" until execution of the designated overlap command is completed.	3-60

3.2 ASCale Group

The commands in this group deal with auto scaling.

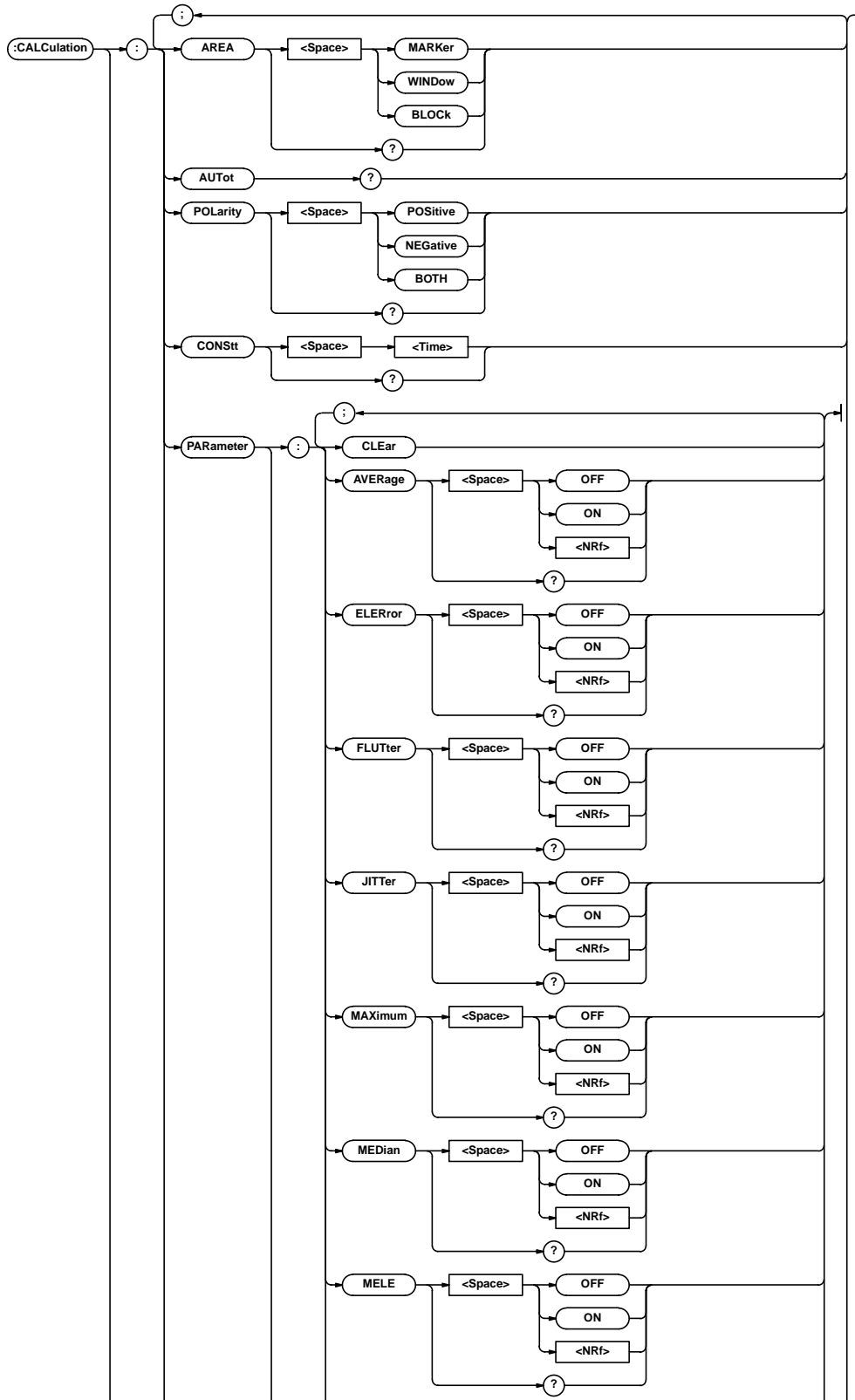
`:ASCale` →

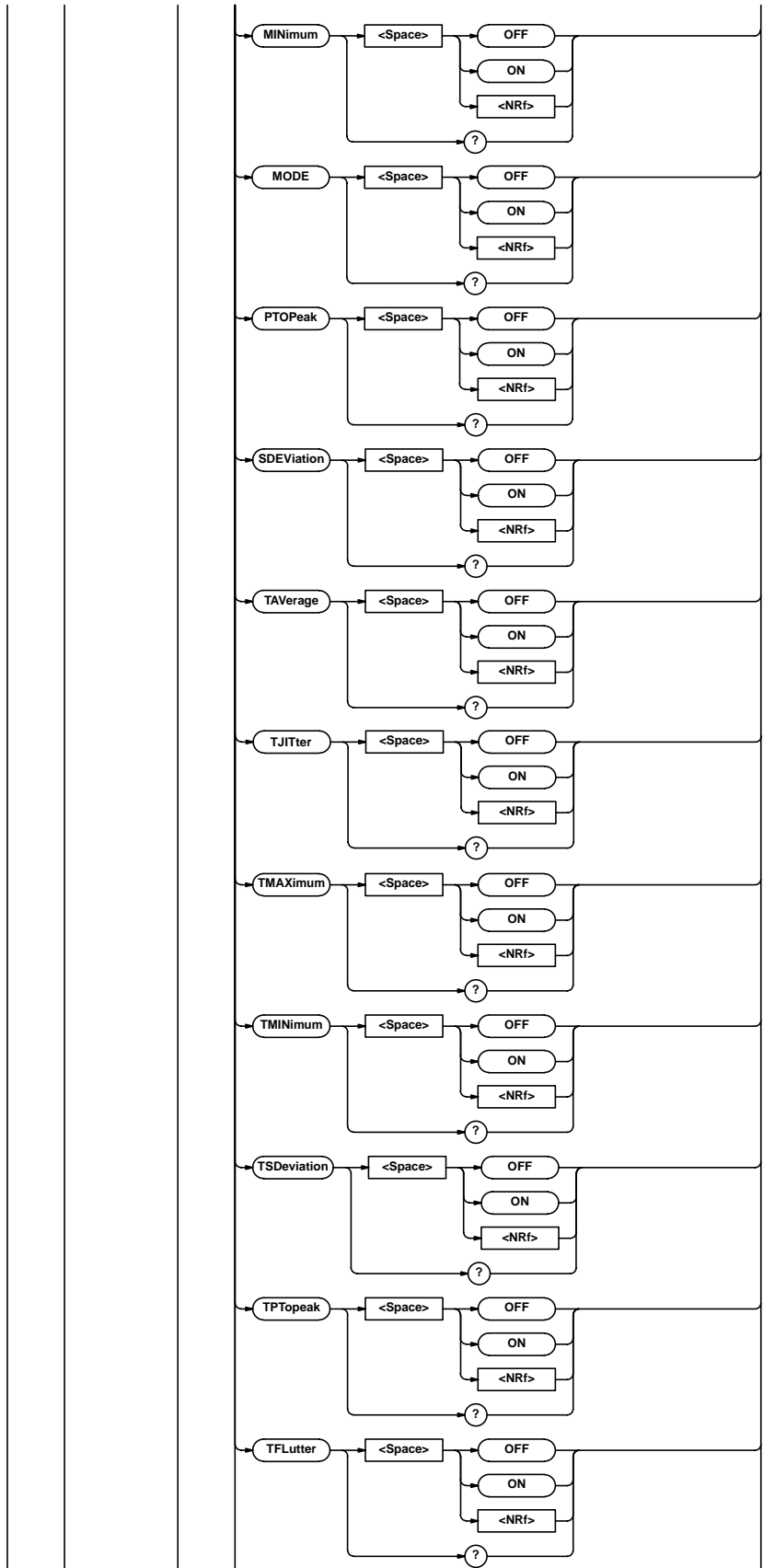
ASCale

Function Performs auto-scaling.
Syntax :ASCale
Example :ASCALE
Description Auto-scaling is not possible in the multi-window and auto window modes.

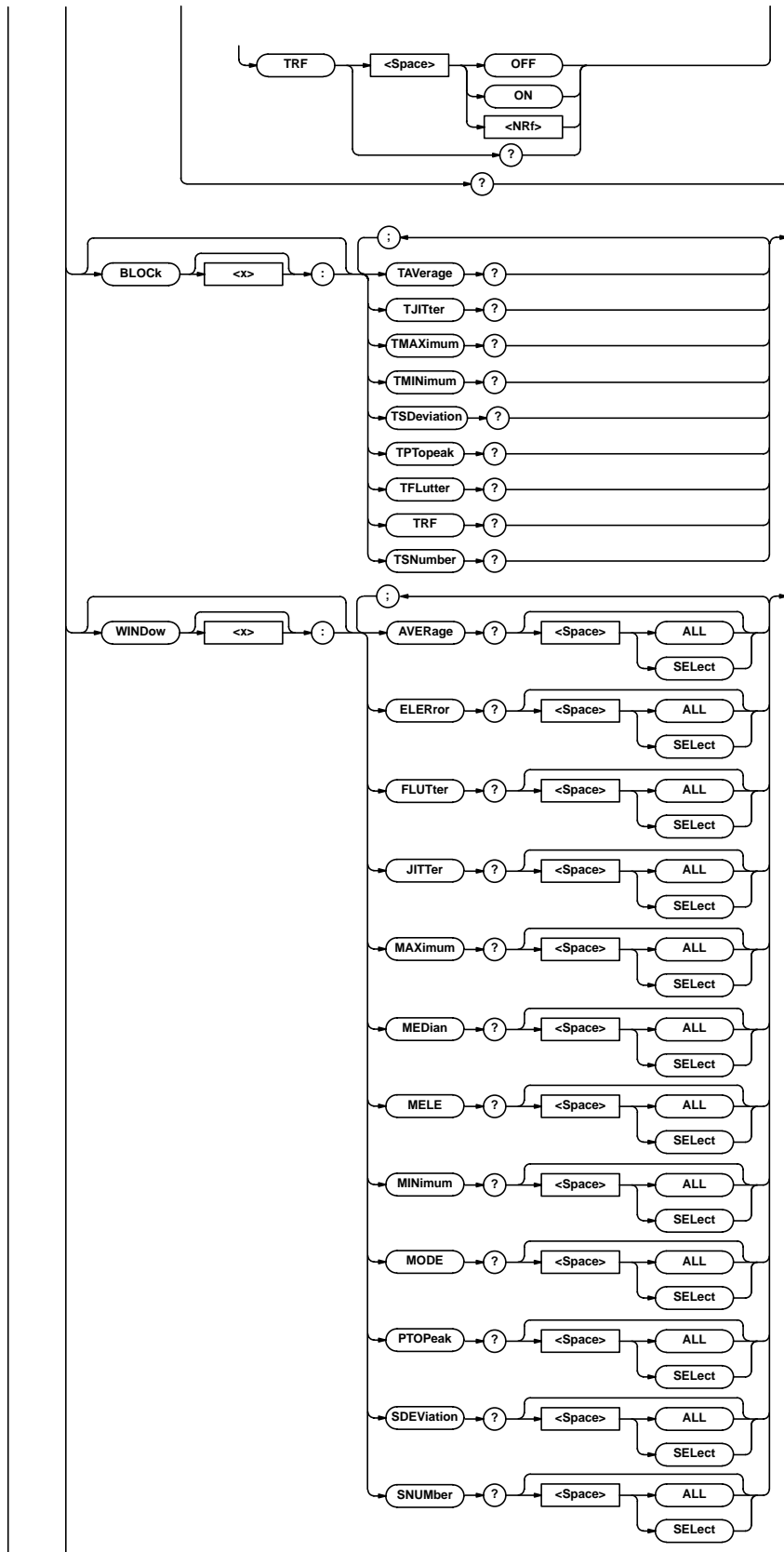
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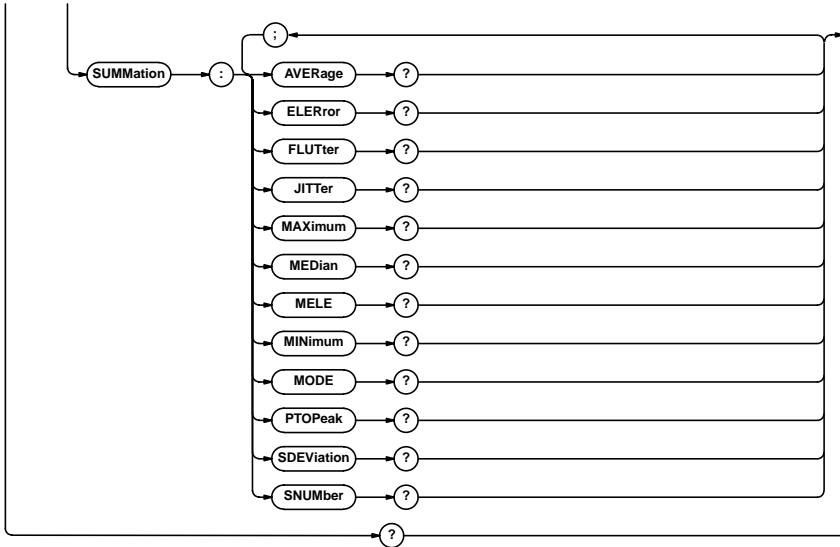
The commands in this group deal with statistical calculations.





3.3 CALCulation Group





CALCulation?

Function Queries all settings related to statistics.

Syntax :CALCulation?

Example :CALCulation?
 →:CALCULATION:AREA MARKER;
 POLARITY POSITIVE;CONSTT 100.000E-09;
 PARAMETER:AVERAGE 1;ELERROR 1;FLUTTER 1;
 JITTER 1;MAXIMUM 1;MEDIAN 1;MELE 1;
 MINIMUM 1;MODE 1;PTOPEAK 1;SDEVIATION 1

CALCulation:AREA

Function Sets the area to calculate the statistics or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:AREA {MARKer|WINDow|BLOCK}

Example :CALCULATION:AREA MARKER
 :CALCULATION:AREA?
 →:CALCULATION:AREA MARKER

CALCulation:AUTot?

Function Queries the measured T value or the estimated T value for the auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:AUTot?

Example :CALCULATION:AUTOT?
 →3.6750E-8

CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TAverage?

Function Queries the average value during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TAverage?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TAVERAGE?
 →2.4035E-9

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit ":BLOCK<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TFLutter?

Function Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TFLutter?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TFLUTTER?
 →1.2887E+1

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit ":BLOCK<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TJITter?

Function Queries the jitter value (P-P/average value) during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TJITter?

Example CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TJITTER?
 →1.382E+00

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit ":BLOCK<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TMAXimum?

Function Queries the maximum value during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCK<x>]:TMAXimum?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK:TMAXIMUM?
 →1.1287E-7

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit ":BLOCK<x>" if block sampling is not used.

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CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TMINimum?

Function Queries the minimum value during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TMINimum?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TMINIMUM?
→9.99437E-8

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit " :BLOCk<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TPTOpeak?

Function Queries the P-P value during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TPTOpeak?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TPTOPEAK?
→3.0245E-9

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit " :BLOCk<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TRF?

Function Queries the RF value during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TRF?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TRF?
→1.4775E-1

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit " :BLOCk<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TSDeviation?

Function Queries the standard deviation (σ) during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TSDeviation?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TSDEVIATION?
→2.4035E-9

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit " :BLOCk<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TSNumber?

Function Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics during the time variation display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:BLOCk<x>]:TSNumber?

Example :CALCULATION:BLOCK1:TSNUMBER?
→1000

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit " :BLOCk<x>" if block sampling is not used.

CALCulation:CONStt

Function Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:CONStt <Time>
:CALCulation:CONStt?
<Time>=1 ns to 250 ns (in 25 ps steps)

Example :CALCULATION:CONStT 100ns
:CALCULATION:CONStT?
→:CALCULATION:CONStT 100.000E-09

CALCulation:PARAmeter?

Function Queries the ON/OFF state of each statistical value.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAmETER?
→:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:AVERAge 1;
ELERRor 1;FLUTTer 1;JITTer 1;MAXIMUM 1;
MEDIAN 1;MELE 1;MINIMUM 1;MODE 1;
PTOPEAK 1;SDEVIATION 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:CLEAr

Function Turns OFF all statistical values.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:CLEAr

Example :CALCULATION:PARAmETER:CLEAr

CALCulation:PARAmeter:AVERAge

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the average value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:AVERAge <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:AVERAge?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAmETER:AVERAge ON
:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:AVERAge?
→:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:AVERAge 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:ELERRor

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the Effect Length Error during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:ELERRor <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:ELERRor?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAmETER:ELERRor ON
:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:ELERRor?
→:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:ELERRor 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:FLUTTer

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the flutter value (σ /average value) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:FLUTTer <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:FLUTTer?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAmETER:FLUTTer ON
:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:FLUTTer?
→:CALCULATION:PARAmETER:FLUTTer 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:JITter

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the jitter value (σ/T) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:JITter <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:JITter?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:JITTER ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:JITTER?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:JITTER 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:MAXimum

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the maximum value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:MAXimum <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:MAXimum?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MAXIMUM ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MAXIMUM?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MAXIMUM 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:MEDian

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the median value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:MEDian <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:MEDian?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MEDIAN ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MEDIAN?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MEDIAN 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:MELE

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the MELE value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:MELE <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:MELE?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MELE ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MELE?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MELE 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:MINimum

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the minimum value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:MINimum <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:MINimum?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MINIMUM ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MINIMUM?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MINIMUM 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:MODE

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the most frequent value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:MODE <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:MODE?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MODE ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MODE?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:MODE 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:PTOPeak

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the P-P value during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:PTOPeak <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:PTOPeak?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:PTOPEAK ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:PTOPEAK?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:PTOPEAK 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:SDEVIation

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the standard deviation (σ) during the histogram display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:SDEVIation
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:SDEVIation?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:SDEVIATION ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:SDEVIATION?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:SDEVIATION 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TAVerage

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the average value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TAVerage
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TAVerage?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TAVERAGE ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TAVERAGE?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TAVERAGE 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TJITter

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the jitter value (P-P/average value) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TJITter <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TJITter?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TJITTER ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TJITTER?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TJITTER 1

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CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMAXimum

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the maximum value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMAXimum
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMAXimum?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMAXIMUM ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMAXIMUM?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMAXIMUM 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMINimum

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the minimum value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMINimum
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TMINimum?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMINIMUM ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMINIMUM?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TMINIMUM 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TSDeviatiOn

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the standard deviation (σ) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TSDeviatiOn
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TSDeviatiOn?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TSDEVIATION ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TSDEVIATION?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TSDEVIATION 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TPTOpeak

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the P-P value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TPTOpeak
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TPTOpeak?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TPTOPEAK ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TPTOPEAK?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TPTOPEAK 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TFLutter

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the flutter value (σ /average value) during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TFLutter
<Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TFLutter?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TFLUTTER ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TFLUTTER?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TFLUTTER 1

CALCulation:PARAmeter:TRF

Function Turns ON/OFF the calculation of the RF value during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:PARAmeter:TRF <Boolean>
:CALCulation:PARAmeter:TRF?

Example :CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TRF ON
:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TRF?
→:CALCULATION:PARAMETER:TRF 1

CALCulation:POLarity

Function Sets which polarity to analyze when measuring both polarities during the pulse width measurement or queries the current setting.

Syntax :CALCulation:POLarity
{POSitive|NEGative|BOTH}
:CALCulation:POLarity?

Example :CALCULATION:POLARITY POSITIVE
:CALCULATION:POLARITY?
→:CALCULATION:POLARITY POSITIVE

CALCulation:SUMMation:AVERage?

Function Queries the average value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:AVERage?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:AVERAGE?
→2.4035E-9

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:ELERror?

Function Queries the Effect Length Error when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:ELERror?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:ELERROR?
→1.4425E+1

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:FLUTter?

Function Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:FLUTter?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:FLUTTER?
→1.2887E+1

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:JITTer?

Function Queries the jitter value (σ/T) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:JITTer?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:JITTER?
→1.2366E+1

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:MAXimum?

Function Queries the maximum value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:MAXimum?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:MAXIMUM?
→1.1287E-7

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:MEDian?

Function Queries the median value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:MEDian?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:MEDIAN?
→1.00145E-7

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:MELE?

Function Queries the MELE value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:MELE?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:MELE?
→9.99437E-8

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:MINimum?

Function Queries the maximum value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:MINimum?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:MINIMUM?
→9.99437E-8

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:MODE?

Function Queries the most frequent value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:MODE?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:MODE?
→1.00025E-7

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:PTOPeak?

Function Queries the P-P value when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:PTOPeak?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:PTOPEAK?
→3.0245E-9

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:SDEVIation?

Function Queries the standard deviation (σ) when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:SDEVIation?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:SDEVIATION?
→2.4035E-9

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation:SUMMation:SNUMber?

Function Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics when the all windows are summed during multi-window or auto window mode.

Syntax :CALCulation:SUMMation:SNUMber?

Example :CALCULATION:SUMMATION:SNUMBER?
→1000

Description If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:AVERage?

Function Queries the average value during the histogram display.

Syntax :CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:AVERage?[{ALL | SELEct}]

Example :CALCULATION:WINDOW1:AVERAGE?ALL
→1.00035E-7

Description

- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
- Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.
- Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

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CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:ELERror?

Function	Queries the Effect Length Error value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:ELERror?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:ELERROR?ALL →1.4425E+1
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:FLUTter?

Function	Queries the flutter value (σ /average value) during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:FLUTter?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:FLUTTER?ALL →1.2887E+1
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:JITTer?

Function	Queries the jitter value (σ/T) during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:JITTer?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:JITTER?ALL →1.2366E+1
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MAXimum?

Function	Queries the maximum value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MAXimum?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:MAXIMUM?ALL →1.1287E-7
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MEDian?

Function	Queries the median value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MEDian?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:MEDIAN?ALL →1.00145E-7
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MELE?

Function	Queries the MELE value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MELE?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:MELE?ALL →9.99437E-8
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MINimum?

Function	Queries the minimum value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MINimum?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:MINIMUM?ALL →9.99437E-8
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MODE?

Function	Queries the most frequent value during the histogram display.
Syntax	:CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:MODE?[{ALL SElect}]
Example	:CALCULATION:WINDOW1:MODE?ALL →1.00025E-7
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.• Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.• Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:PTOPeak?

- Function** Queries the P-P value during the histogram display.
- Syntax** :CALCuLation[:WINDow<x>]:PTOPeak?[{ALL | SElect}]
- Example** :CALCULATION:WINDOW1:PTOPEAK?ALL
→3.0245E-9
- Description**
- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
 - Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.
 - Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:SDEVIation?

- Function** Queries the standard deviation (σ) during the histogram display.
- Syntax** :CALCuLation[:WINDow<x>]:SDEVIation?[{ALL | SElect}]
- Example** :CALCULATION:WINDOW1:SDEVIATION?ALL
→2.4035E-9
- Description**
- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
 - Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.
 - Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

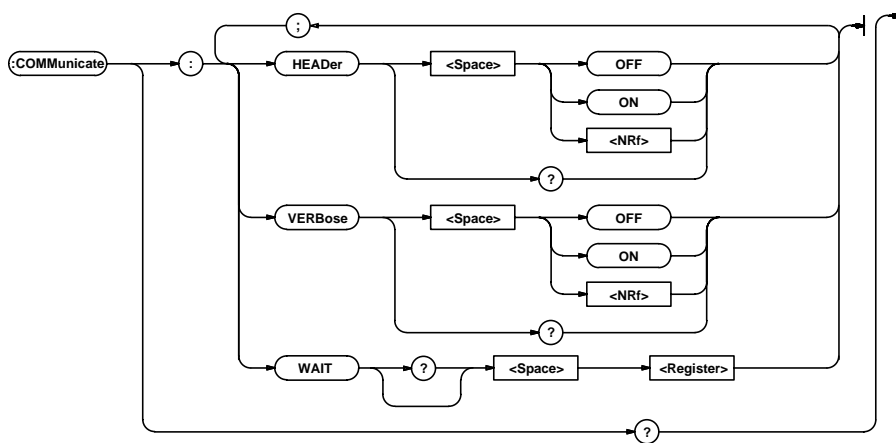
CALCulation[:WINDow<x>]:SNUMber?

- Function** Queries the number of samples on which to calculate the statistics during the histogram display.
- Syntax** :CALCuLation[:WINDow<x>]:SNUMber?[{ALL | SElect}]
- Example** :CALCULATION:WINDOW1:SNUMBER?ALL
→1000
- Description**
- If the statistics are not valid, [NAN] is returned in response to a query.
 - Omit "WINDow<x>" if the window is set to single mode.
 - Omit the data if the inter-symbol interference analysis function is OFF.

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The commands in this group deal with the communication.



COMMunicate?

Function Queries all settings related to communications.
 Syntax :COMMunicate?
 Example :COMMUNICATE?
 →:COMMUNICATE:HEADER 1;VERBOSE 1

COMMunicate:HEADer

Function Sets whether or not to attach headers to query responses or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :COMMunicate:HEADer <Boolean>
 :COMMunicate:HEADer?
 Example :COMMUNICATE:HEADER ON
 :COMMUNICATE:HEADER?
 →:COMMUNICATE:HEADER 1

COMMunicate:VERBose

Function Sets whether or not to use the full or abbreviated form for query responses or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :COMMunicate:VERBose <Boolean>
 :COMMunicate:VERBose?
 Example :COMMUNICATE:VERBOSE OFF
 :COMMUNICATE:VERBOSE?
 →:COMMUNICATE:VERBOSE 0

COMMunicate:WAIT

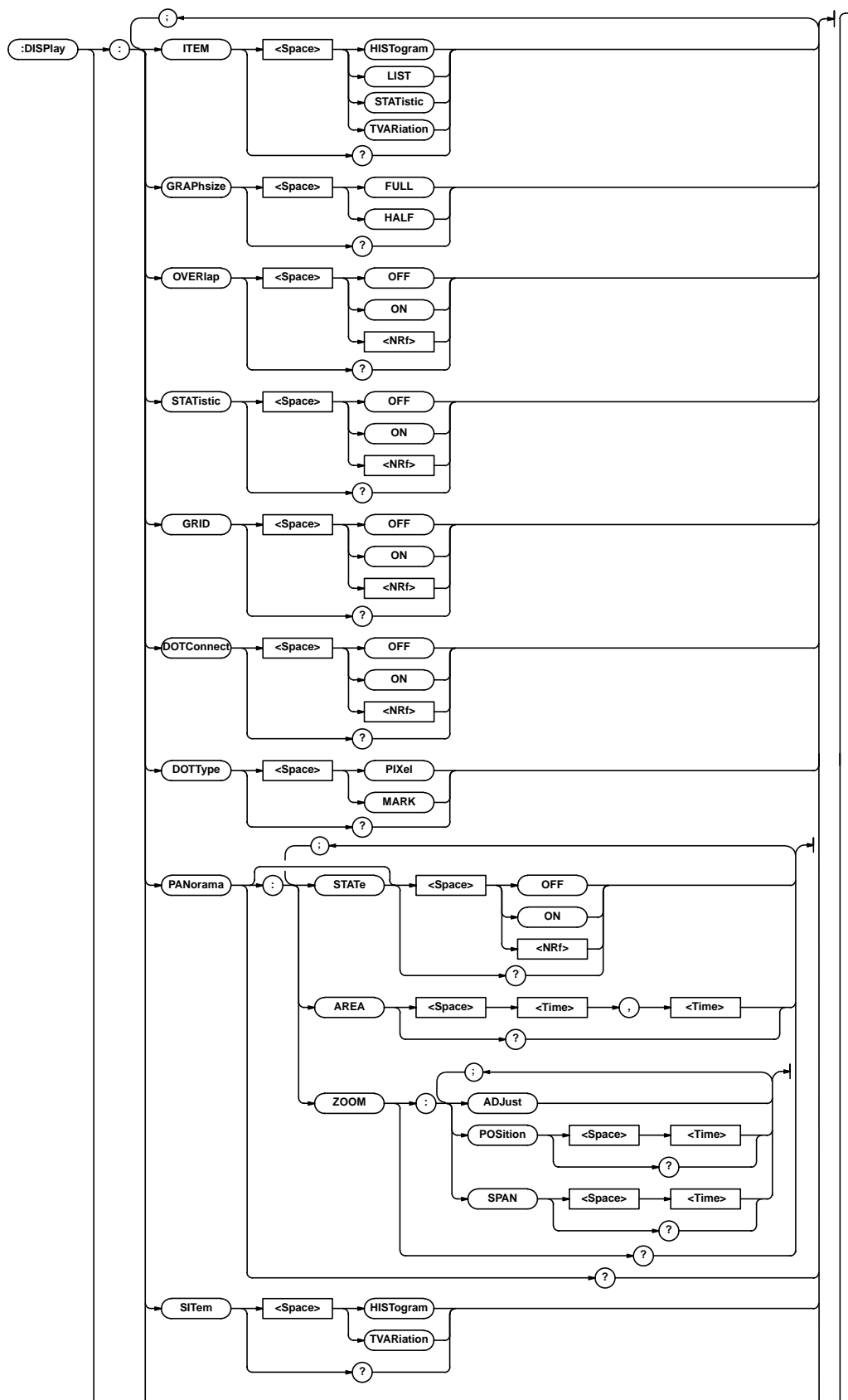
Function Waits for any of the specified extended events to occur.
 Syntax :COMMunicate:WAIT <Register>
 <Register>=0 to 65535
 Example :COMMUNICATE:WAIT 65535

COMMunicate:WAIT?

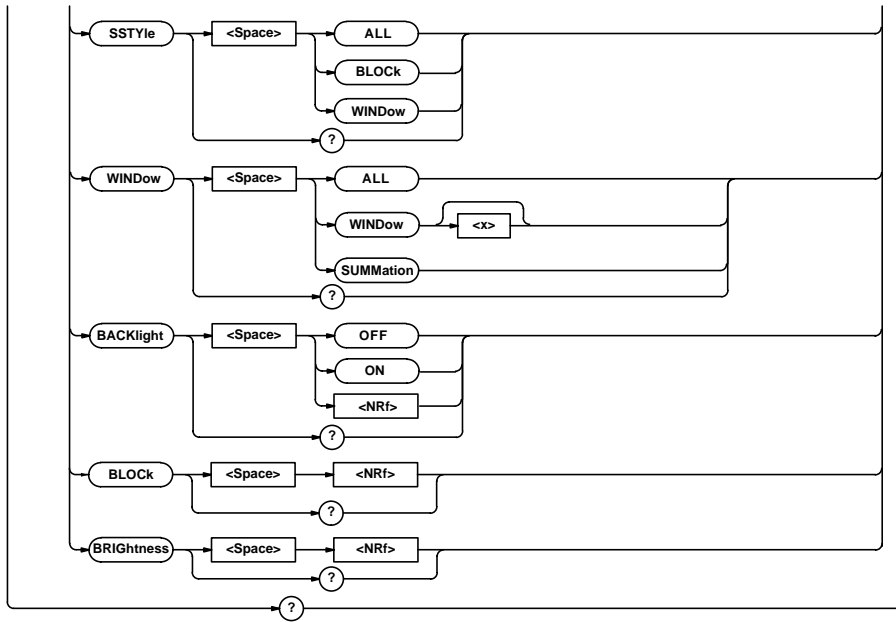
Function Creates a response when any of the specified extended events occurs.
 Syntax :COMMunicate:WAIT?<Register>
 <Register>=0 to 65535
 Example :COMMUNICATE:WAIT?65535→1

3.5 DISPlay Group

The commands in this group deal with display settings.



3.5 DISPlay Group



DISPlay?

Function Queries all settings related to the display.
 Syntax :DISPlay?
 Example :DISPLAY?
 →:DISPLAY:ITEM HISTOGRAM;GRAPHSIZE FULL;STATISTIC 1;PANORAMA:STATE 1; AREA 0.0E-06,0.3E-06;ZOOM: POSITION 100.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06;; DISPLAY:BRIGHTNESS 1

DISPlay:BACKlight

Function Turns ON/OFF the back light or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :DISPlay:BACKlight <Boolean>
 :DISPlay:BACKlight?
 Example :DISPLAY:BACKLIGHT ON
 :DISPLAY:BACKLIGHT?
 →:DISPLAY:BACKLIGHT 1

DISPlay:BLOCk

Function Sets the block to be displayed or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :DISPlay:BLOCk <NRf>
 :DISPlay:BLOCk?
 <NRf>=Block number (1 to number of blocks)
 Example :DISPLAY:BLOCK 1
 :DISPLAY:BLOCK?
 →:DISPLAY:BLOCK 1

Description This command can only be used when the measurement mode is set to time stamp and the block sampling function is turned ON.

DISPlay:BRIGHtness

Function Sets the brightness of the screen or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :DISPlay:BRIGHtness <NRf>
 :DISPlay:BRIGHtness?
 Example :DISPLAY:BRIGHTNESS 1
 :DISPLAY:BRIGHTNESS?
 →:DISPLAY:BRIGHTNESS 1

DISPlay:DOTConnect

Function Turns ON/OFF the dot connection function during the time variation display or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :DISPlay:DOTConnect <Boolean>
 :DISPlay:DOTConnect?
 Example :DISPLAY:DOTCONNECT ON
 :DISPLAY:DOTCONNECT?
 →:DISPLAY:DOTCONNECT 1

DISPlay:DOTType

Function Sets the display format of the measurement point during the time variation display or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :DISPlay:DOTType {PIXel|MARK}
 :DISPlay:DOTType?
 Example :DISPLAY:DOTTYPE PIXEL
 :DISPLAY:DOTTYPE?
 →:DISPLAY:DOTTYPE PIXEL

DISPlay:GRAPhsize

Function Sets the size of the graph display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:GRAPhsize {FULL|HALF}
:DISPlay:GRAPhsize?

Example :DISPlay:GRAPhSIZE FULL
:DISPlay:GRAPhSIZE?
→:DISPlay:GRAPhSIZE FULL

DISPlay:GRID

Function Turns ON/OFF the grid during the time variation display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:GRID <Boolean>
:DISPlay:GRID?

Example :DISPlay:GRID ON
:DISPlay:GRID?
→:DISPlay:GRID 1

DISPlay:ITEM

Function Sets the display format or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:ITEM
{HISTogram|LIST|STATistic|TVARiation}
:DISPlay:ITEM?

Example :DISPlay:ITEM HISTOGRAM
:DISPlay:ITEM?
→:DISPlay:ITEM HISTOGRAM

DISPlay:OVERlap

Function Sets whether or not to superimpose the polarity display (ON/OFF) when measuring both polarities or slopes.

Syntax :DISPlay:OVERlap <Boolean>
:DISPlay:OVERlap?

Example :DISPlay:OVERlap ON
:DISPlay:OVERlap?
→:DISPlay:OVERlap 1

DISPlay:PANorama?

Function Queries all settings related to the panorama display.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:STATE 1;
AREA 0.0E-06,0.3E-06;ZOOM:
POSITION 100.000E-09;
SPAN 0.3E-06

DISPlay:PANorama:AREA

Function Sets the panorama display range or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama:AREA <Time>,<Time>
:DISPlay:PANorama:AREA?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:AREA 0,300ns
:DISPlay:PANORAMA:AREA?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:AREA 0.0E-06,0.3E-06

DISPlay:PANorama[:STATE]

Function Turns ON/OFF the panorama display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama[:STATE] <Boolean>
:DISPlay:PANorama:STATE?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:STATE ON
:DISPlay:PANORAMA:STATE?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:STATE 1

DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM?

Function Queries all settings related to the zoom function of the panorama display.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:
POSITION 100.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06

DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:ADJust

Function Adjusts the zoom setting of the panorama display.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:ADJust

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:ADJUST

DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:POSition

Function Sets the zoom position of the panorama display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:POSition <Time>
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:POSition?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:POSITION 1us
:DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:POSITION?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:
POSITION 1.000000E-06

DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:SPAN

Function Sets the zoom range of the panorama display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:SPAN <Time>
:DISPlay:PANorama:ZOOM:SPAN?

Example :DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:SPAN 300ns
:DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:SPAN?
→:DISPlay:PANORAMA:ZOOM:SPAN 0.3E-06

DISPlay:SITem

Function Sets the type of statistical values to display or queries the current setting.

Syntax :DISPlay:SITem {HISTogram|TVARiation}
:DISPlay:SITem?

Example :DISPlay:SITEM HISTOGRAM
:DISPlay:SITEM?
→:DISPlay:SITEM HISTOGRAM

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DISPlay:SSTyle

Function	Sets the format of the statistics display or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:DISPlay:SSTyle {ALL BLOCk WINDow} :DISPlay:SSTyle?
Example	:DISPLAY:SSTYLE ALL :DISPLAY:SSTYLE? →:DISPLAY:SSTYLE ALL
Description	ALL or WINDow can be specified when the measurement mode is hardware histogram and the window mode is multi-window or auto window. A query in this condition will return ALL or WINDow. ALL or BLOCk can be specified when the measurement mode is time stamp, the block sampling function is ON and the statistics of the time variation are being displayed. A query in this condition will return ALL or BLOCk. This command cannot be issued for conditions other than those specified above.

DISPlay:STATistic

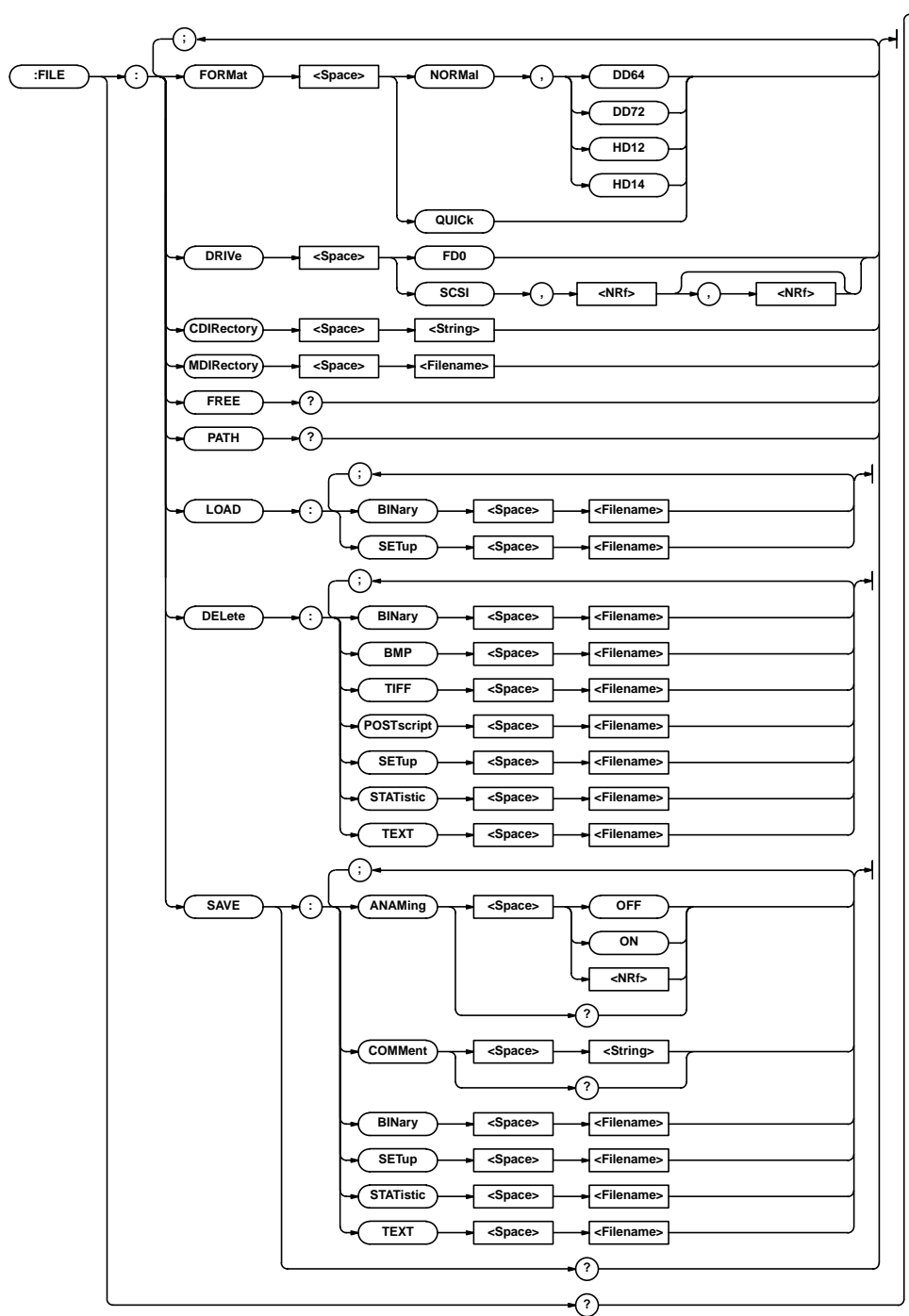
Function	Turns ON/OFF the statistics display during the histogram or time variation display or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:DISPlay:STATistic {<Boolean>} :DISPlay:STATistic?
Example	:DISPLAY:STATISTIC ON :DISPLAY:STATISTIC? →:DISPLAY:STATISTIC 1

DISPlay:WINDow

Function	Sets the window to display or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:DISPlay:WINDow {ALL SUMMation WINDow<x>} :DISPlay:WINDow? <x>=Window number (1 to number of windows)
Example	:DISPLAY:WINDOW ALL :DISPLAY:WINDOW? →:DISPLAY:WINDOW ALL
Description	This command can be used only when the measurement mode is set to hardware histogram and the window is set to multi-window or auto window.

3.6 FILE Group

The commands in this group deal with file operations.



FILE?

Function Queries all settings related to files.
 Syntax :FILE?
 Example :FILE?
 →:FILE:DRIVE FD0;SAVE:ANAMING 1;
 COMMENT "SAMPLE"

FILE:CDIRectory

Function Changes the current directory.
 Syntax :FILE:CDIRectory <string>
 Example :FILE:CDIRECTORY "NO_1"

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FILE:DELeTe:BINary

Function Deletes the binary measurement data file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:BINary <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:BINARY "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:BMP

Function BMP Deletes the screen image file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:BMP <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:BINARY "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:POSTscript

Function Deletes the post script screen image file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:POSTscript <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:POSTSCRIPT "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:SETup

Function Deletes the setup information data file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:SETup <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:SETUP "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:STATistic

Function Deletes the statistics data file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:STATistic <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:STATISTIC "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:TIFF

Function Deletes the TIFF screen image file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:TIFF <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:TIFF "TRASH"

FILE:DELeTe:TEXT

Function Deletes the text measurement data file.
Syntax :FILE:DELeTe:TEXT <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:DELETE:TEXT "TRASH"

FILE:DRIVE

Function Sets the drive.
Syntax :FILE:DRIVE {FD0|SCSI,<Nrf>[,<Nrf>]}
First <Nrf>=SCSI address (0 to 7),
second <Nrf>=partition (1 to 5)
Example :FILE:DRIVE FD0
Description Omit the second <Nrf> when the drive has no partitions set.

FILE:FORMat

Function Formats the floppy disk.
Syntax :FILE:FORMat {NORMAL,(DD64|DD72|HD12|HD14)|QUICK}
Example FILE:FORMAT NORMAL,HD14

FILE:FREE?

Function Queries the drive free space in number of bytes.
Syntax :FILE:FREE?
Example :FILE:FREE?
→163840

FILE:LOAD:BINary

Function Loads the binary measurement data.
Syntax :FILE:LOAD:BINary <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:LOAD:BINARY "TARGET"

FILE:LOAD:SETup

Function Loads the setup information data.
Syntax :FILE:LOAD:SETup <string>
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:LOAD:SETUP "TARGET"

FILE:MDIRECTory

Function Creates a directory.
Syntax :FILE:MDIRECTory <string>
<string>="directory_name" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
Example :FILE:MDIRECTORY "NEW"

FILE:PATH?

Function Queries the current directory.
Syntax :FILE:PATH <string>
:FILE:PATH?
Example :FILE:PATH?
→"_USER1"

FILE:SAVE?

Function Queries all settings related to saving the file.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE?
 Example :FILE:SAVE?
 →:FILE:SAVE:ANAMING 0;COMMENT "SAMPLE"

FILE:SAVE:ANAMing

Function Turns ON/OFF the auto naming function for saving files or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:ANAMing <Boolean>
 :FILE:SAVE:ANAMing?
 Example :FILE:SAVE:ANAMING ON
 :FILE:SAVE:ANAMING?
 →:FILE:SAVE:ANAMING 1

FILE:SAVE:BINary

Function Saves the measured data in binary format.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:BINary <string>
 <string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
 Example :FILE:SAVE:BINARY "TARGET"

FILE:SAVE:COMMeNt

Function Sets a comment in the top left corner of the screen or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:COMMeNt <string>
 :FILE:SAVE:COMMeNt?
 <string>="comment" (25 characters or less, see the User's Manual for TA520)
 Example :FILE:SAVE:COMMENT "SAMPLE"
 :FILE:SAVE:COMMENT?
 →:FILE:SAVE:COMMENT "SAMPLE"

FILE:SAVE:SETup

Function Saves the setup information data.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:SETup <string>
 <string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
 Example :FILE:SAVE:SETUP "TARGET"

FILE:SAVE:STATistic

Function Saves the statistical data.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:STATistic <string>
 <string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
 Example :FILE:SAVE:STATISTIC "TARGET"

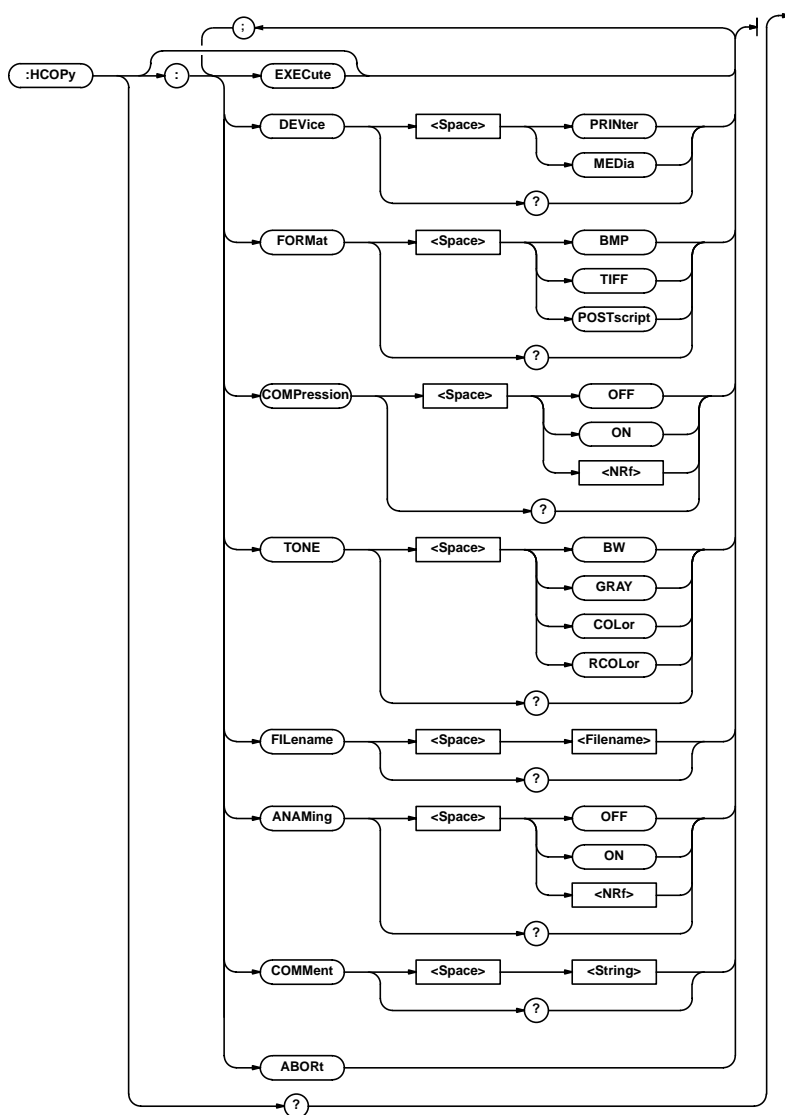
FILE:SAVE:TEXT

Function Saves the measured data in text format.
 Syntax :FILE:SAVE:TEXT <string>
 <string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)
 Example :FILE:SAVE:TEXT "TARGET"

3.7 HCOPY Group

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The commands in this group deal with the output of screen image data.



HCOPY?

Function Queries all settings related to the output of the screen image data.

Syntax :HCOPY?

Example :HCOPY?
→:HCOPY:DEVICE PRINTER;COMMENT "SAMPLE"

HCOPY:ABORt

Function Aborts the hard copy.

Syntax :HCOPY:ABORt

Example :HCOPY:ABORT

HCOPY:ANAMing

Function Turns ON/OFF the auto naming function for saving the screen image to files or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOPY:ANAMing <Boolean>

:HCOPY:ANAMing?

Example :HCOPY:ANAMING ON
:HCOPY:ANAMING?
→:HCOPY:ANAMING 1

HCOpy:COMMeNt

Function Sets a comment in the top left corner of the screen or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOpy:COMMeNt <string>
:HCOpy:COMMeNt?
<string>="comment" (25 characters or less, see the User's Manual for TA520)

Example :HCOpy:COMMeNt "SAMPLE"
:HCOpy:COMMeNt?
→:HCOpy:COMMeNt "SAMPLE"

HCOpy:COMPreSSion

Function Turns ON/OFF the compression when saving the screen image in BMP or TIFF format or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOpy:COMPreSSion <Boolean>
:HCOpy:COMPreSSion?

Example :HCOpy:COMPreSSion ON
:HCOpy:COMPreSSion?
→:HCOpy:COMPreSSion 1

HCOpy:DEVIce

Function Sets the output destination of the screen image or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOpy:DEVIce {PRINter|MEDia}
:HCOpy:DEVIce?

Example :HCOpy:DEVIce PRINter
:HCOpy:DEVIce?
→:HCOpy:DEVIce PRINter

HCOpy[:EXECute]

Function Executes a hard copy of the screen image.

Syntax :HCOpy[:EXECute]

Example :HCOpy:EXECUTE

HCOpy:FILEName

Function Sets the name of the file in which to save the screen image or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOpy:FILEName <string>
:HCOpy:FILEName?
<string>="filename" (8 characters or less, see User's Manual for TA520)

Example :HCOpy:FILENAME "KEEP"
:HCOpy:FILENAME?
→:HCOpy:FILENAME "KEEP"

HCOpy:FORMat

Function Sets the format of the file in which to save the screen image or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HCOpy:FORMat {BMP|TIFF|POSTscript}

Example :HCOpy:FORMat BMP
:HCOpy:FORMat?
→:HCOpy:FORMat BMP

HCOpy:TONE

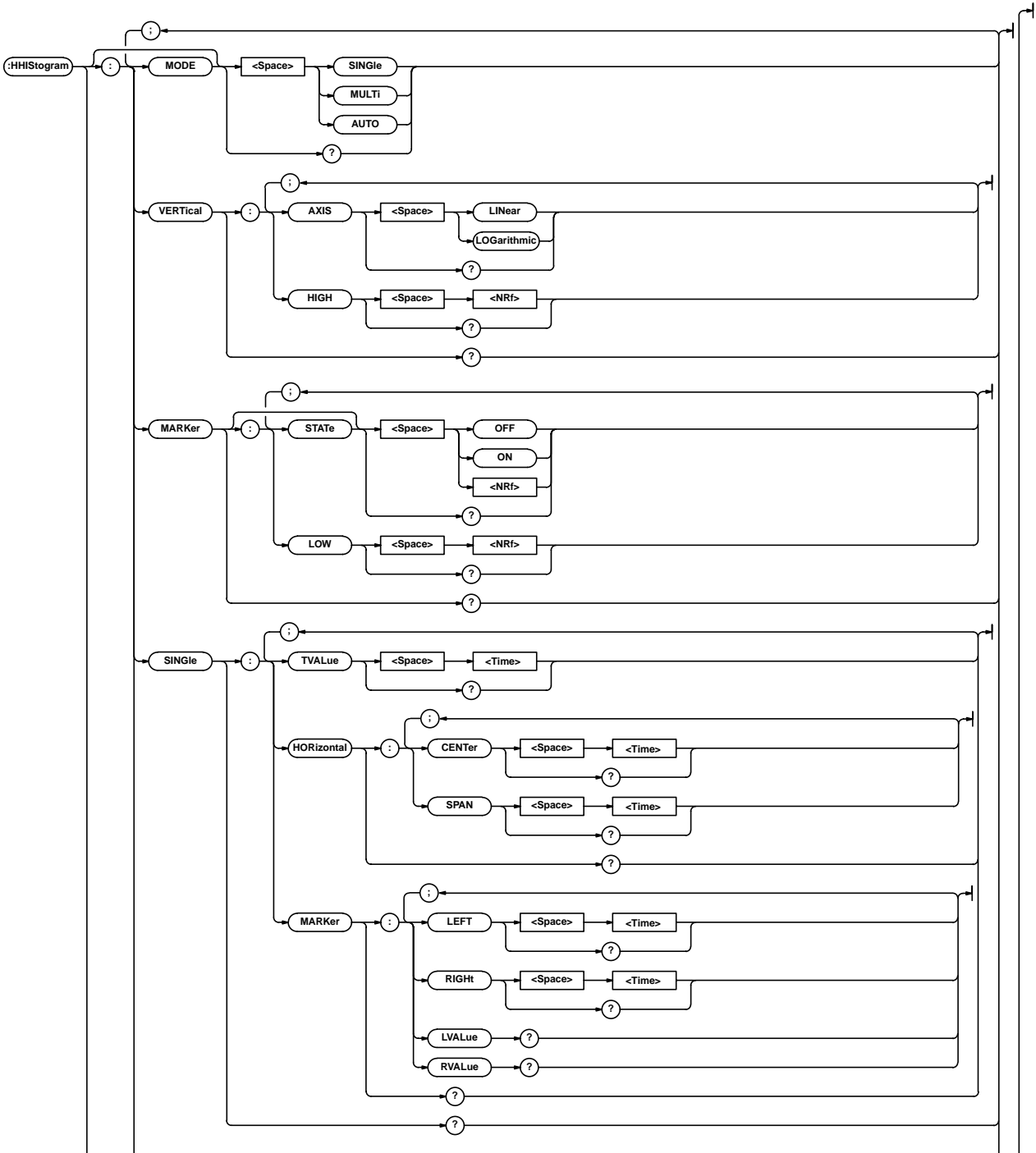
Function Sets the color for saving the screen image or queries the current setting.

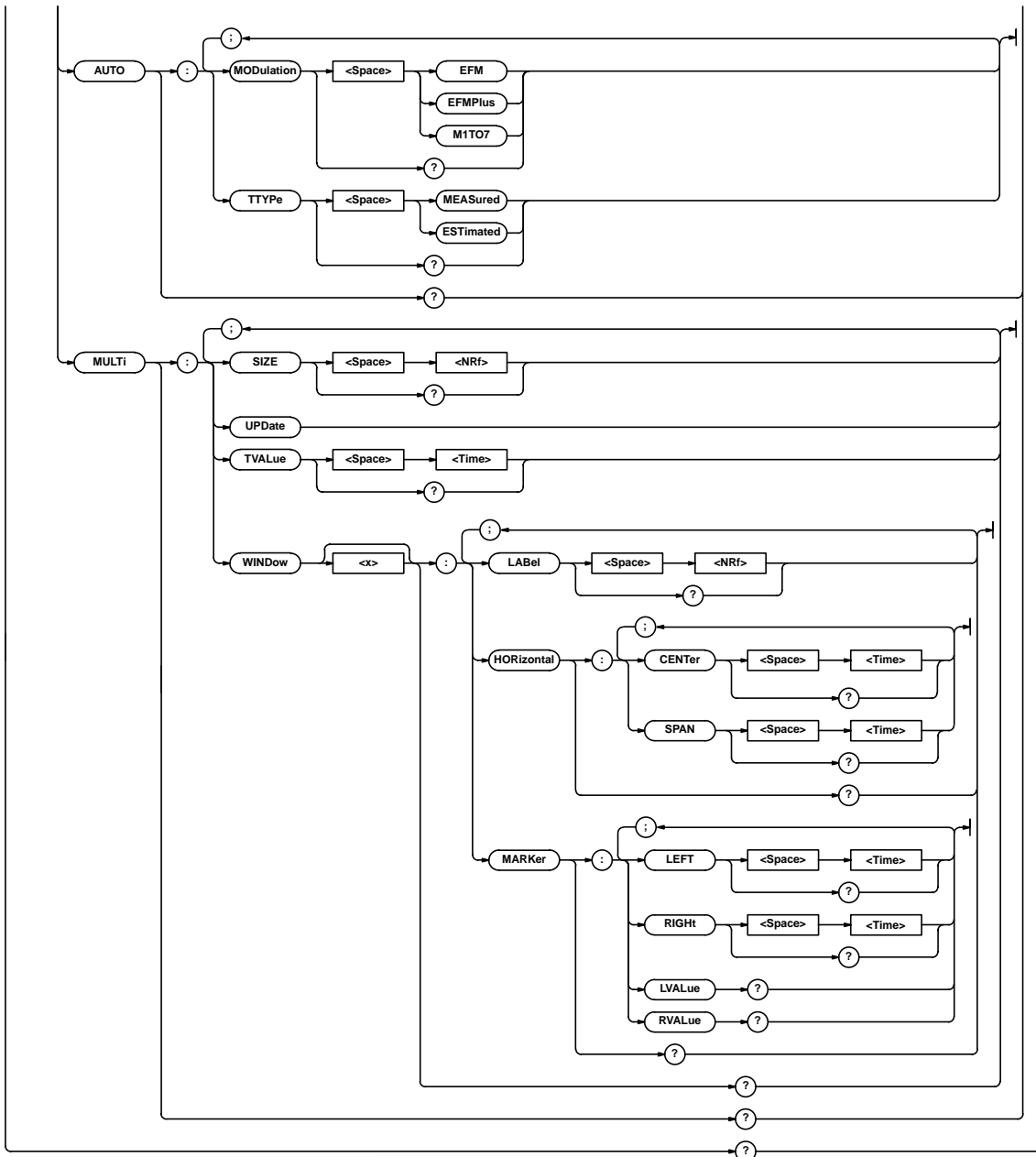
Syntax :HCOpy:TONE {BW|GRAY|COLor|RCOLor}

Example :HCOpy:TONE BW
:HCOpy:TONE?
→:HCOpy:TONE BW

3.8 HHistogram Group

The commands in this group deal with the histogram settings of the hardware histogram mode.





HHIStogram?

Function Queries all settings related to the histogram display during the hardware histogram mode.

Syntax :HHIStogram?

Example :HHISTOGRAM?
 →:HHISTOGRAM:MODE SINGLE;VERTICAL :
 AXIS LINEAR;HIGH1.0E+03;:HHISTOGRAM:
 MARKER:STATE 1;LOW 0.1E+03;:HHISTOGRAM:
 SINGLE:TVALUE 100.000E-09;HORIZONTAL:
 CENTER 150.000E-06;SPAN 0.3E-6;:
 HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:
 LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHIStogram:AUTO?

Function Queries all settings related to the auto window mode.

Syntax :HHIStogram:AUTO?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:AUTO?
 →:HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:MODULATION EFM

HHIStogram:AUTO:MODulation

Function Sets the modulation method during auto window mode or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:AUTO:MODulation {EFM|EFMPlus|M1T07}

Example :HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:MODULATION EFM
 :HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:MODULATION?
 →:HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:MODULATION EFM

3.8 HHIStogram Group

HHIStogram:AUTO:TTYPe

Function Sets how the constant T is determined during the auto window mode or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:AUTO:TTYPe {MEASured|ESTimated}
:HHIStogram:AUTO:TTYPe?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:TTYPE MEASURED
:HHIStogram:AUTO:TTYPe?
→:HHISTOGRAM:AUTO:TTYPE MEASURED

HHIStogram:MARKer?

Function Queries all settings related to the marker.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MARKer?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MARKER?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:STATE 1;LOW 0.1E+03

HHIStogram:MARKer:LOW

Function Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MARKer:LOW <NRf>
:HHIStogram:MARKer:LOW?
<NRf>=Frequency

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW 100
:HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW 0.1E+03

HHIStogram:MARKer[:STATe]

Function Turns ON/OFF the markers or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MARKer[:STATe] <Boolean>
:HHIStogram:MARKer:STATe?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:STATE ON
:HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:STATE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MARKER:STATE 1

HHIStogram:MODE

Function Sets the mode or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram[:MODE] {SINGle|MULTi|AUTO}
:HHIStogram:MODE?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MODE SINGLE
:HHISTOGRAM:MODE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MODE SINGLE

HHIStogram:MULTi?

Function Queries all settings related to the multi-window mode.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:SIZE 1;
TVALUE 100.000E-09;WINDOW1:LABEL 3;
HORIZONTAL:CENTER 150.000E-09;
SPAN 0.3E-06;;HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:
MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;
RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHIStogram:MULTi:SIZE

Function Sets the number of windows or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi:SIZE <NRf>
:HHIStogram:MULTi:SIZE?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:SIZE 10
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:SIZE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:SIZE 10

HHIStogram:MULTi:TVALue

Function Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi:TVALue <Time>
:HHIStogram:MULTi:TVALue?
<Time>=1 ns to 250 ns(in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:TVALUE 100ns
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:TVALUE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:TVALUE 100.000E-09

HHIStogram:MULTi:UPDate

Function Changes the window setting based on the value of the constant T.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi:UPDate

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:UPDATE

HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>?

Function Queries all settings related to each window.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3;
HORIZONTAL:CENTER 150.000E-09;
SPAN 0.3E-06;;HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:
MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;
RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of each window.

Syntax :HHIStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: CENTER

Function Sets the center position of the horizontal axis of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHISStogram:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: CENTER <Time>
:HHISStogram:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: CENTER? <Time>=-50 ns to 3.2 μ s (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL: CENTER 150ns
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL: CENTER?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1: HORIZONTAL: CENTER 150.000E-09

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: SPAN

Function Sets the width of the horizontal axis of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: SPAN <Time>
:HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:HORizontal: SPAN? <Time>=1.5 ns,3 ns,7.5 ns,15 ns,30 ns,60 ns,150 ns,300 ns,600 ns,1.5 μ s,3 μ s,6 μ s

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL: SPAN 300ns
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL: SPAN?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1: HORIZONTAL: SPAN 0.3E-06

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:LABel

Function Sets the label of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:LABel <Nrf>
:HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:LABel? <Nrf>=1 to 32

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:LABEL?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1: LABEL 3

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis marker of each window.

Syntax :HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER?
→:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT

Function Sets the position of the left marker of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer: LEFT <Time>
:HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT? <Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: LEFT 100ns
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: LEFT? →:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: LEFT 100.000E-09

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LVALue?

Function Queries the frequency at the position of the left marker.

Syntax :HHISStogram:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LVALue?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:WINDOW1:MARKER:LVALUE?
→1.234E+03

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT

Function Sets the position of the right marker of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer: RIGHT <Time>
:HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer: RIGHT? <Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: RIGHT 200ns
:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: RIGHT? →:HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:MARKER: RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHISStogram:MULTi:WINDow<x>:MARKer: RVALue?

Function Queries the frequency at the position of the right marker.

Syntax :HHISStogram:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RVALue?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:WINDOW1:MARKER:RVALUE?
→1.234E+03

HHISStogram:SINGLE?

Function Queries all settings related to single window.

Syntax :HHISStogram:SINGLE?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:TVALUE 100.000E-09; HORIZONTAL: CENTER 150.000E-06; SPAN 0.3E-6; :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER: LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHT 200.000E-09

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HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of the single window.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-06;SPAN 0.3E-6

HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:CENTER

Function Sets the center position of the horizontal axis of the window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER <Time>
:HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:CENTER?
<Time>=-50 ns to 3.2 μs (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150ns
:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:CENTER?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09

HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:SPAN

Function Sets the width of the horizontal axis of the window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
SPAN <Time>
:HHistogram:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:SPAN?
<Time>=1.5 ns,3 ns,7.5 ns,15 ns,30 ns,60 ns,150 ns,300 ns,600 ns,1.5 μs,3 μs,6 μs

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 300ns
:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:SPAN?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:HORIZONTAL:
SPAN 0.3E-06

HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis marker.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:
LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:LEFT

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis marker.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:LEFT <Time>
:HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:LEFT?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:LEFT 100ns
:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:LEFT?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:
LEFT 100.000E-09

HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:LVALUE?

Function Queries the frequency at the position of the left marker.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:LVALUE?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:LVALUE?
→1.234E+03

HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:RIGHT

Function Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:RIGHT <Time>
:HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:RIGHT?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:RIGHT 200ns
:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:RIGHT?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:
RIGHT 200.000E-09

HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:RVALUE?

Function Queries the frequency at the position of the right marker.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:MARKER:RVALUE?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:MARKER:RVALUE?
→1.234E+03

HHistogram:SINGLE:TVALUE

Function Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHistogram:SINGLE:TVALUE <Time>
:HHistogram:SINGLE:TVALUE?
<Time>=1 ns to 250 ns (in 25 ps steps)

Example :HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:TVALUE 100ns
:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:TVALUE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:TVALUE 100.000E-09

HHistogram:VERTICAL?

Function Queries all settings related to the vertical axis during the hardware histogram mode.

Syntax :HHistogram:VERTICAL?

Example :HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL?
→:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR;
HIGH 1.0E+03

HHistogram:VERTICAL:AXIS

Function Sets the type of vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.

Syntax :HHistogram:VERTICAL:AXIS {LINEAR|LOGarithmic}

Example :HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS?
:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR
:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS?
→:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR

HHistogram:VERTical:HIGH

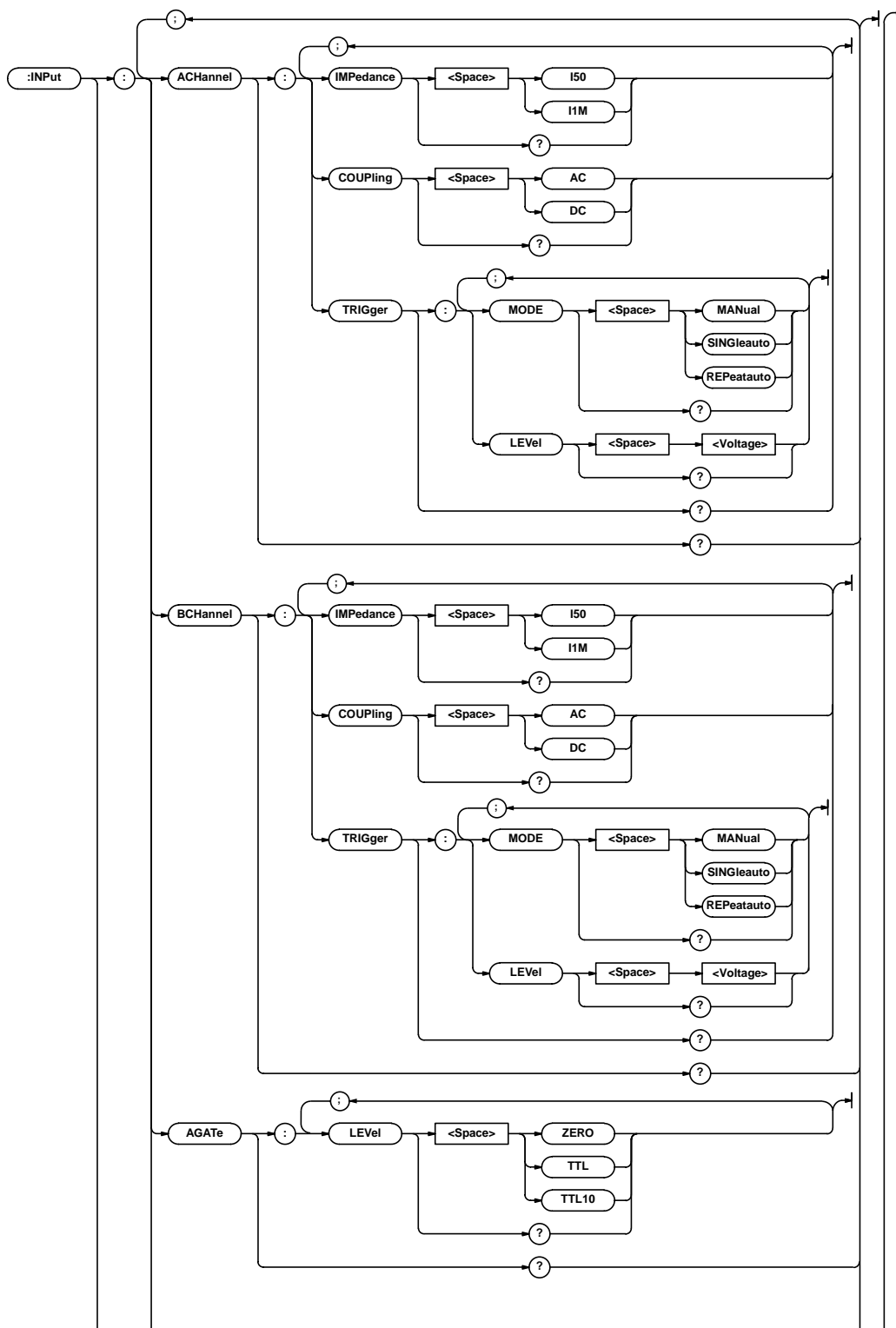
Function Sets the upper limit of the vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.

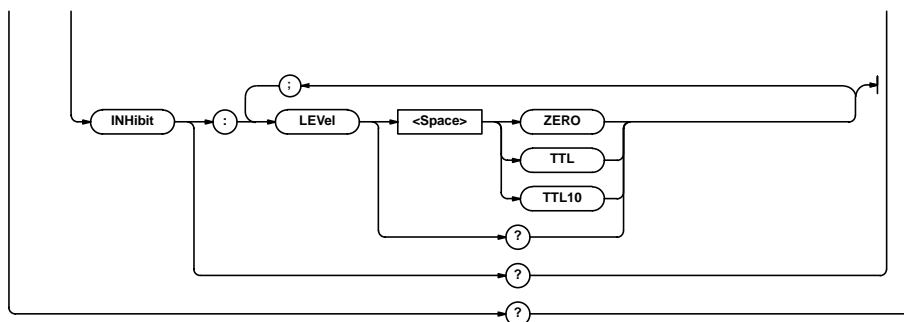
Syntax :HHistogram:VERTical:HIGH <NRf>
:HHistogram:VERTical:HIGH?
<NRf>=Upper frequency limit
For linear scale
10,20,40,100,200,400,1000,...,1000000,
1E+7,1E+8,1E+9
For logarithmic scale
1E+1,1E+2,...,1E+9

Example :HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGH 1000
:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGH?
→:HHISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGH 1.0E+03

3.9 INPut Group

The commands in this group deal with the input section.



**INPut?**

Function Queries all settings related to the input section.

Syntax :INPut?

Example :INPUT?

```
→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M;
COUPLING DC;TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL;
LEVEL 2.500E+00;:INPUT:BCHANNEL:
IMPEDANCE I1M;COUPLING DC;TRIGGER:
MODE MANUAL;LEVEL 2.500E+00;:INPUT:
AGATE:LEVEL ZERO;:INPUT:INHIBIT ZERO
```

INPut:ACHannel?

Function Queries all settings related to channel A.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel?

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL?

```
→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M;
COUPLING DC;TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL;
LEVEL 2.500E+00
```

INPut:ACHannel:COUPLing

Function Sets the coupling of channel A or queries the current setting.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:COUPLing {AC|DC}

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:COUPLing?

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL:COUPLING DC

```
:INPUT:ACHANNEL:COUPLING?
→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:COUPLING DC
```

INPut:ACHannel:IMPedance

Function Sets the input impedance of channel A or queries the current setting.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:IMPedance {I50|I1M}

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:IMPedance?

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M

```
:INPUT:ACHANNEL:IMPEDANCE?
→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M
```

INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger?

Function Queries all settings related to the trigger of channel A.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger?

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER?

```
→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL;
LEVEL 2.500E+00
```

INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:LEVel

Function Sets the trigger level of channel A or queries the current setting.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:LEVel <voltage>

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:LEVel?

During trigger manual mode

<level>=-5V to +5V (in 1 mV steps)

During trigger signal/repeat auto

<level>=0 to 100% (in 1% steps)

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:LEVEL 2.5V

:INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:LEVEL?

→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:

LEVEL 2.500E+00

INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:MODE

Function Sets the trigger mode of channel A or queries the current setting.

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:MODE

{MANual|SINGleauto|REPEatauto}

Syntax :INPut:ACHannel:TRIGger:MODE?

Example :INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL

:INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE?

→:INPUT:ACHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL

INPut:AGATe?

Function Queries all settings related to arming and the external gate.

Syntax :INPut:AGATe?

Example :INPUT:AGATE?

→:INPUT:AGATE:LEVEL ZERO

Description Since the external arming signal input terminal is shared with the external gate input terminal, the settings apply to both.

INPut:AGATe:LEVel

Function Sets the arming or gate level or queries the current setting.

Syntax :INPut:AGATe:LEVel {ZERO|TTL|TTL10}

Syntax :INPut:AGATe:LEVel?

Example :INPUT:AGATE:LEVEL ZERO

:INPUT:AGATE:LEVEL?

→:INPUT:AGATE:LEVEL ZERO

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INPut:BCChannel?

Function Queries all settings related to channel B.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel?
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M;
COUPLING DC;TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL;
LEVEL 2.500E+00

INPut:BCChannel:COUPLing

Function Sets the coupling of channel B or queries the current setting.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel:COUPLing {AC|DC}
:INPut:BCChannel:COUPLing?
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL:COUPLING DC
:INPUT:BCHANNEL:COUPLING?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:COUPLING DC

INPut:BCChannel:IMPedance

Function Sets the input impedance of channel B or queries the current setting.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel:IMPedance {I50|I1M}
:INPut:BCChannel:IMPedance?
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M
:INPUT:BCHANNEL:IMPEDANCE?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:IMPEDANCE I1M

INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger?

Function Queries all settings related to the trigger of channel B.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger?
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL;
LEVEL 2.500E+00

INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:LEVel

Function Sets the trigger level of channel B or queries the current setting.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:LEVel <voltage>
:INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:LEVel?
During trigger manual mode
<level>=-5V to +5V (in 1 mV steps)
During trigger single/repeat auto
<level>=0 to 100% (in 1% steps)
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:LEVEL 2.5V
:INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:LEVEL?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:
LEVEL 2.500E+00

INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:MODE

Function Sets the trigger mode of channel B or queries the current setting.
Syntax :INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:MODE {MANUAL|SINGLEauto|REPeatauto}
:INPut:BCChannel:TRIGger:MODE?
Example :INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL
:INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE?
→:INPUT:BCHANNEL:TRIGGER:MODE MANUAL

INPut:INHibit?

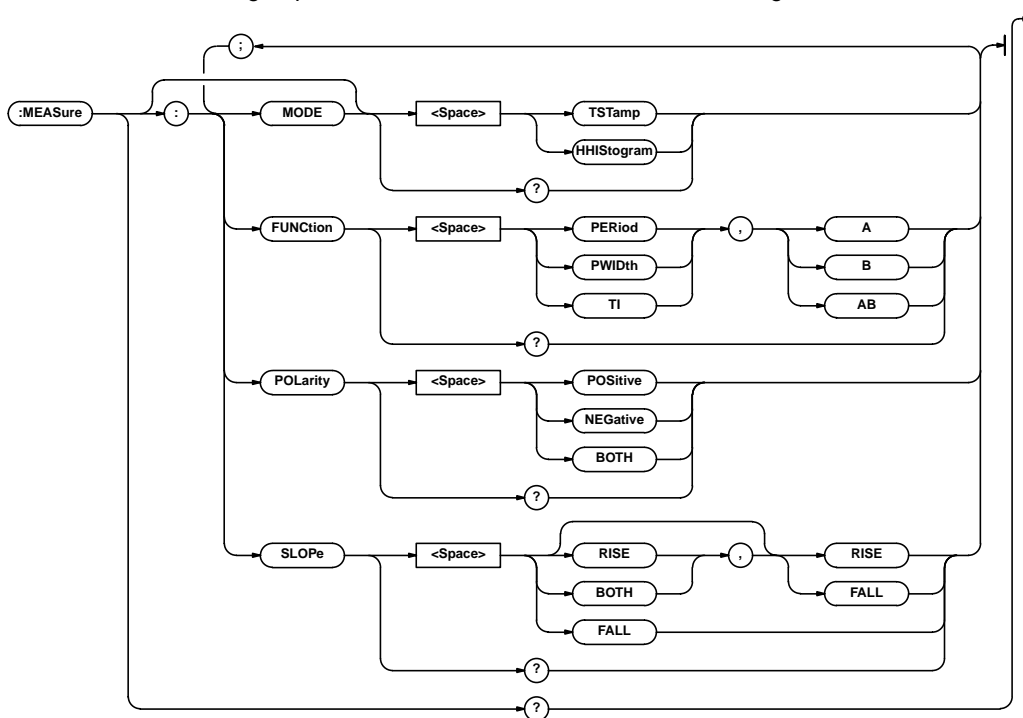
Function Queries all settings related to the inhibit function.
Syntax :INPut:INHibit?
Example :INPUT:INHIBIT?
→:INPUT:INHIBIT:LEVEL ZERO

INPut:INHibit:LEVel

Function Sets the inhibit level or queries the current setting.
Syntax :INPut:INHibit:LEVel {ZERO|TTL|TTL10}
:INPut:INHibit:LEVel?
Example :INPUT:INHIBIT:LEVEL ZERO
:INPUT:INHIBIT:LEVEL?
→:INPUT:INHIBIT:LEVEL ZERO

3.10 MEASure Group

The commands in this group deal with the measurement condition settings.



MEASure?

Function Queries all settings related to the measurement conditions.

Syntax :MEASure?

Example :MEASURE?

```
→:MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM;
FUNCTION PERIOD,A;SLOPE RISE
```

MEASure:FUNCTION

Function Sets the measurement function or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEASure:FUNCTION {PERiod|PWIDth|TI},{A|B|AB}

:MEASure:FUNCTION?

Example :MEASURE:FUNCTION PERIOD,A

:MEASURE:FUNCTION?

```
→:MEASURE:FUNCTION PERIOD,A
```

Description A or B can be specified for the second parameter when measuring the period or pulse width. AB can only be specified when measuring the time interval.

MEASure:MODE

Function Sets the sampling mode or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEASure[:MODE] {TSTamp|HHIStoqram}

:MEASure:MODE?

Example :MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM

:MEASURE:MODE?

```
→:MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM
```

MEASure:POLarity

Function Sets the polarity during the pulse width measurement or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEASure:POLarity {POSitive|NEGative|BOTH}

:MEASure:POLarity?

Example :MEASURE:POLARITY POSITIVE

:MEASURE:POLARITY?

```
→:MEASURE:POLARITY POSITIVE
```

MEASure:SLOPe

Function Sets or queries the slope during period or time interval measurement.

Syntax :MEASure:SLOPe [{RISE|FALL|BOTH},]{RISE|FALL}

:MEASure:SLOPe?

Example **For period measurements**

:MEASURE:SLOPE RISE

:MEASURE:SLOPE?

```
→:MEASURE:SLOPE RISE
```

For time interval measurements

:MEASURE:SLOPE BOTH,RISE

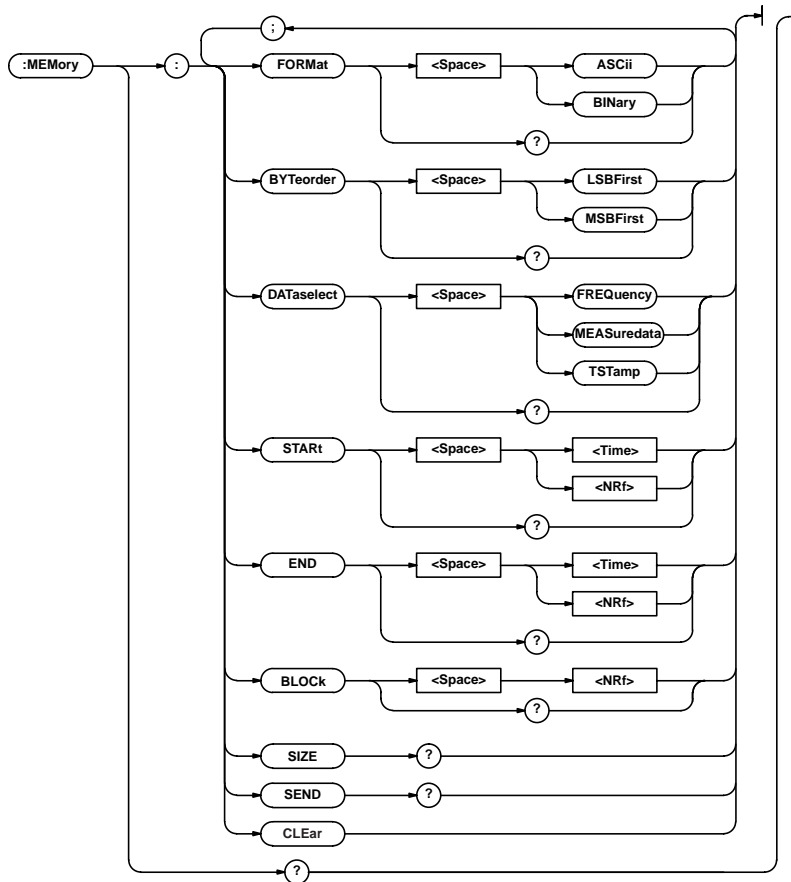
:MEASURE:SLOPE?

```
→:MEASURE:SLOPE BOTH,RISE
```

Description RISE or FALL can be specified for the first parameter and none for the second parameter when measuring the period. When measuring the time interval, RISE, FALL, or BOTH can be specified for the first parameter and RISE or FALL for the second parameter.

3.11 MEMory Group

The commands in this group deal with the transmission of the measured data to external devices.



MEMory?

Function Queries all settings related to the transmission of the measured data to external devices.

Syntax :MEMory?

Example :MEMORY?

```

->:MEMORY:DATASELECT FREQUENCY;
FORMAT ASCII;BYTEORDER LSBFIRST;
START 0.000E-09;END 1.000E-09;BLOCK 1
    
```

MEMory:BLOCK

Function Sets the block during block sampling or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEMory:BLOCK <NRf>

:MEMory:BLOCK?

Example :MEMORY:BLOCK 1

:MEMORY:BLOCK?

->:MEMORY:BLOCK 1

MEMory:BYTEorder

Function Sets the transmission byte order of the binary data or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEMory:BYTEorder {LSBFirst|MSBFirst}

:MEMory:BYTEorder?

Example :MEMORY:BYTEORDER LSBFIRST

:MEMORY:BYTEORDER?

->:MEMORY:BYTEORDER LSBFIRST

MEMory:CLear

Function Clears the measured data.

Syntax :MEMory:CLear

Example MEMORY:CLEAR

MEMory:DATaselect

Function Sets the data to transmit or queries the current setting.

Syntax :MEMory:DATaselect {TSTamp|MEASuredata|FREQuency}

:MEMory:DATaselect?

Example :MEMORY:DATASELECT TSTAMP

:MEMORY:DATASELECT?

->:MEMORY:DATASELECT TSTAMP

Description If time stamp (TSTamp) is specified when the measurement mode is set to histogram or frequency (FREQuency) is specified when the mode is set to time stamp, an error occurs when executing the MEMory:SEND?command.

MEMory:END

Function	Sets the data to transmit or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:MEMory:END <NRf> :MEMory:END?
	During time stamp mode, <NRf>=Number of points(1 to 512,000)
	During hardware histogram mode, <Time>=-3.5 ns to 3.2 ms (in 25 ps steps)
Example	:MEMORY:END 1ns :MEMORY:END? →:MEMORY:END 1.000E-09

MEMory:FORMat

Function	Sets the format of the transmission data or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:MEMory:FORMat {ASCIi BINary}
Example	:MEMORY:FORMAT ASCII :MEMORY:FORMAT? →:MEMORY:FORMAT ASCII

MEMory:SEND?

Function	Queries (transmits) the measured data specified with the "MEMory:DATaselect" command.
Syntax	:MEMory:SEND?
Example	:MEMORY:SEND? →#800000016abcdabceabcfabcg
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When the transmission format is ASCII, the response data in <NR3> format are output the number of times equal to the number of data points separated by commas (,). When the format is BINARY, a single block of data is output. The conversion equation from the binary data to the real number is as follows: For hardware histogram mode Frequency (FREQuency): Stored as an unsigned four-byte integer Measured data (MEASuredata): Consider it an unsigned four-byte integer. The measured value is this number multiplied by 25 ps.

For time stamp mode

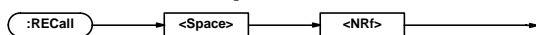
Frequency (FREQuency):
Frequency cannot be output directly in the time stamp mode.
Measured data (MEASuredata):
Consider it an unsigned four-byte integer.
The measured value is this number multiplied by 25 ps.
Time stamp value (TSTamp):
Consider it an unsigned four-byte integer.
The time stamp value is this number multiplied the following times.
When the sampling interval is 0 (MINimum):
:100 ns
When the sampling interval is 1 μs or longer:
:1 μs

MEMory:SIZE?

Function	Queries the number of measured data points.
Syntax	:MEMory:SIZE?
Example	:MEMORY:SIZE? →10000
Description	[NAN] is returned when the sampling mode is set to hardware histogram.

MEMory:START

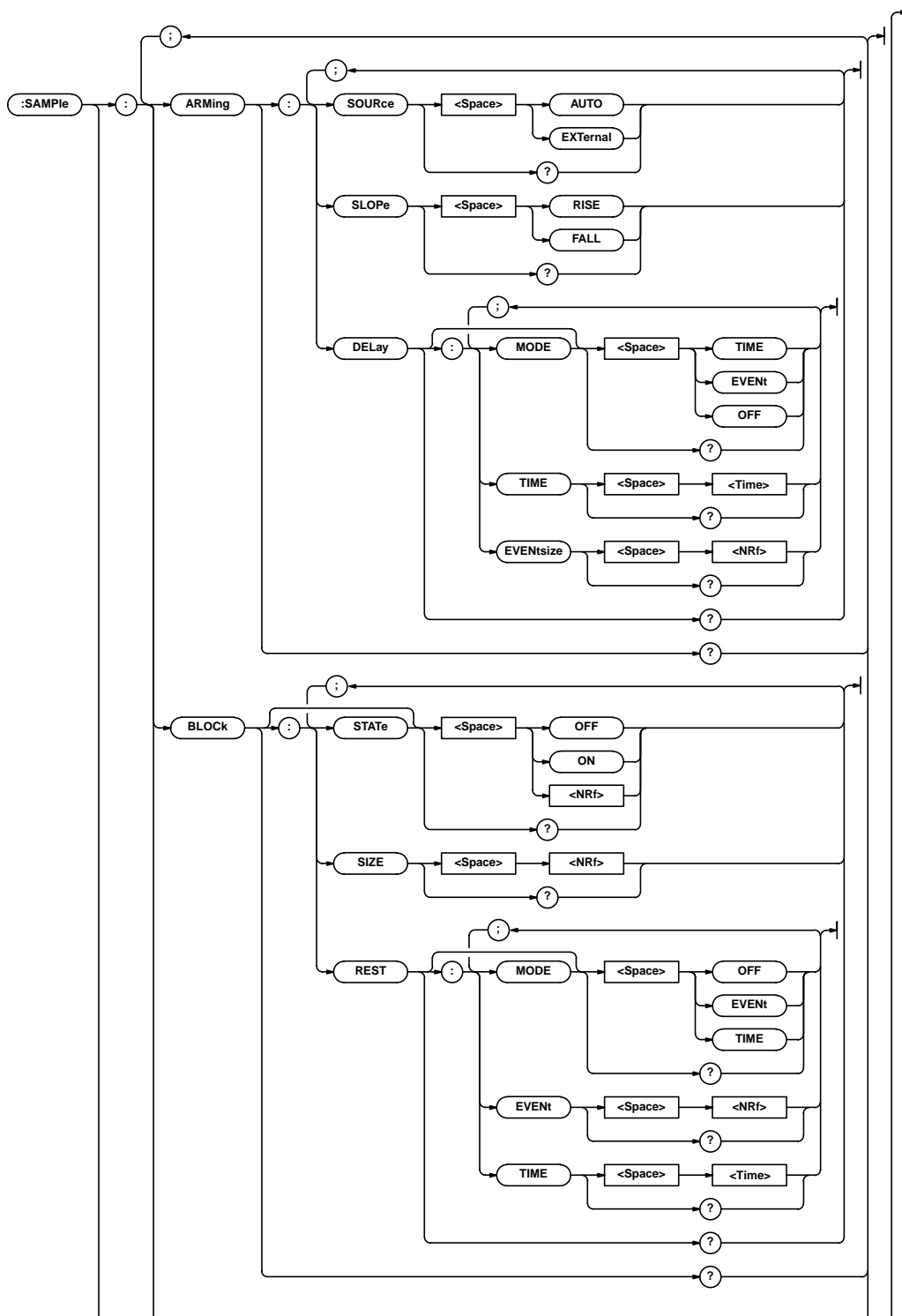
Function	Sets the data position of the start of the transmission or queries the current setting.
Syntax	:MEMory:START <NRf> :MEMory:START?
	During time stamp mode, <NRf>=Number of points(1 to 512,000)
	During hardware histogram mode, <Time>=-3.5 ns to 3.2 μs (in 25 ps steps)
Example	:MEMORY:START 1ns :MEMORY:START? →:MEMORY:START 1.000E-09

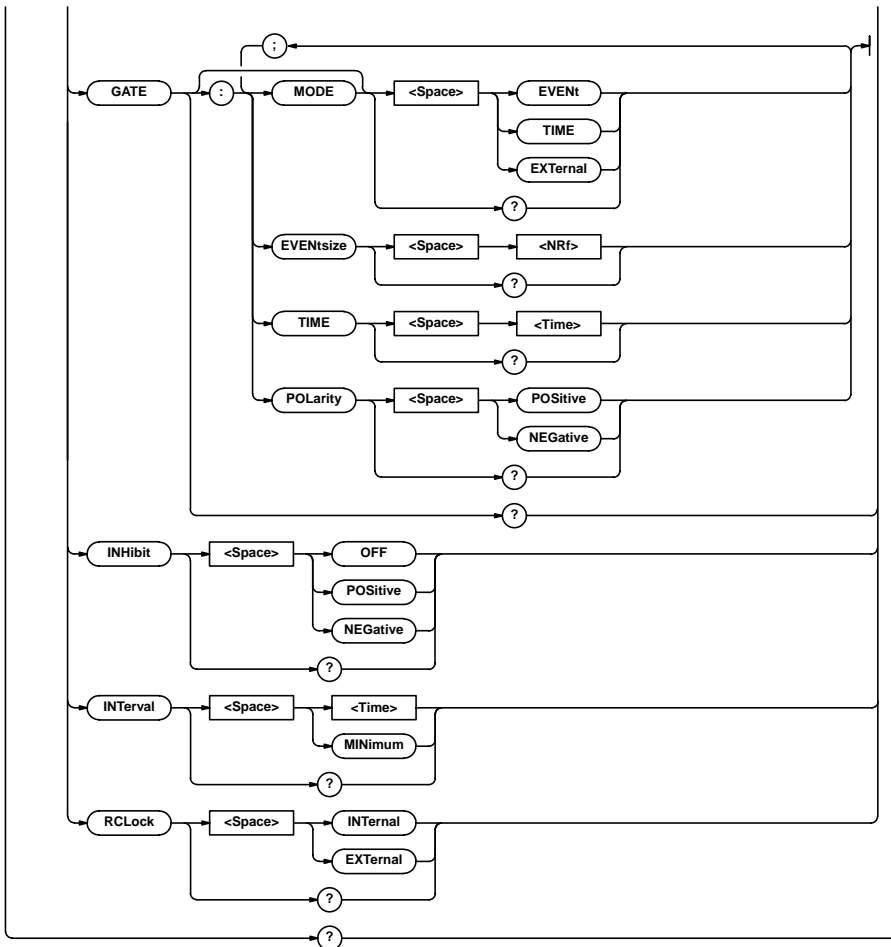
3.12 RECall Group**RECall**

Function	Recalls the setup information.
Syntax	RECall <NRf> <NRf>=0 to 9
Example	RECALL 0

3.13 SAMPlE Group

The commands in this group deal with the sampling condition settings.



**SAMPlE?**

Function Queries all settings related to sampling.
 Syntax :SAMPlE?
 Example :SAMPlE?
 →:SAMPLE:ARMING:MODE OFF; :SAMPLE:BLOCK:
 STATE 0; :SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT;
 EVENTSIZE 1000; :SAMPLE:INHIBIT OFF;
 RCLock INTERNAL

SAMPlE:ARMing?

Function Queries all settings related to the arming
 function.
 Syntax :SAMPlE:ARMing?
 Example :SAMPlE:ARMING?
 →:SAMPLE:ARMING:SOURCE EXTERNAL;
 SLOPE RISE; DELAY:MODE EVENT;
 EVENTSIZE 1000

SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay?

Function Queries all settings related to the arming delay.
 Syntax :SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay?
 Example :SAMPlE:ARMING:DELAY?
 →:SAMPLE:ARMING:DELAY:MODE EVENT;
 EVENTSIZE 1000

SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay:EVENTsize

Function Sets the arming delay event or queries the
 current setting.
 Syntax :SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay:EVENTsize <NRf>
 :SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay:EVENTsize?
 <NRf>=Number of events (1 to 1000000)
 Example :SAMPlE:ARMING:DELAY:EVENTSIZE 1000
 :SAMPlE:ARMING:DELAY:EVENTSIZE?
 →:SAMPLE:ARMING:DELAY:EVENTSIZE 1000

SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay:MODE

Function Sets the arming delay mode or queries the
 current setting.
 Syntax :SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay[:MODE] {TIME|EVENT|
 OFF}
 :SAMPlE:ARMing:DELay:MODE?
 Example :SAMPlE:ARMING:DELAY:MODE OFF
 :SAMPlE:ARMING:DELAY:MODE?
 →:SAMPLE:ARMING:DELAY:MODE OFF

3.13 SAMPlE Group

SAMPlE:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME

Function Sets the arming delay time or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME <Time>
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME?
<Time>=1 μ s to 1s(in 100 ns steps)

Example :SAMPLe:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME 1us
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME?
→:SAMPLe:ARMIng:DELAy:TIME 1.0E-06

SAMPlE:ARMIng:SLOPe

Function Sets the arming slope or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:ARMIng:SLOPe {RISE|FALL}
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SLOPe?

Example :SAMPLe:ARMIng:SLOPe RISE
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SLOPe?
→:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SLOPe RISE

SAMPlE:ARMIng:SOURce

Function Sets the arming source or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:ARMIng:SOURce {AUTO|EXTErnAl}
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SOURce?

Example :SAMPLe:ARMIng:SOURce AUTO
:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SOURce?
→:SAMPLe:ARMIng:SOURce AUTO

SAMPlE:BLOCK?

Function Queries all settings related to block sampling.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK?

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:STATE 1;SIZE 10;REST:
MODE EVENT;EVENT 1000

SAMPlE:BLOCK:REST?

Function Queries all settings related to the pause period of the block sampling operation.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST?

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:MODE EVENT;
EVENT 1000

SAMPlE:BLOCK:REST:EVENT

Function Sets the pause time of the block sampling operation in terms of the number of events or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:EVENT <Nrf>
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:EVENT?
<Nrf>=Number of events (1 to 1000000)

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:EVENT 1000
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:EVENT?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:EVENT 1000

SAMPlE:BLOCK:REST[:MODE]

Function Sets the pause mode of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST[:MODE] {OFF|EVENT|
TIME}
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:MODE?

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:MODE OFF
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:MODE?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:MODE OFF

SAMPlE:BLOCK:REST:TIME

Function Sets the pause time of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:TIME <Time>
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:TIME?
<Time>=1 μ s to 1 s (in 100 ns steps)

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:TIME 1us
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:TIME?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:REST:TIME 1.0E-6

SAMPlE:BLOCK:SIZE

Function Sets the block size of the block sampling operation or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK:SIZE <Nrf>
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:SIZE?
<Nrf>=1 to 100 (during time stamp mode)
=1 to 1000 (during hardware
histogram mode)

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:SIZE 10
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:SIZE?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:SIZE 10

SAMPlE:BLOCK[:STATe]

Function Turns ON/OFF the block sampling function or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:BLOCK[:STATe] <Boolean>
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:STATe?

Example :SAMPLe:BLOCK:STATe ON
:SAMPLe:BLOCK:STATe?
→:SAMPLe:BLOCK:STATe 1

SAMPlE:GATE?

Function Queries all settings related to the gate.

Syntax :SAMPLe:GATE?

Example :SAMPLe:GATE?
→:SAMPLe:GATE:MODE EVENT;EVENTSIZE 1000

SAMPlE:GATE:EVENTsize

Function Sets the gate in terms of the number of events or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:GATE:EVENTsize <Nrf>
:SAMPLe:GATE:EVENTsize?
<Nrf>=1 to 512,000 (during time stamp mode)
=1 to 1,000,000,000 (during hardware histogram mode)

Example :SAMPLe:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000
:SAMPLe:GATE:EVENTSIZE?
→:SAMPLe:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000

SAMPlE:GATE[:MODE]

Function Sets the gate type or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:GATE[:MODE] {EVENT|TIME|EXTERNAL}
:SAMPLe:GATE:MODE?

Example :SAMPLe:GATE:MODE EVENT
:SAMPLe:GATE:MODE?
→:SAMPLe:GATE:MODE EVENT

SAMPlE:GATE:POLarity

Function Sets the polarity of the external gate or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:GATE:POLarity {POSitive|NEGative}
:SAMPLe:GATE:POLarity?

Example :SAMPLe:GATE:POLARITY POSITIVE
:SAMPLe:GATE:POLARITY?
→:SAMPLe:GATE:POLARITY POSITIVE

SAMPlE:GATE:TIME

Function Sets the gate in terms of time or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:GATE:TIME <Time>
:SAMPLe:GATE:TIME?
<Time>=1 μ s to 10 s (in 100 ns steps)

Example :SAMPLe:GATE:TIME 1us
:SAMPLe:GATE:TIME?
→:SAMPLe:GATE:TIME 1.0E-06

SAMPlE:INHibit

Function Sets the polarity of the inhibit input or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:INHibit {OFF|POSitive|NEGative}
:SAMPLe:INHibit?

Example :SAMPLe:INHIBIT OFF
:SAMPLe:INHIBIT?
→:SAMPLe:INHIBIT OFF

Description The inhibit input is disabled if it is turned "OFF."

SAMPlE:INTerval

Function Sets the sampling interval or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:INTerval {<Time>|MINimum}
:SAMPLe:INTerval?
<Time>=0 to 1 s (in 1 μ s steps)

Example :SAMPLe:INTERVAL MINIMUM
:SAMPLe:INTERVAL?
→:SAMPLe:INTERVAL 0.0E-06

Description The sampling interval is set to the minimum value when "MINimum" is sent in the data or 0 is specified for <Time>. In this case, 0 s is returned as a response to the query.

SAMPlE:RClock

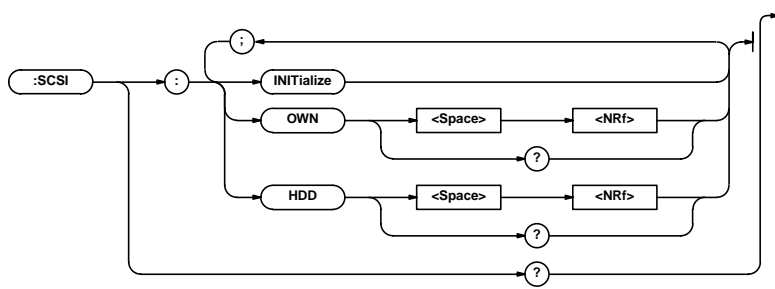
Function Sets the reference clock for sampling or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SAMPLe:RClock {INTERNAL|EXTERNAL}
:SAMPLe:RClock?

Example :SAMPLe:RCLOCK INTERNAL
:SAMPLe:RCLOCK?
→:SAMPLe:RCLOCK INTERNAL

3.14 SCSI Group

The commands in this group deal with the SCSI settings.



SCSI?

Function Queries all settings related to SCSI.
 Syntax :SCSI?
 Example :SCSI?
 →:SCSI:OWN 0;HDD 1

SCSI:HDD

Function Sets the SCSI address of the internal hard disk or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :SCSI:HDD <Nrf>
 :SCSI:HDD?
 <Nrf>=0 to 7
 Example :SCSI:HDD 1
 :SCSI:HDD?
 →:SCSI:HDD 1

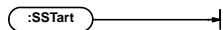
SCSI:INITialize

Function Initializes the SCSI.
 Syntax :SCSI:INITialize
 Example :SCSI:INITIALIZE

SCSI:OWN

Function Sets the SCSI address of the instrument or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :SCSI:OWN <Nrf>
 :SCSI:OWN?
 <Nrf>=0 to 7
 Example :SCSI:OWN 0
 :SCSI:OWN?
 →:SCSI:OWN 0

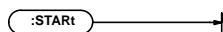
3.15 SStart Group



SStart

Function Executes single measurement.
 Syntax :SStart
 Example :SSTART

3.16 STArT Group

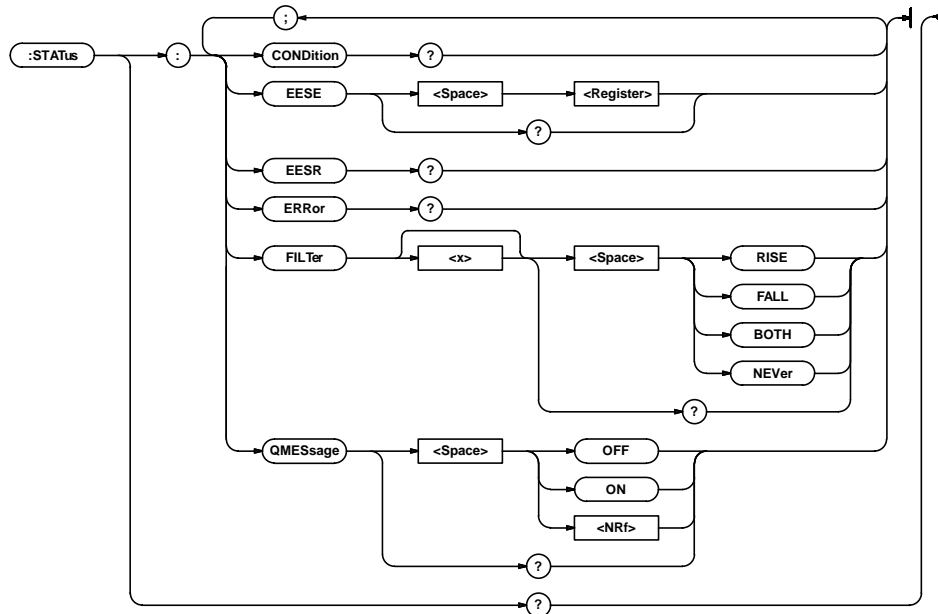


STArT

Function Starts the measurement.
 Syntax :STArT
 Example :START

3.17 STATUS Group

The commands in this group deal with the communication status. For status reports, see chapter 4.



STATUS?

Function Queries all settings related to the communication status.

Syntax :STATUS?

Example :STATUS?
 →:STATUS:EESe 0;FILTER1 RISE;
 FILTER2 NEVER;FILTER3 NEVER;
 FILTER4 NEVER;FILTER5 NEVER;
 FILTER6 NEVER;FILTER7 NEVER;
 FILTER8 NEVER;FILTER9 RISE;
 FILTER10 RISE;FILTER11 RISE;
 FILTER12 RISE;FILTER13 RISE;
 FILTER14 NEVER;FILTER15 NEVER;
 FILTER16 NEVER;QMESsAGE 1

STATUS:CONDition?

Function Queries the status register.

Syntax :STATUS:CONDition?

Example :STATUS:CONDITON?→16

STATUS:EESe

Function Sets the extended event enable register or queries the current setting.

Syntax :STATUS:EESe <Register>
 :STATUS:EESe?
 <Register>=0 to 65535

Example :STATUS:EESe 257
 :STATUS:EESe?→:STATUS:EESe 257

STATUS:EESR?

Function Queries the extended event register and clears the register.

Syntax :STATUS:EESR?

Example :STATUS:EESR?→1

STATUS:ERRor?

Function Queries the error code and message (top of the error queue).

Syntax :STATUS:ERRor?

Example :STATUS:ERRor?→113,"Undefine header"

STATUS:FILTer<x>

Function Sets the transition filter or queries the current setting.

Syntax :STATUS:FILTer<x> {RISE|FALL|BOTH|NEVer}
 :STATUS:FILTer<x>?
 <x>=1 to 16

Example :STATUS:FILTer2 RISE
 :STATUS:FILTer2?
 →:STATUS:FILTer2 RISE

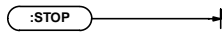
STATUS:QMESsage

Function Sets whether or not to include the message information in response to the "STATUS:ERRor?" command or queries the current setting.

Syntax :STATUS:QMESsage <Boolean>
 :STATUS:QMESsage?

Example :STATUS:QMESsAGE OFF
 :STATUS:QMESsAGE?→:STATUS:QMESsAGE 0

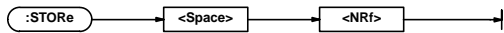
3.18 STOP Group



STOP

Function Stops the measurement.
 Syntax :STOP
 Example :STOP

3.19 STORe Group

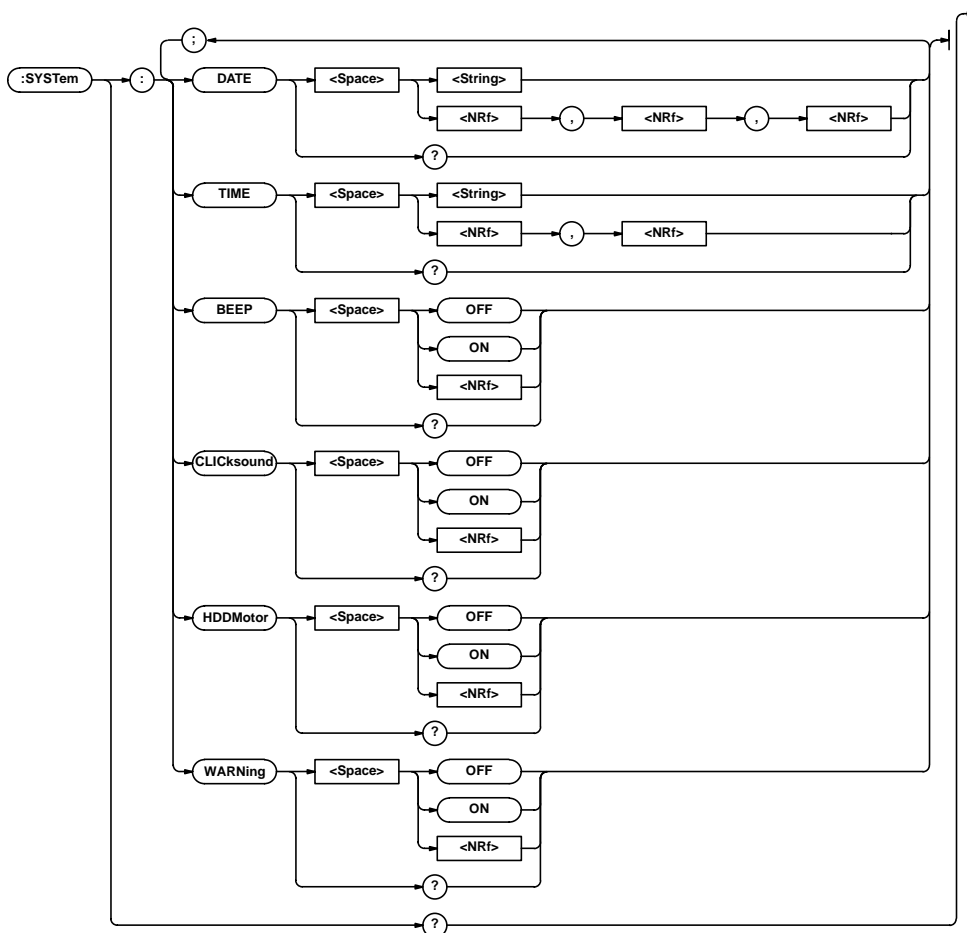


STORe

Function Stores the current setup information.
 Syntax :STORe <Nrf>
 <Nrf>=0 to 9
 Example :STORE 0

3.20 SYSTem Group

The commands in this group deal with the system settings such as date and time.



SYSTem?

Function Queries all settings related to the SYSTem group.
 Syntax SYSTem?
 Example :SYSTem?
 →:SYSTem:BEEP 1;CLICKSOUND 1;HDDMOTOR 1

SYSTem:BEEP

Function Turns ON/OFF the beep sound or queries the current setting.
 Syntax :SYSTem:BEEP <Boolean>
 Example :SYSTem:BEEP ON
 :SYSTem:BEEP?
 →:SYSTem:BEEP 1

SYSTem:CLICksound

Function Turns ON/OFF the click sound or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SYSTem:CLICksound <Boolean>

Example :SYSTEM:CLICKSOUND ON
:SYSTEM:CLICKSOUND?
→:SYSTEM:CLICKSOUND 1

SYSTem:DATE

Function Sets today's date or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SYSTem:DATE {<string>|,<NRf>,<NRf>,<NRf>}

Example :SYSTem:DATE?
:SYSTEM:DATE "1999/01/01"
:SYSTEM:DATE?
→"1999/01/01"

Description The <String> must be in the form [Year(4 digits)/Month(2 digits)/Date(2 digits)] as shown above. For <NRf> format, write year, month, date in that order.

SYSTem:HDDMotor

Function Turns ON/OFF the HDD motor while waiting or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SYSTem:HDDMotor <Boolean>

Example :SYSTEM:HDDMOTOR ON
:SYSTEM:HDDMOTOR?
→:SYSTEM:HDDMOTOR 1

SYSTem:TIME

Function Sets the current time or queries the current setting.

Syntax :SYSTem:TIME {<string>|,<NRf>,<NRf>}

Example :SYSTem:TIME?
:SYSTEM:TIME "12:00"
:SYSTEM:TIME?
→"12:00:00"

Description The <String> must be in the form [Hour(2 digits)/Minute(2 digits)] as shown above. For <NRf> format, write hour and minute in that order. The response to the query will also include a value for the number of seconds.

SYSTem:WARning

Function Turn ON/OFF the warning display or queries the current setting.

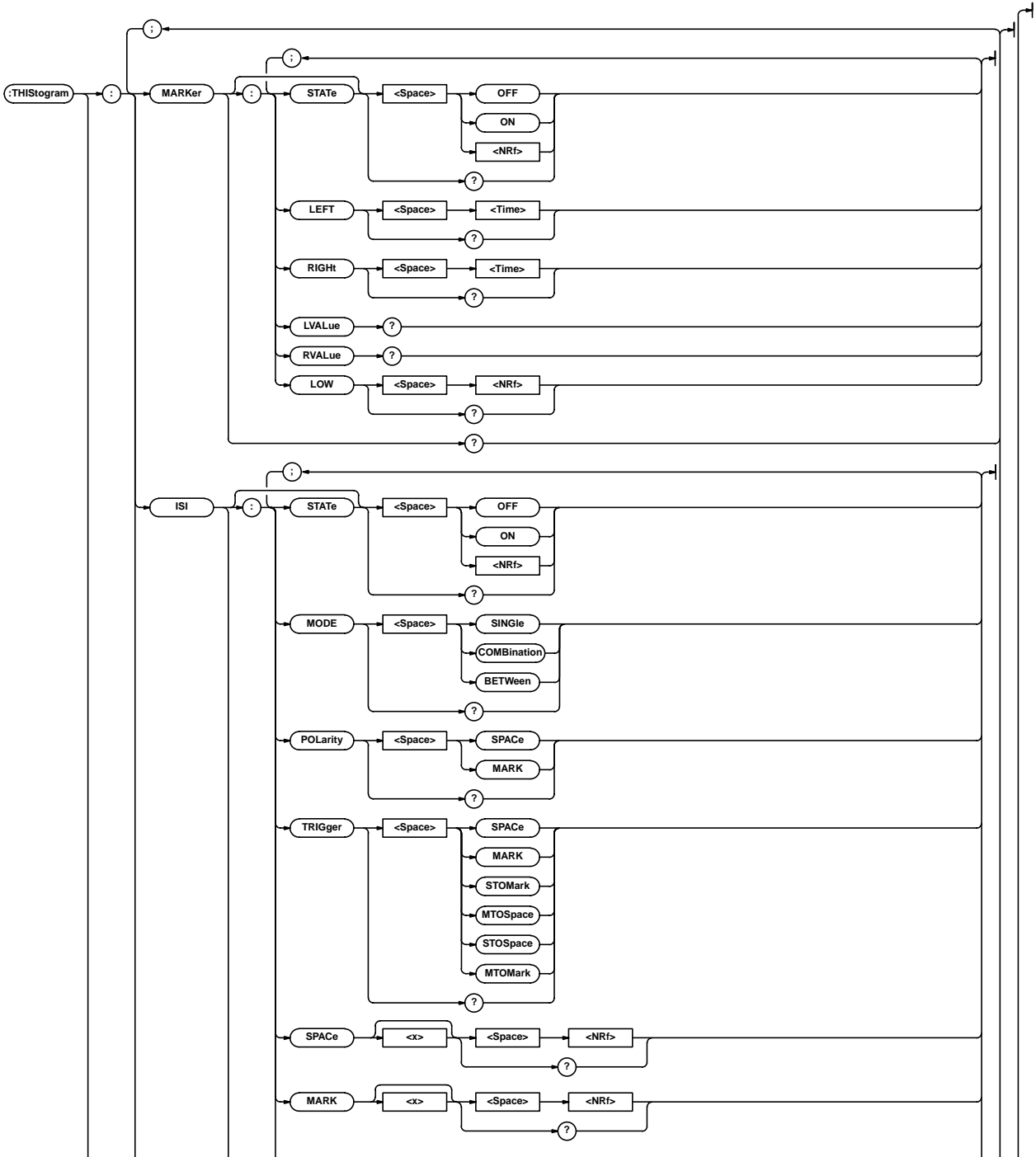
Syntax :SYSTem:WARning <Boolean>

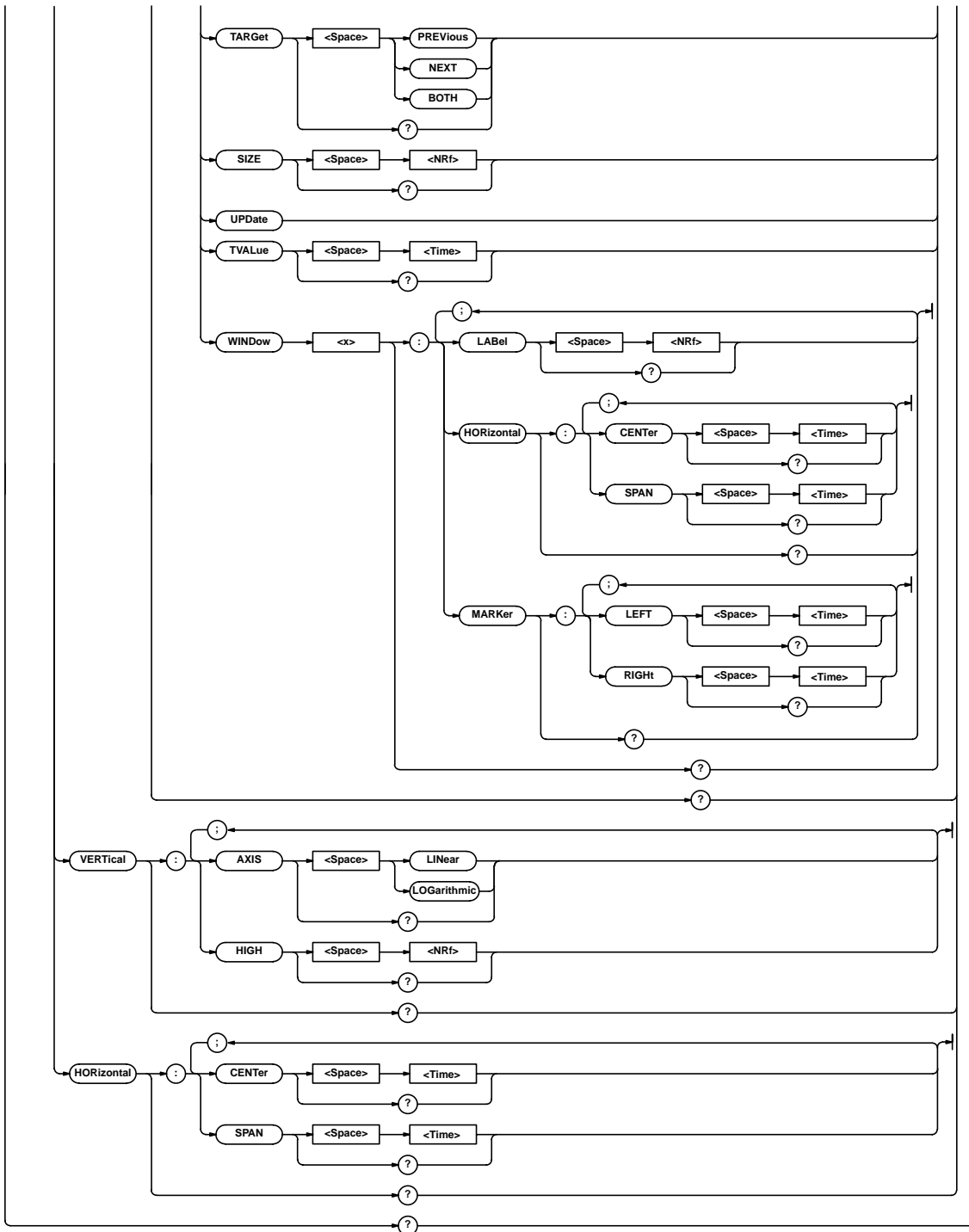
Example :SYSTem:WARning?
:SYSTEM:WARNING ON
:SYSTEM:WARNING?
→:SYSTEM:WARNING 1

3.21 THISTogram Group

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The commands in this group deal with the histogram settings of the time stamp mode.





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THISTogram?

Function Queries all settings related to the histogram of the time stamp mode.

Syntax :THISTogram?

Example :THISTOGRAM?
→:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;
RIGHT 200.000E-09;LOW 0.1E+03;
THISTOGRAM:ISI:STATE 0;:THISTOGRAM:
VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR;HIGH 1.0E+03;
THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06

THISTogram:HORizontal?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of the histogram of the time stamp mode.

Syntax :THISTogram:HORizontal?

Example :THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL?
→:THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06

THISTogram:HORizontal:CENTer

Function Sets the center value of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:HORizontal:CENTer <Time>
:THISTogram:HORizontal:CENTer?
<Time>=-50 ns to +20 ms (in 25 ps steps)

Example :THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:CENTER 150ns
:THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:CENTER?
→:THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09

THISTogram:HORizontal:SPAN

Function Sets the width of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:HORizontal:SPAN <Time>
:THISTogram:HORizontal:SPAN?
<Time>=1.5 ns,3 ns,7.5 ns,15 ns,30 ns,60
ns,...,6 ms,15 ms,30 ms

Example :THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 300ns
:THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:SPAN?
→:THISTOGRAM:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 0.3E-06

THISTogram:ISI?

Function Queries all settings related to the inter-symbol interference analysis.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:STATE 1;MODE SINGLE;
POLARITY MARK;TRIGGER MARK;MARK1 3;
TARGET PREVIOUS;SIZE 1;
TVALUE 40.000E-09;WINDOW1:
LABEL 3;HORIZONTAL:CENTER 150.000E-09;
SPAN 0.3E-06;:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:
MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;
RIGHTT 200.000E-09

THISTogram:ISI:MARK<x>

Function Sets the mark or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:MARK<x> <NRF>
:THISTogram:ISI:MARK<x>?
<NRF>=Window label

Example :THISTogram:ISI:MARK<x> 3
:THISTogram:ISI:MARK<x>?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:MARK<x> 3

Description When the trigger condition is MARK or MTOSpace, MARK1 can be specified. For STOMark, only MARK2 can be specified. For MTOMark, both MARK1 and MARK2 can be specified. For all other cases, MARK<x> cannot be specified.

THISTogram:ISI:MODE

Function Sets the trigger mode or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:MODE {SINGLE|
COMBination|BETWeen}
:THISTogram:ISI:MODE?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:MODE SINGLE
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:MODE?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:MODE SINGLE

THISTogram:ISI:POLarity

Function Sets the polarity or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:POLarity {MARK|SPACe}
:THISTogram:ISI:POLarity?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:POLARITY MARK
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:POLARITY?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:POLARITY MARK

THISTogram:ISI:SIZE

Function Sets the number of windows or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:SIZE <NRF>
:THISTogram:ISI:SIZE?
<NRF>=1 to 16

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:SIZE 10
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:SIZE?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:SIZE 10

THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x>

Function Sets the space or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x> <NRF>
:THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x>?
<NRF>=Window label

Example :THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x> 3
:THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x>?
→:THISTogram:ISI:SPACe<x> 3

Description When the trigger condition is SPACe or STOMark, only SPACe1 can be specified. For MTOSpace, only SPACe2 can be specified. For STOSpace, both SPACe1 and SPACe2 can be specified. For all other cases SPACe<x> cannot be specified.

THISTogram:ISI[:STATe]

Function Turns ON/OFF the inter-symbol interference analysis function or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI[:STATe] <Boolean>
:THISTogram:ISI:STATe?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:STATE ON
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:STATE?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:STATE ON

THISTogram:ISI:TARGet

Function Sets the item to be analyzed or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:TARGet {PREVIOUS|NEXT|BOTH}
:THISTogram:ISI:TARGet?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:TARGET PREVIOUS
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:TARGET?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:TARGET PREVIOUS

Description When the trigger mode is SINGLE, PREVIOUS, NEXT, or BOTH can be specified. For COMBination, only PREVIOUS or NEXT can be specified. For BETWEEN, nothing can be specified.

THISTogram:ISI:TRIGger

Function Sets the trigger condition or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:TRIGger
{MARK|SPACe|MTOSpace|STOMark|MTOMark|STOSpace}
:THISTogram:ISI:TRIGger?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:TRIGGER MARK
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:TRIGGER?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:TRIGGER MARK

Description When the trigger mode is SINGLE, MARK or SPACE can be specified. For COMBination, MTOSpace or STOMark can be specified. For BETWEEN, MTOMark or STOSpace can be specified.

THISTogram:ISI:TVALue

Function Sets the value of the constant T or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:TVALue <Time>
:THISTogram:ISI:TVALue?
<Time>=1 ns to 250 ns (in 25 ps steps)

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:TVALUE 100ns
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:TVALUE?
→:HHISTOGRAM:SINGLE:TVALUE 0.100000E-06

THISTogram:ISI:UPDate

Function Changes the window setting based on the constant T.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:UPDate

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:UPDATE

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>?

Function Queries all settings related to each window.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3;
HORIZONTAL:CENTER 150.000E-09;
SPAN 0.3E-06;;:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:
MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;
RIGHTT 200.000E-09

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal axis of each window.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09;SPAN 0.3E-06

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:CENTer

Function Sets the center value of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:
CENTer <Time>
:THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:
CENTer?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150ns
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:
CENTER 150.000E-09

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THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:SPAN

Function Sets the width of the horizontal axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:SPAN <Time>
:THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal:SPAN?
<Time>=1.5 ns,3 ns,7.5 ns,15 ns,30 ns,60 ns,150 ns,300 ns,600 ns,1.5 μs,3 μs,6 μs

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 300ns
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:SPAN?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 0.3E-06

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:LABel

Function Sets the label of each window or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:LABel <NRf>
:THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:LABel?
<NRf>=1 to 32

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:LABEL?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer?

Function Queries all settings related to the horizontal marker cursor of each window.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:HORizontal?

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHTT 200.000E-09

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT

Function Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT <Time>
:THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LEFT?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:LEFT 100ns
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:LEFT?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09

THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT

Function Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT <Time>
:THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RIGHT?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:RIGHTT 200ns
:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:RIGHT?
→:THISTOGRAM:ISI:WINDOW1:MARKER:RIGHTT 200.000E-09

THISTogram:MARKer?

Function Queries all settings related to the markers.

Syntax :THISTogram:MARKer?

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER?
→:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09;RIGHT 200.000E-09;LOW 0.1E+03

THISTogram:MARKer:LEFT

Function Queries all settings related to the marker.

Syntax :THISTogram:MARKer:LEFT <Time>
:THISTogram:MARKer:LEFT?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LEFT?
→:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LEFT 100.000E-09

THISTogram:MARKer:LOW

Function Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THISTogram:MARKer:LOW <NRf>
:THISTogram:MARKer:LOW?
<NRf>=Frequency

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW 100
:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW?
→:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LOW 0.1E+03

THISTogram:MARKer:LVALue?

Function Queries the frequency at the left marker position.

Syntax :THISTogram:MARKer:LVALue?

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER:LVALUE?
→0.123E+03

Description Cannot be used during inter-symbol interference analysis (Use :THISTogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:LVALue?).

THIStogram:MARKer:RIGHT

Function Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THIStogram:MARKer:RIGHT <Time>
:THIStogram:MARKer:RIGHT?

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER:RIGHT?
→:THISTOGRAM:MARKER:RIGHT 200.000E-09

THIStogram:MARKer:RVALue?

Function Queries the frequency at the right marker position.

Syntax :THIStogram:MARKer:RVALue?

Example :THISTOGRAM:MARKER:RVALUE?
→0.123E+03

Description Cannot be used during inter-symbol interference analysis (Use :THIStogram:ISI:WINDow<x>:MARKer:RVALue?).

THIStogram:MARKer[:STATe]

Function Turns ON/OFF the marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THIStogram:MARKer[:STATe] <Boolean>
:THIStogram:MARKer:STATe?

THIStogram:VERTical?

Function Queries all settings related to the vertical axis.

Syntax :THIStogram:VERTical?

Example :THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL?
→:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR;
HIGH 1.0E+03

THIStogram:VERTical:AXIS

Function Sets the type of vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THIStogram:VERTical:AXIS {LINear|LOGarithmic}

Example :THIStogram:VERTical:AXIS?
:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR
:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS?
→:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:AXIS LINEAR

THIStogram:VERTical:HIGh

Function Sets the upper limit of the vertical axis scale or queries the current setting.

Syntax :THIStogram:VERTical:HIGh <NRf>
:THIStogram:VERTical:HIGh?
<NRf>=Upper frequency limit
For linear scale
10,20,40,100,200,400,1000,...,1000000,
1E+7,1E+8,1E+9
For logarithmic scale
1E+1,1E+2,...,1E+9

Example :THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGh 1000
:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGh?
→:THISTOGRAM:VERTICAL:HIGh 1.0E+03

TVARiation:HORizontal:MINimum

Function Sets the left end of the horizontal axis scale or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:HORizontal:MINimum <Time>
:TVARiation:HORizontal:MINimum?
<Time>=0 to 3200 s (in 100 ns steps)

Example :TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:MINIMUM 0s
:TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:MINIMUM?
→:TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:MINIMUM 0.0E-06

TVARiation:HORizontal:SPAN

Function Sets the width of the horizontal axis scale or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:HORizontal:SPAN <Time>
:TVARiation:HORizontal:SPAN?
<Time>=6 μs,12 μs,30 μs,600 μs,.....,
600 s,1200 s,3000 s,6000s

Example :TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 300us
:TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:SPAN?
→:TVARIATION:HORIZONTAL:SPAN 0.3E-03

TVARiation:MARKer?

Function Queries all settings related to the markers.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer?

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:STATE 1;
LEFT 1.0E-06;RIGHT 2.0E-06;
HIGH 100.000E-09;LOW 50.000E-09

TVARiation:MARKer:HIGH

Function Sets the position of the high marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:HIGH <Time>
:TVARiation:MARKer:HIGH?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:HIGH 100ns
:TVARIATION:MARKER:HIGH?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:HIGH 100.000E-09

TVARiation:MARKer:LEFT

Function Sets the position of the left marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:LEFT <Time>
:TVARiation:MARKer:LEFT?
<Time>=0 to 9200 s (in 100 ns steps)

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:LEFT 150us
:TVARIATION:MARKER:LEFT?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:LEFT 150.0E-03

TVARiation:MARKer:LOW

Function Sets the position of the low marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:LOW <Time>
:TVARiation:MARKer:LOW?
<Time>=marker position (in 25 ps steps)

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:LOW 100ns
:TVARIATION:MARKER:LOW?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:LOW 100.000E-09

TVARiation:MARKer:LVALue?

Function Queries the measured value at the left marker position.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:LVALue?

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:LVALUE?
→1.2000E-06

TVARiation:MARKer:RIGHT

Function Sets the position of the right marker or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:RIGHT <Time>
:TVARiation:MARKer:RIGHT?
<Time>=0 to 9200 s (in 100 ns steps)

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:RIGHT 150us
:TVARIATION:MARKER:RIGHT?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:RIGHT 150.0E-03

TVARiation:MARKer:RVALue?

Function Queries the measured value of the right marker position.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer:RVALue?

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:RVALUE?
→1.2000E-06

TVARiation:MARKer[:STATE]

Function Turns ON/OFF the marker cursor or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:MARKer[:STATE] <Boolean>
:TVARiation:MARKer:STATE?

Example :TVARIATION:MARKER:STATE ON
:TVARIATION:MARKER:STATE?
→:TVARIATION:MARKER:STATE 1

TVARiation:VERTical?

Function Queries all settings related to the vertical axis.

Syntax :TVARiation:VERTical?

Example :TVARIATION:VERTICAL:CENTER?
→:TVARIATION:VERTICAL:
CENTER 100.000E-09;SPAN 0.2E-06

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TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer

Function Sets the center value of the vertical axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer <Time>
:TVARiation:VERTicalCENTer?

Example <Time>=50 ns to 20 ms (in 25 ps steps)
:TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer 100ns
:TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer?
→:TVARiation:VERTical:CENTer 100.000E-09

TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN

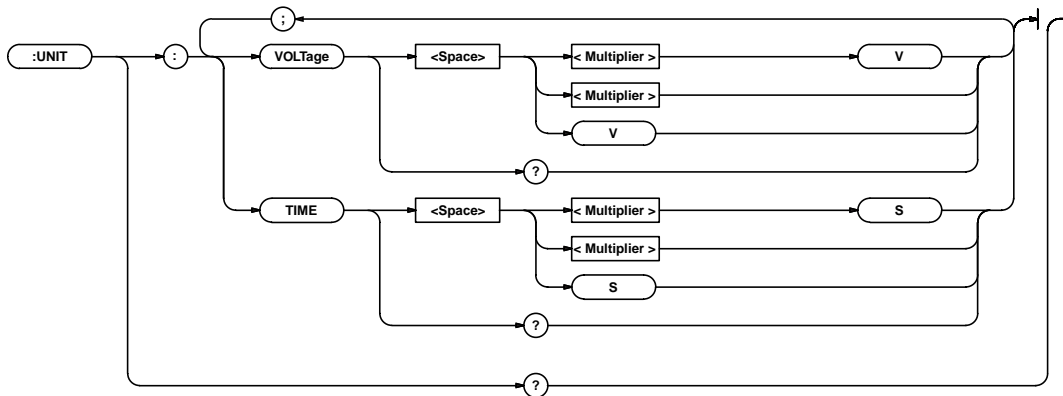
Function Sets the width of the vertical axis or queries the current setting.

Syntax :TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN <Time>
:TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN?

Example <Time>= 500 ps,1 ns,2.5 ns,5 ns,10 ns, 20 ns,...,2 ms,5 ms,10 ms,20 ms
:TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN 200ns
:TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN?
→:TVARiation:VERTical:SPAN 0.2E-06

3.23 UNIT Group

The commands in this group deal with the default units of voltage, time, and frequency.



UNIT?

Function Queries the default units for voltage, time, and frequency.

Syntax :UNIT?

Example :UNIT?
→:UNIT:FREQUENCY HZ;VOLTAGE V;TIME S

UNIT:VOLTage

Function Sets the default unit for voltage or queries the current setting.

Syntax :UNIT:VOLTage [<auxiliary unit>]V
:UNIT:VOLTage?

Example <multiplier> See section 2.4.
:UNIT:VOLTAGE V
:UNIT:VOLTAGE?
→:UNIT:VOLTAGE V

UNIT:TIME

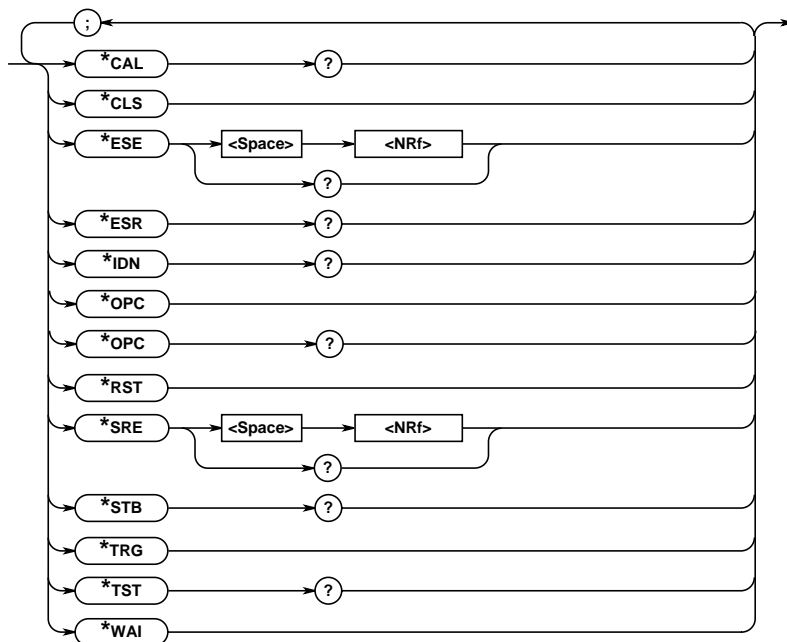
Function Sets the default unit for time or queries the current setting.

Syntax :UNIT:TIME [<auxiliary unit>]S
:UNIT:TIME?

Example <multiplier> See section 2.4.
:UNIT:TIME s
:UNIT:TIME?
→:UNIT:TIME S

3.24 Common Command Group

The commands in the common command group are independent of the instrument's functions, and are specified in IEEE 488.2-1992.



*CAL?

Function Performs calibration and queries the result.
Syntax *CAL?
Example *CAL?
Description [0] will be returned if calibration is completed properly, and a value other than [0] will be returned if an abnormality has been detected during calibration.

*CLS

Function Clears the standard event register, extended event register and error queue.
Syntax *CLS
Example *CLS
Description For details of the registers and queue, refer to Chapter 4, "Status Report."

*ESE

Function Sets the value for the standard event enable register/queries the current setting.
Syntax *ESE <NRf>
 *ESE?
 <NRf>=0 to 255
Example *ESE 253
 *ESE?→253
Description For details of the standard event enable register, refer to Chapter 4, "Status Report."

*ESR?

Function Queries the value of the standard event register and clears it at the same time.
Syntax *ESR?
Example *ESR?→253
Description For details of the standard event enable register, refer to Chapter 4, "Status Report."

*IDN?

Function Queries the instrument model.
Syntax *IDN?
Example *IDN?→YOKOGAWA,704210,0,1.01
Description A reply consists of manufacturer, model, serial No. (not used, always fixed at [0]) and firmware version.

*OPC

Function Sets bit 0 (OPC bit) of the standard event register to [1] when execution of an overlap command is completed. This command will be ignored even if it is sent since overlap commands are not supported by this instrument.
Syntax *OPC

*OPC?

Function After "*OPC?" is sent, [1] will be returned if execution of the designated overlap command has been completed. [1] will also be returned since overlap commands are not supported by this instrument.
Syntax *OPC?

3.24 Common Command Group

***RST**

Function Initializes the set-up information.
Syntax *RST
Example *RST
Description The same function can be performed by displaying initialize menu and pressing [Execute] soft key. For details, refer to the TA520 Time Interval Analyzer User's Manual.

***SRE**

Function Sets the value of the service request enable register/queries the current setting.
Syntax *RRE <NRf>
 *SRE?
 <NRf>=0 to 255
Example *SRE 239
 *SRE?→239

***STB?**

Function Queries the value of the status byte register.
Syntax *STB?
Example *STB?→4
Description For details of the status byte register, refer to Chapter 4, "Status Report."

***TRG**

Function The same function as when the SINGLE key is pressed is performed.
Syntax *TRG
Description GET (Group Execute Trigger) multi-line message has also the same effect as this command.

***TST?**

Function Executes a self-test and queries the test result.
Syntax *TST?
Example *TST?→0
Description

- The same function can be performed by selecting [Board] from the self-test menu.
- [0] will be returned if all the self test results are satisfactory, and a value other than [0] will be returned if an abnormality is detected during the test.

***WAI**

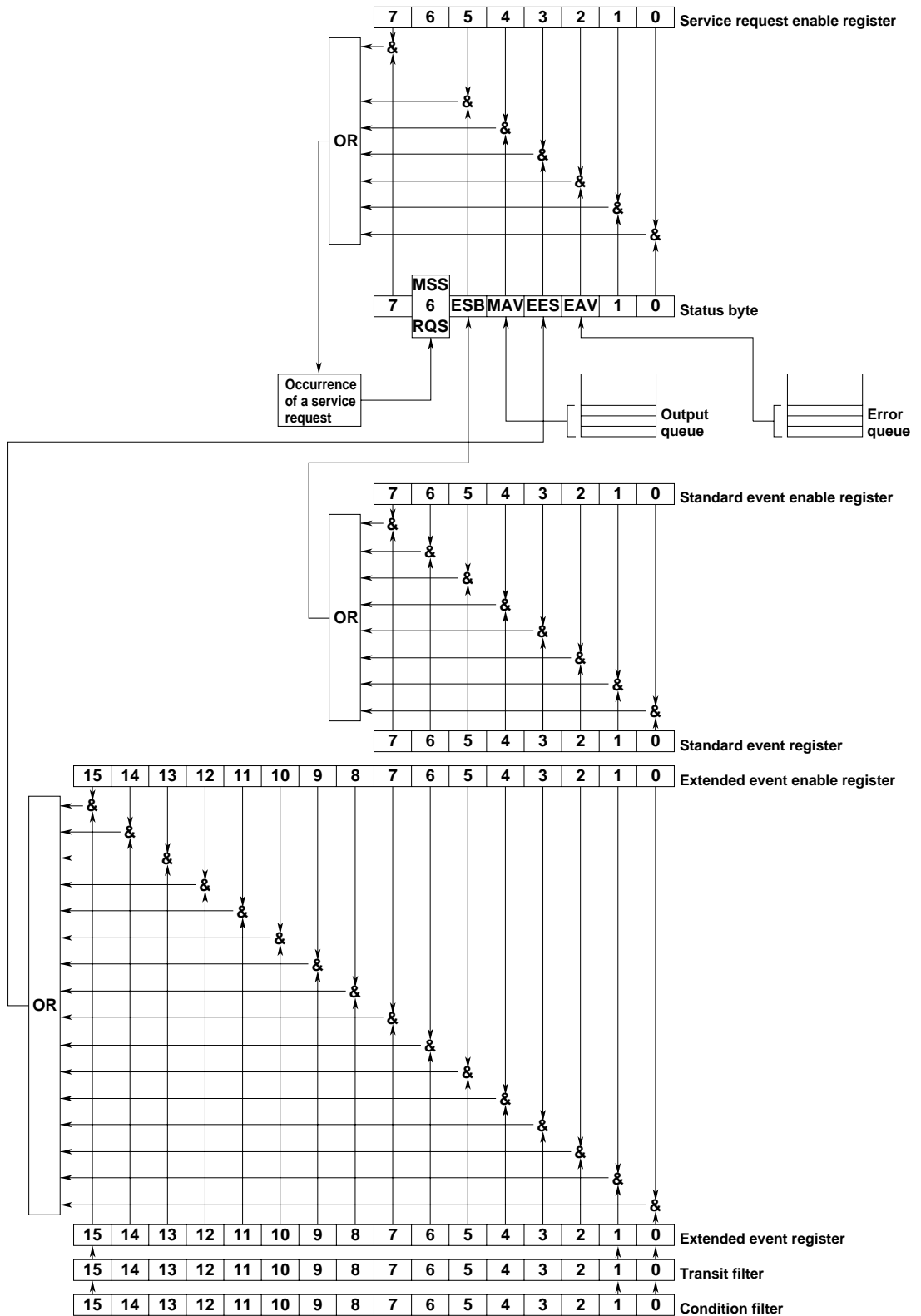
Function Waits for the command following "*WAI" until execution of the designated overlap command is completed. This command will be ignored even if it is sent since overlap commands are not supported by this instrument.
Syntax *WAI

Chapter 4 Status Report

4.1 Overview of the Status Report

Status Report

The figure below shows the status report which is read by a serial poll. This is an extended version of the one specified in IEEE 488.2-1992.



4.1 Overview of the Status Report/4.2 Status Byte

Overview of Registers and Queues

Name	Function	Writing	Reading
Status byte		—	Serial poll (RQS), *STB?(MSS)
Service request enable register	Masks status byte.	*SRE	*SRE?
Standard event register	Change in device status	—	*ESR?
Standard event enable register	Masks standard event register	*ESE	*ESE?
Extended event register	Change in device status	—	STATUS:EESR?
Extended event enable register	Masks standard event register	STATUS:EESE	STATUS:EESE?
Condition register	Current instrument status	—	STATUS:CONDition?
Transit filter	Extended event occurrence conditions	STATUS:FILTer<x>	STATUS:FILTer<x>
Output queue	Stores response message to a query.	All executable queues	
Error queue	Stores error Nos. and messages.	—	STATUS:ERRor?

Registers and Queues which Affect the Status Byte

Registers which affect each bit of the status byte are shown below.

Standard event register : Sets bit 5 (ESB) of status byte to [1] or [0].
 Output queue : Sets bit 4 (MAV) of status byte to [1] or [0].
 Extended event register : Sets bit 3 (EES) of status byte to [1] or [0].
 Error queue : Sets bit 2 (EAV) of status byte to [1] or [0].

Enable Registers

Registers which mask a bit so that the bit does not affect the status byte, even if the bit is set to [1], are shown below.

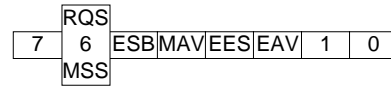
Status byte : Masks bits using the service request enable register.
 Standard event register : Masks bits using the standard event enable register.
 Extended event register : Masks bits using the extended event enable register.

Writing/Reading from Registers

The *ESE command is used to set bits in the standard event enable register to [1] or [0], and the *ESR? query is used to check whether bits in that register are set to [1] or [0]. For details of these commands, refer to Chapter 3.

4.2 Status Byte

Overview of Status Byte



Bits 0, 1 and 7

Not used (always "0")

Bit 2 EAV (Error Available)

Set to [1] when the error queue is not empty, i.e. when an error occurs. For details, refer to page 4-5.

Bit 3 EES (Extended Event Summary Bit)

Set to [1] when a logical AND of the extended event register and the corresponding enable register is [1], i.e. when an event takes place in the instrument. Refer to page 4-4.

Bit 4 MAV (Message Available)

Set to "1" when the output queue is not empty, i.e. when there is data which is to be output when an inquiry is made. Refer to page 4-5.

Bit 5 ESB (Event Summary Bit)

Set to "1" when a logical AND of the standard event register and the corresponding enable register is [1], i.e. when an event takes place in the instrument. Refer to page 4-3.

Bit 6 RQS (Request Status)/MSS (Master Summary Status)

MSS is set to [1] when a logical AND of the status byte (except for bit 6) and the service request enable register is not [0], i.e. when the instrument is requesting service from the controller.

RQS is set to [1] when MSS changes from [0] to [1], and is cleared when a serial poll is performed or when MSS changes to [0].

Bit Masking

To mask a bit in the status byte so that it does not cause an SRQ, set the corresponding bit of the service request enable register to "0".

For example, to mask bit 2 (EAV) so that no service will be requested, even if an error occurs, set bit 2 of the service request enable register to [0]. This can be done using the *SRE command. To query whether each bit of the service request enable register is [1] or [0], use *SRE?. For details of the *SRE command, refer to Chapter 3.

Operation of the Status Byte

A service request is issued when bit 6 of the status byte becomes [1]. Bit 6 becomes [1] when any of the other bits becomes [1] (or when the corresponding bit in the service request enable register becomes [1]). For example, if an event takes place and the logical OR of each bit of the standard event register and the corresponding bit in the enable register is [1], bit 5 (ESB) will be set to "1". In this case, if bit 5 of the service request enable register is [1], bit 6 (MSS) will be set to [1], thus requesting service from the controller.

It is also possible to check what type of event has occurred by reading the contents of the status byte.

Reading from the Status Byte

The following two methods are provided for reading the status byte.

- **Inquiry using the *STB? query**

Making an inquiry using the *STB? query sets bit 6 to MSS. This causes the MSS to be read. After completion of the read-out, none of the bits in the status byte will be cleared.

- **Serial poll**

Execution of a serial poll changes bit 6 to RQS. This causes RQS to be read. After completion of the read-out, only RQS is cleared. Using a serial poll, it is not possible to read MSS.

Clearing the Status Byte

No method is provided for forcibly clearing all the bits in the status byte. Bits which are cleared are shown below.

- **When an inquiry is made using the *STB? query**

No bit is cleared.

- **When a serial poll is performed**

Only the RQS bit is cleared.

- **When the *CLS command is received**

When the *CLS command is received, the status byte itself is not cleared, but the contents of the standard event register (which affects the bits in the status byte) are cleared. As a result, the corresponding bits in the status byte are cleared, except bit 4 (MAV), since the output queue cannot be emptied by the *CLS command. However, the output queue will also be cleared if the *CLS command is received just after a program message terminator.

4.3 Standard Event Register

Overview of the Standard Event Register

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
PON	URQ	CME	EXE	DDE	QYE	RQC	OPC

Bit 7 PON (Power ON)

Bit 7 PON (Power ON) Set to "1" when power is turned ON

Bit 6 URQ (User Request)

Not used (always "0")

Bit 5 CME (Command Error)

Set to "1" when the command syntax is incorrect.

Examples: Incorrectly spelled command name; [9] used in octal data.

Bit 4 EXE (Execution Error)

Set to "1" when the command syntax is correct but the command cannot be executed in the current state.

Examples: Parameters are outside the setting range: an attempt is made to make a hard copy during acquisition.

Bit 3 DDE (Device Dependent Error)

Set to "1" when execution of the command is not possible due to an internal problem in the instrument that is not a command error or an execution error.

Example: The circuit breaker is reset.

Bit 2 QYE (Query Error)

Set to "1" if the output queue is empty or if the data is missing even after a query has been sent.

Examples: No response data; data is lost due to an overflow in the output queue.

Bit 1 RQC (Request Control)

Not used (always "0")

Bit 0 OPC (Operation Complete)

Set to "1" when the operation designated by the *OPC command has been completed. Refer to Chapter 3.

Bit Masking

To mask a bit in the standard event register so that it does not cause bit 5 (ESB) of the status byte to change, set the corresponding bit in the standard event enable register to "0".

For example, to mask bit 2 (QYE) so that ESB will not be set to "1", even if a query error occurs, set bit 2 of the standard event enable register to [0]. This can be done using the *ESE command. To inquire whether each bit of the standard event enable register is [1] or "0", use the *ESE?. For details of the *ESE command, refer to Chapter 3.

4.3 Standard Event Register/4.4 Extended Event Register

Operation of the Standard Event Register

The standard event register is provided for eight different kinds of event which can occur inside the instrument. Bit 5 (ESB) of the status byte is set to [1] when any of the bits in this register becomes [1] (or when the corresponding bit of the standard event enable register becomes [1]).

Examples

1. A query error occurs.
2. Bit 2 (QYE) is set to [1].
3. Bit 5 (ESB) of the status byte is set to [1] if bit 2 of the standard event enable register is [1].

It is also possible to check what type of event has occurred inside the instrument by reading the contents of the standard event register.

Reading from the Standard Event Register

The contents of the standard event register can be read by the *ESR command. After completion of the read-out, the register will be cleared.

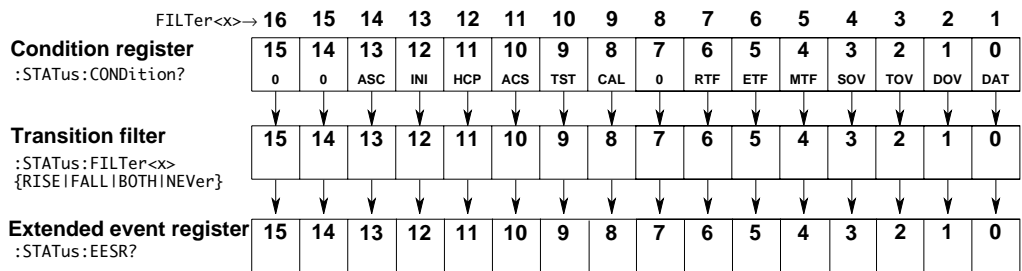
Clearing the Standard Event Register

The standard event register is cleared in the following three cases.

- When the contents of the standard event register are read using *ESR?
- When the *CLS command is received
- When power is turned ON again

4.4 Extended Event Register

The extended event register indicates changes in the device's internal condition register as detected through the transition filters.



The states indicated by the condition register are as follows.

Bit 0	Dat (Data Available)	Set to "1" when measured data or computed result is valid.
Bit 1	Dov (Data Overflow)	Set to "1" when measured data overflows.
Bit 2	Tov (Time Stamp Overflow)	Set to "1" when time stamp data overflows.
Bit 3	SOV (Sample Overflow)	Set to "1" when the number of measured samples is exceeded.
Bit 4	MTF (Measured T Failure)	Set to "1" when the measurement of Measured T fails.
Bit 5	ETF (Estimated T Failure)	Set to "1" when the measurement of Estimated T fails.
Bit 6	RTF (Rest Time Failure)	Set to "1" when the pause time of block sampling is less than 500 ns.
Bit 8	CAL (Calibration)	Set to "1" during calibration.
Bit 9	TST (Testing)	Set to "1" during self-test.
Bit 10	ACS (Accessing)	Set to "1" while accessing the medium.
Bit 11	HCP (Hard-Copying)	Set to "1" during the hard copy operation.
Bit 12	INI (Initializing)	Set to "1" during initialization.
Bit 13	ASC (Auto Scaling)	Set to "1" during auto scaling.

The transition filter parameters determine change of each bit (suffix 1 to 16) in the condition register and set the corresponding bit of the extended event register as shown below.

RISE	Sets the extended event register bit to [1] when the condition register bit changes from [0] to [1].
FALL	Sets the extended event register bit to [1] when the condition register bit changes from [1] to [0].
BOTH	Sets the extended event register bit to [1] when the condition register bit changes from [0] to [1] or from [1] to [0].
NEVer	The extended event register bit is fixed at [0].

4.5 Output Queue and Error Queue

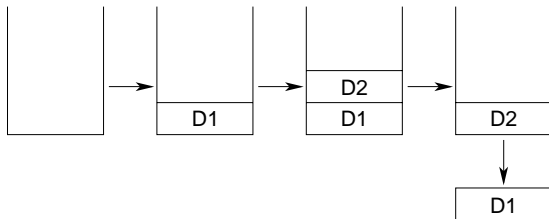
Overview of the Output Queue

The output queue is provided to store response messages to queries. For example, when the `WAVEform:SEND?` query is sent to request output of the acquired waveform, the response data will be stored in the output queue until it is read out.

The example below shows that data is stored record by record in the output queue, and is read out oldest item first, newest item last. The output queue is emptied in the following cases (in addition to when read-out is performed).

- When a new message is received from the controller
- When dead lock occurs (page 2-2)
- When a device clear command (DCL or SDC) is received
- When power is turned ON again

The output queue cannot be emptied using the `*CLS` command. To see whether the output queue is empty or not, check bit 4 (MAV) of the status byte.



Overview of the Error Queue

The error queue stores the error No. and message when an error occurs. For example, when the built-in battery has run out, an error occurs and its error No. (901) and message "Backup Failure " will be stored in the error queue.

The contents of the error queue can be read using the `STATus:ERRor?` query. As with the output queue, messages are read oldest first, newest last (refer to the previous page).

If the error queue becomes full, the final message will be replaced by message 350, "Queue overflow ".

The error queue is emptied in the following cases (in addition to when read-out is performed).

- When the `*CLS` command is received
- When power is turned ON again

To see whether the error queue is empty or not, check bit 2 (EAV) of the status byte.

Chapter 5 Sample Program

5.1 Before Writing the Program

Environment

PC : IBM PC/AT compatible (using the AT-GPIB/TNT IEEE-488.2 board by National Instruments)
Language : Quick-BASIC

Instrument Settings

Address 1

All sample programs in this chapter use address 1 for the instrument. Therefore, set the GP-IB address of the instrument to 1 according to the procedures described on page 1-4.

5.2 Setup Example

```

'*****
'*
'* TA520 Sample Program1 for GP-IB interface
'* Microsoft QuickBASIC 4.0/4.5 Version
'*
'*****
'*
'* Set the TA520 as follows:
'* Measurement mode : hardware histogram mode
'* Measurement function: CHA, period measuremen
'* Sampling size : 1000
'*
'*****
,
REM $INCLUDE: 'qbdec14.bas'
,
DEVICE$ = "DEV1": CALL IBFIND(DEVICE$, TA%)
CALL IBSIC(TA%)
BORD$ = "GPIB0": CALL IBFIND(BORD$, BD%)
CALL IBSIC(BD%)
V% = 1: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
CALL IBCLR(TA%)
,
CMD$ = "MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM" 'Hardware histogram mode
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEASURE:FUNCTION PERIOD,A" 'CHA, period measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT" 'Event gate
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000" 'Sampling size to 1000 points
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
,
V% = 0: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
,
END

```

5.3 Example of Statistical Data Output

```

'*****
' *
' * TA520 Sample Program2 for GP-IB interface *
' * Microsoft QuickBASIC 4.0/4.5 Version *
' *
'*****
' * Set the instrument to hardware histogram and multi-window modes. *
' * Measure and output the statistics for each window. *
' *
'*****
'
REM $INCLUDE: 'qbdecl4.bas'
'
DEVICE$ = "DEV1": CALL IBFIND(DEVICE$, TA%)
CALL IBSIC(TA%)
BORD$ = "GPIB0": CALL IBFIND(BORD$, BD%)
CALL IBSIC(BD%)
V% = 1: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
CALL IBCLR(TA%)
'
CMD$ = "MEASURE:MODE HHISTOGRAM" 'Hardware histogram mode
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEASURE:FUNCTION PWIDTH,A" 'Pulse width measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEASURE:POLARITY POSITIVE" 'Positive polarity
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT" 'Event gate
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000000" 'Sampling size to 1000 points
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
'
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MODE MULTI" 'Multi-window
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:SIZE 10" 'Number of windows to 10
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:TVALUE 37ns" 'Constant T to 37 ns
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW1:LABEL 3" 'Set label
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW2:LABEL 4"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW3:LABEL 5"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW4:LABEL 6"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW5:LABEL 7"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW6:LABEL 8"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW7:LABEL 9"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW8:LABEL 10"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW9:LABEL 11"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:WINDOW10:LABEL 14"
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "HHISTOGRAM:MULTI:UPDATE" 'Update scale of each window
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
'
CMD$ = "CALCULATION:PARAMETER:AVERAGE ON;SDEVIATION ON" 'Turn ON statistical
calculation
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
'
CMD$ = "STATUS:FILTER1 RISE" 'Set transition filter
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "STATUS:EESR?" 'Clear extended event register
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
RESS$ = SPACE$(100)
CALL IBRD(TA%, RESS$)
'

```

```

CMD$ = "SSTART"                                'Start single measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "COMMUNICATE:WAIT 1"                    'Wait for the data to become valid
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
FOR I% = 1 TO 10                                'Repeat for the number of windows
  WIND$ = MID$(STR$(I%), 2)
  CMD$ = "CALCULATION:WINDOW" + WIND$ + ":AVERAGE?" 'Query the average value
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  AV$ = SPACE$(100)
  CALL IBRD(TA%, AV$)
  AV$ = LEFT$(AV$, IBCNT%)
  CMD$ = "CALCULATION:WINDOW" + WIND$ + ":SDEVIATION?" 'Query the standard deviation
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  SD$ = SPACE$(100)
  CALL IBRD(TA%, SD$)
  SD$ = LEFT$(SD$, IBCNT%)
  PRINT "WINDOW" + WIND$, AV$, ", ", SD$
NEXT I%
V% = 0: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
END

```

Output Example

WINDOW1	1.1519300E-7,	4.07300E-9
WINDOW2	150.69150E-7,	3.88000E-9
WINDOW3	1.8207475E-7,	4.24150E-9
WINDOW4	2.1602550E-7,	4.57975E-9
WINDOW5	2.5323700E-7,	4.53925E-9
WINDOW6	2.9228175E-7,	4.44050E-9
WINDOW7	3.2897925E-7,	4.46675E-9
WINDOW8	3.6557575E-7,	4.48900E-9
WINDOW9	4.019625E-7,	4.5175E-9
WINDOW10	5.125175E-7,	3.1150E-9

5.4 Example of Output in BINARY Format

5.4 Example of Output in BINARY Format

```

'*****
' *
' * TA520 Sample Program3 for GP-IB interface
' * Microsoft QuickBASIC 4.0/4.5 Version
' *
'*****
' *
' * Outputs the data measured in time stamp mode in binary format.
' *
'*****
'
REM $INCLUDE: 'qbdecl4.bas'
'
DEVICE$ = "DEV1": CALL IBFIND(DEVICE$, TA%)
CALL IBSIC(TA%)
BORD$ = "GPIB0": CALL IBFIND(BORD$, BD%)
CALL IBSIC(BD%)
V% = 1: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
CALL IBCLR(TA%)

CMD$ = "MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP" 'Hardware histogram mode
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEASURE:FUNCTION TI,AB" 'Time interval measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT" 'Event gate
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000" 'Sampling size to 1000 points
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

CMD$ = "STATUS:FILTER1 RISE" 'Set transition filter
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "STATUS:EESR?" 'Clear extended event register
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
RES$ = SPACE$(100)
CALL IBRD(TA%, RES$)

CMD$ = "SSTART" 'Start single measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "COMMUNICATE:WAIT 1" 'Wait for measured data to become valid
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

CMD$ = "MEMORY:DATASELECT MEASUREDATA" 'Set the type of data to retrieve
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEMORY:FORMAT BINARY;BYTEORDER LSBFIRST" 'Set the format
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

ST% = 1: ED% = 1000 'Set the start and end points
FOR I% = ST% TO ED% STEP 50 'Retrieve 50 points at a time
  CMD$ = "MEMORY:START" + STR$(I%) + ";END" + STR$(I% + 49)
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  CMD$ = "MEMORY:SEND?" 'Request measured data
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  RES$ = SPACE$(250)
  CALL IBRD(TA%, RES$) 'Receive measured data
  J% = VAL(MID$(RES$, 2, 1))
  K% = VAL(MID$(RES$, 3, J%)) / 4
  N% = J% + 3
  FOR M% = 1 TO K%
    L% = CVI(MID$(RES$, N%, 2)) 'Convert binary to real number
    IF L% < 0 THEN D# = L% + 65536# ELSE D# = L%
    H% = CVI(MID$(RES$, N% + 2, 2))
    IF H% < 0 THEN D# = D# + (H% + 65536#) * 65536# ELSE D# = D# + H% * 65536#
    D# = D# * .00000000025#
    PRINT I% + M% - 1, D# 'Display measured values
    N% = N% + 4
  NEXT M%
NEXT I%
'
V% = 0: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
'
END

Output Example
1 .000000024075
2 .0000000259
3 .000000027850
4 .000000024225
5 .000000030625
6 .000000026425
7 .00000002
8 .0000000322
9 .00000002785
10 .0000000268
:
:
:

```

5.5 Example of Output in ASCII Format

```

*****
'*
'* TA520 Sample Program4 for GP-IB interface
'* Microsoft QuickBASIC 4.0/4.5 Version
'*
*****
'* Outputs the data measured in time stamp mode in ASCII format.
'*
*****
REM $INCLUDE: 'qbdecl4.bas'
DEVICE$ = "DEV1": CALL IBFIND(DEVICE$, TA%)
CALL IBSIC(TA%)
BORD$ = "GPIB0": CALL IBFIND(BORD$, BD%)
CALL IBSIC(BD%)
V% = 1: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
CALL IBCLR(TA%)

CMD$ = "MEASURE:MODE TSTAMP" 'Hardware histogram mode
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEASURE:FUNCTION TI,AB" 'Time interval measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:MODE EVENT" 'Event gate
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "SAMPLE:GATE:EVENTSIZE 1000" 'Sampling size to 1000 points
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

CMD$ = "STATUS:FILTER1 RISE" 'Set transition filter
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "STATUS:EESR?" 'Clear extended event register
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
RES$ = SPACE$(100)
CALL IBRD(TA%, RES$)

CMD$ = "SSTART" 'Start single measurement
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "COMMUNICATE:WAIT 1" 'Wait for measured data to become valid
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

CMD$ = "MEMORY:DATASELECT MEASUREDATA" 'Set the type of data to retrieve
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
CMD$ = "MEMORY:FORMAT ASCII" 'Set the format
CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)

ST% = 1: ED% = 1000 'Set the start and end points
FOR I% = ST% TO ED% STEP 10 'Retrieve 10 points at a time
  CMD$ = "MEMORY:START" + STR$(I%) + ";END" + STR$(I% + 9)
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  CMD$ = "MEMORY:SEND?" 'Request measured data
  CALL IBWRT(TA%, CMD$)
  RES$ = SPACE$(250)
  CALL IBRD(TA%, RES$) 'Receive measured data
  J% = 1
  FOR K% = 0 TO 9
    D# = VAL(MID$(RES$, J%)) 'Convert ASCII to real number
    PRINT I% + K%, D# 'Display measured values
    J% = INSTR(J%, RES$, ",") + 1
  NEXT K%
NEXT I%
V% = 0: CALL IBSRE(BD%, V%)
END

```

Output Example

```

1 .000000024075
2 .0000000259
3 .000000027850
4 .000000024225
5 .000000030625
6 .000000026425
7 .00000002
8 .0000000322
9 .00000002785
10 .0000000268
:

```

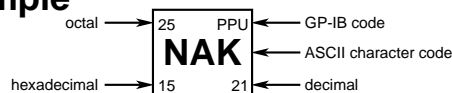
Appendix

Appendix 1 ASCII Character Code

ASCII character codes are given below.

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0 NUL	20 DEL	40 SP	60 0	100 @	120 P	140 '	160 p
1	1 SOH	21 DC1	41 !	61 1	101 A	121 Q	141 a	161 q
2	2 STX	22 DC2	42 "	62 2	102 B	122 R	142 b	162 r
3	3 ETX	23 DC3	43 #	63 3	103 C	123 S	143 c	163 s
4	4 EOT	24 DC4	44 \$	64 4	104 D	124 T	144 d	164 t
5	5 ENQ	25 NAK	45 %	65 5	105 E	125 U	145 e	165 u
6	6 ACK	26 SYN	46 &	66 6	106 F	126 V	146 f	166 v
7	7 BEL	27 ETB	47 ,	67 7	107 G	127 W	147 g	167 w
8	10 BS	30 CAN	50 (70 8	110 H	130 X	150 h	170 x
9	11 HT	31 EM	51)	71 9	111 I	131 Y	151 i	171 y
A	12 LF	32 SUB	52 *	72 :	112 J	132 Z	152 j	172 z
B	13 VT	33 ESC	53 +	73 ;	113 K	133 [153 k	173 {
C	14 FF	34 FS	54 ,	74 <	114 L	134 \	154 l	174
D	15 CR	35 GS	55 -	75 =	115 M	135]	155 m	175 }
E	16 SO	36 RS	56 .	76 >	116 N	136 ^	156 n	176 ~
F	17 SI	37 US	57 /	77 ?	117 O	137 _	157 o	177 DEL (RUBOUT)
	Address Command	Universal Command	Listener Address		Talker Address		Secondary Command	

Example



Appendix 2 Error Messages

Communication error messages are described below.

- If servicing is required, contact your nearest YOKOGAWA dealer as listed on the back cover of this manual.
- For error messages other than communication error messages, see the User's Manual IM704310-01E.

Error in communication command (100 to 199)

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
102	Syntax error	Syntax error other than the codes given below.	Chap. 2, 3
103	Invalid separator	There is no <DATA SEPARATOR>. Use a comma (,) to separate data.	2-1
104	Data type error	Invalid <DATA> type. See pages 2-5 and 2-6 and enter data using the correct format.	2-5 to 2-6
108	Parameter not allowed	There are too many <DATA> parameters. Check the number of parameters.	2-5, Chap. 3
109	Missing parameter	A required <DATA> parameter is missing. Enter the required parameters.	2-5, Chap. 3
111	Header separator error	There is no <HEADER SEPARATOR>. Use a space to separate the header and data.	2-2
112	Program mnemonic too long	<mnemonic> is too long. Check the mnemonic (string made of alphanumeric characters).	Chap. 3
113	Undefined header	No such command. Check the header.	Chap. 3
114	Header suffix out of range	The <HEADER> value is not correct. Check the header.	Chap. 3
120	Numeric data error	The mantissa is missing from the value. A mantissa must be placed before the exponent in <NRf> format.	2-5
123	Exponent too large	The exponent is too large Use a smaller number for the exponent following "E" in <NR3> format.	2-5, Chap. 3
124	Too many digits	Too many significant digits. Limit the number of digits to 255 or less.	2-5, Chap. 3
128	Numeric data not allowed	Numerical data cannot be used. Enter the value using a format other than <NRf> format.	2-5, Chap. 3
131	Invalid suffix	Invalid unit. Check the units for <Voltage> and <Time>	2-5
134	Suffix too long	The unit is too long. Check the units for <Voltage> and <Time>	2-5
138	Suffix not allowed	Units cannot be used. Units cannot be used for values other than <Voltage> and <Time>.	2-5
141	Invalid character data	No such selection. Enter one of the string from {...}.	Chap. 3
144	Character data too long	The <CHARACTER DATA> is too long. Check the spelling of {...}.	Chap. 3
148	Character data not allowed	<CHARACTER DATA> cannot be used. Enter the value in a format other than {...}.	Chap. 3
150	String data error	The right separator for <STRING DATA> is missing. Use " " or "' "' to enclose the <STRING DATA>.	2-6
151	Invalid string data	The contents of <STRING DATA> are invalid. The <STRING DATA> is too long or contains invalid characters.	Chap. 3
158	String data not allowed	<STRING DATA> cannot be used. Use a data format other than <STRING DATA>.	Chap. 3
161	Invalid block data	The length of <BLOCK DATA> is not correct. <BLOCK DATA> cannot be used.	2-6, Chap. 3

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
168	Block data not allowed	<BLOCK DATA> cannot be used.	2-6, Chap. 3
171	Invalid expression	<EXPRESSION DATA> contains invalid characters. Equations cannot be used.	Chap. 3
178	Expression data not allowed.	<EXPRESSION DATA> cannot be used. Equations cannot be used.	Chap. 3
181	Invalid outside macro definition	The place holder is outside the macro. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—

Error in communication execution (200 to 299)

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
221	Setting conflict	There is a conflict in the setting. Check the relevant settings.	Chap. 3
222	Data out of range	The data value is out of range. Check the range.	Chap. 3
223	Too much data	The data byte length is too long. Check the data byte length.	Chap. 3
224	Illegal parameter value	The parameter value is invalid. Check the range.	Chap. 3
241	Hardware missing	The hardware is not installed. Check the existence of the option.	—
260	Expression error	<EXPRESSION DATA> are invalid. Equations cannot be used.	—
270	Macro error	Too many macro nests. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
272	Macro execution error	Cannot be used in a macro. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
273	Illegal macro label	The macro label is invalid Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
275	Macro definition too long	The macro is too long Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
276	Macro recursion error	Macro recursion occurred. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
277	Macro redefinition not allowed	Macro redefinition is not allowed. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—
278	Macro header not found	No such macro is defined. Macro functions of IEEE488.2 are not supported.	—

Appendix 2 Error Messages

Error in communication Query (400 to 499)

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
410	Query INTERRUPTED	The transmission of the response was aborted. Check the transmission/reception order.	2-2
420	Query UNTERMINATED	No response to be transmitted. Check the transmission/reception order.	2-2
430	Query DEADLOCKED	Transmission/reception deadlock occurred. Abort the transmission. Limit the length of the program messages to 1024 bytes including <PMT>.	2-2
440	Query UNTERMINATED after indefinite response	The request order is not correct. Do not enter a query after the *IDN? and *OPT? commands.	—

Error in Execution (600 to 899)

See User's Manual IM704310-01E.

Error in System Operation (912 to 915)

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
912	Fatal error in Communication-driver	Communication driver error occurred. Servicing is required.	—
914	A communication time-out has occurred	Communication timeout error occurred. Make sure to receive the data within the timeout time. The communication line may be malfunctioning.	—

Other (350)

Code	Message	Action	Reference Page
350	Queue overflow	Read out the error queue.	4-5

Note

Code 350 indicates overflow of error queue. This code is returned as a response to the "STATus:ERRor?" query; it does not appear on the screen.

Appendix 3 Overview of IEEE 488.2-1992

The GP-IB interface provided with this instrument conforms to IEEE 488.2-1992. This standard requires the following 23 points be stated in this document. This appendix describes these points.

(1) Subsets supported by IEEE 488.1 interface functions

Refer to the specifications on page 1-3.

(2) Operation of device when the device is assigned to an address other than one of the addresses 0 to 30

This instrument does not allow assignment to an address other than 0 to 30.

(3) Reaction when the user initializes address settings.

Change of the current address is acknowledged when a new address is set using the UTILITY key menu (GP-IB menu). The newly set address is valid until another new address is set.

(4) Device set-up at power ON. Commands which can be used at power ON

Basically, the previous settings (i.e. the settings which were valid when power was turned OFF) are valid.

All commands are available at power ON.

(5) Message transmission options

(a) Input buffer size and operation

The input buffer's capacity is 1024 bytes.

(b) Types of queries which return multiple response messages

Refer to the examples of each command in Chapter 3.

(c) Types of queries which generate response data during analysis of the syntax

Every query generates response data when analysis of the syntax is performed.

(d) Types of queries which generate response data during reception

No query generates response data when it is received by the controller.

(e) Types of commands which have pairs of parameters.

Refer to the examples of each command in Chapter 3.

(6) List of function elements which configure commands used for the device. All those which are included in elements of composite command program headers

Refer to Chapter 2 and 3.

(7) Buffer size that affects the transmission of block data

The buffer size of the block data is 64 KB.

(8) List of program data elements which can be used in equations and nesting limit

Cannot be used.

(9) Syntax of response data to queries

Refer to the examples of each command in Chapter 3.

(10) Communication between devices that does not follow the response syntax

There are none.

(11) Size of data block of response data

0 to 128004 bytes

(12) List of supported common commands

Refer to 3.24 Common Command Group.

(13) Condition of device when calibration is successfully completed

Same state as before calibration. Measuring ended, the datas before calibration are invalid datas.

(14) Maximum length of block data which can be used for definition of trigger macro when *DDT is used

*DDT is not supported.

(15) Maximum length of macro label if macro definition is used; maximum length of block data which can be used for definition of macro; processing when recursion is used in definition of macro

Macro functions are not supported.

(16) Response to *IDN?

Refer to 3.24 Common Command Group.

(17) Size of storage area for protected user data if PUD and *PUD? are used.

*PUD and *PUD? are not supported.

(18) Length of resource name if *RDT and *RDT? are used.

*RDT and *RDT? are not supported.

(19) Change in status if *RST, *LRN?, *RCL and *SAV are used.

*RST

Refer to 3.24 Common Command Group.

*LRN?, *RCL, *SAV

These commands are not supported.

(20) Scope of the self-test using *TST?

The test covers the same items as the Board test in the Selftest menu of the UTILITY key.

(21) Structure of extended return status

Refer to chapter 4.

(22) To find out whether each command is performed in parallel or sequentially

Refer to 2.5 Synchronization with the Controller, or chapter 3.

(23) Functions performed until a message indicating completion of the command is displayed

Refer to the function description of each command in chapter 3, and to the User's Manual 704310-01E.

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