HP 16554A and HP 16555A
State/Timing Logic Analyzers
In This Book

This guide, combined with the *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide*, provides you with the information needed to program the HP 16554A and HP 16555A logic analyzer modules. Each module has its own reference to supplement the mainframe manual since not all mainframes will be configured with the same modules.

This manual is organized in three parts. Part 1 consists of chapters 1 and 2 which contain general information and instructions to help you get started. Chapter 1 also contains:

- Mainframe system commands that are frequently used with the logic analyzer module
- HP 16554A/HP 16555A Logic Analyzer command tree
- Alphabetic command-to-subsystem directory

Chapter 2 contains module level commands.

Part 2 consists of chapters 3 through 15 which contain the subsystem commands for the logic analyzer and chapter 16 which contains information on the SYSTem:DATA and SYSTem:SETup commands for this module.
Part 3, chapter 17, contains program examples of actual tasks that show you how to get started in programming the HP 16554A and HP 16555A logic analyzers. These examples are written in HP BASIC 6.2; however, the program concepts can be used in any other popular programming language that allows communications with either the HP-IB or RS-232C buses.

Error messages for the HP 16554A and HP 16555A are included in generic system error messages and are in the *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide*. 
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Programming the HP 16554A/HP 16555A
Introduction

This chapter introduces you to the basic command structure used to program the logic analyzer. Also included is an example program that sets up the timing analyzer for a basic timing measurement. Additional program examples are in chapter 17.
Selecting the Module

Before you can program the logic analyzer, you must first "select" it. This directs your commands to the logic analyzer.

To select the module, use the system command :SELect followed by the numeric reference for the slot location of the logic analyzer (1 through 7 and 9) refers to slot A through G and I respectively). Note that slot locations 8 and 10 (H and J) are not available. For example, if the logic analyzer is in slot E, then the command:

:SEl 5

would select this module. For more information on the select command, refer to the HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide manual.

Programming the Logic Analyzer

A typical logic analyzer program will do the following:

- select the appropriate module
- name a specified analyzer
- specify the analyzer type
- assign pods
- assign labels
- sets pod thresholds
- specify a trigger condition
- set up the display
- specify acquisition type
- start acquiring data
The following example program sets up the logic analyzer to make a simple timing analyzer measurement.

```
Example
10  OUTPUT XXX;":SELECT 3"
20  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:NAME 'TIMING'"
30  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:TYPE TIMING"
40  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:ASSIGN 1"
50  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:TFORMAT:LABEL 'COUNT',POS,0,0,255"
60  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:TTRIGGER:TERM A, 'COUNT', '#HFF'"
70  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:TWAVEFORM:RANGE 1E-6"
80  OUTPUT XXX;":MENU 3,5"
90  OUTPUT XXX;":MACH1:TWAVEFORM:INSERT 'COUNT'"
100 OUTPUT XXX;":RMODE SINGLE"
110 OUTPUT XXX;":START"
120 END
```

The three Xs (XXX) after the "OUTPUT" statements in the previous example refer to the device address required for programming over either HP-IB or RS-232C. Refer to your controller manual and programming language reference manual for information on initializing the interface.

**Program Comments**

Line 10 selects the logic analyzer in slot C.

Line 20 names machine (analyzer) 1 "TIMING".

Line 30 specifies machine 1 is a timing analyzer.

Line 40 assigns pods 1 and 2 to machine 1.

Line 50 sets up the Timing Format menu by assigning the label COUNT, and assigning a polarity and channels to the label.

Line 60 selects the trigger pattern for the timing analyzer.

Line 70 sets the range to 100 ns (10 times s/div).

Line 80 changes the onscreen display to the Timing Waveforms menu.

Line 90 inserts the label "COUNT" in the Timing Waveform menu.

Line 100 specifies the Single run mode.

Line 110 starts data acquisition.

For more information on the specific logic analyzer commands, refer to chapters 2 through 16.
Mainframe Commands

These commands are part of the HP 16500B/16501A mainframe system and are mentioned here only for reference. For more information on these commands, refer to the *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer’s Guide*.

**CARDcage? Query**

The CARDcage query returns a string of integers which identifies the modules that are installed in the mainframe. The returned string is in two parts. The first five two-digit numbers identify the card type. The identification number for the HP 16554A and HP 16555A logic analyzers is 34. A "-1" in the first part of the string indicates no card is installed in the slot.

The five, single-digit numbers in the second part of the string indicate which slots have cards installed, which card has the controlling software for the module, and where the master card is located.

Example

```
12, 11, -1, -1, 34, 2, 2, 0, 0, 5
```

A returned string of 12, 11, -1, -1, 34, 2, 2, 0, 0, 5 means that an oscilloscope time base card (ID number 11) is loaded in slot B and the oscilloscope acquisition card (ID number 12) is loaded in slot A. The next two slots (C and D) are empty (-1). Slot E contains a logic analyzer module (ID number 34).

The next group of numbers (2, 2, 0, 0, 5) indicate that a two-card module is installed in slots A and B with the master card in slot B. The "0" indicates an empty slot, or the module software is not recognized or, is not loaded. The last digit (5) in this group indicates a single module card is loaded in slot E. Complete information for the CARDcage query is in the *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer’s Guide* manual.
MENU Command/query
The MENU command selects a new displayed menu. The first parameter (X) specifies the desired module. The optional, second parameter specifies the desired menu in the module. It defaults to 0 if it is not specified. The query returns the currently selected and displayed menu.

For the HP 16554A/HP 16555A Logic Analyzers:

- X,0 — State/Timing Configuration
- X,1 — Format 1
- X,2 — Format 2
- X,3 — Trigger 1
- X,4 — Trigger 2
- X,5 — Waveform 1
- X,6 — Waveform 2
- X,7 — Listing 1
- X,8 — Listing 2
- X,9 — Mixed Display
- X,10 — Compare 1
- X,11 — Compare 2
- X,12 — Chart 1
- X,13 — Chart 2

The menus of an "OFF" machine are not available when only one analyzer is turned on. The Mixed Display is available only when one or both analyzers are state analyzers.

SELect Command/query
The SELect command selects which module or intermodule will have parser control. SELect 0 selects the intermodule, SELect 1 through 5 selects modules A through E respectively. Values -1 and -2 select software options 1 and 2. The SELect query returns the currently selected module.

STARt Command
The STARt command starts the specified module or intermodule. If the specified module is configured for intermodule, STARt will start all modules configured for intermodule.
STOP Command
The STOP command stops the specified module or intermodule. If the specified module is configured for intermodule, STOP will stop all modules configured for intermodule.

STARt and STOP are Overlapped Commands. Overlapped Commands allow execution of subsequent commands while the logic analyzer operations initiated by the Overlapped Command are still in progress. For more information, see *OPC and *WAI commands in Chapter 5 of the HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide.

RMODe Command/query
The RMODe command specifies the run mode (single or repetitive) for a module or intermodule. If the selected module is configured for intermodule, the intermodule run mode will be set by this command. The RMODe query returns the current setting.

SYSTem:ERRor? Query
The SYSTem:ERRor query returns the oldest error in the error queue. In order to return all the errors in the error queue, a simple FOR/NEXT loop can be written to query the queue until all errors are returned. Once all errors are returned, the query will return zeros.

SYSTem:PRINt Command/query
The SYSTem:PRINt command initiates a print of the screen or listing buffer over the current printer communication interface. The SYSTem:PRINt query sends the screen or listing buffer data over the current controller communication interface.

MMEMory Subsystem
The MMEMory Subsystem provides access to both internal disc drives for loading and storing configurations.

INTermodule Subsystem
The INTermodule Subsystem commands are used to specify intermodule arming between multiple modules.
Command Set Organization

The command set for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is divided into module-level commands and subsystem commands. Module-level commands are listed in Chapter 2, "Module Level Commands" and each of the subsystem commands are covered in their individual chapters starting with Chapter 3, "MACHine Subsystem."

Each of these chapters contains a description of the subsystem, syntax diagrams, and the commands in alphabetical order. The commands are shown in long form and short form using upper and lowercase letters. For example, LABEL indicates that the long form of the command is LABEL and the short form is LAB. Each of the commands contain a description of the command and its arguments, the command syntax, and a programming example.

Figure 1-1 on the following page shows the command tree for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer module. The (x) following the SELECT command at the top of the tree represents the slot number where the logic analyzer module is installed. The number may range from 1 through 7 and 9, representing slots A through G and I, respectively. Note that slot locations 8 and 10 (H and J) are not available.
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Command Set Organization

Figure 1-1

HP 16554A/HP 16555A Command Tree
Figure 1-1 (continued)

HP 16554A/HP 16555A Command Tree (continued)
### Table 1-1

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Module Status Reporting

Each module reports its status to the Module Event Status Register (MESR<N>), which in turn reports to the Combined Event Status Register (CESR) in the HP 16500B/16501A mainframe (see *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide* chapter 6). The Module Event Status Register is enabled by the Module Event Status Enable Register (MESE<N>).

The MESE<N> and MESR<N> instructions are not used in conjunction with the SELect command, so they are not listed in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A's command tree.

The following descriptions of the MESE<N> and MESR<N> instructions provide the module specific information needed to enable and interpret the contents of the registers.
**MESE<N>**

**Command**

`:MESE<N><enable_mask>

The MESE<N> command sets the Module Event Status Enable register bits. The MESE register contains a mask value for the bits enabled in the MESR register. A one in the MESE will enable the corresponding bit in the MESR, a zero will disable the bit.

The first parameter <N> specifies the module (1 through 7 and 9) refers to the module in slot A through G and I). The second parameter specifies the enable value.

Refer to table 1-2 for information about the Module Event Status register bits, bit weights, and what each bit masks for the module. Complete information for status reporting is in chapter 6 of the *HP 16500B/16501A Programmer's Guide* manual.

<N>  { 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 } number of slot in which the module resides

<enable_mask> integer from 0 to 255

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; " :MESE5 1"

**Query**

`:MESE<N>?

The MESE query returns the current setting.

**Returned Format**

[ :MESE<N> ]<enable_mask><NL>

**Example**

10 OUTPUT XXX; " :MESE5?"
20 ENTER XXX; Mes
30 PRINT Mes
40 END
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<td>2</td>
<td>RNT-Run until satisfied</td>
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<td>0</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>MC-Measurement complete</td>
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The Module Event Status Enable Register contains a mask value for the bits to be enabled in the Module Event Status Register (MESR). A one in the MESE enables the corresponding bit in the MESR, and a zero disables the bit.
MESR<N>

Query

: MESR<N>?

The MESR<N> query returns the contents of the Module Event Status register. When you read the MESR, the value returned is the total bit weights of all bits that are set at the time the register is read. Reading the register clears the Module Event Status Register.

Table 1-3 shows each bit in the Module Event Status Register and their bit weights for this module.

The parameter 1 through 7 and 9 refers to the module in slot A through G and I respectively.

Returned Format

[MESR<N>]<status><NL>

<N> {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9} number of slot in which the module resides

$status>$ integer from 0 to 255

Example

10 OUTPUT XXX; ";MESR5?"
20 ENTER XXX; Mer
30 PRINT Mer
40 END
### Table 1-3

#### Module Event Status Register

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Bit</th>
<th>Weight</th>
<th>Condition</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>128</td>
<td>Not used</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>64</td>
<td>Not used</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>Not used</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>Not used</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| 3   | 8      | 1 = One or more pattern searches failed  
         0 = Pattern searches did not fail     |
| 2   | 4      | 1 = Trigger found                  
         0 = Trigger not found               |
| 1   | 2      | 1 = Run until satisfied            
         0 = Run until not satisfied        |
| 0   | 1      | 1 = Measurement complete           
         0 = Measurement not complete      |
Module Level Commands
Introduction

The logic analyzer Module level commands access the global functions of the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer module. These commands are:

- ARMLine
- MACHine
- WLIST
- DBLOCK
Figure 2-1

Module Level Syntax Diagram
## Module Level Commands

### Table 2-1 Module Level Parameter Values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Type of Parameter or Command</th>
<th>Reference</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>machine_num</td>
<td>MACHine{1</td>
<td>2}</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>arm_parm</td>
<td>arm parameters</td>
<td>see chapter 3</td>
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<td>assign_parm</td>
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<td>level_parm</td>
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<td>see chapter 3</td>
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<td>name_parm</td>
<td>name parameters</td>
<td>see chapter 3</td>
</tr>
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<td>rename_parm</td>
<td>rename parameters</td>
<td>see chapter 3</td>
</tr>
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<td>res_parm</td>
<td>resource parameters</td>
<td>see chapter 3</td>
</tr>
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<td>type_parm</td>
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</tr>
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<td>state format subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>strace_cmds</td>
<td>state trace subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>slist_cmds</td>
<td>state list subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>swaveform_cmds</td>
<td>state waveform subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>schart_cmds</td>
<td>state chart subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 9</td>
</tr>
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<td>compare_cmds</td>
<td>compare subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 10</td>
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<td>tformat_cmds</td>
<td>timing format subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 11</td>
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<td>ttrace_cmds</td>
<td>timing trace subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 12</td>
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<td>twaveform_cmds</td>
<td>timing waveform subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>tlist_cmds</td>
<td>timing listing subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>symbol_cmds</td>
<td>symbol subsystem commands</td>
<td>see chapter 15</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
ARMLine

Command

:ARMLine MACHINE<N>

The ARMLine command selects which machine generates the arm out signal on the IMB (intermodule bus). This command is only valid when two analyzers are on. However, the query is always valid.

<N>  {1|2}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":ARMLINE MACHINE1"

Query

:ARMLine?

Returned Format

[ :ARMLine]MACHINE<N><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":ARMLINE?"

DBLock

Command

:DBLock {PACKed | UNPacked}

The DBLock command specifies the data block format that is contained in the response from a :SYSTem:DATA? query. See Chapter 16 for more information on the :SYSTem:DATA command and query.

The PACKed option (default) uploads data in a compressed format. This option is used to upload data for archiving, or for reloading back into the analyzer. When an analyzer configuration is saved to disk, the PACKed data format is always used (regardless of the current DBLock selection).

The UNPacked option uploads data in a format that is easy to interpret and process. The UNPacked format cannot be downloaded back into the analyzer.
Module Level Commands
MACHine

Example
OUTPUT XXX; ":DBLOCK PACKED"

Query
:DBLock?

The DBLock query returns the current data block format selection.

Returned Format
[:DBlock]{PACKed | UNPacked}<NL>

Example
OUTPUT XXX; ":DBLock?"

MACHine

Command
:MACHine<N>

The MACHine command selects which of the two machines (analyzers) the subsequent commands or queries will refer to. MACHine is also a subsystem containing commands that control the logic analyzer system level functions. Examples include pod assignments, analyzer names, and analyzer type. See chapter 3 for details about the MACHine Subsystem.

<N> {1 | 2}

Example
OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:NAME 'DRAMTEST' "

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WLIS$t

Command

:WLIS$t

The WLIS$t selector accesses the commands used to place markers and query marker positions in Timing/State Mixed mode. The WLIS$t subsystem also contains commands that allows you to insert waveforms from other time-correlated machines and modules. The details of the WLIS$t subsystem are in chapter 4.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;";WLIS$t:OTIME 40.0E-6"
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Commands
MACHine Subsystem
Introduction

The MACHine subsystem contains the commands that control the machine level of operation of the logic analyzer. The functions of three of these commands reside in the State/Timing Configuration menu. These commands are:

- ARM
- ASSign
- LEVelarm
- NAME
- TYPE

Even though the functions of the following commands reside in the Format menu they are at the machine level of the command tree and are therefore located in the MACHine subsystem. These commands are:

- REName
- RESource
Machine Subsystem Syntax Diagram
### Table 3-1

**Machine Subsystem Parameter Values**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>arm_source</td>
<td>{RUN</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pod_list</td>
<td>{NONE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pod_num</td>
<td>integer from 1 to 20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>arm_level</td>
<td>integer from 1 to 11 representing sequence level</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>machine_name</td>
<td>string of up to 10 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>res_id</td>
<td>&lt;state_terms&gt; for state analyzer or {&lt;state_terms&gt;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>new_text</td>
<td>string of up to 8 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>state_terms</td>
<td>{A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>res_terms</td>
<td>{&lt;res_id&gt;[,&lt;res_id&gt;]...}</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**MACHine**

**Selector**

`:MACHine<N>`

The MACHine `<N>` selector specifies which of the two analyzers (machines) available in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A the commands or queries following will refer to. Because the MACHine `<N>` command is a root level command, it will normally appear as the first element of a compound header.

 `<N> {1|2} (the machine number)

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:NAME 'TIMING' "

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**ARM**

**Command**

```
:MACHine{1|2}:ARM <arm_source>
```

The ARM command specifies the arming source of the specified analyzer (machine). The RUN option disables the arm source. For example, if you do not want to use either the intermodule bus or the other machine to arm the current machine, you specify the RUN option.

```
<arm_source>  {RUN|INTermodule|MACHine{1|2}}
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:ARM MACHINE2"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHine{1|2}:ARM?
```

The ARM query returns the source that the current analyzer (machine) will be armed by.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHine{1|2}:ARM] <arm_source>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE:ARM?"
```
ASSign

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:ASSign <pod_list>

The ASSign command assigns pods to a particular analyzer (machine). The ASSign command will assign two pods for each pod number you specify because pods must be assigned to analyzers in pairs. NONE clears all pods from the specified analyzer (machine) and places them in the "unassigned" category.

<pod_list> {NONE | <pod>#, <pod>#, ...}

<pod> # an integer from 1 to 20

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:ASSIGN 5, 2, 1"

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:ASSign?

The ASSign query returns which pods are assigned to the current analyzer (machine).

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:ASSign] <pod_list><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:ASSIGN?"
**LEVelarm**

**Command**

```
:MAChine{1|2}:LEVelarm <arm_level>
```

The LEVelarm command allows you to specify the sequence level for a specified machine that will be armed by the Intermodule Bus or the other machine. This command is only valid if the specified machine is on and the arming source is not set to RUN with the ARM command.

**<arm_level>**

to 11 representing sequence level

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:LEVELARM 2"
```

**Query**

```
:MAChine{1|2}:LEVelarm?
```

The LEVelarm query returns the current sequence level receiving the arming for a specified machine.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MAChine{1|2}:LEVelarm] <arm_level><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:LEVELARM?"
```
**NAME**

Command

:`MACHine{1|2}:NAME  <machine_name>`

The NAME command allows you to assign a name of up to 10 characters to a particular analyzer (machine) for easier identification.

<machine_name> string of up to 10 alphanumeric characters

Example

`OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:NAME 'DRAMTEST'"`

Query

:`MACHine{1|2}:NAME?`

The NAME query returns the current analyzer name as an ASCII string.

Returned Format

`[:MACHine{1|2}:NAME] <machine name><NL>`

Example

`OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:NAME?"`

**REName**

Command

:`MACHine{1|2}:REName {{<res_id>, <new_text>}} | DEFault`

The REName command allows you to assign a specific name of up to eight characters to terms A through G and I, Range 1 and 2, and Timer 1 and 2 in the state analyzer. In the timing analyzer, EDGE 1 and 2 can be renamed in addition to the terms available in the state analyzer. The DEFault option sets all resource term names to the default names assigned when turning on the instrument.
<res_id>  <state_terms> for state analyzer
       {<state_terms>|EDGE{1|2}} for timing analyzer

<new_text>  string of up to 8 alphanumeric characters

Example

Example

Example

RESResource

Command

The RESResource command allows you to assign resource terms A through G and I, Range 1 and 2, and Timer 1 and 2 to a particular analyzer (machine 1 or 2).
In the timing analyzer only, two additional resource terms are available. These terms are EDGE 1 and 2. These terms will always be assigned to the machine that is configured as the timing analyzer.

<res_id>  <state_terms> for state analyzer or
       {<state_terms>|EDGE{1|2}} for timing analyzer

<state_terms>  {A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I|RANGE1 |RANGE2 | TIMER1 | TIMER2}
**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:RESOURCE A,C,RANGE1"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:RESOURCE?
```

The RESOURCE query returns the current resource terms assigned to the specified analyzer.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:RESOURCE] <res_id>[,<res_id>,...]<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:RESOURCE?"
```

---

**TYPE**

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TYPE <analyzer type>
```

The TYPE command specifies what type a specified analyzer (machine) will be. The analyzer types are state or timing. The TYPE command also allows you to turn off a particular machine.

Only one timing analyzer can be specified at a time.

```
<analyzer type> {OFF|STATE|TIMing}
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TYPE STATE"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TYPE?
```

The TYPE query returns the current analyzer type for the specified analyzer.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TYPE] <analyzer type><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TYPE?"
```
WLISSt Subsystem
Introduction

The commands in the WLISI (Waveforms/LISting) subsystem control the X and O marker placement on the waveforms portion of the Timing/State mixed mode display. The XSTate and OSTate queries return what states the X and O markers are on. Because the markers can only be placed on the timing waveforms, the queries return what state (state acquisition memory location) the marked pattern is stored in.

In order to have mixed mode, one machine must be a state analyzer with time tagging on (use MACHine<N>:STRigger:TAG TIME).

- DELay
- INSert
- LINE
- MINus
- OSTate
- OTIME
- OVERlay
- PLUS
- RANGe
- REMove
- XOTime
- XSTate
- XTIME
Figure 4-1

WLIS! Subsystem Syntax Diagram
Table 4-1

WLIS:WLIST Subsystem Parameter Values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>delay_value</td>
<td>real number between -2500 s and +2500 s</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>module_spec</td>
<td>{1,2,3,4,5,6,7,9} (slot where time card is installed)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>bit_id</td>
<td>integer from 0 to 31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>line_num_mid_screen</td>
<td>integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>waveform</td>
<td>string containing &lt;acquisition_spec&gt;{1,2}</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>time_value</td>
<td>real number</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>time_range</td>
<td>real number between 10 ns and 10 ks</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

WLIS:

Selector :WLIS

The WLIS (Waveforms/LISting) selector is used as a part of a compound header to access the settings normally found in the Mixed Mode menu. Because the WLIS command is a root level command, it will always appear as the first element of a compound header.

The WLIS subsystem is only available when one or more state analyzers with time tagging on are specified.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":\WLIS:XTIME 40.0E-6"
**Delay**

**Command**

```
:WLlSt:DELaY <delay_value>
```

The DELay command specifies the amount of time between the timing trigger and the horizontal center of the timing waveform display. The allowable values for delay are $-2500$ s to $+2500$ s.

**<delay_value>**

real number between $-2500$ s and $+2500$ s

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":WLlSt:DELaY 100E-6"

**Query**

```
:WLlSt:DELaY?
```

The DELay query returns the current time offset (delay) value from the trigger.

**Returned Format**

```
[:WLlSt:DELaY] <delay_value><NL>
```

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":WLlSt:DELaY?"
**WLISt Subsystem**

**INSert**

**INSert**

:WLISt:INSert [<module_spec>,]<label_name>[,{<bit_id>|OVERlay|ALL}]

The INSert command inserts waveforms in the timing waveform display. The waveforms are added from top to bottom up to a maximum of 96 waveforms. Once 96 waveforms are present, each time you insert another waveform, it replaces the last waveform.

Time-correlated waveforms from the oscilloscope and another logic analyzer module can also be inserted in the logic analyzer's timing waveforms display. Oscilloscope waveforms occupy the same display space as three logic analyzer waveforms. When inserting waveforms from the oscilloscope or another logic analyzer module, the optional first parameter must be used, which is the module specifier. 1 through 7 and 9 corresponds to modules A through G and I. If you do not specify the module, the selected module is assumed.

The second parameter specifies the label name that will be inserted. The optional third parameter specifies the label bit number, overlay, or all. If a number is specified, only the waveform for that bit number is added to the screen.

If you specify OVERlay, all the bits of the label are displayed as a composite overlaid waveform. If you specify ALL, all the bits are displayed sequentially. If you do not specify the third parameter, ALL is assumed.

<module_spec>  {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}

<label_name>  string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<bit_id>  integer from 0 to 31

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":WLISt:INSERT 3, 'WAVE', 9"
Inserting Oscilloscope Waveforms

**Command**

:WLSt:INSert <module_spec>,<label_name>

This inserts a waveform from an oscilloscope to the timing waveforms display.

- **<module_spec>**
  - \{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9\} slot in which master card is installed

- **<label_name>**
  - string of one alpha and one numeric character

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":WLSt:INSERT 3, 'C1'"

---

**LINE**

**Command**

:WLSt:LINE <line_num_mid_screen>

The LINE command allows you to scroll the timing analyzer listing vertically. The command specifies the state line number relative to the trigger that the analyzer highlights at the center of the screen.

- **<line_num_mid_screen>**
  - integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":WLSt:LINE 0"
WLISl Subsystem

MINus

Query

:WLISl:LINE?

The LINE query returns the line number for the state currently in the box at center screen.

Returned Format

[:WLISl:LINE] <line_num_mid_screen><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":WLISl:LINE?"

MINus

Command

:WLISl:MINus <module_spec>,<waveform>,<waveform>

The MINus command inserts time-correlated A–B (A minus B) oscilloscope waveforms on the screen. The first parameter is the module specifier where the oscilloscope module resides, where 1 through 7 and 9 refers to slots A through G and I. The next two parameters specify which waveforms will be subtracted from each other.

MINus is only available for oscilloscope waveforms.

<module_spec> {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}

<waveform> string containing <acquisition_spec>{1|2}

<acquisition_ spec> {A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I} (slot where acquisition card is located)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :WLISl:MINUS 1,'A1','A2'"
OSTate

Query

:WLISt:OSTate?

The OSTate query returns the state where the O Marker is positioned. If data is not valid, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format

[:WLISt:OSTate] <state_num><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :WLISt:OSTATE?"

OTIMe

Command

:WLISt:OTIMe <time_value>

The OTIMe command positions the O Marker on the timing waveforms in the mixed mode display. If the data is not valid, the command performs no action.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :WLISt:OTIME 40.0E-6"
**WL1St Subsystem**

**OVERlay**

**Query**

:WL1St:OTIMe?

The OTIMe query returns the O Marker position in time. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

[:WL1St:OTIMe] <time_value><NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":WL1ST:OTIME?"

**OVERlay**

**Command**

:WL1St:OVERlay <module_number>, <label>[, <label>]...

The OVERlay command overlays two or more oscilloscope waveforms and adds the resultant waveform to the current waveform display. The first parameter of the command syntax specifies which slot contains the oscilloscope time base card. The next parameters are the labels of the waveforms that are to be overlaid.

*<module_spec>*

{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}

*<waveform>*

string containing <acquisition_spec>{1|2}

*<acquisition_spec>*

{A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I} (slot where acquisition card is located)

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":WL1ST:OVERLAY 3, 'C1', 'C2'"
PLUS

**Command**

`:WLISt:PLUS <module_spec>,<waveform>,<waveform>`

The PLUS command inserts time-correlated A+B oscilloscope waveforms on the screen. The first parameter is the module specifier where the oscilloscope module resides, where 1 through 7 and 9 refers to slots A through G and I. The next two parameters specify which waveforms will be added to each other.

PLUS is only available for oscilloscope waveforms.

- `<module_spec>`: `{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}`
- `<waveform>`: string containing `<acquisition_spec>{1|2}`
- `<acquisition_spec>`: `{A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I}` (slot where acquisition card is located)

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :WLISt:PLUS 1,'A1','A2'"
```
**WLISt Subsystem**

**RANGe**

**Command**

`:WLISt:RANGe <time_value>`

The RANGe command specifies the full-screen time in the timing waveform menu. It is equivalent to ten times the seconds per division setting on the display. The allowable values for RANGe are from 10 ns to 10 ks.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "WLISt:RANGE 1E-9"
```

**Query**

`:WLISt:RANGe?

The RANGe query returns the current full-screen time.

**Returned Format**

```
[:WLISt:RANGe] <time_value><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "WLISt:RANGE?"
```

---

**REMove**

**Command**

`:WLISt:REMove`

The REMove command deletes all waveforms from the display.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "WLISt:REMOVE"
```
XOTime

Query
:WLIS:XTIME?

The XOTime query returns the time from the X marker to the 0 marker. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format
[:WLIS:XTIME] <time_value><NL>
<time_value> real number

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":WLIS:XTIME?"

XSTate

Query
:WLIS:XSTATE?

The XSTate query returns the state where the X Marker is positioned. If data is not valid, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format
[:WLIS:XSTATE] <state_num><NL>
<state_num> integer

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":WLIS:XSTATE?"
XTIMe

Command

:WLIS\text{t}:XTIMe <time_value>

The XTIMe command positions the X Marker on the timing waveforms in the mixed mode display. If the data is not valid, the command performs no action.

<time_value> real number

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :WLIS\text{t}:XTIMe 40.0E-6"

Query

:WLIS\text{t}:XTIMe?

The XTIMe query returns the X Marker position in time. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format

[:WLIS\text{t}:XTIMe] <time_value><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :WLIS\text{t}:XTIMe?"
SFORmat Subsystem
The SFORmat subsystem contains the commands available for the State Format menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer modules. These commands are:

- CLOCk
- LABel
- MASTer
- MOPQual
- MQUal
- REMove
- SETHold
- SLAVE
- SOPQual
- SQUal
- THReshold
SFORmat Subsystem Syntax Diagram
Figure 5-1 (continued)

SFORmat Subsystem Syntax Diagram (continued)

5-4
### SFORmat Subsystem Parameter Values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>&lt;N&gt;</td>
<td>an integer from 1 to 20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>polarity</td>
<td>{POSitive</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>clock_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a clock (clocks are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>upper_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>lower_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>clock_id</td>
<td>{J</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>clock_spec</td>
<td>{OFF</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>clock_pair_id</td>
<td>{1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>qual_operation</td>
<td>{AND</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>qual_num</td>
<td>{1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>qual_level</td>
<td>{OFF</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pod_num</td>
<td>an integer from 1 to 20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>set_hold_value</td>
<td>{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>value</td>
<td>voltage (real number) -6.00 to +6.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
SFORmat Subsystem

SFORmat

### SFORmat

**Selector**

:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat

The SFORmat (State Format) selector is used as a part of a compound header to access the settings in the State Format menu. It always follows the MACHIne selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHIne level in the command tree.

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:SFORMAT:MASTER J, RISING"

### CLOCk

**Command**

:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat:CLOCk<N> <clock_mode>

The CLOCk command selects the clocking mode for a given pod when the pod is assigned to the state analyzer. When the MASTer option is specified, the pod will sample all 16 channels on the master clock. When the SLAVe option is specified, the pod will sample all 16 channels on the slave clock. When the DEMultiplex option is specified, only one pod of a pod pair can acquire data. The 16 bits of the selected pod will be clocked by the demultiplex master for labels with bits assigned under the Master pod. The same 16 bits will be clocked by the demultiplex slave for labels with bits assigned under the Slave pod. The master clock always follows the slave clock when both are used.

<N> an integer from 1 to 20

<clock_mode> {MASTer | SLAVe | DEMultiplex}

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:SFORMAT:CLOCK2 MASTER"
Query

:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat:CLOCk<N?>

The CLOCk query returns the current clocking mode for a given pod.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat:CLOCK<N>] <clock_mode><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "::MACHINE1:SFORMAT:CLOCK2?"

LABel

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat:LABel


The LABel command allows you to specify polarity and assign channels to new or existing labels. If the specified label name does not match an existing label name, a new label will be created.

The order of the pod-specification parameters is significant. The first one listed will match the highest numbered pod assigned to the machine you're using. Each pod specification after that is assigned to the next highest numbered pod. This way they match the left-to-right descending order of the pods you see on the Format display. Not including enough pod specifications results in the lowest numbered pod(s) being assigned a value of zero (all channels excluded). If you include more pod specifications than there are pods for that machine, the extra ones will be ignored. However, an error is reported anytime when more than 22 pod specifications are listed.

The polarity can be specified at any point after the label name.

Because pods contain 16 channels, the format value for a pod must be between 0 and 65535 \( (2^{16}-1) \). When giving the pod assignment in binary (base 2), each bit will correspond to a single channel. A "1" in a bit position means the associated channel in that pod is assigned to that pod and bit. A "0" in a bit position means the associated channel in that pod is excluded from the label. For example, assigning #B111001100 is equivalent to entering "......****..**." through the touchscreen.

A label can not have a total of more than 32 channels assigned to it.
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LABel

For systems using up to four boards, a single <clock_bits> specification is used. If five boards are used, there must be two <clock_bits> specified.

<name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
<polarity> {POSitive | NEGative}
<clock_bits> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a clock (clocks are assigned in decreasing order)
<upper_bits> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)
<lower_bits> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)
<assignment> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SFORMAT:LABEL 'STAT', POSITIVE, 0,127,40312"
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SFORMAT:LABEL 'SIG 1', #B11,#B000000011111111, #B000000000000000 *

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMAT:LABEL? <name>

The LABel query returns the current specification for the selected (by name) label. If the label does not exist, nothing is returned. The polarity is always returned as the first parameter. Numbers are always returned in decimal format.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMAT:LABEL] <name>,<polarity> [, <assignment>]...<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SFORMAT:LABEL? 'DATA'"

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**MASTer**

**Command**

:MAChine\{1|2\}:SFORmat:MASTer

\(<clock\_id>,<clock\_spec>\)

The MASTer clock command allows you to specify a master clock for a given machine. The master clock is used in all clocking modes (Master, Slave, and Demultiplexed). Each command deals with only one clock (J,K,L,M); therefore, a complete clock specification requires four commands, one for each clock. Edge specifications (RISing, FALLing, or BOTH) are ORed. At least one clock edge must be specified.

- \(<clock\_id>\) \{J|K|L|M\}
- \(<clock\_spec>\) \{OFF|RISing|FALLing|BOTH\}

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine2:SFORmat:MASTer J, RISING"

**Query**

:MAChine\{1|2\}:SFORmat:MASTer? \(<clock\_id>\)

The MASTer query returns the clock specification for the specified clock.

**Returned Format**

[:MAChine\{1|2\}:SFORmat:MASTer] \(<clock\_id>,<clock\_spec><NL>"

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine2:SFORmat:MASTer? <clock_id>"
MOPQual

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MOPQual
<clock_pair_id>,<qual_operation>

The MOPQual (master operation qualifier) command allows you to specify either the AND or the OR operation between master clock qualifier pair 1 and 2, or between master clock qualifier pair 3 and 4. For example, you can specify a master clock operation qualifier 1 AND 2.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SFORMAT:MOPQUAL 1,AND"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MOPQual? <clock_pair_id>

The MOPQual query returns the operation qualifier specified for the master clock.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MOPQual <clock_pair_id>]
<qual_operation><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SFORMAT:MOPQUAL? 1"
MQUal

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MQUal
<qual_num>,<clock_id>,<qual_level>

The MQUal (master qualifier) command allows you to specify the level qualifier for the master clock.

<qual_num> {1|2|3|4}
<clock_id> {J|K|L|M}
<qual_level> {OFF|LOW|HIGH}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SFORMAT:MQUAL 1,J,LOW"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MQUal? <qual_num>

The MQUal query returns the qualifier specified for the master clock.

Returned Format

[ :MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:MQUal] <qual_level><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SFORMAT:MQUAL? 1"
REMove

**Command**

```
:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:REMove {<name>|ALL}
```

The REMove command allows you to delete all labels or any one label for a given machine.

- `<name>` string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

---

**Examples**

```output
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SFORMAT:REMOVE 'A'
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SFORMAT:REMOVE ALL
```

SETHold

**Command**

```
:MAChine{1|2}:SFORmat:SETHold
<pod_num>,<set_hold_value>
```

The SETHold (setup/hold) command allows you to set the setup and hold specification for the state analyzer.

Even though the command requires integers to specify the setup and hold, the query returns the current settings in a string. For example, if you send the integer 0 for the setup and hold value, the query will return 3.5/0.0 ns as an ASCII string when you have one clock and one edge specified.
<pod_num> an integer from 1 to 20

<set_hold_value> integer \{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9\} representing the following setup and hold values:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>For one clock and one edge</th>
<th>For one clock and both edges</th>
<th>Multiple Clocks</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>0 = 3.5/0.0 ns</td>
<td>0 = 4.0/0.0</td>
<td>0 = 4.5/0.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 = 3.0/0.5 ns</td>
<td>1 = 3.5/0.5</td>
<td>1 = 4.0/0.5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 = 2.5/1.0 ns</td>
<td>2 = 3.0/1.0</td>
<td>2 = 3.5/1.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 = 2.0/1.5 ns</td>
<td>3 = 2.5/1.5</td>
<td>3 = 3.0/1.5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 = 1.5/2.0 ns</td>
<td>4 = 2.0/2.0</td>
<td>4 = 2.5/2.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 = 1.0/2.5 ns</td>
<td>5 = 1.5/2.5</td>
<td>5 = 2.0/2.5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6 = 0.5/3.0 ns</td>
<td>6 = 1.0/3.0</td>
<td>6 = 1.5/3.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 = 0.0/3.5 ns</td>
<td>7 = 0.5/3.5</td>
<td>7 = 1.0/3.5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>8 = 0.0/4.0</td>
<td>8 = 0.5/4.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>9 = 0.0/4.5</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SFORMAT:SETHOLD 1,2"
```

**Query**

```
:MAChine{1|2}:SFORMAT:SETHOLD? <pod_num>
```

The SETHold query returns the current setup and hold settings.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MAChine{1|2}:SFORMAT:SETHold <pod_num>]
<setup_and_hold_string><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SFORMAT:SETHOLD? 3"
```
SLAVe

Command
:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORmat:SLAVe
<clock_id>,<clock_spec>

The SLAVe clock command allows you to specify a slave clock for a given machine. The slave clock is only used in the Slave and Demultiplexed clocking modes. Each command deals with only one clock (J,K,L,M); therefore, a complete clock specification requires four commands, one for each clock. Edge specifications (RISING, FALLing, or BOTH) are ORed. When slave clock is being used at least one edge must be specified.

<clock_id> {J|K|L|M}

<clock_spec> {OFF|RISING|FALLing|BOTH}

Example
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SFORmat:SLAVE J, RISING"

Query
:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORmat:SLAVe?<clock_id>

The SLAVe query returns the clock specification for the specified clock.

Returned Format
[:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORmat:SLAVe] <clock_id>,<clock_spec><NL>

Example
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SFORmat:SLAVE? K"
SOPQual

The SOPQual (slave operation qualifier) command allows you to specify either the AND or the OR operation between slave clock qualifier pair 1 and 2, or between slave clock qualifier pair 3 and 4. For example you can specify a slave clock operation qualifier 1 AND 2.

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SFORMat:SOPQual 1,AND"
```

Query

```
::MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMat:SOPQual? <clock_pair_id>
```

The SOPQual query returns the operation qualifier specified for the slave clock.

Returned Format

```
[::MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMat:SOPQual <clock_pair_id>]
<qual_operation><NL>
```

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SFORMat:SOPQual? 1"
```
SFORmat Subsystem
SOUal

SOUal

Command

:MaCHine{1|2}:SFORmat:SOUal
<qual_num>,<clock_id>,<qual_level>

The SOUal (slave qualifier) command allows you to specify the level qualifier for the slave clock.

<qual_num> {1|2|3|4}
<clock_id> {J|K|L|M}
<qual_level> {OFF|LOW|HIGH}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE2:SFORMAT:SQUAL 1,J,LOW"

Query

:MaCHine{1|2}:SFORmat:SOUal?<qual_num>

The SOUal query returns the qualifier specified for the slave clock.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:SFORmat:SOUal] <clock_id>,<qual_level><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE2:SFORMAT:SQUAL? 1"

THReshold

Command

:MaCHine{1|2}:SFORmat:THReshold<N>
{TTL|ECL}<value>

The THReshold command allows you to set the voltage threshold for a given pod to ECL, TTL, or a specific voltage from -6.00 V to +6.00 V in 0.05 volt increments.
<N> pod number (an integer from 1 to 20)

<value> voltage (real number) -6.00 to +6.00

TTL default value of +1.6 V

ECL default value of -1.3 V

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:SFORMAT:THRESHOLD1 4.0"

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMAT:THRESHOLD<N>?

The THRESHOLD query returns the current threshold for a given pod.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SFORMAT:THRESHOLD<N>] <value><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:SFORMAT:THRESHOLD4?"
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem
Introduction

The STRigger subsystem contains the commands available for the State Trigger menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer modules. The State Trigger subsystem will also accept the STRace selector as used in previous HP 16500-Series Logic Analyzer modules to eliminate the need to rewrite programs containing STRace as the selector keyword. The STRigger subsystem commands are:

- ACQuisition
- BRANch
- CLEar
- FIND
- MLENgh
- RANGe
- SEQuence
- STORe
- TAG
- TAKenbranch
- TCONtrol
- TERM
- TIMER
- TPOSition
STRigger Subsystem Syntax Diagram
STRigger Subsystem Syntax Diagram (continued)
STRigger Subsystem Syntax Diagram (continued)

Table 6-1

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>branch_qualifier</td>
<td>&lt;qualifier&gt;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>to_lev_num</td>
<td>integer from 1 to last level</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>proceed_qualifier</td>
<td>&lt;qualifier&gt;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>occurrence</td>
<td>number from 1 to 1048575</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>start_pattern</td>
<td>&quot;{#B{0{1} . . .</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>stop_pattern</td>
<td>&quot;{#B{0} . . .</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

6-5
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>num_of_levels</td>
<td>integer from 2 to 12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>lev_of_trig</td>
<td>integer from 1 to (number of existing sequence levels - 1)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>store_qualifier</td>
<td>&lt;qualifier&gt;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>state_tag_qualifier</td>
<td>&lt;qualifier&gt;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>timer_num</td>
<td>{1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>timer_value</td>
<td>400 ns to 500 seconds</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>term_id</td>
<td>{A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pattern</td>
<td>&quot;#{B{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>#Q{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>#H{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>. .</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>qualifier</td>
<td>see &quot;Qualifier&quot; on page 6-7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>post_value</td>
<td>integer from 0 to 100 representing percentage</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>memory_length</td>
<td>{4096</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
|                    | 524288 | 1040384 (HP 16555A only) |}
Qualifier

The qualifier for the state trigger subsystem can be terms A through G and I, Timer 1 and 2, and Range 1 and 2. In addition, qualifiers can be the NOT boolean function of terms, timers, and ranges. The qualifier can also be an expression or combination of expressions as shown below and figure 6-2, "Complex Qualifier," on page 6-11.

The following parameters show how qualifiers are specified in all commands of the STRigger subsystem that use <qualifier>.

<qualifier>  { "ANYSTATE" | "NOSTATE" | "<expression>" }
<expression> {<expression1a>|<expression1b>|<expression1a> OR <expression1b>|<expression1a> AND <expression1b>}
<expression1a> {<expression1a_term>|{<expression1a_term>|{<expression1a_term>|{<expression1a_term>|<expression1a_term>} OR <expression1a_term>} AND <expression1a_term>}* )|{<expression1a_term>|<expression1a_term>}* )}
<expression1a_term> { <expression2a>|<expression2b>|<expression2c>|<expression2d>}
<expression1b> {<expression1b_term>|{<expression1b_term>|{<expression1b_term>|{<expression1b_term>|<expression1b_term>} OR <expression1b_term>} AND <expression1b_term>}* )|{<expression1b_term>|<expression1b_term>}* )}
<expression1b_term> {<expression2e>|<expression2f>|<expression2g>|<expression2h>}
<expression2a> {<term3a>|<term3b>|(<term3a> <boolean_op> <term3b>)}
<expression2b> {<term3c>|<range3a>|(<term3c> <boolean_op> <range3a>)}
<expression2c> {<term3d>}
<expression2d> {<term3e>|<timer3a>|(<term3e> <boolean_op> <timer3a>)}
<expression2e> {<term3f>|<term3g>|(<term3f> <boolean_op> <term3g>)}
<expression2f> {<term3g>|<range3b>|(<term3g> <boolean_op> <range3b>)}
<expression2g> {<term3i>}
<boolean_op> {AND | NAND | OR | NOR | XOR | NXOR}
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem
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<term3a>  { A | NOTA }
<term3b>  { B | NOTB }
<term3c>  { C | NOTC }
<term3d>  { D | NOTD }
<term3e>  { E | NOTE }
<term3f>  { F | NOTF }
<term3g>  { G | NOTG }
<term3i>  { I | NOTI }
<range3a> { IN_RANGE1 | OUT_RANGE1 }
<range3b> { IN_RANGE2 | OUT_RANGE2 }
<timer3a> { TIMER1< | TIMER1> }
<timer3b> { TIMER2< | TIMER2> }

Qualifier Rules

The following rules apply to qualifiers:

- Qualifiers are quoted strings and, therefore, need quotes.
- Expressions are evaluated from left to right.
- Parenthesis are used to change the order evaluation and, therefore, are optional.
- An expression must map into the combination logic presented in the combination pop-up menu within the STRigger menu (see figure 6-2 on page 6-11).

Examples

'A'
'(( A OR B )')
'(( ( A OR B ) AND C )')
'((( A OR B ) AND C AND IN_RANGE2 )')
'((( A OR B ) AND ( C AND IN_RANGE1 )))'
'IN_RANGE1 AND ( A OR B ) AND C'
STRigger (STRace)

Selector

:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger

The STRigger (STRace) (State Trigger) selector is used as a part of a compound header to access the settings found in the State Trace menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG TIME"

ACQuisition

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:STRigger:ACQuisition
{AUTOmatic|MANual}

The ACQuisition command allows you to specify the acquisition mode for the State analyzer.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:ACQUISITION AUTOMATIC"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:STRigger:ACQuisition?

The ACQuisition query returns the current acquisition mode specified.

Returned Format

[]:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:ACQuisition} {AUTOmatic|MANual}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:ACQUISITION?"
BRANch

:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:BRANch<N>
<branch_qualifier>,<to_level_number>

The BRANch command defines the branch qualifier for a given sequence level. When this branch qualifier is matched, it will cause the sequencer to jump to the specified sequence level.

The terms used by the branch qualifier (A through G and I) are defined by the TERM command. The meaning of IN_RANGE and OUT_RANGE is determined by the RANGE command.

Within the limitations shown by the syntax definitions, complex expressions may be formed using the AND and OR operators. Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the State Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions on the next page show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed. Figure 6-2 shows a complex expression as seen in the State Trigger menu.

The following statements are all correct and have the same meaning. Notice that the conventional rules for precedence are not followed. The expressions are evaluated from left to right.

```
OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH1 'C AND D OR F OR G', 1"
OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH1 '((C AND D) OR (F OR G))', 1"
OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH1 'F OR (C AND D) OR G',1"
```

<N> integer from 1 to <number_of_levels>

<to_level_number> integer from 1 to <number_of_levels>

<number_of_levels> integer from 2 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 12)

<branch_qualifier> <qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 6-7
Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH1 'ANYSTATE', 3"
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:STRIGGER:BRANCH2 'A', 7"
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH3 '((A OR B) OR NOTG)', 1"

Query

::MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:BRANCH<N>?

The BRANCH query returns the current branch qualifier specification for a given sequence level.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:BRANCH<N>]
<branch_qualifier>,<to_level_num><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH3?"

Figure 6-2

Complex qualifier

Figure 6-2 is a front panel representation of the complex qualifier (a Or b) Or (f Or g).
Example

The following example would be used to specify this complex qualifier.

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:BRANCH1 '((A OR B) AND (F OR G))', 2"
```

Terms A through E, RANGE 1, and TIMER 1 must be grouped together and terms F, G, and I, RANGE 2, and TIMER 2 must be grouped together. In the first level, terms from one group may not be mixed with terms from the other. For example, the expression "((A OR IN_RANGE2) AND (C OR G))" is not allowed because the term C cannot be specified in the F, G, and I group.

In the first level, the operators you can use are AND, NAND, OR, NOR, XOR, NXOR. Either AND or OR may be used at the second level to join the two groups together. It is acceptable for a group to consist of a single term. Thus, an expression like (B AND G) is legal, since the two operands are both simple terms from separate groups.

CLEar

Command

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:CLEar
{All|SEQUence|RESource}
```

The CLEar command allows you to clear all settings in the State Trigger menu and replace them with the default, clear only the Sequence levels, or clear only the resource term patterns.

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:STRIGGER:CLEAR RESOURCE"
```
FIND

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:STRigger:FIND<N>
<proceed_qualifier>,<occurrence>

The FIND command defines the proceed qualifier for a given sequence level. The qualifier tells the state analyzer when to proceed to the next sequence level. When this proceed qualifier is matched the specified number of times, the sequencer will proceed to the next sequence level. In the sequence level where the trigger is specified, the FIND command specifies the trigger qualifier (see SEQuence command).

The terms A through G and I are defined by the TERM command. The meaning of IN_RANGE and OUT_RANGE is determined by the RANGe command. Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the State Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions below show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed. See figure 6-2 for a detailed example.

<N> integer from 1 to (number of existing sequence levels -1)

<occurrence> integer from 1 to 1048575

<proceed_qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 6-7

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MAChINE1:STRIGGER:FIND1 'ANYSTATE', 1"
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MAChINE1:STRIGGER:FIND3 '((NOTA AND NOTB) OR G)', 1"
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem
MLENgth

Query

:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:FIND4?

The FIND query returns the current proceed qualifier specification for a given sequence level.

Returned Format

[:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:FIND<N>]
<proceed_qualifier>,<occurrence><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:FIND<N>?"

MLENgth

Command

:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:MLENgth <memory_length>

The MLENgth command allows you to specify the analyzer memory depth. Valid memory depths range from a range from 4096 states (or samples) through the maximum system memory depth minus 8192 states. Memory depth is affected by acquisition mode. If the <memory_depth> value sent with the command is not a legal value, the closest legal setting will be used.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:MLENGTH 262144"

Query

:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:MLENgth?

The MLENgth query returns the current analyzer memory depth selection.

Returned Format

[:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:MLENgth] <memory_length><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:MLENGTH?"
RANGE

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:RANGE<N>
<label_name>,<start_pattern>, <stop_pattern>

The RANGE command allows you to specify a range recognizer term for the specified machine. Since a range can only be defined across one label and, since a label must contain 32 or less bits, the value of the start pattern or stop pattern will be between \( (2^{32}) - 1 \) and 0.

Because a label can only be defined across a maximum of two pods, a range term is only available across a single label; therefore, the end points of the range cannot be split between labels.

When these values are expressed in binary, they represent the bit values for the label at one of the range recognizers’ end points. Don’t cares are not allowed in the end point pattern specifications.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<start_pattern> "\{#B{0|1} . . . | #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7} . . . | #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F} . . . | {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . \}"

<stop_pattern> "\{#B{0|1} . . . | #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7} . . . | #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F} . . . | {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . \}"

<N> \{1 | 2\}

Examples

OUTPUT "*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:RANGE1 'DATA', '127', '255' "
OUTPUT "*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:RANGE2 'ABC', '#B0001111', '#HCF' "
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem

SEQquence

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:RANGE<N>?

The RANGE query returns the range recognizer end point specifications for the range.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:RANGE<N>]
<label_name>,<start_pattern>,
<stop_pattern><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:RANGE1?"

SEQquence

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:SEQuence
<number_of_levels>,<level_of_trigger>

The SEQuence command redefines the state analyzer trace sequence. First, it deletes the current trace sequence. Then it inserts the number of levels specified, with default settings, and assigns the trigger to be at a specified sequence level. The number of levels can be between 2 and 12 when the analyzer is armed by the RUN key.

<number_of_levels> integer from 2 to 12

[level_of_trigger> integer from 1 to (number of existing sequence levels - 1)

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:SEQUENCE 4,3"
Query

[:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:SEQUence?]

The SEQuence query returns the current sequence specification.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:SEQUence] <number_of_levels>, <level_of_trigger><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:SEQUENCE?"

Command

[:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:STORe<N> <store_qualifier>]

The STORe command defines the store qualifier for a given sequence level. Any data matching the STORe qualifier will actually be stored in memory as part of the current trace data. The qualifier may be a single term or a complex expression. The terms A through G and I are defined by the TERM command. The meaning of IN_RANGE1 and 2 and OUT_RANGE1 and 2 is determined by the RANGe command.

Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the State Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions below show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed.

A detailed example is provided in figure 6-2 on page 6-11.

<N> an integer from 1 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 12)

<store_qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 6-7

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE1 ‘ANYSTATE’"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE2 ‘OUT_RANGE1’"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE3 ‘(NOTC AND NOTD AND NOTI)’"
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem

TAG

Query

:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:STORE<N>?

The STORE query returns the current store qualifier specification for a given sequence level <N>.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:STORE<N>] <store_qualifier><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE4?"

TAG

Command

:_MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TAG
{OFF|TIME|<state_tag_qualifier>}

The TAG command selects the type of count tagging (state or time) to be performed during data acquisition. State tagging is indicated when the parameter is the state tag qualifier, which will be counted in the qualified state mode. The qualifier may be a single term or a complex expression. The terms A through G and I are defined by the TERM command. The terms IN_RANGE1 and 2 and OUT_RANGE1 and 2 are defined by the RANGe command.

Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the State Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions below show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed. A detailed example is provided in figure 6-2 on page 6-11.

<state_tag_qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 6-7

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG OFF"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG TIME"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG '(IN_RANGE OR NOTF)''
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG '((IN_RANGE OR A) AND E)''

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**TAG query returns the current count tag specification.**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TAG]
{OFF|TIME|<state_tag_qualifier>}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TAG?"
```

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**TAKenbranch**

**Command**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TAKenbranch] {STORE|NOSTore}
```

The TAkenbranch command allows you to specify whether the state causing the branch is stored or not stored for the specified machine. The state causing the branch is defined by the BRANch command.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:STRIGGER:TAKENBRANCH STORE"
```

---

**Query**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TAKenbranch]
```

The TAkenbranch query returns the current setting.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TAKenbranch] {STORE|NOSTore}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:STRIGGER:TAKENBRANCH?"
```
**TCONtrol**

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The TCONtrol (timer control) command allows you to turn off, start, pause, or continue the timer for the specified level. The time value of the timer is defined by the TIMER command. There are two timers and they are available for either machine but not both machines simultaneously.

- `<N>` integer from 1 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 12)
- `<timer_num>` {1|2}

**Example**

```plaintext
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:STRIGGER:TCONTROL6 1, PAUSE"
```

**Query**

:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:TCONTROL<N>? <timer_num>

The TCONtrol query returns the current TCONtrol setting of the specified level.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHine{1|2}:STRigger:TCONTROL<N> <timer_num>] {OFF|START|PAUSE|CONTinue}<NL>

**Example**

```plaintext
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:STRIGGER:TCONTROL6? 1"
```
The TERM command allows you to specify a pattern recognizer term in the specified machine. Each command deals with only one label in the given term; therefore, a complete specification could require several commands. Since a label can contain 32 or less bits, the range of the pattern value will be between $2^{32} - 1$ and 0. When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. Because the pattern parameter may contain don't cares and be represented in several bases, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

Eight of the 10 terms (A through G and I) are available (terms H and J are not available) for either machine but not both simultaneously. If you send the TERM command to a machine with a term that has not been assigned to that machine, an error message "Legal command but settings conflict" is returned.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM A, 'DATA', '255' "
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM B, 'ABC', '#BXXXX1101' "
```
STRigger (STRace) Subsystem

TIMER

Query

:MAChine\{1|2\}:STRigger:TERM?\n\<term_id>,\<label_name>\

The TERM query returns the specification of the term specified by term identification and label name.

Returned Format

[:MAChine\{1|2\}:STRace:TERM]\n\<term_id>,\<label_name>,\<pattern>\n
Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM? B,‘DATA’ “

TIMER

Command

:MAChine\{1|2\}:STRigger:TIMER\{1|2\} <time_value>\

The TIMER command sets the time value for the specified timer. The limits of the timer are 400 ns to 500 seconds in 16 ns to 500 µs increments. The increment value varies with the time value of the specified timer. There are two timers and they are available for either machine but not both machines simultaneously.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TIMER1 100E-6"

Query

:MAChine\{1|2\}:STRigger:TIMER\{1|2\}?\

The TIMER query returns the current time value for the specified timer.

Returned Format

[:MAChine\{1|2\}:STRigger:TIMER\{1|2\}] <time_value>\n
Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TIMER1?“
TPOSition

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TPOSition
{START|CENTER|END| POSTstore,<poststore>}

The TPOSition (trigger position) command allows you to set the trigger at the start, center, end or at any position in the trace (poststore). Poststore is defined as 0 to 100 percent with a poststore of 100 percent being the same as start position and a poststore 0 percent being the same as an end trace.

<poststore> integer from 0 to 100 representing percentage of poststore.

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TPOSITION END"
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TPOSITION POSTstore,75"

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TPOSition?

The TPOSition query returns the current trigger position setting.

Returned Format

[ :MACHINE{1|2}:STRigger:TPOSition ] {START|CENTER|END|
POSTstore,<poststore>}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TPOSITION?"
Introduction

The SLISg subsystem contains the commands available for the State Listing menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer modules. These commands are:

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- CLRPattern
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<td>mach_num</td>
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<td>integer from 1 to 61</td>
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<td>integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)</td>
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<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
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<tr>
<td>base</td>
<td>{BINary</td>
</tr>
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<td>line_num_mid_screen</td>
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SLISt

Selector

: MACHINE(1|2): SLISt

The SLISt selector is used as part of a compound header to access those settings normally found in the State Listing menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SLISt:LINE 256"

COLumn

Command

: MACHINE(1|2): SLISt: COLumn
<col_num>[, <module_num>, MACHINE(1|2)],
<label_name>, <base>

The COLumn command allows you to configure the state analyzer list display by assigning a label name and base to one of the 61 vertical columns in the menu. A column number of 1 refers to the left most column. When a label is assigned to a column it replaces the original label in that column.

When the label name is "TAGS," the TAGS column is assumed and the next parameter must specify RELative or ABSolute.

A label for tags must be assigned in order to use ABSolute or RELative state tagging.
<col_num> integer from 1 to 61

<module_num> \{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|10\}

<label_name> a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<base> \{BINary|HEXadecimal|OCTal|DECimal|TWOS|ASCII|SYMBOL|IASSembler\} for labels or
\{ABSolute|RELative\} for tags

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":"MACHINE1:SLIST:COLUMN 4,'A',HEX"

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:SLIST:COLUMN? <col_num>

The COLumn query returns the column number, label name, and base for the specified column.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SLIST:COLUMN]
<col_num>,<module_num>,MACHINE{1|2}, <label_name>,<base><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":"MACHINE1:SLIST:COLUMN? 4"

CLRPattern

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:SLIST:CLRPattern \{X|O|ALL\}

The CLRPattern command allows you to clear the patterns in the selected Specify Patterns menu.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":"MACHINE1:SLIST:CLR_PATTERN X"
DATA

Query
:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:DATA?
<line_number>,<label_name>

The DATA query returns the value at a specified line number for a given label. The format will be the same as the one shown in the listing display.

Returned Format
[:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:DATA] <line_number>,<label_name>,
<pattern_string><NL>

<line_number> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<pattern_string> "#B{0|1|X} . . . |
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . |
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }"

Example
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SLIST:DATA? 512, 'RAS'"

LINE

Command
:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:LINE <line_num_mid_screen>

The LINE command allows you to scroll the state analyzer listing vertically. The command specifies the state line number relative to the trigger that the analyzer highlights at the center of the screen.

<line_num_mid_screen> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

Example
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SLIST:LINE 0"
**SLISt Subsystem**

**MMODe**

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:LINE?`

The LINE query returns the line number for the state currently in the box at the center of the screen.

**Returned Format**

`[:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:LINE] <line_num_mid_screen><NL>`

**Example**

`OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SLISt:LINE?"`

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**MMODe**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:MMODe <marker_mode>`

The MMODe command (Marker Mode) selects the mode controlling the marker movement and the display of marker readouts. When PATTern is selected, the markers will be placed on patterns. When STATE is selected and state tagging is on, the markers move on qualified states counted between normally stored states. When TIME is selected and time tagging is enabled, the markers move on time between stored states. When MSTATs is selected and time tagging is on, the markers are placed on patterns, but the readouts will be time statistics.

`<marker_mode> {OFF|PATTern|STATE|TIME|MSTATs}`

**Example**

`OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SLISt:MMODe TIME"`
Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:MMODe?

The MMODc query returns the current marker mode selected.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:MMODc] <marker_mode><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MAChine1:SLIST:MMODE?"

OPATtern

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:OPATtern
<label_name>,<label_pattern>

The OPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the O Marker which is then used with the OSEarch criteria when moving the marker on patterns. Because this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several invocations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and \(2^{32} - 1\), since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the <label_pattern> parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<label_pattern> "#{B{0|1|X} . . . | #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . | #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . | {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }"

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;":MAChine1:SLIST:OPATTERN 'DATA','255' "
OUTPUT XXX;":MAChine1:SLIST:OPATTERN 'ABC','#BXXXX1101' "
SLIst Subsystem
OSEarch

Query

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:OPATtern? <label_name>]

The OPATtern query returns the pattern specification for a given label name.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:OPATtern] <label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"[:MACHINE1:SLISt:OPATTERN? 'A'"

OSEarch

Command

[:MACHINE{1|2}:SLISt:OSEarch <occurrence>,<origin>]

The OSEarch command defines the search criteria for the O marker, which is then used with associated OPATtern recognizer specification when moving the markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the marker to begin a search with the trigger, the start of data, or with the X marker. The actual occurrence the marker searches for is determined by the occurrence parameter of the OSEarch recognizer specification, relative to the origin. An occurrence of 0 places the marker on the selected origin. With a negative occurrence, the marker searches before the origin. With a positive occurrence, the marker searches after the origin.

<occurrence> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

<origin> {TRIGGER|START|XMARKer}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"[:MACHINE1:SLISt:OSEARCH +10,TRIGGER"
**Query**  
:METHOD{1|2}:SLIST:OSEarch?

The OSEarch query returns the search criteria for the O marker.

**Returned Format**  
[:METHOD{1|2}:SLIST:OSEarch] <occurrence>,<origin><NL>

**Example**  
OUTPUT XXX;":METHOD1:SLIST:OSEARCH?"

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**OSTate**

**Query**  
:METHOD{1|2}:SLIST:OSTate?

The OSTate query returns the line number in the listing where the O marker resides. If data is not valid, the query returns 2147483647.

**Returned Format**  
[:METHOD{1|2}:SLIST:OSTate] <state_num><NL>  

**Example**  
OUTPUT XXX;":METHOD1:SLIST:OSTATE?"
OTAG

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:OTAG
<time_value>|<state_value>}

The OTAG command specifies the tag value on which the O Marker should be placed. The tag value is time when time tagging is on, or states when state tagging is on. If the data is not valid tagged data, no action is performed.

<time_value> real number
<state_value> real number

Example

:OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:SLIST:OTAG 40.0E-6"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:OTAG?

The OTAG query returns the O Marker position in time when time tagging is on or in states when state tagging is on, regardless of whether the marker was positioned in time or through a pattern search. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37 for time tagging, or returns 2147483647 for state tagging.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:OTAG] {<time_value>|<state_value>}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:SLIST:OTAG?"
**OVERlay**

**Command**

`:MACHine{1|2}:SLIST:OVERlay
<col_num>,<module_num>,MACHine{1|2}, <label_name>

The OVERlay command allows you to add time-correlated labels from other modules or machines to the state listing.

- `<col_num>` integer from 1 to 61
- `<Module_num>` ::= {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|10}
- `<label_name>` a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:SLIST:OVERlay, 2, 5', 'MACHINE2', 'DATA'"
```

**REMove**

**Command**

`:MACHine{1|2}:SLIST:REMove

The REMove command removes all labels, except the leftmost label, from the listing menu.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:SLIST:REMove"
```
The RUNTil (run until) command allows you to define a stop condition when
the trace mode is repetitive. Specifying OFF causes the analyzer to make
runs until either the display's STOP field is touched, or, when the STOP
command is issued.

There are four conditions based on the time between the X and O markers.
Using this difference in the condition is effective only when time tags have
been turned on (see the TAG command in the STRace subsystem). These
four conditions are as follows:

- The difference is less than (LT) some value.
- The difference is greater than (GT) some value.
- The difference is inside some range (INRange).
- The difference is outside some range (OUTRange).

End points for the INRange and OUTRange should be at least 8 ns apart since
this is the minimum time resolution of the time tag counter.

```
{OFF|LT,<value>|GT,<value>|INRange,<value>,<value>
|OUTRange,<value>,<value>}

<run_until_spec> real number from -9E9 to +9E9
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SLIST:RUNTIL GT,800.0E-6"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:SLIST:RUNTil?
```

The RUNTil query returns the current stop criteria.

**Returned Format**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:SLIST:RUNTil <run_until_spec><NL>`

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SLIST:RUNTIL?"
```
**TAVerage**

*Query*

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TAVerage?

The TAVerage query returns the value of the average time between the X and O Markers. If the number of valid runs is zero, the query returns 9.9E37. Valid runs are those where the pattern search for both the X and O markers was successful, resulting in valid delta-time measurements.

*Returned Format*

[ :MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TAVerage ] <time_value><NL>  
<time_value> real number

*Example*

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MAChINE1:SLISt:TAVerAGE?"

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**TMAXimum**

*Query*

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TMAXimum?

The TMAXimum query returns the value of the maximum time between the X and O Markers. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

*Returned Format*

[ :MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TMAXimum ] <time_value><NL>  
<time_value> real number

*Example*

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MAChINE1:SLISt:TMAXIMUM?"
SLISt Subsystem
TMINimum

**TMINimum**

**Query**

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TMINimum?

The TMINimum query returns the value of the minimum time between the X and O Markers. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:TMINimum] <time_value><NL>

*time_value* real number

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChINE1:SLISt:TMINIMUM?"

---

**VRUNs**

**Query**

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:VRUNs?

The VRUNs query returns the number of valid runs and total number of runs made. Valid runs are those where the pattern search for both the X and O markers was successful resulting in valid delta time measurements.

**Returned Format**

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:VRUNs] <valid_runs>,<total_runs><NL>

*valid_runs* zero or positive integer

*total_runs* zero or positive integer

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChINE1:SLISt:VRUNS?"
XOTag

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XOTag?

The XOTag query returns the time from the X to 0 markers when the marker mode is time or number of states from the X to 0 markers when the marker mode is state. If there is no data in the time mode the query returns 9.9E37. If there is no data in the state mode, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format

[#:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XOTag] {<XO_time>|<XO_states>}<NL>

<XO_time> real number

<XO_states> integer

Example

OUTPUT  XXX;"#:MAChINE1:SLISt:XOTAG?"

XOTime

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XOTime?

The XOTime query returns the time from the X to 0 markers when the marker mode is time or number of states from the X to 0 markers when the marker mode is state. If there is no data in the time mode the query returns 9.9E37. If there is no data in the state mode, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format

[#:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XOTime] {<XO_time>|<XO_states>}<NL>

<XO_time> real number

<XO_states> integer

Example

OUTPUT  XXX;"#:MAChINE1:SLISt:XOTIME?"
XPATtern

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:XPATtern
<label_name>,<label_pattern>

The XPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the X Marker which is then used with the XSEarch criteria when moving the marker on patterns. Since this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several invocations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and $2^{32} - 1$, since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the <label_pattern> parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<label_pattern> 
"{#B{0|1|X} . . . |
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . |
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }"

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChinE1:SLIST:XPATtern 'DATA','255' "
OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChinE1:SLIST:XPATtern 'ABC', '#BXXXX1101' "

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:XPATtern? <label_name>

The XPATtern query returns the pattern specification for a given label name.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLIST:XPATtern]
<label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChinE1:SLIST:XPATtern? 'A' "

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### Command

:XSEarch <occurrence>,<origin>

The XSEarch command defines the search criteria for the X Marker, which is then with associated XPATtern recognizer specification when moving the markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the Marker to begin a search with the trigger or with the start of data. The occurrence parameter determines which occurrence of the XPATtern recognizer specification, relative to the origin, the marker actually searches for. An occurrence of 0 places a marker on the selected origin.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>&lt;occurrence&gt;</th>
<th>integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A), or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>&lt;origin&gt;</td>
<td>{TRIGger</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Example

```
OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:SLIST:XSEARCH +10, TRIGGER"
```

### Query

:MACHine{1|2}:SLIST:XSEarch?

The XSEarch query returns the search criteria for the X marker.

### Returned Format

```
[:MACHine{1|2}:SLIST:XSearch] <occurrence>,<origin><NL>
```

### Example

```
OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:SLIST:XSEARCH?"
```
XSTate

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XSTate?

The XSTate query returns the line number in the listing where the X marker resides. If data is not valid, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XSTate] <state_num><NL>

<state_num> integer from -516096 to +516096 or 2147483647 (HP 16554A), or from -1040384 to +1040384 or 2147483647 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MAChINE1:SLISt:XSTATE?"

XTAG

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XTAG
{<time_value>|<state_value>}

The XTAG command specifies the tag value on which the X Marker should be placed. The tag value is time when time tagging is on or states when state tagging is on. If the data is not valid tagged data, no action is performed.

<time_value> real number

<state_value> integer

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MAChINE1:SLISt:XTAG 40.0E-6"
Query

:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XTAG?

The XTAG query returns the X Marker position in time when time tagging is on or in states when state tagging is on, regardless of whether the marker was positioned in time or through a pattern search. If data is not valid tagged data, the query returns 9.9E37 for time tagging, or returns 2147483647 for state tagging.

Returned Format

[[:MAChine{1|2}:SLISt:XTAG] {<time_value>|<state_value>}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MAChINE1:SLISt:XTAG?"
SWAVeform Subsystem
Introduction

The commands in the State Waveform subsystem allow you to configure the display so that you can view state data as waveforms on up to 96 channels identified by label name and bit number. The 12 commands are analogous to their counterparts in the Timing Waveform subsystem. However, in this subsystem the x-axis is restricted to representing only samples (states), regardless of whether time tagging is on or off. As a result, the only commands which can be used for scaling are DELay and RANge.

The way to manipulate the X and O markers on the Waveform display is through the State Listing (SLISt) subsystem. Using the marker commands from the SLISt subsystem will affect the markers on the Waveform display.

The commands in the SWAVeform subsystem are:

- ACCumulate
- ACQuisition
- CENter
- CLRPattern
- CLRStat
- DELay
- INSert
- MLENgth
- RANGe
- REMove
- TAKenbranch
- TPOSition
Figure 8-1

SWAVeform Subsystem Syntax Diagram
Table 8-1

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<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>number_of_samples</td>
<td>integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>bit_id</td>
<td>{OVERlay</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>bit_num</td>
<td>integer representing a label bit from 0 to 31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>range_values</td>
<td>integer from 10 to 5000 (representing 10 x states/Division)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>mark_type</td>
<td>{X</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>percent</td>
<td>integer from 0 to 100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>memory_length</td>
<td>{4096</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SWAVeform

Selector

:MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform

The SWAVeform (State Waveform) selector is used as part of a compound header to access the settings in the State Waveform menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:RANGE 40"
**ACCumulate**

**Command**

:PACKAGE{1|2}:SWAVEform:ACCumulate

{ON|1}|{OFF|0}

The ACCumulate command allows you to control whether the waveform display gets erased between individual runs or whether subsequent waveforms are allowed to be displayed over the previous waveforms.

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:ACCUMULATE ON"

**Query**

MACHINE{1|2}:SWAVEform:ACCumulate?

The ACCumulate query returns the current setting. The query always shows the setting as the characters, "0" (off) or "1" (on).

**Returned Format**

[MACHINE{1|2}:SWAVEform:ACCumulate] {0|1}<NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:ACCUMULATE?"

**ACQuisition**

**Command**

:PACKAGE{1|2}:SWAVEform:ACQuisition {AUTOmatic|MANual}

The ACQuisition command allows you to specify the acquisition mode for the state analyzer. The acquisition modes are automatic and manual.

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:ACQUISITION AUTOMATIC"
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| Query | MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:ACQuisition? |
|-------|-------------------------------------|
| Returned Format | The ACQuisition query returns the current acquisition mode. [MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:ACQuisition] {AUTOmatic|MANual}<NL> |
| Example | OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:ACQUISITION?" |

#### CENTER

| Command | :MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:CENTer <marker_type> |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Example | OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:CENTER X" |

#### CLRPattern

| Command | :MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:CLRPattern {X|O|ALL} |
|---------|--------------------------------------------|
| Example | OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:CLRPATTERN" |
CLRStat

Command

[:MACHine{1|2}:SWAveform:CLRStat]

The CLRStat command allows you to clear the waveform statistics without having to stop and restart the acquisition.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:CLRSTAT"

DELay

Command

[:MACHine{1|2}:SWAveform:DELay <number_of_samples>]

The DELay command allows you to specify the number of samples between the State trigger and the horizontal center of the screen for the waveform display. The allowed number of samples is from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A).

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:DELAY 127"

Query

[:MACHine{1|2}:SWAveform:DELay?]

The DELay query returns the current sample offset value.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:SWAveform:DELay] <number_of_samples><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:DELAY?"
SWA Veform Subsystem

INSert

Command
MACHine{1|2}:SWA Veform:INSert
<label_name>,<bit_id>

The INSert command allows you to add waveforms to the state waveform display. Waveforms are added from top to bottom on the screen. When 96 waveforms are present, inserting additional waveforms replaces the last waveform. Bit numbers are zero based, so a label with 8 bits is referenced as bits 0 through 7. Specifying OVERlay causes a composite waveform display of all bits or channels for the specified label.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<bit_id> {OVERlay}<bit_num> | ALL

<bit_num> integer representing a label bit from 0 to 31

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:INSERT 'WAVE', 19"
OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:INSERT 'ABC', OVERLAY"
OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:INSERT 'POD1', #B1001"

MLENgth

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:SWAVEform:MLENgth <memory_length>

The MEMLength command allows you to specify the analyzer memory depth. Valid memory depths range from a range from 4096 states (or samples) through the maximum system memory depth minus 8192 states. Memory depth is affected by acquisition mode. If the <memory_depth> value sent with the command is not a legal value, the closest legal setting will be used.

<memory_length>  {4096 | 8192 | 16384 | 32768 | 65536 | 131072 | 262144 | 516096 (HP 16554A) | 524288 | 1040384 (HP 16555A)}
Example

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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>OUTPUT XXX; &quot;MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:MLENGTH 262144&quot;</td>
<td>:MACHINE{1</td>
<td>2}:SWAVEFORM:MLENGTH?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[MACHINE{1</td>
<td>2}:SWAVEFORM:MLENGTH] &lt;memory_length&gt;&lt;NL&gt;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>OUTPUT XXX; &quot;MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:MLENGTH?&quot;</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

RANGE

Command

MACHINE{1|2}:SWAVEFORM:RANGE <number_of_samples>

The RANGE command allows you to specify the number of samples across the screen on the State Waveform display. It is equivalent to ten times the states per division setting (states/Div) on the front panel. A number between 10 and 5000 may be entered.

Example

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<tr>
<td>OUTPUT XXX; &quot;MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:RANGE 80&quot;</td>
<td>MACHINE{1</td>
<td>2}:SWAVEFORM:RANGE?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[MACHINE{1</td>
<td>2}:SWAVEFORM:RANGE] &lt;number_of_samples&gt;&lt;NL&gt;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>OUTPUT XXX; &quot;MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:RANGE?&quot;</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### SWAVeform Subsystem

#### REMove

**Command**

`:MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:REMove`

The REMove command allows you to clear the waveform display before building a new display.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:SWAVEFORM:REMOVE"
```

### TAKenbranch

**Command**

`MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TAKenbranch {STORE|NOSTore}`

The TAKenbranch command allows you to control whether the states that cause branching are stored or not stored. This command is only available when the acquisition mode is set to manual.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:TAKENBRANCH STORE"
```

**Query**

`MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TAKenbranch?`

The TAKenbranch query returns the current setting.

**Returned Format**

```
[MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TAKenbranch] {STORE|NOSTore}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:TAKENBRANCH?"
```
**TPOSition**

**Command**

```
MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TPOSition
{START|CENTER|END|POSTstore,<percent>}
```

The TPOSition command allows you to control where the trigger point is placed. The trigger point can be placed at the start, center, end, or at a percentage of post store. The post store option is the same as the User Defined option when setting the trigger point from the front panel.

The TPOSition command is only available when the acquisition mode is set to manual.

- `<percent>` integer from 1 to 100

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:TPOSITION CENTER"
```

**Query**

```
MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TPOSition?
```

The TPOSition query returns the current trigger setting.

**Returned Format**

```
[MACHine{1|2}:SWAVeform:TPOSition]
{START|CENTER|END|POSTstore,
 <percent>}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2:SWAVEFORM:TPOSITION?"
```
SCHart Subsystem
Introduction

The State Chart subsystem provides the commands necessary for programming the HP 16554A/HP 16555A's Chart display. The commands allow you to build charts of label activity, using data normally found in the Listing display. The chart's Y-axis is used to show data values for the label of your choice. The X-axis can be used in two different ways. In one, the X-axis represents states (shown as rows in the State Listing display). In the other, the X-axis represents the data values for another label. When states are plotted along the X-axis, X and O markers are available. Because the State Chart display is simply an alternative way of looking at the data in the State Listing, the X and O markers can be manipulated through the SLISt subsystem. Because the programming commands do not force the menus to switch, you can position the markers in the SLISt subsystem and see the effects in the State Chart display.

The commands in the SCHart subsystem are:

- ACCumulate
- CENTer
- HAXis
- VAXis
SCHart Subsystem Syntax Diagram

Table 9-1

SCHart Subsystem Parameter Values

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<td>state_low_value</td>
<td>integer from −516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from −1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>state_high_value</td>
<td>integer from &lt;state_low_value&gt; to +516096 (HP 16554A) or +1040384 (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_low_value</td>
<td>string from 0 to $2^{32}-1$ (#FFFFFFFF)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>label_high_value</td>
<td>string from &lt;label_low_value&gt; to $2^{32}-1$ (#FFFFFFFF)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>low_value</td>
<td>string from 0 to $2^{32}-1$ (#FFFFFFFF)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>high_value</td>
<td>string from low_value to $2^{32}-1$ (#FFFFFFFF)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>marker_type</td>
<td>{X</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
SCHart

Selector

:MACHine{1|2}:SCHart

The SCHart selector is used as part of a compound header to access the settings found in the State Chart menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:SCHART:VAXIS 'A', '0', '9'"

ACCumulate

Command

MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:ACCumulate {{ON|1} | {OFF|0}}

The ACCumulate command allows you to control whether the chart display gets erased between each individual run or whether subsequent waveforms are allowed to be displayed over the previous waveforms.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:SCHART:ACCUMULATE OFF"

Query

MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:ACCumulate?

The ACCumulate query returns the current setting. The query always shows the setting as the character "0" (off) or "1" (on).

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:ACCumulate] {0|1}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:SCHART:ACCUMULATE?"
**CENTer**

**Command**

MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:CENTer <marker_type>

The CENTer command allows you to center the waveform display about the specified markers. The markers are placed on the waveform in the SLiSt subsystem.

<marker_type>  {X|O|XO|TRIGger}

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:SCHART:CENTER XO"

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**HAXis**

**Command**

MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:HAXis

{STATes,<state_low_value>,<state_high_value>|<label_name>,<label_low_value>,<label_high_value>,<state_low_value>,<state_high_value>}

The HAXis command allows you to select whether states or a label's values will be plotted on the horizontal axis of the chart. The axis is scaled by specifying the high and low values. The shortform for STATES is STA. This is an intentional deviation from the normal truncation rule.

- `<state_low_value>` integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)
- `<state_high_value>` integer from `<state_low_value>` to +516096 (HP 16554A) or to +1040384 (HP 16555A)
- `<label_name>` a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- `<label_low_value>` string from 0 to $2^{32}-1$ (#HFFFFFFF)
- `<label_high_value>` string from `<label_low_value>` to $2^{32}-1$ (#HFFFFFFF)
SCHart Subsystem

VAXis

Examples

```
OUTPUT XXX;"':MACHINE1:SCHART:HAXIS STATES, -100, 100"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SCHART:HAXIS 'READ', '-511', '511', 0, 300"
```

Query

```
MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:HAXis?
```

The HAXis query returns the current horizontal axis label and scaling.

Returned Format

```
[:MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:HAXis] {STATes,<state_low_value>, <state_high_value>|<label_name>, <label_low_value>, <label_high_value>|<state_low_value>, <state_high_value>}
```

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SCHART:HAXIS?"
```

---

VAXis

Command

```
MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:VAXis
<label_name>, <low_value>, <high_value>
```

The VAXis command allows you to choose which label will be plotted on the vertical axis of the chart and scale the vertical axis by specifying the high value and low value.

- `<label_name>`: a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- `<low_value>`: string from 0 to $2^{32}$-1 (#FFFFFFFF)
- `<high_value>`: string from `<low_value>` to $2^{32}$-1 (#FFFFFFFF)

Examples

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:SCHART:VAXIS 'SUM1', '0', '99'"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:SCHART:VAXIS 'BUS', '#H0FF', '#H0500'"
```
| **Query**          | MACHine{1|2}:SCHart:VAXis? |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| **Returned Format**| [:MACHINE{1|2}:SCHART:VAXIS] |
|                    | <label_name>,<low_value>,<high_value><NL> |
| **Example**        | OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:SCHART:VAXIS?" |

The VAXis query returns the current vertical axis label and scaling.
COMPare Subsystem
Introduction

Commands in the state COMPare subsystem provide the ability to do a bit-by-bit comparison between the acquired state data listing and a compare data image. The commands are:

- CLEar
- CMASk
- COPY
- DATA
- FIND
- LINE
- MENU
- RANGE
- RUNTil
- SET
Figure 10-1

COMPare Subsystem Syntax Diagram
Table 10-1

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<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>care_spec</td>
<td>string of characters &quot;{*!}...&quot;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>*</td>
<td>care</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>.</td>
<td>don't care</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>line_num</td>
<td>integer from $-122880$ to $+122880$ (HP 16554A) or $-253951$ to $+253951$ (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>data_pattern</td>
<td>{B{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>difference_occurrence</td>
<td>integer from 1 to $122880$ (HP 16554A) or $253951$ (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>start_line</td>
<td>integer from $-122880$ to $+122880$ (HP 16554A) or $-253951$ to $+253951$ (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>stop_line</td>
<td>integer from $&lt;\text{start_line}&gt;$ to $+122880$ (HP 16554A) or $+253951$ (HP 16555A)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**COMPare**

:MAChine{1|2}:COMPare

The COMPare selector is used as part of a compound header to access the settings found in the Compare menu. It always follows the MAChine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MAChine level in the command tree.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "MAChINE1:COMPARE: FIND? 819"
```
**CLEar**

**Command**

:`MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:CLEar`

The CLEar command clears all "don't cares" in the reference listing and replaces them with zeros except when the CLEar command immediately follows the SET command (see SET command).

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;";MACHINE2:COMPARE:CLEAR
```

---

**CMASk**

**Command**

:`MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:CMASK`  
<`label_name`>,<`care_spec`>

The CMASk (Compare Mask) command allows you to set the bits in the channel mask for a given label in the compare listing image to "compares" or "don't compares."

The CMASk query returns the state of the bits in the channel mask for a given label in the compare listing image.

- `<label_name>`: a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- `<care_spec>`: string of characters "[*]...." (32 characters maximum)
  - *: care
  - .: don't care

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;";MACHINE2:COMPARE:CMASK 'DATA', '*..**..***'
```
COPY

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:COPY

The COPY command copies the current acquired State Listing for the specified machine into the Compare Listing template. It does not affect the compare range or channel mask settings.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE2:COMPARE:COPY"

DATA

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:DATA

{<label_name>,<line_num>,<data_pattern>|<line_num>,<data_pattern>[, <data_pattern>]... }

The DATA command allows you to edit the compare listing image for a given label and state row. When DATA is sent to an instrument where no compare image is defined (such as at power-up) all other data in the image is set to don't cares.

Not specifying the <label_name> parameter allows you to write data patterns to more than one label for the given line number. The first pattern is placed in the left-most label, with the following patterns being placed in a left-to-right fashion (as seen on the Compare display). Specifying more patterns than there are labels simply results in the extra patterns being ignored.

Because don't cares (Xs) are allowed in the data pattern, it must always be expressed as a string. You may still use different bases; although, don't cares cannot be used in a decimal number.
<label_name>  a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<line_num>  integer from -122880 to +122880 (HP 16554A) or -253951 to +253951 (HP 16555A)

<data_pattern>  "{#B{0|1|X} . . . | 
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . | 
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . | 
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }"

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;"':MACHINE2:COMPARE:DATA 'CLOCK', 42, '#B011X101X'"
OUTPUT XXX;">MACHINE2:COMPARE:DATA 'OUT3', 0, '#HFF40'"
OUTPUT XXX;">MACHINE1:COMPARE:DATA 129, '#BXX00', '#B1101', '#B10XX'"
OUTPUT XXX;">MACHINE2:COMPARE:DATA -511, '4', '64', '16', 256', '8', '16'"

Query

':MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:DATA?
<label_name>,<line_num>

The DATA query returns the value of the compare listing image for a given label and state row.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:DATA] <label_name>,<line_num>,
<data_pattern><NL>
Example

10 DIM Label$[6], Response$[80]
15 PRINT "This program shows the values for a signal's Compare listing"
20 INPUT "Enter signal label: ", Label$
25 OUTPUT XXX;":SYSTEM:HEADER OFF" !Turn headers off (from responses)
30 OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:COMPARE:RANGE?"
35 ENTER XXX; First, Last !Read in the range's end-points
40 PRINT "LINE ", "VALUE of "; Label$
45 FOR State = First TO Last !Print compare value for each state
50 OUTPUT XXX;":MACH2:COMPARE:DATA? ", Label$ ", VAL$(State)
55 ENTER XXX; Response$
60 PRINT State, Response$
65 NEXT State
70 END

FIND

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:FIND? <difference_occurrence>

The FIND query is used to get the line number of a specified difference occurrence (first, second, third, etc) within the current compare range, as dictated by the RANGE command (see next page). A difference is counted for each line where at least one of the current labels has a discrepancy between its acquired state data listing and its compare data image.

Invoking the FIND query updates both the Listing and Compare displays so that the line number returned is in the center of the screen.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:FIND] <difference_occurrence>, <line_number><NL>
COMPare Subsystem
LINE

<difference_occurrence> integer from 1 to 122880 (HP 16554A) or 253951 (HP 16555A)

<line_number> integer from -122880 to +122880 (HP 16554A) or -253951 to +253951 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE2:COMPARE: FIND? 26"

LINE

Command :MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:LINE <line_num>

The LINE command allows you to center the compare listing data about a specified line number.

<line_num> integer from -122880 to +122880 (HP 16554A) or -253951 to +253951 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE2:COMPARE:LINE -511"

Query :MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:LINE?

The LINE query returns the current line number specified.

Returned Format [:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:LINE] <line_num><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE4:COMPARE:LINE?"
## COMPare Subsystem

### MENU

**Command**

::MACHine\{1|2\}::COMPare::MENU \{REFERENCE|DIFFerence\}

The MENU command allows you to display the reference or the difference listings in the Compare menu.

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2::COMPARE::MENU REFERENCE"

### RANGE

**Command**

::MACHine\{1|2\}::COMPare::RANGE

\{FULL|PARTial,<start_line>,<stop_line>\}

The RANGE command allows you to define the boundaries for the comparison. The range entered must be a subset of the lines in the acquire memory.

- **<start_line>**
  - integer from -122880 to +122880 (HP 16554A) or -253951 to +253951 (HP 16555A)

- **<stop_line>**
  - integer from <start_line> to +122880 (HP 16554A) or +253951 (HP 16555A)

**Examples**

OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2::COMPARE::RANGE PARTIAL, -511, 512"
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE2::COMPARE::RANGE FULL"
QUERY

: MACHine{1|2}: COMPare: RANGE?

The RANGE query returns the current boundaries for the comparison.

RETURNED FORMAT

[:MACHine{1|2}: COMPare: RANGE] {FULL| PARTial, <start_line>, <stop_line>}

EXAMPLE

10 DIM String$[100]
20 OUTPUT 707; ": SELECT 2"
30 OUTPUT 707; ": MACHiNE1: COMPARE: RANGE?"
40 ENTER 707; String$
50 PRINT "RANGE IS "; String$
60 END

RUN Til

COMMAND

: MACHine{1|2}: COMPare: RUNTil {OFF| LT,<value>| GT,<value>| INRange,<value>,<value>| OUTRange,<value>,<value>| EQUaL|NEQual}

The RUNTil (run until) command allows you to define a stop condition when the trace mode is repetitive. Specifying OFF causes the analyzer to make runs until either the display’s STOP field is touched or the STOP command is issued.

There are four conditions based on the time between the X and O markers. Using this difference in the condition is effective only when time tags have been turned on (see the TAG command in the STRace subsystem). These four conditions are as follows:

- The difference is less than (LT) some value.
- The difference is greater than (GT) some value.
- The difference is inside some range (INRange).
- The difference is outside some range (OUTRange).
End points for the INRange and OUTRange should be at least 8 ns apart since this is the minimum time resolution of the time tag counter.

There are two conditions which are based on a comparison of the acquired state data and the compare data image. You can run until one of the following conditions is true:

- Every channel of every label has the same value (EQUal).
- Any channel of any label has a different value (NEQual).

### The RUNTil instruction (for state analysis) is available in both the SLISt and COMPare subsystems.

<value> real number from -9E9 to +9E9

**Example**

```plaintext
OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:COMPARE:RUNTIL EQUAL"
```

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:RUNTIL?`

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:COMPARE:RUNTIL] {OFF| LT,<value>|GT,<value>|
INRange,<value>,<value>|OUTRange,<value>,<value>|EQUal|NEQual}

```

**Example**

```plaintext
OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:COMPARE:RUNTIL?"
```
SET

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:COMPare:SET

The SET command sets every state in the reference listing to "don't cares." If you send the SET command by mistake you can immediately send the CLEar command to restore the previous data. This is the only time the CLEar command will not replace "don't cares" with zeros.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE2:COMPARE:SET"
TFORmat Subsystem
Introduction

The TFORmat subsystem contains the commands available for the Timing Format menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer module. These commands are:

- ACQMode
- LABel
- REMove
- THReshold
TFORmat Subsystem Syntax Diagram
TFORmat Subsystem Parameter Values

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>&lt;N&gt; name</td>
<td>an integer from 1 to 20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>polarity</td>
<td>{POSitive</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>upper_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>lower_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>value</td>
<td>voltage (real number) -6.00 to +6.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>clock_bits</td>
<td>format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a clock (clocks are assigned in decreasing order)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

TFORmat

Selector

:MACHine{1|2}:TFORmat

The TFORmat selector is used as part of a compound header to access those settings normally found in the Timing Format menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the language tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TFORMAT:ACQMODE? "

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### ACQMode

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:ACQMode {FULL | HALF}
```

The ACQMode (acquisition mode) command allows you to select the acquisition mode for the timing analyzer. The options are:

- conventional mode at full-channel 125 MHz (HP 16554A) or 250 MHz (HP 16555A)
- conventional mode at half-channel 250 MHz (HP 16554A) or 500 MHz (HP 16555A).

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:TFORMAT:ACQMODE HALF"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:ACQMode?
```

The ACQMode query returns the current acquisition mode.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:ACQMode] {FULL | HALF}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE2:TFORMAT:ACQMODE?"
```
LABel

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORmat:LABel

\(<name>, [<polarity>, <clock_bits>, [<clock_bits>,] \)
<br>\(<upper_bits>, <lower_bits>[,<upper_bits>, <lower_bits>]\)...\]

The LABel command allows you to specify polarity and to assign channels to new or existing labels. If the specified label name does not match an existing label name, a new label will be created.

The order of the pod-specification parameters is significant. The first one listed will match the highest numbered pod assigned to the machine you're using. Each pod specification after that is assigned to the next highest numbered pod. This way they match the left-to-right descending order of the pods you see on the Format display. Not including enough pod specifications results in the lowest numbered pods being assigned a value of zero (all channels excluded). If you include more pod specifications than there are pods for that machine, the extra ones will be ignored. However, an error is reported anytime more than 22 pod specifications are listed.

The polarity can be specified at any point after the label name.

Because pods contain 16 channels, the format value for a pod must be between 0 and 65535 \((2^{16} - 1)\). When giving the pod assignment in binary (base 2), each bit will correspond to a single channel. A "1" in a bit position means the associated channel in that pod is assigned to that pod and bit. A "0" in a bit position means the associated channel in that pod is excluded from the label. For example, assigning #B1111001100 is equivalent to entering "......****..**." through the touchscreen.

A label can not have a total of more than 32 channels assigned to it.

For systems using up to four boards, a single <clock_bits> specification is used. If five boards are used, there must be two <clock_bits> specified.

\(<name>\) string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

\(<polarity>\) {POSitive | NEGative}

\(<clock_bits>\) format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a clock (clocks are assigned in decreasing order)
<upper_bits> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)

<lower_bits> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)

<assignment> format (integer from 0 to 65535) for a pod (pods are assigned in decreasing order)

---

**Examples**

```
OUTPUT XXX;".:MACHINE2:TFORMAT:LABEL 'STAT', POSITIVE, 0,127,40312"
OUTPUT XXX;".:MACHINE2:TFORMA:LBEL 'SIG 1', #B11,#B000000011111111,
#B0000000000000000 "
```

---

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:LABEL? <name>

The LABEL query returns the current specification for the selected (by name) label. If the label does not exist, nothing is returned. Numbers are always returned in decimal format.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:LABEL] <name>,<polarity>[, <assignment>]...
```

---

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;".:MACHINE2:TFORMAT:LABEL? 'DATA'
```

---

**REMove**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TFORMAT:REMove {<name>|ALL}

The REMove command allows you to delete all labels or any one label specified by name for a given machine.

<name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
Examples

OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TFORMAT:REMOVE 'A'
OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TFORMAT:REMOVE ALL

THReshold

Command

:MAChine{l|2}:TFORmat:THReshold<N> {TTL|ECL}<value>

The THReshold command allows you to set the voltage threshold for a given pod to ECL, TTL, or a specific voltage from −6.00 V to +6.00 V in 0.05 volt increments.

<N> pod number (integer from 1 to 20)
<value> voltage (real number) −6.00 to +6.00
TTL default value of +1.6 V
ECL default value of −1.3 V

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TFORMAT:THRESHOLD1 4.0

Query

:MAChine{l|2}:TFORmat:THReshold<N>?

The THReshold query returns the current threshold for a given pod.

Returned Format

[ :MAChine{l|2}:TFORmat:THReshold<N> ] <value><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TFORMAT:THRESHOLD2?
TTRigger (TTRace) Subsystem
Introduction

The TTRigger subsystem contains the commands available for the Timing Trigger menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer module. The Timing Trigger subsystem will also accept the TTRace selector as used in previous HP 16500-series logic analyzer modules to eliminate the need to rewrite programs containing TTRace as the selector keyword. The TTRigger subsystem commands are:

- ACQuisition
- BRANch
- CLEar
- FIND
- EDGE
- MLENght
- RANGe
- SEQuence
- SPERiod
- TCONtrl
- TERM
- TIMER
- TPOSition
Figure 12-1

TTRigger Subsystem Syntax Diagram
Figure 12-1 (continued)
### Table 12-1

**TTRigger Parameter Values**

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<tr>
<td>branchQualifier</td>
<td><code>&lt;qualifier&gt;</code></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>toLevelNum</td>
<td>integer from 1 to last level</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>proceedQualifier</td>
<td><code>&lt;qualifier&gt;</code></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>occurrence</td>
<td>number from 1 to 1048575</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>labelName</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| startPattern            | `
    "\{#B\{0|1\}\ . . | 
    #Q\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7\} . . | 
    #H\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F\} . . | 
    \{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9\} . . \}"
    ` |
| stopPattern             | `
    "\{#B\{0|1\}\ . . | 
    #Q\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7\} . . | 
    #H\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F\} . . | 
    \{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9\} . . \}"
    ` |
| numOfLevels             | integer from 1 to 10 |
| levOfTrig               | integer from 1 to (number of existing sequence levels) |
| storeQualifier          | `<qualifier>` |
| stateTagQualifier       | `<qualifier>` |
| timerNum                | `{1|2}` |
| timerValue              | 400 ns to 500 seconds |
| termId                  | `{A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I}` |
| pattern                 | `
    "\{#B\{0|1\}\ . . | 
    #Q\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X\} . . | 
    #H\{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X\} . 
    . . | 
    \{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9\} . . \}"
    ` |
| qualifier               | see "Qualifier" on page 12-6 |
| postValue               | integer from 0 to 100 representing percentage |
| timeVal                 | real number from 2*sample_period to 516096 (HP 16554A) or to 1040384 *sample_period |
| durationTime            | real number from 8 ns to 5s based on the sample period |
| samplePeriod            | real number from 4ns (HP 16554A) or 2ns (HP 16555A) to 8 ms |
| edgeSpec                | string consisting of `\{E | F | R | .\}` |
| memoryLength            | `{4096 | 8192 | 16384 | 32768 | 65536 | 131072 | 262144 | 516096 (HP 16554A) | 524288 | 1040384 (HP 16555A)}` |
The qualifier for the timing trigger subsystem can be terms A through G and I, Timer 1 and 2, and Range 1 and 2. In addition, qualifiers can be the NOT boolean function of terms, timers, and ranges. The qualifier can also be an expression or combination of expressions as shown below and figure 12-2, "Complex Qualifier," on page 12-11.

The following parameters show how qualifiers are specified in all commands of the TTRigger subsystem that use <qualifier>.

```
<qualifier> { "ANYSTATE" | "NOSTATE" | "<expression>" }
<expression> {<expression1a>|<expression1b>|<expression1a> OR
   <expression1b>|<expression1a> AND <expression1b>}
<expression1a> {<expression1a_term>|(<expression1a_term|[ OR
   <expression1a_term]|* )|(<expression1a_term|[ AND
   <expression1a_term]|* )}
<expression1a_term> {<expression2a>|<expression2b>|<expression2c>|<expression2d>}
<expression1b> {<expression1b_term>|(<expression1b_term|[ OR
   <expression1b_term]|* )|(<expression1b_term|[ AND
   <expression1b_term]|* )}
<expression1b_term> {<expression2e>|<expression2f>|<expression2g>|<expression2h>}
<expression2a> {<term3a>|<term3b>|(<term3a> <boolean_op> <term3b>)}
<expression2b> {<term3c>|<range3a>|(<term3c> <boolean_op> <range3a>)}
<expression2c> {<term3d>|<edge3a|(<term3d> <boolean_op> <edge3a>)}
<expression2d> {<term3e>|<timer3a|(<term3e> <boolean_op> <timer3a>)}
<expression2e> {<term3f>|<term3g|(<term3f> <boolean_op> <term3g>)}
<expression2f> {<term3g>|<range3b|(<term3g> <boolean_op> <range3b>)}
<expression2g> {<term3i>|<edge3b|(<term3i> <boolean_op> <edge3b>)}
<boolean_op> {AND | NAND | OR | NOR | XOR | NXOR}
```
<term3a> { A | NOTA }
<term3b> { B | NOTB }
<term3c> { C | NOTC }
<term3d> { D | NOTD }
<term3e> { E | NOTE }
<term3f> { F | NOTF }
<term3g> { G | NOTG }
<term3i> { I | NOTI }
<range3a> { IN_RANGE1 | OUT_RANGE1 }
<range3b> { IN_RANGE2 | OUT_RANGE2 }
<edge3a> {EDGE1 | NOT EDGE1}
<edge3b> {EDGE2 | NOT EDGE2}
<timer3a> { TIMER1< | TIMER1>}
<timer3b> { TIMER2< | TIMER2>}

* = is optional such that it can be used zero or more times
+ = must be used at least once and can be repeated
**Qualifier Rules**

The following rules apply to qualifiers:

- Qualifiers are quoted strings and, therefore, need quotes.
- Expressions are evaluated from left to right.
- Parenthesis are used to change the order evaluation and, therefore, are optional.
- An expression must map into the combination logic presented in the combination pop-up menu within the TTRigger menu.

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**Examples**

<table>
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<tr>
<td>'A'</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>'( A OR B )'</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>'(( A OR B ) AND C )'</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>'((( A OR B ) AND C AND IN_RANGE2 )'</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>'((( A OR B ) AND ( C AND IN_RANGE1 ))'</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>'IN_RANGE1 AND ( A OR B ) AND C'</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

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**TTRigger (TTRace)**

**Selector**

:TTRigger

The TTRigger (TTRace) (Trace Trigger) selector is used as a part of a compound header to access the settings found in the Timing Trace menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

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**Example**

```plaintext
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TAG TIME"
```
ACQuisition

Command

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:ACQuisition
{AUTOMATIC|MANual}

The ACQuisition command allows you to specify the acquisition mode for the Timing analyzer.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:ACQUISITION AUTOMATIC"

Query

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:ACQuisition?`

The ACQuisition query returns the current acquisition mode specified.

Returned Format

`[:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:ACQuisition] {AUTOMATIC|MANual}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:ACQUISITION?"

BRANch

Command

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:BRANch<N>
<branch_qualifier>,<to_level_number>

The BRANch command defines the branch qualifier for a given sequence level. When this branch qualifier is matched, it will cause the sequencer to jump to the specified sequence level.

The terms used by the branch qualifier (A through G and I) are defined by the TERM command. The meaning of IN_RANGE and OUT_RANGE is determined by the RANGE command.
Within the limitations shown by the syntax definitions, complex expressions may be formed using the AND and OR operators. Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the Timing Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions on the next page show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed. Figure 12-2, on page 12-11 shows a complex expression as seen in the Timing Trigger menu.

Example

The following statements are all correct and have the same meaning. Notice that the conventional rules for precedence are not followed. The expressions are evaluated from left to right.

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH1 'C AND D OR F OR G', 1"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH1 '((C AND D) OR (F OR G))', 1"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH1 'F OR (C AND D) OR G',1"
```

Example

```
<N> integer from 1 to <number_of_levels>
<to_level_number> integer from 1 to <number_of_levels>
<number_of_levels> integer from 1 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 10)
<branch_qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 12-6
```

Examples

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH1 'ANYSTATE', 3"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE2:TTRIGGER:BRANCH2 'A', 7"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH3 '((A OR B) OR NOTG)', 1"
```
Query

:Machine\{1|2\}:TTRigger:BRANCH\{N\}?

The BRANch query returns the current branch qualifier specification for a given sequence level.

Returned Format

[:Machine\{1|2\}:TTRigger:BRANCH\{N\}]
<branch_qualifier>,<to_level_num><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH3?"

Figure 12-2

![Complex Qualifier Diagram]

Complex Qualifier

Figure 12-2 is a front-panel representation of the complex qualifier (a Or b) Or (f Or g).

Example

This example would be used to specify this complex qualifier.

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:BRANCH1 '((A OR B) AND (F OR G))', 2"
Terms A through E, RANGE 1, EDGE1, and TIMER 1 must be grouped together and terms F, G, and I, RANGE 2, EDGE2, and TIMER 2 must be grouped together. In the first level, terms from one group may not be mixed with terms from the other. For example, the expression ((A OR IN_RANGE2) AND (C OR G)) is not allowed because the term C cannot be specified in the F, G, and I group.

In the first level, the operators you can use are AND, NAND, OR, NOR, XOR, NXOR. Either AND or OR may be used at the second level to join the two groups together. It is acceptable for a group to consist of a single term. Thus, an expression like (B AND G) is legal since the two operands are both simple terms from separate groups.

CLEar

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TTRigger:CLEar
{All|SEQUence|RESource}

The CLEar command allows you to clear all settings in the Timing Trigger menu and replace them with the default, clear only the sequence levels, or clear only the resource term patterns.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChINE1:TTRIGGER:CLEAR RESOURCE"
EDGE

Command
:MAChine{1|2}:TTRigger:EDGE<N> <label_name>,<edge_spec>

The EDGE command allows you to define edge specifications for a given label. Edge specifications can be R (rising), F (falling), E (either), or "." (don't care). Edges are sent in the same string with the right most string character specifying what the right most bit will be.

The <edge_spec> string length must match the exact number of bits assigned to the specified label. If the string length does not match the number of bits, the "Parameter string invalid" message is displayed.

| <N> | {1|2} |
| --- | --- |
| <label_name> | string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters |
| <edge_spec> | string consisting of \{R|F|E\}.\{[to total number of bits]\} |

Example
For 8 bits assigned:
OUTPUT XXX;":MAChINE1:TTRIGGER:EDGE1 'DATA', '....F..E'"

For 16 bits assigned:
OUTPUT XXX;":MAChINE1:TTRIGGER:EDGE1 'DATA', '....EEE.....F..R'"
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FIND

Query

:MACHine\{1|2\}:TTRigger:EDGE\{N\}? <label_name>

The EDGE query returns the current specification for the given label.

Returned Format

[:MACHine\{1|2\}:TTRigger:EDGE\{N\}] <label_name>,<edge_spec><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"" :MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:EDGE1? 'DATA'"

FIND

Command

:MACHine\{1|2\}:TTRigger:FIND\{N\>
<time_qualifier>,<condition_mode>

The FIND command defines the qualifier for a given sequence level. The qualifier tells the timing analyzer when to proceed to the next sequence level. When this proceed qualifier is matched for either the specified time or occurrence, the sequencer will proceed to the next sequence level. In the sequence level where the trigger is specified, the FIND command specifies the trigger qualifier (see SEQuence command).

The terms A through G and I are defined by the TERM command. The meaning of IN_RANGE and OUT_RANGE is determined by the RANGE command. Expressions are limited to what you could manually enter through the Timing Trigger menu. Regarding parentheses, the syntax definitions below show only the required ones. Additional parentheses are allowed as long as the meaning of the expression is not changed. See figure 12-2 on page 12-11 for a detailed example.

<N> integer from 1 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 10)

<condition_mode> {{GT|LT}, <duration_time>|OCCurrence, <occurrence>}

GT greater than

LT less than

<duration_time> real number from 8 ns to 5.00 seconds depending on sample period

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<occurrence> integer from 1 to 1048575

<time_qualifier> see "Qualifier" on page 12-6

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:FIND1 ‘ANystate’, GT, 10E-6"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:FIND3 ‘((NOTA AND NOTB) OR G’), OCCURRENCE, 10"

Query :MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:FIND4?

The FIND query returns the current time qualifier specification for a given sequence level.

Returned Format [:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:FIND<N>]
<time_qualifier>,<condition_mode><NL>

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:FIND<N>?

MLENgth

Command :MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:MLENgth <memory_length>

The MEMLength command allows you to specify the analyzer memory depth. Valid memory depths range from a range from 4096 states (or samples) through the maximum system memory depth minus 8192 states. Memory depth is affected by acquisition mode. If the <memory_depth> value sent with the command is not a legal value, the closest legal setting will be used.

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:MLENSITY 262144"
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RANGE

Query

: MACHINE{1|2}: TTRigger: MLENghth?

The MLENghth query returns the current analyzer memory depth selection.

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:MLENgth] <memory_length><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1: TTRIGGER: MLENGTH? "

RANGE

Command

: MACHINE{1|2}: TTRigger: RANGE <N> 
<label_name>, <start_pattern>, <stop_pattern>

The RANGE command allows you to specify a range recognizer term for the specified machine. Since a range can only be defined across one label and, since a label must contain 32 or less bits, the value of the start pattern or stop pattern will be between \((2^{32}) - 1\) and 0.

Since a label can only be defined across a maximum of two pods, a range term is only available across a single label; therefore, the end points of the range cannot be split between labels.

When these values are expressed in binary, they represent the bit values for the label at one of the range recognizers' end points. Don't cares are not allowed in the end point pattern specifications.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<N> {1 | 2}

<start_pattern> "(#B{0 | 1} . . . | 
#Q{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7} . . . | 
#H{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | A | B | C | D | E | F} . . . | 
{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9} . . . )"

<stop_pattern> "(#B{0 | 1} . . . | 
#Q{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7} . . . | 
#H{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | A | B | C | D | E | F} . . . | 
{0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9} . . . )"
Examples

```
OUTPUT XXX;":\MACHINE1\TTRIGGER\RANGE1 'DATA', '127', '255' 
OUTPUT XXX;":\MACHINE1\TTRIGGER\RANGE2 'ABC', '#B0001111', '

Example

```
Query

```
:_MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:RANGE<N>?
```

The RANGE query returns the range recognizer end point specifications for the range.

Returned Format

```
[ :\MACHINE{1|2}:TTRiger:RANGE<N> ] <label_name>,<start_pattern>,
<stop_pattern><NL>
```

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;":\MACHINE1\TTRIGGER\RANGE1?" 
```

SEQUence

Command

```
:_MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:SEQUence <number_of_levels>
```

The SEQuence command defines the timing analyzer trace sequence. First, it deletes the current trace sequence. Then, it inserts the number of levels specified, with default settings. The number of levels can be between 1 and 10 when the analyzer is armed by the RUN key.

Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;":\MACHINE1\TTRIGGER\SEQUENCE 4"
```
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<td>The SPERiod query returns the current sample period.</td>
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<td>Example</td>
<td>[:MACHine{1,2}:TTRigger:SPERiod] &lt;sample_period&gt;&lt;NL&gt;</td>
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Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;"':MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:SEQUENCE?"
```
**TCONtrol**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TCONtrol<N> <timer_num>, {OFF|START|PAUSE|CONTINUE}`

The TCONtrol (timer control) command allows you to turn off, start, pause, or continue the timer for the specified level. The time value of the timer is defined by the TIMER command.

- `<N>` integer from 1 to the number of existing sequence levels (maximum 10)
- `<timer_num>` {1|2}

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:TTRIGGER:TCONTROL6 1, PAUSE"

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TCONTROL<N>? <timer_num>`

The TCONtrol query returns the current TCONtrol setting of the specified level.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TCONTROL<N> <timer_num>]
{OFF|START|PAUSE|CONTINUE}<NL>
```

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:TTRIGGER:TCONTROL6? 1"
TERM

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TTRigger:TERM
<term_id>,<label_name>,<pattern>

The TERM command allows you to specify a pattern recognizer term in the specified machine. Each command deals with only one label in the given term; therefore, a complete specification could require several commands. Since a label can contain 32 or less bits, the range of the pattern value will be between $2^{32} - 1$ and $0$. When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. Since the pattern parameter may contain don't cares and be represented in several bases, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

Eight of the 10 terms (A through G and I) are available (terms H and J are not available) to either machine but not both simultaneously. If you send the TERM command to a machine with a term that has not been assigned to that machine, an error message "Legal command but settings conflict" is returned.

<term_id> {A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I}

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<pattern> "#{B{0|1|X} ... | #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} ... | #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} ... | {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} ... }"

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TERM A,'DATA','255'"
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TERM B,'ABC','#BXXX1101'"
**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TERM?
<term_id>,<label_name>

The TERM query returns the specification of the term specified by term identification and label name.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TERM]
<term_id>,<label_name>,<pattern><NL>

**Example**

`OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TERM? B,'DATA' "`

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**TIMER**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TIMER{1|2} <time_value>

The TIMER command sets the time value for the specified timer. The limits of the timer are 400 ns to 500 seconds in 16 ns to 500 µs increments. The increment value varies with the time value of the specified timer.

<time_value> real number from 400 ns to 500 seconds in increments which vary from 16 ns to 500 µs.

**Example**

`OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TIMER1 100E-6"

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TIMER{1|2}?`

The TIMER query returns the current time value for the specified timer.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TIMER{1|2}] <time_value><NL>

**Example**

`OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TIMER1?"`
TPOSition

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TPOSition
{START|CENTER|END|DELAY, <time_val>|POSTstore,<poststore>}
```

The `TPOSition` (trigger position) command allows you to set the trigger at the start, center, end or at any position in the trace (poststore). Poststore is defined as 0 to 100 percent with a poststore of 100 percent being the same as start position and a poststore 0 percent being the same as an end trace.

The `DELAY` mode can be used to set the time between the trigger point and the start of the trace, causing the trace to begin after the trigger point.

- `<time_val>`: real number from either (2 x sample period) or 16 ns whichever is greater to (516096 (HP 16554A) or 1040384 (HP 16555A) x sample period).
- `<poststore>`: integer from 0 to 100 representing percentage of poststore.

**Examples**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TPOSITION END"
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TPOSITION POSTstore,75"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TPOSition?
```

The `TPOSition` query returns the current trigger position setting.

**Returned Format**

```
[{MACHINE{1|2}:TTRigger:TPOSition} {START|CENTER|END|DELAY, <time_val>|POSTstore,<poststore>]<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TTRIGGER:TPOSITION?"
```
TWAVeform Subsystem
Introduction

The TWAVEform subsystem contains the commands available for the Timing Waveforms menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A. These commands are:

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<td>{1,2,3,4,5,6,7,9}</td>
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<td>integer from 0 to 31</td>
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<td>real number</td>
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<td>real number from 4ns (HP 16554A) or 2ns (HP 16555A) to 8 ms</td>
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<td>marker_type</td>
<td>{X, O, XO, TRIGger}</td>
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<td>memory_length</td>
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TWAVeform

Selector

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform

The TWAVeform selector is used as part of a compound header to access the settings found in the Timing Waveforms menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:DELAY 100E-9"

ACCumulate

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:ACCumulate <setting>

The ACCumulate command allows you to control whether the waveform display gets erased between each individual run or whether subsequent waveforms are allowed to be displayed over the previous ones.

(setting) {0|OFF} or {1|ON}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"*:MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:ACCUMULATE:ON"
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ACQuisition

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:ACCumulate?

The ACCumulate query returns the current setting. The query always shows the setting as the characters, "0" (off) or "1" (on).

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:ACCumulate] {0|1}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:ACCUMULATE?"

ACQuisition

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:ACQuisition
{AUTOnoticl|MANual}

The ACQuisition command allows you to specify the acquisition mode for the timing analyzer. The acquisition modes are automatic and manual.

Query

MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:ACQuisition?

The ACQuisition query returns the current acquisition mode.

 Returned Format

[MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:ACQuisition] {AUTOnoticl|MANual}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE2:TWAVEFORM:ACQUISITION?"
CENTER

Command

:MACHE{1|2}:TWAVE:CENT <marker_type>

The CENTER command allows you to center the waveform display about the specified markers.

<marker_type> {X|0|X|0|TRIGger}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:CENT X"

CLRPattern

Command

:MACHE{1|2}:TWAVE:CLRP <X|0|ALL}

The CLRPattern command allows you to clear the patterns in the selected Specify Patterns menu.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:CLRPATTERN ALL"

CLRStat

Command

:MACHE{1|2}:TWAVE:CLRST

The CLRStat command allows you to clear the waveform statistics without having to stop and restart the acquisition.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;"MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:CLRST"

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DELay

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:DELaY <delay_value>

The DELay command specifies the amount of time between the timing trigger and the horizontal center of the timing waveform display. The allowable values for delay are −2500 s to +2500 s.

<delay_value> real number between −2500 s and +2500 s

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChINE1:TWAVEFORM:DELaY 100E-6"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:DELaY?

The DELay query returns the current time offset (delay) value from the trigger.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:DELaY] <time_value><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChINE1:TWAVEFORM:DELaY?"
**INsert**

**Command**

```
:MAChine{1|2}::TWAveform:INsert
[<module_spec>,]<label_name>
[,,{<bit_id>|OVERlay|ALL}]
```

The INsert command inserts waveforms in the timing waveform display. The waveforms are added from top to bottom up to a maximum of 96 waveforms. Once 96 waveforms are present, each time you insert another waveform, it replaces the last waveform.

Time-correlated waveforms from an oscilloscope or another logic analyzer module can also be inserted in the logic analyzer's timing waveforms display. Oscilloscope waveforms occupy the same display space as three logic analyzer waveforms. When inserting waveforms from an oscilloscope or another logic analyzer module, the optional first parameter must be used, which is the module specifier. 1 through 7 and 9 corresponds to modules A through G and I. Note that modules 8 and 10 (H and J) are not available. If you do not specify the module, the selected module is assumed.

The second parameter specifies the label name that will be inserted. The optional third parameter specifies the label bit number, overlay, or all. If a number is specified, only the waveform for that bit number is added to the screen.

If you specify OVERlay, all the bits of the label are displayed as a composite overlaid waveform. If you specify ALL, all the bits are displayed sequentially. If you do not specify the third parameter, ALL is assumed.

```
<module_spec>  {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}
<label_name>  string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
<bit_id>      integer from 0 to 31
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TWAveform:INSERT 3, 'WAVE', 9"
```
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MLENgth

Inserting Oscilloscope Waveforms

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:INSert
<module_spec>,<label_name>

This inserts a waveform from an oscilloscope to the timing waveforms display.

<module_spec> {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9} slot in which the oscilloscope master card is installed
<label_name> string of one alpha and one numeric character

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:INSERT 3, 'Cl'"

MLENgth

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:MLENgth <memory_length>

The MEMLength command allows you to specify the analyzer memory depth. Valid memory depths range from a range from 4096 states (or samples) through the maximum system memory depth minus 8192 states. Memory depth is affected by acquisition mode. If the <memory_depth> value sent with the command is not a legal value, the closest legal setting will be used.

<memory_length> {4096 | 8192 | 16384 | 32768 | 65536 | 131072 | 262144
| 516096 (HP 16554A)
| 524288 | 1040384 (HP 16555A)}

Example
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MLENGTH 262144"
Query

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:MLENgth?]

The MLENght query returns the current analyzer memory depth selection.

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:MLENgth] <memory_length><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MLENGTH?"

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**MINus**

Command

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:MINus]

<module_spec>,<waveform>,<waveform>

The MINus command inserts time-correlated A-B (A minus B) oscilloscope waveforms on the screen. The first parameter is the module specifier where the oscilloscope module resides, where 1 through 7 and 9 refers to slots A through G and I. Note that modules 8 and 10 (H and J) are not available. The next two parameters specify which waveforms will be subtracted from each other.

MINus is only available for oscilloscope waveforms.

<module_spec> {1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9}

<waveform> string containing <acquisition_spec>{1|2}

<acquisition_spec> {A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I} (slot where acquisition card is located)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MINUS 1,'A1','A2'"
**MMODE**

**Command**

:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:MMODE
{OFF|PATTERN|TIME|MSTATS}

The MMODE (Marker Mode) command selects the mode controlling marker movement and the display of the marker readouts. When PATTERN is selected, the markers will be placed on patterns. When TIME is selected, the markers move on time. In MSTats, the markers are placed on patterns, but the readouts will be time statistics.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MMODE TIME"
```

**Query**

:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:MMODE?

The MMODE query returns the current marker mode.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:MMODE] <marker_mode><NL>
<marker_mode> {OFF|PATTERN|TIME|MSTATS}
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MMODE?"
```
**OCONdition**

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OCONdition
{ENTering|EXITing}
```

The OCONdition command specifies where the O marker is placed. The O marker can be placed on the entry or exit point of the OPATtern when in the PATTern marker mode.

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OCONDITION ENTERING"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OCONdition?
```

The OCONdition query returns the current setting.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OCONdition] {ENTering|EXITing}<NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OCONDITION?"
```
**OPATtern**

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OPATtern
<label_name>,<label_pattern>
```

The OPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the O marker which is then used with the OSEarch criteria and OCONdition when moving the marker on patterns. Since this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several invocations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and $2^{32} - 1$, since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the `<label_pattern>` parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

- `<label_name>` string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- `<label_pattern>` "#B{0|1|X} . . . |
  #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |
  #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . |
  {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . |
"  

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OPATTERN 'A','511'"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OPATtern? <label_name>
```

The OPATtern query, in pattern marker mode, returns the pattern specification for a given label name. In the time marker mode, the query returns the pattern under the O marker for a given label. If the O marker is not placed on valid data, don't cares (X) are returned.

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:OPATtern]
<label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OPATTERN? 'A'"
```

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OSEarch

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:OSEarch
<occurrence>,<origin>

The OSEarch command defines the search criteria for the O marker which is then used with the associated OPATtern recognizer specification and the OCONdition when moving markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the marker to begin a search with the trigger or with the X marker. The actual occurrence the marker searches for is determined by the occurrence parameter of the OPATtern recognizer specification, relative to the origin. An occurrence of 0 places a marker on the selected origin. With a negative occurrence, the marker searches before the origin. With a positive occurrence, the marker searches after the origin.

<origin> {START|TRIGGER|XMARKer}

<occurrence> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OSEARCH +10,TRIGGER"

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:OSEarch?

The OSEarch query returns the search criteria for the O marker.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:OSEarch] <occurrence>,<origin><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;:" :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OSEARCH?"
OTIMe

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:OTIMe <time_value>

The OTIMe command positions the O marker in time when the marker mode is TIME. If data is not valid, the command performs no action.

<time_value> real number −2.5 ks to +2.5 ks

Example
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OTIME 30.0E-6"

Query
:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:OTIMe?

The OTIMe query returns the O marker position in time. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format
[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:OTIMe] <time_value><NL>

Example
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OTIME?"

OVERlay

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:OVERlay <module_number>, <label>[, <label>]...

The OVERlay command overlays two or more oscilloscope waveforms and adds the resultant waveform to the current waveforms display. The first parameter of the command syntax specifies which slot contains the oscilloscope master card. The next parameters are the labels of the waveforms that are to be overlaid.
<module_spec> \{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9\}

<waveform> string containing <acquisition_spec>{1|2}

<acquisition_spec> \{A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I\} (slot where acquisition card is located)

---

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OVERLAY 3, 'C1', 'C2'

---

**PLUS**

**Command**

:MAChine\{1|2\}:TWAVeform:PLUS
<module_spec>,<waveform>,<waveform>

The PLUS command inserts time-correlated A+B oscilloscope waveforms on the screen. The first parameter is the module specifier where the oscilloscope module resides, where 1 through 7 and 9 refers to slots A through G and I. Note that modules 8 and 10 (H and J) are not available. The next two parameters specify which waveforms will be subtracted from each other. PLUS is only available for oscilloscope waveforms.

<module_spec> \{1|2|3|4|5|6|7|9\}

<waveform> string containing <acquisition_spec>{1|2}

<acquisition_spec> \{A|B|C|D|E|F|G|I\} (slot where acquisition card is located)

---

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:PLUS 1,'A1','A2'"
RANGe

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:RANGe <time_value>

The RANGe command specifies the full-screen time in the timing waveform menu. It is equivalent to ten times the seconds-per-division setting on the display. The allowable values for RANGe are from 10 ns to 10 ks.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:RANGE 100E-9"

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:RANGe?

The RANGe query returns the current full-screen time.

Returned Format

[ :MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:RANGe ] <time_value><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:RANGE?"

REMove

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:REMove

The REMove command deletes all waveforms from the display.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:REMOVE"
RUNTil

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:RUNTil <run_until_spec>

The RUNTil (run until) command defines stop criteria based on the time between the X and O markers when the trace mode is in repetitive. When OFF is selected, the analyzer will run until either the STOP touch screen field is touched, or, the STOP command is sent. Run until time between X and O marker options are:

- Less Than (LT) a specified time value.
- Greater Than (GT) a specified time value.
- In the range (INRange) between two time values.
- Out of the range (OUTRange) between two time values.

End points for the INRange and OUTRange should be at least 2 ns apart since this is the minimum time at which data is sampled.

This command affects the timing analyzer only, and has no relation to the RUNTil commands in the SLISt and COMPare subsystems.

<run_until_spec> {OFF | LT,<value> | GT,<value> | INRange,<value>; <value>| OUTRange,<value>,<value>}

<value> real number

Examples

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:TWAVEFORM:RUNTIL GT, 800.0E-6"
OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:TWAVEFORM:RUNTIL INRANGE, 4.5, 5.5"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:RUNTil?

The RUNTil query returns the current stop criteria.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:RUNTil] <run_until_spec><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:TWAVEFORM:RUNTIL?"
**SPERiod**

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:SPERiod <sample_period>
```

The SPERiod command allows you to set the sample period of the timing analyzer.

*<sample_period>* real number from 4 ns (HP 16554A) or 2 ns (HP 16555A) to 8 ms

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:SPERIOD 50E-9"
```

**Query**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:SPERiod?
```

The SPERiod query returns the current sample period.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:SPERiod] <sample_period><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"::MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:SPERIOD?"
```
**TAVerage**

**Query**

`:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:TAVerage?`

The TAVerage query returns the value of the average time between the X and 0 markers. If there is no valid data, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

`[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:TAVerage] <time_value><NL>`

*<time_value>* real number

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ">:MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:TAVERAGE?"

---

**TMAXimum**

**Query**

`:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:TMAXimum?`

The TMAXimum query returns the value of the maximum time between the X and 0 markers. If there is no valid data, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

`[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:TMAXimum] <time_value><NL>`

*<time_value>* real number

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ">:MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:TMAXIMUM?"
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TMINimum

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:TMINimum?

The TMINimum query returns the value of the minimum time between the X
and O markers. If there is no valid data, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TWAVeform:TMINimum] <time_value><NL>

<time_value> real number

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:TMINIMUM?"

TPOSition

Command

MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:TPOSition
{START|CENTer|END|DELaY, <time_val>| POSTstore,<percent>}

The TPOSition command allows you to control where the trigger point is
placed. The trigger point can be placed at the start, center, end, at a
percentage of post store, or at a value specified by delay. The post store
option is the same as the User Defined option when setting the trigger point
from the front panel.

The TPOSition command is only available when the acquisition mode is set to
manual.

<time_val> real number from 2*sample_period to 516096 (HP 16554A) or 1040384 (HP
16555A)*sample_period

<percent> integer from 1 to 100

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE2:TWAVEFORM:TPOSITION CENTER"
### Query

MACHine\{1|2\}:TWAVEform:TPOSition?

The TPOSition query returns the current trigger setting.

**Returned Format**

\[ \text{MACHine\{1|2\}:TWAVEform:TPOSition} \{\text{START|CENTER|END|DELAY,}<time\_val>|\text{POSTstore,}<percent>\}\]<NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;";MACHINE2:TWAVEFORM:TPOSition?"

---

### VRUNS

**Query**

:MACHine\{1|2\}:TWAVEform:VRUNS?

The VRUNS query returns the number of valid runs and total number of runs made. Valid runs are those where the pattern search for both the X and O markers was successful resulting in valid delta time measurements.

**Returned Format**

\[ \text{:MACHine\{1|2\}:TWAVEform:VRUNS} <\text{valid}\_runs>,<\text{total}\_runs><NL> \]

<valid\_runs> zero or positive integer

<total\_runs> zero or positive integer

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;";MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:VRUNS?"
XCONdition

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:XCONdition
{ENTERing|EXITing}

The XCONdition command specifies where the X marker is placed. The X marker can be placed on the entry or exit point of the XPATtern when in the PATTern marker mode.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XCONDITION ENTERING"

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:XCONdition?

The XCONdition query returns the current setting.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:XCONdition] {ENTERing|EXITing}<NL>

XOTime

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:XOTime?

The XOTime query returns the time from the X marker to the O marker. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVeform:XOTime] <time_value><NL>

<time_value> real number

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XOTIME?"
**XPATtern**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:XPATtern
<label_name>,<label_pattern>`

The XPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the X marker which is then used with the XSearc criteria and XCONditition when moving the marker on patterns. Since this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several iterations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and $2^{32} - 1$, since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the `<label_pattern>` parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

```plaintext
<string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters>
```

`<label_pattern>`

```
"{#B{0|1|X} . . . |
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9}|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . |
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XPATTERN 'A','511'
```

**Query**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:XPATtern? <label_name>`

The XPATtern query, in pattern marker mode, returns the pattern specification for a given label name. In the time marker mode, the query returns the pattern under the X marker for a given label. If the X marker is not placed on valid data, don't cares (X) are returned.

**Returned Format**

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEform:XPATtern]
<label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XPATTERN? 'A'
```
The XSEarch command defines the search criteria for the X marker which is then used with the associated XPATtern recognizer specification and the XCONSdition when moving markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the marker to begin a search with the trigger. The occurrence parameter determines which occurrence of the XPATtern recognizer specification, relative to the origin, the marker actually searches for. An occurrence of 0 (zero) places a marker on the origin.

<origin> {TRIGger|START}

<occurrence> integer from −516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from −1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XSEARCH,+10,TRIGGER"

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:XSEarch?
<occurrence>,<origin>

The XSEarch query returns the search criteria for the X marker.

Returned Format

[ :MACHine{1|2}:TWAVEform:XSEarch ] <occurrence>,<origin><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XSEARCH?"
**XTIMe**

**Command**

:\MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:XTIME <time_value>

The XTIMe command positions the X marker in time when the marker mode is TIME. If data is not valid, the command performs no action.

<time_value> real number from -2.5 ks to +2.5 ks

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XTIME 40.0E-6"

**Query**

:\MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:XTIME?

The XTIMe query returns the X marker position in time. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TWAVEFORM:XTIME] <time_value><NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XTIME?"
TLISSt Subsystem
Introduction

The TLISt subsystem contains the commands available for the Timing Listing menu in the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer modules and is the same as the SLISt subsystem (except the OCONdition and XCONdition commands). The TLISt subsystem commands are:

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TLISt Subsystem Syntax Diagram
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<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
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TLISt

**Selector**

:MACHine{1|2}:TLISt

The TLISt selector is used as part of a compound header to access those settings normally found in the Timing Listing menu. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;";MACHINE1:TLIST:LINE 256"

COUmnn

**Command**

:MACHine{1|2}:TLISt:COUmnn
<col_num> [,<module_num>,MACHine{1|2}],<label_name>, <base>

The COUmnn command allows you to configure the timing analyzer list display by assigning a label name and base to one of the 61 vertical columns in the menu. A column number of 1 refers to the left most column. When a label is assigned to a column it replaces the original label in that column.

When the label name is "TAGS," the TAGS column is assumed and the next parameter must specify RELative or ABSolute.

A label for tags must be assigned in order to use ABSolute or RELative state tagging.
<col_num> integer from 1 to 61
<module_num> {12345679}
<label_name> a string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
;base> {BINary|HEXadecimAl|OCTal|DECimal|TWOS|ASCII|SYMBol|IASSe mbler} for labels
or
{ABSolute|RELative} for tags

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:COLUMN 4,2,'A',HEX"

Query

:MACHine{1|2}:TLIST:COLumn? <col_num>

The COlumn query returns the column number, label name, and base for the specified column.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:COlumn]
<col_num>,<module_num>,MACHine{1|2},<label_name>,<base><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:COLUMN? 4"

CLRPattern

Command

:MACHine{1|2}:TLIST:CLRPattern {X|O|ALL}

The CLRPattern command allows you to clear the patterns in the selected Specify Patterns menu.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:CLRPattern 0"
DATA

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:DATA?
<line_number>,<label_name>

The DATA query returns the value at a specified line number for a given label. The format will be the same as the one shown in the Listing display.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:DATA] <line_number>,<label_name>,
<pattern_string><NL>

<line_number> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<pattern_string> "#{0|1|X} . . . |
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . |
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . "

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MAChINE1:TLIst:DATA? 512, 'RAS'"

LINE

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:LINE <line_num_mid_screen>

The LINE command allows you to scroll the timing analyzer listing vertically. The command specifies the state line number relative to the trigger that the analyzer highlights at the center of the screen.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MAChINE1:TLIst:LINE 0"
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**MMODDe**

**Query**

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISst:LINE?

The LINE query returns the line number for the state currently in the box at the center of the screen.

**Returned Format**

[:MAChine{1|2}:TLISst:LINE] <line_num_mid_screen><NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:LINE?"

---

**MMODDe**

**Command**

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISst:MMODDe <marker_mode>

The MMODe command (Marker Mode) selects the mode controlling the marker movement and the display of marker readouts. When PATTern is selected, the markers will be placed on patterns. When TIME is selected the markers move on time between stored states. When MSTats is selected the markers are placed on patterns, but the readouts will be time statistics.

<marker_mode> {OFF|PATTern|TIME|MSTats}

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:MMODE TIME"

**Query**

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISst:MMODDe?

The MMODe query returns the current marker mode selected.

**Returned Format**

[:MAChine{1|2}:TLISst:MMODDe] <marker_mode><NL>

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:MMODE?"
OCONdition

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TLIST:OCONdition {ENTering|EXITing}

The OCONdition command specifies where the O marker is placed. The O marker can be placed on the entry or exit point of the OPATtern when in the PATTern marker mode.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TLIST:OCONDITION ENTERING"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLIST:OCONdition?

The OCONdition query returns the current setting.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TLIST:OCONdition] {ENTering|EXITing}<NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:OCONDITION?"
OPATtern

**Command**

:MACHine{1|2}:TLISt:OPATtern
<label_name>,<label_pattern>

The OPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the O Marker which is then used with the OSEarch criteria when moving the marker on patterns. Since this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several iterations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and $2^{32} - 1$, since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the <label_pattern> parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<label_pattern> "#{B{0|1|X} . . . | #Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . | #H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . | {0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }

**Examples**

```
#Q{011213141516171X}
#H{0112131415161718191AIBICIDIEIFIX}
{011213141516171819}
```

**Query**

:MACHine{1|2}:TLISt:OPATtern? <label_name>

The OPATtern query returns the pattern specification for a given label name.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHine{1|2}:TLISt:OPATtern]
<label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;".:MACHINE1:TLIST:OPATERN? 'A'
```

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OSEarch

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OSEarch <occurrence>,<origin>

The OSEarch command defines the search criteria for the O marker, which is then used with associated OPATtern recognizer specification when moving the markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the marker to begin a search with the trigger, the start of data, or with the X marker. The actual occurrence the marker searches for is determined by the occurrence parameter of the OSEarch recognizer specification, relative to the origin. An occurrence of 0 places the marker on the selected origin. With a negative occurrence, the marker searches before the origin. With a positive occurrence, the marker searches after the origin.

<occurrence> integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)

<origin> {TRIGGER|START|XMARKER}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TLIST:OSEARCH +10,TRIGGER"

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OSEach?

The OSEach query returns the search criteria for the O marker.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OSEarch] <occurrence>,<origin><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;*:MACHINE1:TLIST:OSEARCH?"
OSTate

Query

:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OSTate?

The OSTate query returns the line number in the listing where the O marker resides. If data is not valid, the query returns 2147483647.

Returned Format

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OSTate] <state_num><NL>

<state_num> integer from -516096 to +516096 or 2147483647 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 or 2147483647 (HP 16555A)

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLIST:OSTATE?"

OTAG

Command

:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OTAG <time_value>

The OTAG command specifies the tag value on which the O Marker should be placed. The tag value is time. If the data is not valid tagged data, no action is performed.

<time_value> real number

Example

:OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLIST:OTAG 40.0E-6"
Query

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OTAG?`

The OTAG query returns the O Marker position in time regardless of whether the marker was positioned in time or through a pattern search. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E3.

Returned Format

`[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:OTAG] <time_value><NL>`

Example

`OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLIST:OTAG? "`

---

**REMove**

Command

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:REMove`

The REMove command removes all labels, except the leftmost label, from the listing menu.

Example

`OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLIST:REMove "`
RUNTil

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:RUNTil <run_until_spec>

The RUNTil (run until) command allows you to define a stop condition when the trace mode is repetitive. Specifying OFF causes the analyzer to make runs until either the display's STOP field is touched, or, until the STOP command is issued.

There are four conditions based on the time between the X and O markers. These four conditions are as follows:

- The difference is less than (LT) some value.
- The difference is greater than (GT) some value.
- The difference is inside some range (INRange).
- The difference is outside some range (OUTRange).

End points for the INRange and OUTRange should be at least 2 ns apart since this is the minimum time between samples.

<run_until_spec> {OFF|LT,<value>|GT,<value>|INRange,<value>,<value> |OUTRange,<value>,<value>}

<value> real number from -9E9 to +9E9

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:RUNTIL GT,800.0E-6"

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:RUNTil?

The RUNTil query returns the current stop criteria.

Returned Format

[:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:RUNTil] <run_until_spec><NL>

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MACHINE1:TLIST:RUNTIL?"
TAVerage

Query

: MACHine{1|2}:TLlST: TAVerage?

The TAVerage query returns the value of the average time between the X and O Markers. If the number of valid runs is zero, the query returns 9.9E37. Valid runs are those where the pattern search for both the X and O markers was successful, resulting in valid delta-time measurements.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:TLlST: TAVerage] <time_value><NL>

<time_value> real number

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLlST: TAVERAGE?"

TMAXimum

Query

: MACHine{1|2}:TLlST: TMAXimum?

The TMAXimum query returns the value of the maximum time between the X and O Markers. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format

[:MACHine{1|2}:TLlST: TMAXimum] <time_value><NL>

<time_value> real number

Example

OUTPUT XXX; " :MACHINE1:TLlST: TMAXIMUM?"
**TLISt Subsystem**

**TMINimum**

**Query**

:MAChine\{1\2\}:TLISt:TMINimum?

The TMINimum query returns the value of the minimum time between the X and O Markers. If data is not valid, the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

[ :MAChine\{1\2\}:TLISt:TMINimum ] <time_value><NL>

<time_value> real number

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; " :MAChINE1:TLISt:TMINIMUM?"

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**VRUNs**

**Query**

:MAChine\{1\2\}:TLISt:VRUNs?

The VRUNs query returns the number of valid runs and total number of runs made. Valid runs are those where the pattern search for both the X and O markers was successful resulting in valid delta time measurements.

**Returned Format**

[ :MAChine\{1\2\}:TLISt:VRUNs ] <valid_runs>, <total_runs><NL>

<valid_runs> zero or positive integer

<total_runs> zero or positive integer

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; " :MAChINE1:TLISt:VRUNS?"
XCONdition

Command

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XCONdition {ENTERing|EXITing}`

The XCONdition command specifies where the X marker is placed. The X marker can be placed on the entry or exit point of the XPATtern when in the PATTern marker mode.

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "`:MACHINE1:TLIST:XCONDITION ENTERING""

Query

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XCONdition?`

The XCONdition query returns the current setting.

Returned Format

`[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XCONdition] {ENTERing|EXITing}<NL>`

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "`:MACHINE1:TLIST:XCONDITION?""

XOTag

Query

`:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XOTag?`

The XOTag query returns the time from the X to O markers. If there is no data in the time mode the query returns 9.9E37.

Returned Format

`[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XOTag] <XO_time><NL>`

Example

OUTPUT XXX; "`:MACHINE1:TLIST:XOTAG?""
XOTime

**Query**

:_MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XOTime?

The XOTime query returns the time from the X to O markers. If there is no data in the time mode the query returns 9.9E37.

**Returned Format**

[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XOTime] <XO_time><NL>  
<XO_time> real number

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX; ":MACHINE1:TLIST:XOTIME?"

XPATtern

**Command**

:_MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XPATtern  
<label_name>,<label_pattern>

The XPATtern command allows you to construct a pattern recognizer term for the X Marker which is then used with the XSEarch criteria when moving the marker on patterns. Since this command deals with only one label at a time, a complete specification could require several iterations.

When the value of a pattern is expressed in binary, it represents the bit values for the label inside the pattern recognizer term. In whatever base is used, the value must be between 0 and $2^{32} - 1$, since a label may not have more than 32 bits. Because the <label_pattern> parameter may contain don't cares, it is handled as a string of characters rather than a number.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<label_pattern>  
"{#B{0|1|X} . . . |  
#Q{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|X} . . . |  
#H{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|A|B|C|D|E|F|X} . . . |  
{0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9} . . . }"
### Examples

```
OUTPUT XXX;""MACHINE1:TLIST:XPATTERN 'DATA','255' "
OUTPUT XXX;""MACHINE1:TLIST:XPATTERN 'ABC','#BXXXX1101' "
```

### Query

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XPATtern? <label_name>
```

The XPATtern query returns the pattern specification for a given label name.

### Returned Format

```
[:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XPATtern]
<label_name>,<label_pattern><NL>
```

### Example

```
OUTPUT XXX;""MACHINE1:TLIST:XPATtern? 'A'"
```

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### XSEarch

**Command**

```
:MACHINE{1|2}:TLIST:XSEARCH <occurrence>,<origin>
```

The XSEarch command defines the search criteria for the X Marker, which is then with associated XPATtern recognizer specification when moving the markers on patterns. The origin parameter tells the marker to begin a search with the trigger or with the start of data. The occurrence parameter determines which occurrence of the XPATtern recognizer specification, relative to the origin, the marker actually searches for. An occurrence of 0 places a marker on the selected origin.

- `<occurrence>` integer from -516096 to +516096 (HP 16554A) or from -1040384 to +1040384 (HP 16555A)
- `<origin>` {TRIGger|STARt}

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;""MACHINE1:TLIST:XSEARCH +10,TRIGGER"
```
XSTate

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:XSEarch?

The XSEarch query returns the search criteria for the X marker.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MAChINE1:TLISt:XSEARCH?"

XSTate

Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:XSTate?

The XSTate query returns the line number in the listing where the X marker resides. If data is not valid, the query returns r 2147483647.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":MAChINE1:TLISt:XSTATE?"
## XTAG

### Command

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:XTAG <time_value>

The XTAG command specifies the tag value on which the X Marker should be placed. The tag value is time. If the data is not valid tagged data, no action is performed.

- `<time_value>` real number

### Example

```
OUTPUT XXX; "':MACHINE1:TLIST:XTAG 40.0E-6"
```

### Query

:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:XTAG?

The XTAG query returns the X Marker position in time regardless of whether the marker was positioned in time or through a pattern search. If data is not valid tagged data, the query returns 9.9E37.

- Returned Format

```
[:MAChine{1|2}:TLISt:XTAG] <time_value><NL>
```

### Example

```
OUTPUT XXX; "':MACHINE1:TLIST:XTAG?"
```
SYMBoI Subsystem
Introduction

The SYMBol subsystem contains the commands that allow you to define symbols on the controller and download them to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzer modules. The commands in this subsystem are:

- BASE
- PATTern
- RANGe
- REMove
- WIDTh
SYMBol Subsystem Syntax Diagram
### SYMBol Parameter Values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>label_name</td>
<td>string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>symbol_name</td>
<td>string of up to 16 alphanumeric characters</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pattern_value</td>
<td>&quot;{#B{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>start_value</td>
<td>&quot;{#B{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>stop_value</td>
<td>&quot;{#B{0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>width_value</td>
<td>integer from 1 to 16</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
SYMBol

Selector

:MAChine{1|2}:SYMBol

The SYMBol selector is used as a part of a compound header to access the commands used to create symbols. It always follows the MACHine selector because it selects a branch directly below the MACHine level in the command tree.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:SYMBOL:BASE 'DATA', BINARY"

BASE

Command

:MAChine{1|2}:SYMBol:BASE
<label_name>,<base_value>

The BASE command sets the base in which symbols for the specified label will be displayed in the symbol menu. It also specifies the base in which the symbol offsets are displayed when symbols are used.

BINary is not available for labels with more than 20 bits assigned. In this case the base will default to HEXadecimal.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<base_value> {BINary | HEXadeclimal | OCTal | DECimal | ASCii}

Example

OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:SYMBOL:BASE 'DATA',HEXADECIMAL"
SYMBOL Subsystem
PATTern

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**PATTern**

**Command**

`:MACHINE{1|2}:SYMBOL:PATTern <label_name>,
<symbol_name>,<pattern_value>

The PATTern command allows you to create a pattern symbol for the specified label.
Because don't cares (X) are allowed in the pattern value, it must always be expressed as a string. You may still use different bases, though don't cares cannot be used in a decimal number.

- `<label_name>` string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- `<symbol_name>` string of up to 16 alphanumeric characters
- `<pattern_value>`

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**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;`:MACHINE1:SYMBOL:PATTERN 'STAT',
'MEM_RD', '#H01XX'
```

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**RANGe**

**Command**

:MAChine{1|2}:SYMBol:RANGe <label_name>, <symbol_name>, <start_value>, <stop_value>

The RANGe command allows you to create a range symbol containing a start value and a stop value for the specified label. The values may be in binary (#B), octal (#Q), hexadecimal (#H) or decimal (default). You cannot use don't cares in any base.

- **<label_name>** string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters
- **<symbol_name>** string of up to 16 alphanumeric characters
- **<start_value>** "#{B{01} . . . | #Q{01234567} . . . | #H{0123456789ABCDEF} . . . |{0123456789} . . . }"
- **<stop_value>** "#{B{01} . . . | #Q{01234567} . . . | #H{0123456789ABCDEF} . . . |{0123456789} . . . }"

**Example**

OUTPUT XXX;" :MAChine1:SYMBol:RANGE 'STAT', 'IO_ACC', '0', '#H000F' "
SYMBOL Subsystem
REMove

REMove

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:SYMBol:REMove

The REMove command deletes all symbols from a specified machine.

Example
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:SYMBOL:REMove"

WIDTH

Command
:MACHine{1|2}:SYMBol:WIDTH <label_name>,<width_value>

The WIDTH command specifies the width (number of characters) in which the symbol names will be displayed when symbols are used. The WIDTH command does not affect the displayed length of the symbol offset value.

<label_name> string of up to 6 alphanumeric characters

<width_value> integer from 1 to 16

Example
OUTPUT XXX;" :MACHINE1:SYMBOL:WIDTH 'DATA',9 "

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DATA and SETup Commands
Introduction

The DATA and SETup commands are SYSTem commands that allow you to send and receive block data between the HP 16554A or HP 16555A and a controller. Use the DATA instruction to transfer acquired timing and state data, and the SETup instruction to transfer instrument configuration data. This is useful for:

- Re-loading to the logic analyzer
- Processing data later
- Processing data in the controller

This chapter explains how to use these commands.

The format and length of block data depends on the instruction being used, the configuration of the instrument, and the amount of acquired data. The length of the data block can be up to 20 Mbytes (HP 16554A) or 40 Mbytes (HP 16555A) in a three-card configuration.

The SYSTem:DATA section describes each part of the block data as it will appear when used by the DATA instruction. The beginning byte number, the length in bytes, and a short description is given for each part of the block data. This is intended to be used primarily for processing of data in the controller.

Data sent to a controller with the DBLock mode set to PACKed can be reloaded into the analyzer. Data sent to a controller with the DBLock mode set to UNPacked, cannot be reloaded into the analyzer.
Data Format

To understand the format of the data within the block data, there are four important things to keep in mind.

- Data is sent to the controller in binary form.
- Each byte, as described in this chapter, contains 8 bits.
- The first bit of each byte is the MSB (most significant bit).
- Byte descriptions are printed in binary, decimal, or ASCII depending on how the data is described.

Example

The first ten bytes that describe the section name contain a total of 80 bits as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Byte 1</th>
<th>Byte 10</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Binary</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>0100 0100 0100 0001 0101 0100 0100 0001 0010 0000...0010 0000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MSB</td>
<td>LSB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Decimal</td>
<td>68 65 84 65 32 32 32 32 32 32</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ASCII</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>DATA space space space space space space space</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>


SYSTem:DATA

:SYSTem:DATA <block data>

The SYSTem:DATA command transmits the acquisition memory data from the controller to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A logic analyzers. The block data consists of a variable number of bytes containing information captured by the acquisition chips. Since no parameter checking is performed, out-of-range values could cause instrument lockup; therefore, care should be taken when transferring the data string into the HP 16554A/HP 16555A.

The <block data> parameter can be broken down into a <block length specifier> and a variable number of <section>s. The <block length specifier> always takes the form #8DDDDDDDDD. Each D represents a digit (ASCII characters "0" through "9"). The value of the eight digits represents the total length of the block (all sections). For example, if the total length of the block is 14522 bytes, the block length specifier would be "#800014522".

Each <section> consists of a <section header> and <section data>. The <section data> format varies for each section and may be any length. For the DATA instruction, there is only one <section>, which is composed of a data preamble followed by the acquisition data. This section has a variable number of bytes depending on configuration and amount of acquired data.

Example

OUTPUT XXX;":SYSTEM:DATA" <block data>
<block data> <block length specifier><section>...

<block length specifier>

#8<length>

<length> the total length of all sections in byte format (must be represented with 8 digits)

<section> <section header><section data>

<section 16 bytes, described on the following page

[section data] format depends on the type of data

| The total length of a section is 16 (for the section header) plus the length of the section data. So when calculating the value for <length>, don’t forget to include the length of the section headers. |

Query

:SYSTem:DATA?

The SYSTem:DATA query returns the block data to the controller. The data sent by the SYSTem:DATA query reflect the configuration of the machines when the last run was performed. Any changes made since then through either front-panel operations or programming commands do not affect the stored configuration.

Returned Format

[ :SYSTem:DATA] <block data><NL>
Section Header Description

The section header uses bytes 1 through 16 (this manual begins counting at 1; there is no byte 0). The 16 bytes of the section header are as follows:

Byte Position

1 10 bytes - Section name ("DATA space space space space space space" in ASCII for the DATA instruction).
11 1 byte - Reserved
12 1 byte - Module ID (34 decimal for both the HP 16554A and HP 16555A)
13 4 bytes - Length of block in number of bytes that when converted to decimal, specifies the number of bytes contained in the data block.

Section Data

For the SYSTem:DATA command, the <section data> parameter consists of two parts: the data preamble and the acquisition data. These are described in the following two sections.

Data Preamble Description

The block data is organized as 554 bytes of preamble information, followed by a variable number of bytes of data. The preamble gives information for each analyzer describing the amount and type of data captured, where the trace point occurred in the data, which pods are assigned to which analyzer, and other information.

The preamble (bytes 17 through 570) consists of the following 554 bytes:

17 4 bytes - Instrument ID (always 16500 decimal for both the HP 16554A and HP 16555A)
21 4 bytes - Revision Code
25 4 bytes - number of acquisition chips used in last acquisition
29 4 bytes - Analyzer ID (0 for HP 16554A, 1 for the HP 16555A)
The values stored in the preamble represent the captured data currently stored in this structure and not the current analyzer configuration. For example, the mode of the data (bytes 33 and 103) may be STATE with tagging, while the current setup of the analyzer is TIMING.

The next 70 bytes are for Analyzer 1 Data Information.

**Byte Position**

33 4 bytes - Machine data mode, one of the following decimal values:
- \(-1 = \text{off}\)
- \(0 = 70 \text{ MHz (HP 16554A) or 100 MHz (HP 16555A) State data, no tags}\)
- \(1 = 70 \text{ MHz (HP 16554A) or 100 MHz (HP 16555A) State data, tag data in unassigned pod}\)
- \(2 = 70 \text{ MHz (HP 16554A) or 100 MHz (HP 16555A) State data, tag data interleaved with acquired data}\)
- \(3 = \text{Fast State data, no tags (HP 16555A only)}\)
- \(4 = \text{State data, tag data in unassigned pod (HP 16555A only)}\)
- \(5 = \text{State data, tag data interleaved with acquired data (HP 16555A only)}\)
- \(10 = \text{conventional timing data on all channels}\)
- \(13 = \text{conventional timing data on half channels}\)

37 4 bytes - List of pods in this analyzer, where a binary 1 indicates that the corresponding pod is assigned to this analyzer

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>bit 31</th>
<th>bit 30</th>
<th>bit 29</th>
<th>bit 28</th>
<th>bit 27</th>
<th>bit 26</th>
<th>bit 25</th>
<th>bit 24</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>unused</td>
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<td>unused</td>
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<td>unused</td>
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</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>bit 23</th>
<th>bit 22</th>
<th>bit 21</th>
<th>bit 20</th>
<th>bit 19</th>
<th>bit 18</th>
<th>bit 17</th>
<th>bit 16</th>
</tr>
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<tr>
<td>unused</td>
<td>clkpd2</td>
<td>clkpd1</td>
<td>Pod 20</td>
<td>Pod 19</td>
<td>Pod 18</td>
<td>Pod 17</td>
<td>Pod 16</td>
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<th>bit 13</th>
<th>bit 12</th>
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<tr>
<th>bit 7</th>
<th>bit 6</th>
<th>bit 5</th>
<th>bit 4</th>
<th>bit 3</th>
<th>bit 2</th>
<th>bit 1</th>
<th>bit 0</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Pod 7</td>
<td>Pod 6</td>
<td>Pod 5</td>
<td>Pod 4</td>
<td>Pod 3</td>
<td>Pod 2</td>
<td>Pod 1</td>
<td>unused</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Example

The following 64 bits represent a sample period of 8,000 picoseconds (8 nanoseconds):

```
00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00011111 01000000
```

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Byte Position</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>41</td>
<td>4 bytes - Master chip for this analyzer.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>45</td>
<td>4 bytes - Maximum hardware memory depth available for this analyzer.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>49</td>
<td>4 bytes - Unused</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>53</td>
<td>8 bytes - Sample period in picoseconds (timing only).</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Example</th>
<th>Tag type for state mode in one of the following decimal values:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>0 = off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>1 = time tags</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>2 = state tags</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Example</th>
<th>Trigger offset. The time offset (in picoseconds) from when this analyzer is triggered and when this analyzer provides an output trigger to the IMB or port out. The value for one analyzer is always zero and the value for the other analyzer is the time between the triggers of the two analyzers.</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>65</td>
<td>8 bytes - Trigger offset.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Example</th>
<th>The next 70 bytes are for Analyzer 2 Data Information. They are organized in the same manner as Analyzer 1 above, but they occupy bytes 103 through 172.</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>103</td>
<td>70 bytes -</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Byte Position

173 88 bytes - Number of valid rows of data (starting at byte 591) for each pod. The 26 bytes of this group are organized as follows:

Bytes 173 through 180 - Unused
Bytes 181 through 184 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 4 (most significant pod) of the highest cardslot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 185 through 188 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 3 of the highest cardslot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 189 through 192 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 2 of the highest cardslot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 193 through 196 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 1 (least significant pod) of the highest cardslot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 197 through 200 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 4 (most significant pod) of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a four-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 201 through 204 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 3 of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a four-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 205 through 208 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 2 of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a four-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 209 through 212 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 1 (least significant pod) of either the highest card slot expansion card in a four-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a five-card configuration.
Bytes 213 through 216 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 4 (most significant pod) of either the highest card slot expansion card in a three-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a four- or five-card configuration.
Bytes 217 through 220 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 3 of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a three-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a four- or five-card configuration.
Bytes 221 through 224 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 2 of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a three-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a four- or five-card configuration.
Bytes 225 through 228 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 1 (least significant pod) of either the highest cardslot expansion card in a three-card configuration, or a middle card slot expansion card in a four- or five-card configuration.

Bytes 229 through 232 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 4 (most significant pod) of either the expansion card in a two-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a three-, four-, or five-card configuration.

Bytes 233 through 236 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 3 of either the expansion card in a two-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a three-, four-, or five-card configuration.

Bytes 237 through 240 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 2 of either the expansion card in a two-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a three-, four-, or five-card configuration.

Bytes 241 through 244 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 1 (least significant pod) of either the expansion card in a two-card configuration, or a middle cardslot expansion card in a three-, four-, or five-card configuration.

Bytes 245 through 248 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 4 (least significant pod) of the master card.

Bytes 249 through 252 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 3 of the master card.

Bytes 253 through 256 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 2 of the master card.

Bytes 257 through 260 - contain the number of valid rows of data for pod 1 (least significant pod) of the master card.

261 88 bytes - The trace point location for each pod. This byte group is organized in the same way as the data rows (starting at byte 173 above). These numbers are base zero numbers which start from the first sample stored for a specific pod. For example, if bytes 341 and 344 contain the value 101008, the data in row 101008 for that pod is the trigger. There are 101008 rows of pre-trigger data as shown below.

row 0
row 1

row 101007
row 101008 - trigger point
row 101009
row 101010

349 234 bytes - Unused
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Address</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>583</td>
<td>2 bytes - Real Time Clock (RTC) year at time of acquisition. Year value is equal to the current year minus 1990.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>585</td>
<td>2 bytes - RTC month (1 = January . . . 12 = December ) at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>586</td>
<td>1 byte - RTC day of the month at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>587</td>
<td>1 byte - RTC day of the week at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>588</td>
<td>1 byte - RTC hour (0 through 23) at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>589</td>
<td>1 byte - RTC minutes at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>590</td>
<td>1 byte - RTC seconds at time of acquisition.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Acquisition Data Description

The acquisition data section consists of a variable number of bytes depending on the number of cards in the configuration, the acquisition mode, and the state tag setting. The data is grouped in rows of bytes with one sample from each pod in a single row. The width of the row is based on the number of cards in the system. Each card has four pods with two bytes of data per pod. The clock pod data (four bytes) is always first in the data row. The total number of bytes in a data row for the various card count configurations is:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Cards</th>
<th>Clock Pod Bytes</th>
<th>Data Bytes</th>
<th>Total Bytes Per Row</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>4 bytes</td>
<td>8 bytes</td>
<td>12 bytes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>4 bytes</td>
<td>16 bytes</td>
<td>20 bytes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>4 bytes</td>
<td>24 bytes</td>
<td>28 bytes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The sequence of pod data within a row is the same as shown above for the number of valid rows per pod (byte 173).

A one-card configuration has the following data arrangement (per row):

<clk pod 2> <clk pod 1> <pod 4> <pod 3> <pod 2> <pod 1>

A two-card configuration has the following data arrangement (per row):

<-----expansion card -----><-------master card-------->
<clk 2><clk 1><pod 4><pod 3><pod 2><pod 1><pod 4><pod 3><pod 2><pod 1>

If the data block is unloaded without first using the DBLock command to specify UNPacked data, this data block description does not apply.

Unused pods always have data, however it is invalid and should be ignored.

The depth of the data array is equal to the pod with the greatest number of rows of valid data (byte 173). If a pod has fewer rows of valid data than the data array, unused rows will contain invalid data that should be ignored.
The clock pods contain data mapped according to the clock designator and the board (see below). Unused clock lines should be ignored.

\[
\text{exp4} \\
\text{Clock Pod 2} \quad < \text{xxxx xxxx xxxx MLJK} > \\
\text{exp3 exp2 exp1 mstr} \\
\text{Clock Pod 2} \quad < \text{MLJK MLJK MLJK MLJK} > \\
\]

Where \(x\) = not used, \(\text{mstr}\) = master card, \(\text{exp}\#\) = expander card number.

**Byte Position**

- 591 1 byte - Not used (MSB of clock pod 2).
- 592 1 byte - LSB of clock pod 2.
- 593 1 byte - MSB of clock pod 1.
- 594 1 byte - LSB of clock pod 1.
- 595 1 byte - MSB of data pod 4, board \(x\).
- 596 1 byte - LSB of data pod 4, board \(x\).
- 597 1 byte - MSB of data pod 3, board \(x\).
- 598 1 byte - LSB of data pod 3, board \(x\).
- 599 1 byte - MSB of data pod 2, board \(x\).
- 600 1 byte - LSB of data pod 2, board \(x\).
- 601 1 byte - MSB of data pod 1, board \(x\).
- 602 1 byte - LSB of data pod 1, board \(x\).

\[
\text{Byte } n \quad \text{where } n = 971 + (\text{bytes per row} \times \text{maximum number of valid rows}) - 1
\]
Data and Setup Commands
Time Tag Data Description

Example

A three-card configuration with 516096 valid rows
First data byte = byte 591
Last data byte = 14,451,278 [591 + (28 * 516096) - 1]

Time Tag Data Description

If state tags are enabled for one or both analyzers, the tag data follows the acquisition data. The first byte of the tag data is determined as follows:

\[ 591 + (\text{bytes per row} \times \text{maximum number of valid rows}) \]

Each row of the tag data array consists of one (single analyzer state tags enabled) or two (both analyzer's state tags enabled) eight byte tag values per row. When both analyzers have state tags enabled, the first tag value in a row belongs to analyzer number one and the second tag value belongs to analyzer number two.

If the tag value is a time tag, the number is an integer representing time in picoseconds. If the tag value is a state tag, the number is an integer state count.

The total size of the tag array is eight or 16 bytes per row times the greatest number of valid rows.

SYSTem:SETup

Command

:SYSTem:SETup <block data>

The SYSTem:SETup command configures the logic analyzer module as defined by the block data sent by the controller.

There are three data sections which are always returned. These are the strings which would be included in the section header.

"CONFIG"
"DISPLAY1"
"BIG_ATTRIB"
Additionally, the following sections may also be included, depending on what's available:

"SYMBOLS A"
"SYMBOLS B"
"INVASM A"
"INVASM B"

```
<block data> <block length specifier><section>...
```

```
<block length specifier>
#8<length>
```

```
<length>
the total length of all sections in byte format (must be represented with 8 digits)
```

```
<section>
<section header><section data>
```

```
<section header>
16 bytes in the following format:
10 bytes for the section name
1 byte reserved
1 byte for the module ID code (34 for both the HP 16554A and HP 16555A logic analyzer)
4 bytes for the length of the section data in bytes
```

```
<section data>
format depends on the type of data. The total length of a section is 16 (for the section header) plus the length of the section data. So when calculating the value for <length>, don't forget to include the length of the section headers. The format of the setup block is not affected by the DBLock command setting.
```

**Example**

```
OUTPUT XXX;"SETUP" <block data>
```

**Query**

```
:SYStem:SETup?
```

The SYStem:SETup query returns a block of data that contains the current configuration to the controller.

**Returned Format**

```
[:SYStem:SETup] <block data><NL>
```

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Part 3

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Programming Examples
Programming Examples
Introduction

This chapter contains short, usable, and tested program examples that cover the most asked for examples. The examples are written in HP BASIC 6.0.

- Making a Timing analyzer measurement
- Making a State analyzer measurement
- Making a State Compare analyzer measurement
- Transferring Logic Analyzer configuration between the logic analyzer and the controller
- Checking for measurement completion
- Sending queries to the logic analyzer
Making a Timing analyzer measurement

This program sets up the logic analyzer to make a simple timing analyzer measurement. This example can be used with E2422-60004 Logic Analyzer Training board to acquire and display the output of the ripple counter. It can also be modified to make any timing analyzer measurement.

```
10 ! **************************** TIMING ANALYZER EXAMPLE *****************************
20 ! for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A Logic Analyzer
30 !
40 ! ********************************************************************
50 ! Select the module slot in which the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is installed.
60 ! In this example, the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is in slot B of the mainframe.
70 !
80 OUTPUT 707;":SELECT 2"
90 !
100 ! ********************************************************************
110 ! Name Machine 1 "TIMING," configure Machine 1 as a timing analyzer,
120 ! and assign pod 1 to Machine 1.
130 !
140 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:NAME 'TIMING'"
150 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:TYPE TIMING"
160 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:ASSIGN 1"
170 !
180 ! ********************************************************************
190 ! Make a label "COUNT," give the label a positive polarity, and
200 ! assign the lower 8 bits.
210 !
220 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TFORMAT:REMOVE ALL"
230 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:TFORMAT:LABEL 'COUNT', POS, 0, 0, #B000000011111111"
240 !
250 ! ********************************************************************
260 ! Specify FF hex for resource term A, which is the default trigger term
270 ! for
280 ! the timing analyzer.
290 !
300 !
310 ! ********************************************************************
320 ! Remove any previously inserted labels, insert the "COUNT"
330 ! label, change the seconds-per-division to 100 ns, and display the
340 ! waveform menu.
```
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Making a Timing analyzer measurement

350 !
360 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:TWAVEFORM:REMOVE"
370 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:TWAVEFORM:INSERT 'COUNT', ALL"
380 OUTPUT 707;":MACH1:TWAVEFORM:RANGE 1E-6"
390 OUTPUT 707;":MENU 2,5"
400 !
410 !****************************************************************
420 Run the timing analyzer in single mode.
430 !
440 OUTPUT 707;":RMODE SINGLE"
450 OUTPUT 707;":START"
460 !
470 !****************************************************************
480 ! Set the marker mode (MMODE) to time so that patterns are available
490 ! for marker measurements. Place the X-marker on 03 hex and the 0-
500 ! marker on 07 hex. Then tell the timing analyzer to find the first
510 ! occurrence of 03h after the trigger and the first occurrence of 07h
520 ! after the X-marker is found.
530 !
540 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:MMODE PATTERN"
550 !
560 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XPATTERN 'COUNT', '#H03'
570 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OPATTERN 'COUNT', '#H07'
580 !
590 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XCONDITION ENTERING"
600 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OCONDITION ENTERING"
610 !
620 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XSEARCH +1, TRIGGER"
625 WAIT 2
630 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:OSEARCH +1, XMARKER"
635 WAIT 2
640 !
650 !****************************************************************
660 ! Turn the longform and headers on, dimension a string for the query
670 ! data, send the XOTIME query and print the string containing the
680 ! XOTIME query data.
690 !
700 OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:LONGFORM ON"
710 OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:HEADER ON"
720 !
730 DIM Mtime$[100]
740 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TWAVEFORM:XOTIME?"
750 ENTER 707;Mtime$
760 PRINT Mtime$
770 END
Making a State analyzer measurement

This state analyzer program selects the HP 16554A/HP 16555A card, displays the configuration menu, defines a state machine, displays the state trigger menu, sets a state trigger for multilevel triggering. This program then starts a single acquisition measurement while checking for measurement completion.

This program is written in such a way you can run it with the HP E2433-60004 Logic Analyzer Training Board. This example is the same as the "Multilevel State Triggering" example in chapter 9 of the HP E2433-90910 Logic Analyzer Training Guide.

```
10 ! ********************************** STATE ANALYZER EXAMPLE **********************************
20 ! for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A Logic Analyzer
30 !
40 ! ****************** SELECT THE HP 16554A/HP 16555A MODULE ******************
50 ! Select the module slot in which the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is installed.
60 ! In this example, the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is in slot B of the mainframe.
70 !
80 OUTPUT 707;":SELECT 2"
90 !
100 ! ************************ CONFIGURE THE STATE ANALYZER ************************
110 ! Name Machine 1 "STATE," configure Machine 1 as a state analyzer, assign
120 ! pod 1 to Machine 1, and display System Configuration menu of the
130 ! HP 16554A/HP 16555A.
140 !
150 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:NAME 'STATE'
160 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:TYPE STATE"
170 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:ASSIGN 1"
180 OUTPUT 707;":MENU 2,0"
190 !
200 ! ******************* SETUP THE FORMAT SPECIFICATION *******************
210 ! Make a label "SCOUNT," give the label a positive polarity, and
220 ! assign the lower 8 bits.
230 !
240 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:SFORMAT:REMOVE ALL"
250 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:SFORMAT:LABEL 'SCOUNT', POS, 0,0,255"
260 !
270 ! ******************* SETUP THE TRIGGER SPECIFICATION *******************
280 ! The trigger specification will use five sequence levels with the trigger
290 ! level on level four. Resource terms A through E, and RANGE1 will be
300 ! used to store only desired counts from the 8-bit ripple counter.
```
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Making a State analyzer measurement

! Display the state trigger menu.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:SEQUENCE 5,4"

! Create a 5 level trigger specification with the trigger on the fourth level.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM A, 'SCOUNT', '11'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM B, 'SCOUNT', '22'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM C, 'SCOUNT', '33'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM D, 'SCOUNT', '44'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM E, 'SCOUNT', '59'

! Define a Range having a lower limit of 50 and an upper limit of 58.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:RANGE1 'SCOUNT', '50', '58'

*************** CONFIGURE SEQUENCE LEVEL 1 *****************
! Store NOSTATE in level 1 and Then find resource term "A" once.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE1 'NOSTATE'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:FIND1 'A',1"

*************** CONFIGURE SEQUENCE LEVEL 2 *****************
! Store RANGE1 in level 2 and Then find resource term "E" once.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE2 'IN_RANGE1'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:FIND2 'E',1"

*************** CONFIGURE SEQUENCE LEVEL 3 *****************
! Store NOSTATE in level 3 and Then find term "B" once.
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE3 'NOSTATE'
OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:FIND3 'B',1"

*************** CONFIGURE SEQUENCE LEVEL 4 *****************
! Store a combination of resource terms (C or D or RANGE1) in level 4 and Then Trigger on resource term "E."
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```plaintext
760  OUTPUT 707;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE4 'C OR D OR IN_RANGE1')"
770  !
780  ! ******************** NOTE ******************************
790  !  The FIND command selects the trigger in the
800  !     sequence level specified as the trigger level.
810  ! ********************
820  !
830  OUTPUT 707;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:FIND 4 'E',1"
840  !
850  !  ****************** CONFIGURE SEQUENCE LEVEL 5 **********************
860  !  Store anystate on level 5
870  !
880  OUTPUT 707;"*:MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE5 'ANYSTATE'"
890  !
900  !  ******************* START ACQUISITION *******************************
910  !  Place the logic analyzer in single acquisition mode, then determine when
920  !  the acquisition is complete.
930  !
940  OUTPUT 707;"*:RMODE SINGLE"
950  !OUTPUT 707;"*CLS"
960  OUTPUT 707;"*:START"
970  !
980  !  ****************** CHECK FOR MEASUREMENT COMPLETE ***************
990  !  Enable the MESR register and query the register for a measurement
1000 !  complete condition.
1010 !
1020  OUTPUT 707;"*:SYSTEM:HEADER OFF"
1030  OUTPUT 707;"*:SYSTEM:LONGFORM OFF"
1040 !
1050  Status=0
1060  OUTPUT 707;"*:MESE 1"
1070  OUTPUT 707;"*:MESR2?"
1080  ENTER 707;Status
1090 !
1100 !  Print the MESR register status.
1110 !
1120  CLEAR SCREEN
1130  PRINT "Measurement complete status is ";Status AND 1
1140  PRINT "0 = not complete, 1 = complete"
1150 ! Repeat the MESR query until measurement is complete.
1160  WAIT 1
1170  IF (Status AND 1)=1 THEN GOTO 1190
1180  GOTO 1070
1190  PRINT TABXY(30,15);"Measurement is complete"
1200 !
```

! ************************************************************************** VIEW THE RESULTS **************************************************************************
! Display the State Listing and select a line number in the listing that
! allows you to see the beginning of the listing on the logic analyer
! display.

OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:SLIST:COLUMN 1, 'SCOUNT', DECIMAL"
OUTPUT 707;";MENU 2,7"
OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:SLIST:LINE -16"

END
Making a State Compare analyzer measurement

This program example acquires a state listing, copies the listing to the compare listing, acquires another state listing, and compares both listings to find differences.

This program is written in such a way you can run it with the HP E2433-60004 Logic Analyzer Training Board. This example is the same as the "State Compare" example in chapter 3 of the HP E2433-90910 Logic Analyzer Training Guide.

```plaintext
10 ! **************** STATE COMPARE EXAMPLE ****************************************
20 ! for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A Logic Analyzer
30 !
40 !
50 !**************** SELECT THE HP 16554A/HP 16555A MODULE ****************
60 ! Select the module slot in which the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is installed.
70 ! In this example, the HP 16554A/HP 16555A is in slot B of the mainframe.
80 !
90 OUTPUT 707;";SELECT 2"
100 !
110 !******************** CONFIGURE THE STATE ANALYZER *************************
120 ! Name Machine 1 "STATE," configure Machine 1 as a state analyzer, and
130 ! assign pod 1 to Machine 1.
140 !
150 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:NAME 'STATE'
160 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:TYPE STATE"
170 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:ASSIGN 1"
180 !
190 !*****************************************************************************
200 ! Remove all labels previously set up, make a label "SCOUNT," specify
210 ! positive logic, and assign the lower 8 bits of pod 1 to the label.
220 !
230 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:SFORMAT:REMOVE ALL"
240 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:SFORMAT:LABEL 'SCOUNT', POS, 0,0,255"
250 !
260 !*****************************************************************************
270 ! Make the "J" clock the Master clock and specify the falling edge.
280 !
290 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:SFORMAT:MASTER J, FALLING"
300 !
310 !*****************************************************************************
320 ! Specify two sequence levels, the trigger sequence level, specify
```
! FF hex for the "a" term which will be the trigger term, and store
! no states until the trigger is found.

350 !

360 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:SEQUENCE 2,1"
370 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:TERM A,'SCOUNT','#HFF'"
380 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:STRIGGER:STORE1 'NOSTATE'"
390 OUTPUT 707;"MENU 2,3"

400 !

410 !*************************************************************************
420 ! Change the displayed menu to the state listing and start the state
430 ! analyzer in repetitive mode.
440 !
450 OUTPUT 707;"MENU 2,7"
460 OUTPUT 707;"RMODE REPETITIVE"
470 OUTPUT 707;"START"

480 !

490 !*************************************************************************
500 ! The logic analyzer is now running in the repetitive mode
510 ! and will remain in repetitive until the STOP command is sent.
520 !
530 PRINT "The logic analyzer is now running in the repetitive mode"
540 PRINT "and will remain in repetitive until the STOP command is sent."
550 PRINT
560 PRINT "Press CONTINUE"
570 PAUSE

580 !

590 !*************************************************************************
600 ! Stop the acquisition and copy the acquired data to the compare reference
610 ! listing.
620 !
630 OUTPUT 707;"STOP"
640 OUTPUT 707;"MENU 2,10"
650 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:COMPARE:MENU REFERENCE"
660 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:COMPARE:COPY"

670 !

680 ! The logic analyzer acquisition is now stopped, the Compare menu
690 ! is displayed, and the data is now in the compare reference
700 ! listing.

710 !

720 !*************************************************************************
730 ! Display line 4090 of the compare listing and start the analyzer
740 ! in a repetitive mode.
750 !
760 OUTPUT 707;"MACHINE1:COMPARE:LINE 4090"
770 OUTPUT 707;"START"

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Making a State Compare analyzer measurement

780 !
790 ! Line 4090 of the listing is now displayed at center screen
800 ! in order to show the last four states acquired. In this
810 ! example, the last four states are stable. However, in some
820 ! cases, the end points of the listing may vary thus causing
830 ! a false failure in compare. To eliminate this problem, a
840 ! partial compare can be specified to provide predictable end
850 ! points of the data.
860 !
870 PRINT "Press CONTINUE to send the STOP command."
880 PAUSE
890 OUTPUT 707;":STOP"
900 !
910 !************************************************************************
920 ! The end points of the compare can be fixed to prevent false failures.
930 ! In addition, you can use partial compare to compare only sections
940 ! of the state listing you are interested in comparing.
950 !
960 OUTPUT 707;":MACHINE1:COMPARE:RANGE PARTIAL, 0, 508"
970 !
980 ! The compare range is now from line 0 to +508
990 !
1000 !************************************************************************
1010 ! Change the Glitch jumper settings on the training board so that the
1020 ! data changes, reacquire the data and compare which states are different.
1030 PRINT "Change the glitch jumper settings on the training board so that"
1040 PRINT "the data changes, reacquire the data and compare which states are"
1041 PRINT "different."
1050 !
1060 PRINT "Press CONTINUE when you have finished changing the jumper."
1070 !
1080 PAUSE
1090 !
1100 !************************************************************************
1110 ! Start the logic analyzer to acquire new data and then stop it to compare
1120 ! the data. When the acquisition is stopped, the Compare Listing Menu will
1130 ! be displayed.
1140 !
1150 OUTPUT 707;":START"
1160 OUTPUT 707;":STOP"
1170 OUTPUT 707;":MENU 2,10"
1180 !
1190 !************************************************************************
1200 ! Dimension strings in which the compare find query (COMPARE:FIND?)
1210 ! enters the line numbers and error numbers.
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Making a State Compare analyzer measurement

1220 !
1230 DIM Line$[20]
1240 DIM Error$[4]
1250 DIM Comma$[1]
1260 !
1270 !***********************************************************************
1280 ! Display the Difference listing.
1290 !
1300 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:COMPARE:MENU DIFFERENCE"
1310 !
1320 !***********************************************************************
1330 ! Loop to query all 508 possible errors.
1340 !
1350 FOR Error=1 TO 508
1360 !
1370 ! Read the compare differences
1380 !
1390 OUTPUT 707;";MACHINE1:COMPARE:FIND? "VAL$(Error)
1400 !
1410 !***********************************************************************
1420 ! Format the Error$ string data for display on the controller screen.
1430 !
1440 IF Error99 THEN GOTO 1580
1450 IF Error9 THEN GOTO 1550
1460 !
1470 ENTER 707 USING ";#,1A";Error$
1480 ENTER 707 USING ";#,1A";Comma$
1490 ENTER 707 USING "K";Line$
1500 Error_return=IVAL(Error$,10)
1510 IF Error_return=0 THEN GOTO 1820
1520 !
1530 GOTO 1610
1540 !
1550 ENTER 707 USING ";#,3A";Error$
1560 ENTER 707 USING "K";Line$
1570 GOTO 1610
1580 !
1590 ENTER 707 USING ";#,4A";Error$
1600 ENTER 707 USING "K";Line$
1610 !
1620 !***********************************************************************
1630 ! Test for the last error. The error number of the last error is the same
1640 ! as the error number of the first number after the last error.
1650 !
1660 Error_line=IVAL(Line$,10)
1670 IF Error_line=Error_line2 THEN GOTO 1780
1680 Error_line2=Error_line
1690 !
1700 !************************************************************************
1710 ! Print the error numbers and the corresponding line numbers on the
1720 ! controller screen.
1730 !
1740 PRINT "Error number ",Error," is on line number ",Error_line
1750 !
1760 NEXT Error
1770 !
1780 PRINT
1790 PRINT
1800 PRINT "Last error found"
1810 GOTO 1850
1820 PRINT "No errors found"
1830 !
1840 !
1850 END
Transferring the logic analyzer configuration

This program uses the SYSTem:SETup query to transfer the configuration of the logic analyzer to your controller. This program also uses the SYSTem:SETup command to transfer a logic analyzer configuration from the controller back to the logic analyzer. The configuration data will set up the logic analyzer according to the data. It is useful for getting configurations for setting up the logic analyzer by the controller. This query differs from the SYSTem:DATA query because it only transfers the configuration and not the acquired data. The SYSTem:SETup command differs from the SYSTem:DATA command because it only transfers the configuration and not acquired data.

```
10 ! ********************** SETUP COMMAND AND QUERY EXAMPLE *****************************
20 ! for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A
30 !
40 ! ********************** CREATE TRANSFER BUFFER ******************************
50 ! Create a buffer large enough for the block data. See page 16-9 for
55 ! maximum block length.
56 !
60 ASSIGN @Buff TO BUFFER [170000]
70 !
80 ! ******************* INITIALIZE HPIB DEFAULT ADDRESS ******************************
90 !
100 REAL Address
110 Address=707
120 ASSIGN @Comm TO Address
130 !
140 CLEAR SCREEN
150 !
160 ! ******************* INITIALIZE VARIABLE FOR NUMBER OF BYTES **********************
170 ! The variable "Numbytes" contains the number of bytes in the buffer.
180 !
190 REAL Numbytes
200 Numbytes=0
210 !
220 ! ******************* RE-INITIALIZE TRANSFER BUFFER POINTERS **********************
230 !
240 CONTROL @Buff,3;1
250 CONTROL @Buff,4;0
260 !
270 ! ******************* SEND THE SETUP QUERY ******************************
```
Transferring the logic analyzer configuration

```
280  OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:HEADER ON"
290  OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:LONGFORM ON"
300  OUTPUT @Comm;"SELECT 2"
310  OUTPUT @Comm;":SYSTEM:SETUP?"
320
330  "******************** ENTER THE BLOCK SETUP HEADER ***********************"
340  "Enter the block setup header in the proper format.
350  ""
360  ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
370  PRINT CHR$(Byte);
380  WHILE Byte<35
390    ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
400    PRINT CHR$(Byte);
410  END WHILE
420  ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
430  PRINT CHR$(Byte);
440  Byte=Byte-48
450  IF Byte=1 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",D";Numbytes
460  IF Byte=2 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DD";Numbytes
470  IF Byte=3 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDD";Numbytes
480  IF Byte=4 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDD";Numbytes
490  IF Byte=5 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDD";Numbytes
500  IF Byte=6 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDD";Numbytes
510  IF Byte=7 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDDD";Numbytes
520  IF Byte=8 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDDDD";Numbytes
530  PRINT Numbytes
540  "******************** TRANSFER THE SETUP ****************************************
550  "Transfer the setup from the logic analyzer to the buffer.
560  ""
570  TRANSFER @Comm TO @Buff;COUNT Numbytes,WAIT
580  ""
590  ENTER @Comm USING "-K";Length$
600  PRINT "LENGTH of Length string is";LEN(Length$)
610  ""
620  PRINT "**** GOT THE SETUP ****"
630  PAUSE
640  "******************** SEND THE SETUP ******************************************
650  "Make sure buffer is not empty.
660  ""
670  IF Numbytes=0 THEN
680    PRINT "BUFFER IS EMPTY"
690  GOTO 1170
700  END IF
710
720```

740 ! ****************** SEND THE SETUP COMMAND **********************
750 ! Send the Setup command
760 !
770 OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,15A:";"SYSTEM:SETUP #"
780 PRINT "SYSTEM:SETUP command has been sent"
790 PAUSE
800 !
810 ! ****************** SEND THE BLOCK SETUP **********************
820 ! Send the block setup header to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A in the proper
821 ! format.
830 !
840 Byte=LEN(VAL$(Numbytes))
850 OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,B";(Byte+48)
860 IF Byte=1 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,A";VAL$(Numbytes)
870 IF Byte=2 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AA";VAL$(Numbytes)
880 IF Byte=3 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AAA";VAL$(Numbytes)
890 IF Byte=4 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AAAA";VAL$(Numbytes)
900 IF Byte=5 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AAAAA";VAL$(Numbytes)
910 IF Byte=6 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AAAAAA";VAL$(Numbytes)
920 IF Byte=7 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,AAAAAAA";VAL$(Numbytes)
930 IF Byte=8 THEN OUTPUT @Comm USING "#,BBBBBBB";VAL$(Numbytes)
940 !
950 ! ****************** SAVE BUFFER POINTERS **********************
960 ! Save the transfer buffer pointer so it can be restored after the
970 ! transfer.
980 !
990 STATUS @Buff,5;Streg
1000 !
1010 ! **************** TRANSFER SETUP TO THE HP 16554A/HP 16555 ****************
1020 ! Transfer the setup from the buffer to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A.
1030 !
1040 TRANSFER @Buff TO @Comm;COUNT Numbytes,WAIT
1050 !
1060 ! **************** RESTORE BUFFER POINTERS **********************
1070 ! Restore the transfer buffer pointer
1080 !
1090 CONTROL @Buff,5;Streg
1100 !
1110 ! **************** SEND TERMINATING LINE FEED **********************
1120 ! Send the terminating linefeed to properly terminate the setup string.
1130 !
1140 OUTPUT @Comm;"
1150 !
1160 PRINT "**** SENT THE SETUP ****"
1170 END
Checking for measurement completion

This program can be appended to or inserted into another program when you need to know when a measurement is complete. If it is at the end of a program it will tell you when measurement is complete. If you insert it into a program, it will halt the program until the current measurement is complete. In this example, the module installed in slot B is being checked for measurement complete.

This program is also in the state analyzer example program in "Making a State Analyzer Measurement" on page 15-5. It is included in the state analyzer example program to show how it can be used in a program to halt the program until measurement is complete.

```
420 ! *************************** CHECK FOR MEASUREMENT COMPLETE ***************************
430 ! Enable the MESR register and query the register for a measurement complete condition.
440 !
450 OUTPUT 707;";SYSTEM:HEADER OFF"
460 OUTPUT 707;";SYSTEM:LONGFORM OFF"
470 !
480 Status=0
490 OUTPUT 707;";MESE2 1"
500 OUTPUT 707;";MESR2?"
510 ENTER 707;Status
520 !
530 ! Print the MESR register status.
540 !
550 CLEAR SCREEN
560 PRINT "Measurement complete status is ";Status AND 1
570 PRINT "0 = not complete, 1 = complete"
580 ! Repeat the MESR query until measurement is complete.
590 WAIT 1
600 IF (Status AND 1)=1 THEN GOTO 630
610 GOTO 510
620 PRINT TABXY(30,15);"Measurement is complete"
630 !
640 END
```
Sending queries to the logic analyzer

This program example contains the steps required to send a query to the logic analyzer. Sending the query alone only puts the requested information in an output buffer of the logic analyzer. You must follow the query with an ENTER statement to transfer the query response to the controller. When the query response is sent to the logic analyzer, the query is properly terminated in the logic analyzer. If you send the query but fail to send an ENTER statement, the logic analyzer will display the error message "Query Interrupted" when it receives the next command from the controller, and, the query response is lost.

10 ! *********************** DATA COMMAND AND QUERY EXAMPLE ***********************
20 ! for the HP 16554A/HP 16555A
30 !
40 ! *********************** CREATE TRANSFER BUFFER ***********************
50 !
51 ! NOTE WELL! The data from the 16554 may be up to 19Mbytes long!
52 ! NOTE WELL! The data from the 16555 may be up to 38Mbytes long!
53 ! You may estimate the size of the buffer needed using the following
54 ! formula.
55 !
56 ! LET Boards = Number of 16554/16555 boards in your system.
57 ! LET Samples = Memory Length (see Acquisition Control in Trigger Menu)
58 ! LET BufferSize = (12 * Samples * Boards) + 1000
59 !
60 ! For example, a 1 board system with a full memory length of 1040384
61 ! requires (12 * 1040384) + 1000 = 12,485,608 bytes.
62 !
63 ! You may have to enlarge the workspace of your Basic environment
64 ! to accommodate this buffer.
66 ASSIGN @Buff TO BUFFER [3700000]
70 !
80 ! ******************* INITIALIZE HPIB DEFAULT ADDRESS *******************
90 !
100 REAL Address
110 Address=707
120 ASSIGN @Comm TO Address
130 !
140 CLEAR SCREEN
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150 !
160 ! ****************** INITIALIZ E VARIABLE FOR NUMBER OF BYTES ******************
170 ! The variable "Numbytes" contains the number of bytes in the buffer.
180 !
190 REAL Numbytes
200 Numbytes=0
210 !
220 ! ****************** RE-INITIALIZE TRANSFER BUFFER POINTERS ******************
230 !
240 CONTROL @Buff,3;1
250 CONTROL @Buff,4;0
260 !
270 ! *********************** SEND THE DATA QUERY **********************
280 OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:HEADER ON"
290 OUTPUT 707;":SYSTEM:LONGFORM ON"
300 OUTPUT @Comm;"SELECT 2"
310 OUTPUT @Comm;":SYSTEM:DATA?"
320 !
330 ! *********************** ENTER THE BLOCK DATA HEADER ***********************
340 ! Enter the block data header in the proper format.
350 !
360 ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
370 PRINT CHR$(Byte);
380 WHILE Byte<35
390 ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
400 PRINT CHR$(Byte);
410 END WHILE
420 ENTER @Comm USING ",B";Byte
430 PRINT CHR$(Byte);
440 Byte=Byte-48
450 IF Byte=1 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",D";Numbytes
460 IF Byte=2 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DD";Numbytes
470 IF Byte=3 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDD";Numbytes
480 IF Byte=4 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDD";Numbytes
490 IF Byte=5 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDD";Numbytes
500 IF Byte=6 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDD";Numbytes
510 IF Byte=7 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDDD";Numbytes
520 IF Byte=8 THEN ENTER @Comm USING ",DDDDDDDD";Numbytes
530 Str1$=DVAL$(Numbytes,10)
531 ! DVAL$ returns an 11 character string
532 PRINT Str1$[12-Byte]
540 !
550 ! **************************************** TRANSFER THE DATA *********************************************
560 ! Transfer the data from the logic analyzer to the buffer.
570 !
580 TRANSFER @Comm TO @Buff;COUNT Numbytes,WAIT
590 !
600 ENTER @Comm USING "-K";Length$
610 PRINT "LENGTH of Length string is ";Byte
620 !
630 PRINT ***** GOT THE DATA ****
640 PAUSE
650 ! **************************************** SEND THE DATA *********************************************
660 ! Make sure buffer is not empty.
670 !
680 IF Numbytes=0 THEN
690 PRINT "BUFFER IS EMPTY"
700 GOTO 1170
710 END IF
720 !
730 ! **************************************** SEND THE DATA COMMAND ****************************************
740 ! Send the Setup command
750 !
760 OUTPUT @Comm USING ";,14A";"SYSTEM:DATA #"
770 PRINT "SYSTEM:DATA command has been sent"
780 PAUSE
790 !
800 ! **************************************** SEND THE BLOCK DATA ****************************************
810 ! Send the block data header to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A in the proper format.
820 !
830 OUTPUT @Comm USING ";,A";"8"
840 Str1$=DVAL$(Numbytes,10)
850 Byte=1
860 PRINT USING "AAAAAAAA";Str1$[4]
870 OUTPUT @Comm USING ";,AAAAAAAA";Str1$[4]
880 !
890 ! **************************************** SAVE BUFFER POINTERS ****************************************
900 ! Save the transfer buffer pointer so it can be restored after the transfer.
910 !
920 STATUS @Buff,5;Streg
930 !
940 ! **************************************** TRANSFER DATA TO THE HP 16554A/HP 16555 ****************************************
950 ! Transfer the data from the buffer to the HP 16554A/HP 16555A.
960 !
970 TRANSFER @Buff TO @Comm;COUNT Numbytes,WAIT
980 !
RESTORE BUFFER POINTERS

Restore the transfer buffer pointer

CONTROL @Buff, 5; Streg

Send the terminating linefeed to properly terminate the data string.

OUTPUT @Comm; ""

PRINT "**** SENT THE DATA ****"

END
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