

# \$INSERT statement

## Description

Directs the compiler to insert BASIC+ source code from another table or row into the current source code. The default location for storage of source code is the **SYSPROCS** table.

## Syntax

**\$INSERT**[*table*, ] *record*

## Parameters

The **\$INSERT** statement has the following parameters.

Parameter	Description
<i>table</i>	Name of table that contains record, below. If not specified, the table defaults to <b>SYSPROCS</b> .
<i>record</i>	<i>record</i> is the key of the record whose source code is to be inserted into the program that is currently being compiled. You cannot enclose record in quotes.

You must provide a **\$INSERT** statement for each row of code you are inserting.

The **\$INSERT** statement is useful for inserting code that is common to more than one program. It is often used with [Common statements](#) to define code shared among one or more routines. The [Common statements](#) are placed in a separate record, and each subroutine that needs to share this particular code includes this record.