

Set Printer TEXTCOL

Description

The TEXTCOL message is used to send columnar text to the printer. First set the column lengths and column headers with the [HEADER](#) message. The column text is separated with @VM and the row text is separated with @FM. The font can be changed with the [FONT](#) message. The columnar text is printed at the current position.

Note: The [ADDTABLE](#) message should be used in place of all [TABLE](#) and [TEXTCOL](#) messages.

Parameters

Parameter	Description of Fields	Comments	Default
Parm1 - ColText	<1> Column Text	@FM delimiter between rows, and @VM delimiter between columns	""

See also

[HEADER](#), [FONT](#), [FOOTER](#), [TEXT](#), [TEXTBOX](#), [TEXTXY](#) Set_Printer Messages

Example

```
/* The following example shows how to use the TEXTCOL message. */
declare function Set_Printer
stat = Set_Printer("INIT") ;* Start printing
header = "This is the main Header Page 'P' 'X'"
colLen = "2,2,2"
colHeader = "Col1,Col2,Col3"
colText = "111,222,333/aaa,bbb,ccc/AAA,BBB,CCC"
* Convert delimiters
convert "," to @fm in colLen ; convert "," to @vm in colHeader
convert "," to @vm in colText ; convert "/" to @fm in colText
* Set the column lengths and header
stat = Set_Printer("HEADER", header, colLen, colHeader)
stat = Set_Printer("TEXTCOL", colText) ;* Print columnar text
stat = Set_Printer("TERM") ;* End printing
```