VI.3.3B-DELETE PROGRAM PPINIT COMMAND DELETE

Purpose

Command DELETE is used to delete one or more of any of the following items:

- area definition
- basin boundary definition
- station definition

Format

@DELETE {group type {identifier}}

Parameter Description

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Notes:

1/ An area definition or an RRS data type cannot be deleted if it is referenced in any of the Forecast Component definitions. A Future MAP definition cannot be deleted if it is referenced by any regular MAP definition.

2/ A basin definition cannot be deleted if it is referenced by any area definition.

3/ A station definition cannot be deleted if it is used as a predetermined station in any station, MAP, MAT or MAPE definitions.

4/ The ALL option is only available for DELETE STATION (see Section VI.3.3B-DELETE-STATION).

5/ The type of definition to be deleted depends on the group name entered:
Group       Type
AREA       FMAP, MAP, MAPE, MAPX OR MAT
BASIN      n/a
STATION    n/a

If the group BASIN or STATION is specified no type field is used.

If 'ALL' is entered as the type for the group 'STATION', the entire station definition will be deleted.

Sample Input
Delete two MAP definitions:
   @DELETE AREA MAP POTMCLWR ROCKCRK
Delete one basin definition:
   @DELETE BASIN ROCKCRK
Delete one station definition:
   @DELETE STATION ALL MANASSAS
Delete all the definitions in above examples:
   @DEL AREA MAP POTMCLWR ROCKCRK
   BASIN OCKCRK
   STA ALL MANASSAS