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PROCESS view-name USING operand1=operand2 GIVING operand3...

This chapter covers the following topics:

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For an explanation of the symbols used in the syntax diagram, see *Syntax Symbols*.

Function

The PROCESS statement is used in conjunction with Entire System Server. Entire System Server allows you to use various operating system facilities such as reading and writing files, VTOC and catalog management, JES queues, etc.

See the section *Getting Started* in the *Entire System Server User's Guide* for further information on the PROCESS statement and its individual clauses.

Restriction

This statement is only available with Entire System Server.

Syntax Description

Operand Definition Table:

Operand	Possible Structure						Possible Formats									Referencing Permitted	Dynamic Definition
operand1	C	S				A		N	P		В					yes	no
operand2	С	S				A	U	N	P		В					yes	no
operand3		S				A		N	P		В					yes	no

Syntax Element Description:

PROCESS Syntax Description

view-name	Name of the view used by Entire System Server.							
USING	The USING clause is used to pass parameters to the Entire System Server processor. This is done by assigning a value (<i>operand2</i>) to a field (<i>operand1</i>) in a view defined to Entire System Server. See the Entire System Server documentation for view description.							
	Note: Multiple specifications of <i>operand1=operand2</i> must be separated either by the input delimiter character (as specified with the session parameter ID) or by a comma. A comma must not be used for this purpose, however, if the comma is defined as decimal character (with the session parameter DC).							
GIVING	The GIVING clause is used to specify the fields (<i>operand3</i>) for which values are to be returned by the Entire System Server processor. Each field must be defined in a view used by Entire System Server.							