

**NAME**

do – execute a command file

**SYNOPSIS**

```
do command_file
do .
```

**DESCRIPTION**

The do macro reads commands contained in the ASCII file *command\_file*, echoing each command to the screen as it is read.

If the argument is a single dot (.), the previous command file is used.

The global variable DO\_DIR may be set to the name of directory that will be searched for *command\_file*, if *command\_file* is not in the current directory.

**EXAMPLE**

```
do do.scans
```

**GLOBAL VARIABLES**

DOFILE – Last command file used.

DO\_DIR – Name of private command file directory.

**SEE ALSO**

```
qdo startup vi
```