

# HCAM - Hardcopy Access Method

This Natural profile parameter is for mainframes only.

It determines which access method is to be used for hardcopy output processing. HCAM=xxx is equivalent to the AM subparameter of the profile parameter PRINT for Print File 0, that is, PRINT= ( ( 0 ) , AM=xxx).

You can specify one of the following access-method names:

<b>Possible settings</b>	Value:	Access method:
	STD	Standard sequential file (batch, TSO, TIAM, VM/CMS OS simulation).
	COMP	Com-plete print file.
	CMS	VM/CMS disk and SFS files.
	CICS	CICS transient data or temporary storage.
	IMS	IMS/TM printer.
	NAF	Natural Advanced Facilities.
	USER	Third-party vendor print interface.
	SMARTS	SMARTS print file.
	ESS	Entire System Server.
	ANY	Hardcopy output processing will be handled by the first access method available (the search sequence for available access methods is the sequence in which the access methods are listed here).
OFF	Hardcopy output processing will not be handled by any access method.	
<b>Default setting</b>	ANY	
<b>Dynamic specification</b>	YES	
<b>Specification within session</b>	NO	

The hardcopy output destination is specified using the profile parameter HCDEST. More specifications for the hardcopy output file can be made using the PRINT profile parameter or the NTPRINT macro for Printer 0.

**Note for BS2000/OSD Users:**

HCAM=STD is a necessary setting for routing hardcopy output to standard print files.