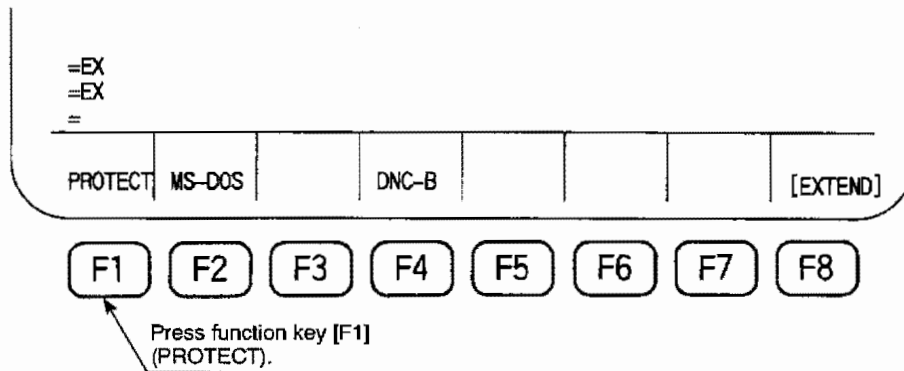## 14. Protect

This function protects the specified file in the memory (MD1:) or in a floppy disk (FD0:).

When this function is activated, file operations such as editing, deleting, and renaming cannot be conducted.
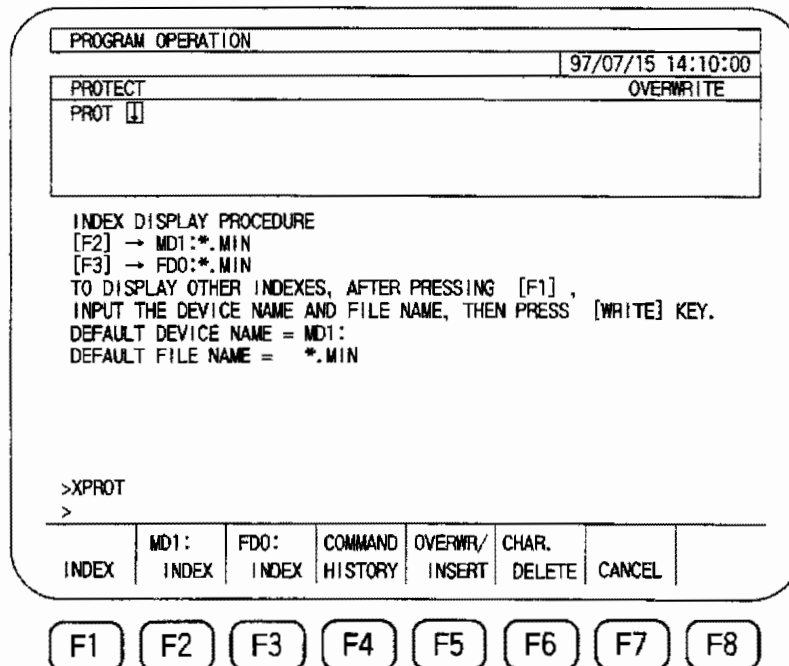
The operating procedure is as indicated below.

(1) Press function key [F1] (PROTECT).

The screen changes to the directory-selection-based file operation screen and the following is displayed on the screen.

PROTECT
PROT ▓

(2) Following "PROT", enter the device name, file name to be protected, and option code.

Device name : MD1: or FD0:
The default is MD1:.

Option code : ;C, ;V, or ;CV
The option code can be omitted.

(3) Press the WRITE key.

[Supplement]   1. When the specified file name does not exist in the storage device, the message "no file" will be displayed on the command line.

2. Symbols "?" and "∗" can be used to specify a file name.

Functions of these symbols are the same as explained in 3. "DIRECTORY".

Option codes for file protection:

The code ";C" specified following the file name cancels file protection.

The code ";V" specified following the file name displays the following message on the command line of the display screen to allow the operator to select whether or not the specified file is protected.

FILE PROTECT OK (Y/N)?

When file protection is desired, type "Y" and press the WRITE key.

When file protection is not desired, type "N" and press the WRITE key.

The code ";CV" specified following the file name displays the following message on the command line of the display screen allow the operator to select whether or not protection of the specified file is canceled.

FILE PROTECT CANCEL (Y/N)?

When file protection needs to be canceled, type "Y" and press the WRITE key.

When file protection does not need to be canceled, type "N" and press the WRITE key.

Example 1: PROT ⌴ ABC.MIN or PROT ⌴ MD1:ABC.MIN

This instruction protects the file ABC.MIN registered in the memory.

Example 2: PROT ⌴ BCD.MIN;C or PROT ⌴ MD1:BCD.MIN;C

This instruction cancels protection of the file BCD.MIN registered in the memory.

Example 3: PROT ⌴ CDE.MIN;V or PROT ⌴ MD1:CDE.MIN;V

When the WRITE key is pressed following the above instruction, the prompt as indicated below will be displayed on the command line.

CED.MIN FILE PROTECT OK (Y/N)?

Type "Y" and press the WRITE key to protect the file.

Type "N" and press the WRITE key not to protect the file.

Example 4: PROT ⌴ DEF.MIN;CV or PROT ⌴ MD1:DEF.MIN;CV

When the WRITE key is pressed following the above instruction, the prompt as indicated below will be displayed on the command line.

DEF.MIN FILE PROTECT CANCEL (Y/N)?

Type "Y" and press the WRITE key to cancel protection of the specified file.

Type "N" and press the WRITE key not to cancel protection of the specified file.