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\+ <text> & <text> & ... \cr
\tabalign
```

These commands begin a single line in a tabbed alignment. The only difference between `\+` and `\tabalign` is that `\+` is an outer macro—you can't use it when T<sub>E</sub>X is reading tokens at high speed (see “outer”, p. ‘outer’).

If you place an ‘&’ at a position to the right of all existing tabs in a tabbing alignment, the ‘&’ establishes a new tab at that position.

*Example:*

```
\cleartabs % Nullify any previous \settabs.
\+ {\bf if }$a[i] < a[i+1]$ &{\bf then}&\cr
\+&&$a[i] := a[i+1]$;\cr
\+&&{\it found }$:= $ {\bf true};\cr
\+&{\bf else}\cr
\+&&{\it found }$:= $ {\bf false};\cr
\+&{\bf end if};\cr
```

*produces:*

```
if a[i] < a[i + 1] then
    a[i] := a[i + 1];
    found := true;
else
    found := false;
end if;
```