After sending the *:TRIGger:LIN:CURRbit* command to set the specified bit, you can send this command to query or modify the value of the specified data bit.

Return Format

The query returns 0, 1, or 255.

Example

```
:TRIGger:LIN:CODE 0     /*Sets the data value to 0.*/
:TRIGger:LIN:CODE?       /*The query returns 0.*/
```

3.28   :WAVeform Commands

:WAVeform commands are used to read waveform data and relevant settings.
The *:WAVeform:MODE* command is used to set the reading mode of waveform data. In different modes, the definitions for the parameters are different, as shown in *Figure 3.12* and *Figure 3.13* .
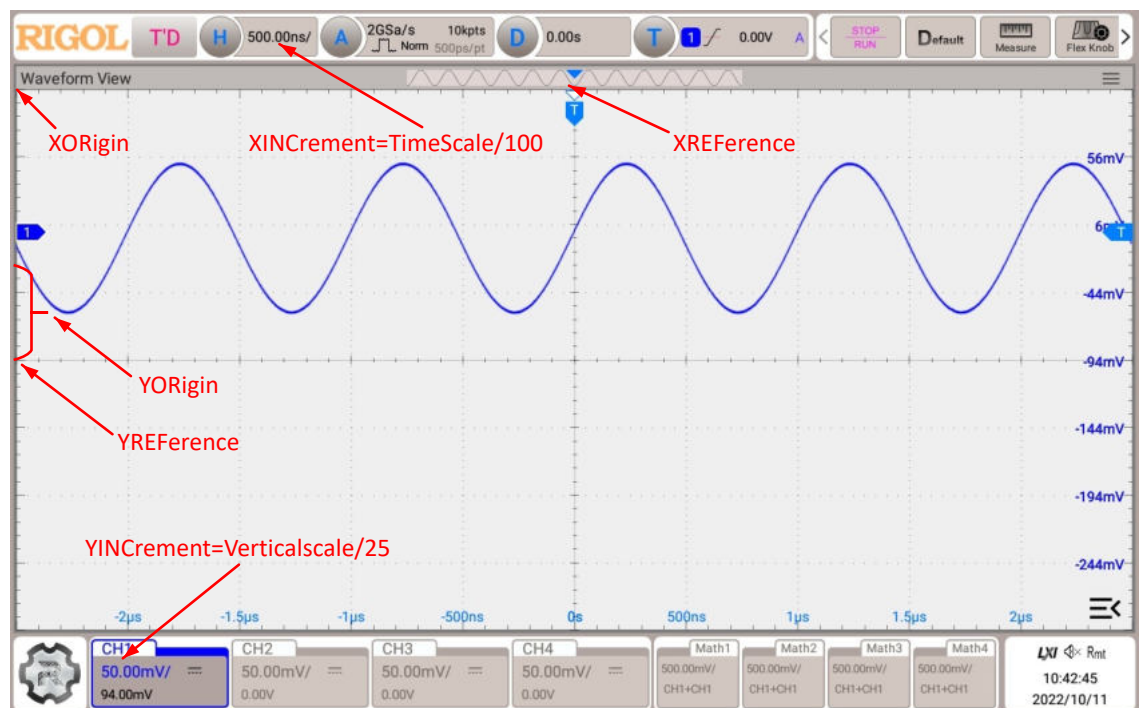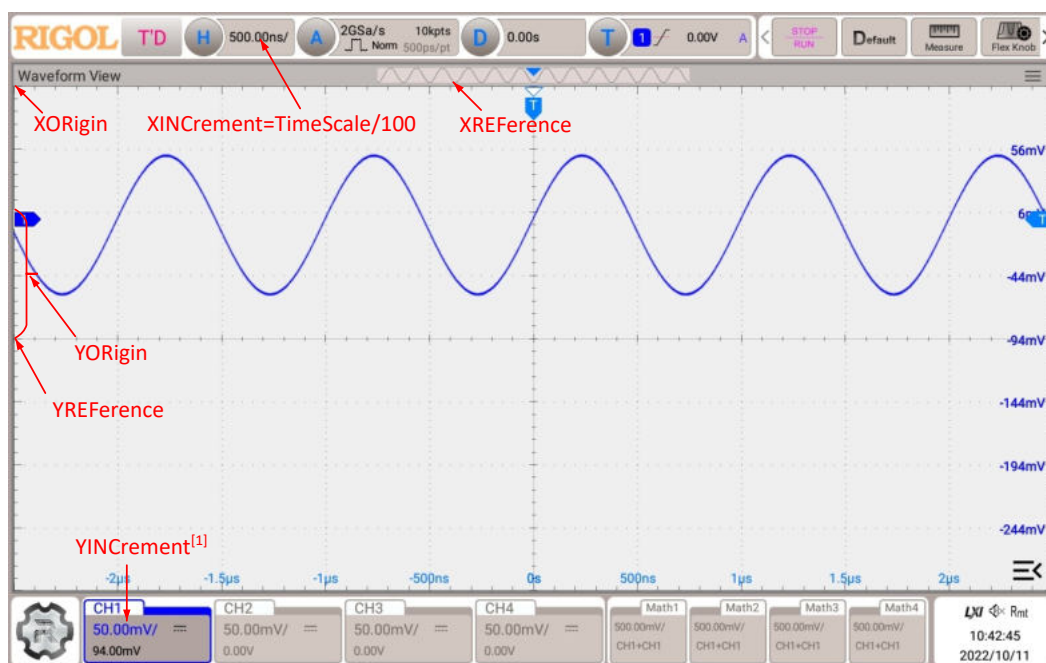

Figure 3.12 Parameter Definitions in NORMAL Mode

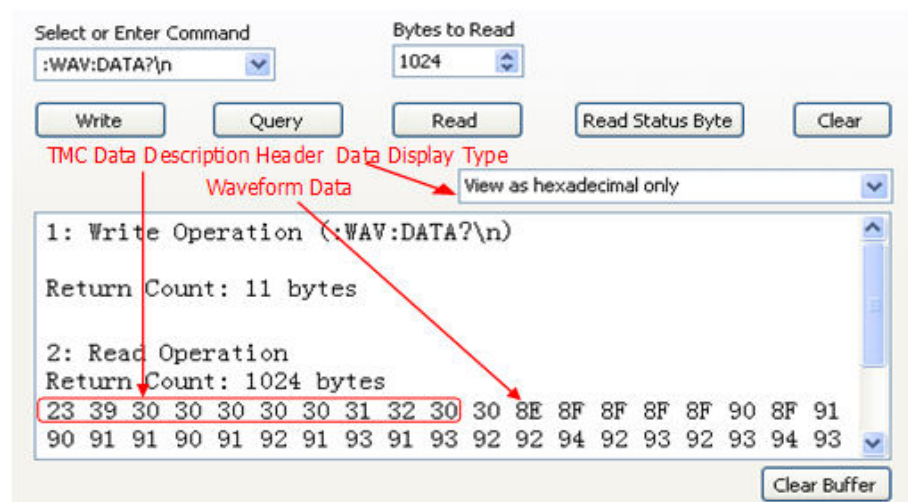**Figure 3.13 Parameter Definitions in RAW Mode**

NOTE

[1]**:** In RAW mode, YINCrement and Verticalscale of the memory waveforms are related to the currently selected Verticalscale.

Waveform Data Reading

- **WORD/BYTE format:** The read data format is TMC header + waveform data points + end identifier. The TMC header is in #NXXXXXX format; wherein, # is the TMC header identifier; N following # represents the length of the waveform data; the length of the waveform data points is expressed in ASCII strings, and the terminator represents the ending of communication. For example, the data read for one time is #9000001000XXXX. "9" indicates the length of data, and "000001000" indicates the length of the binary data stream, that is, 1000 bytes.

- **ASCii format:** The read data format is waveform data points + end identifier. The waveform data point query returns the actual voltage value of each waveform point in scientific notation. The voltage values are separated by commas.

- When the waveform data in the internal memory are read in batches, the waveform data returned each time might be the data in one area of the internal

memory. In "WORD" or "BYTE" return format, each returned data in blocks contain the TMC data block header. Waveform data in two adjacent data blocks are consecutive.

- The figure below shows the waveform data that have been read (in BYTE format). First, select "View as hexadecimal only" from the drop-down list at the right side. Then, the waveform data that have been read are displayed in hexadecimal format. The first 11 bytes denote the "TMC data block header", and beginning from the 12th byte (8E) are the waveform data. You can convert the waveform data read to the voltage value of each point of the waveform by using the formula "(0x8E - YORigin - YREFerence) x YINCrement". For the definitions of the parameters in this formula, refer to *Related Commands*.

Related Commands

:WAVeform:MODE

:WAVeform:YINCrement?

:WAVeform:YORigin?

3.28.1 :WAVeform:SOURce

Syntax

:WAVeform:SOURce *<source>*

:WAVeform:SOURce?

Description

Sets or queries the source channel of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<source>	Discrete	{D0|D1|D2|D3|D4|D5|D6|D7|D8|D9|D10|D11|D12|D13|D14|D15|CHANnel1|CHANnel2|CHANnel3|CHANnel4|MATH1|MATH2|MATH3|MATH4}	CHANnel1

Remarks

When the channel source is set to MATH1~MATH4, *:WAVeform:MODE* can only select the NORMal mode.

D0~D15 are only available for the DHO900 series.

Return Format

The query returns D0, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, D6, D7, D8, D9, D10, D11, D12, D13, D14, D15, CHAN1, CHAN2, CHAN3, CHAN4, MATH1, MATH2, MATH3, or MATH4.

Example

```
:WAVeform:SOURce CHANnel2    /*Sets the channel source to
CHANnel2.*/
:WAVeform:SOURce?             /*The query returns CHAN2.*/
```

3.28.2 :WAVeform:MODE

Syntax

:WAVeform:MODE <*mode*>

:WAVeform:MODE?

Description

Sets or queries the mode of the *:WAVeform:DATA?* command in reading data.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<mode>	Discrete	{NORMal|MAXimum|RAW}	NORMal

Remarks

• **NORMal:** reads the waveform data currently displayed on the screen.

- **MAXimum:** reads the waveform data displayed on the screen when the oscilloscope is in the Run state; reads the waveform data from the internal memory when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state.

- **RAW:** reads the waveform data from the internal memory. Note: The data in the internal memory can only be read when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state. You are not allowed to operate the instrument when it is reading data.

- When the channel source is set to MATH, only the NORMal mode is valid.

Return Format

The query returns NORM, MAX, or RAW.

Example

```
:WAVeform:MODE RAW  /*Sets the reading mode of waveform data to
RAW.*/
:WAVeform:MODE?      /*The query returns RAW.*/
```

3.28.3   :WAVeform:FORMat

Syntax

:WAVeform:FORMat <*format*>

:WAVeform:FORMat?

Description

Sets or queries the return format of the waveform data.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<format>	Discrete	{WORD|BYTE|ASCii}	BYTE

Remarks

- **WORD:** Each waveform point occupies two bytes (16 bits).
- **BYTE:** Each waveform point occupies one byte (8 bits).
- **ASCii:** The query returns the actual voltage value of each waveform point in scientific notation; and the voltage values are separated by commas.

Return Format

The query returns WORD, BYTE, or ASC.

Example

```
:WAVeform:FORMat WORD   /*Sets the returned format of waveform data
to WORD.*/
:WAVeform:FORMat?        /*The query returns WORD.*/
```

3.28.4   :WAVeform:POINts

Syntax

`:WAVeform:POINts <point>`

`:WAVeform:POINts?`

Description

Sets or queries the number of the waveform points to be read in the current mode.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<point>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	-

Remarks

The range of <point> is related to the current reading mode of the waveform data. You can send the *:WAVeform:MODE* command to set or query the reading mode of the waveform data.

- **NORMal:** 1 to 1,000
- **RAW:** 1 to the current maximum memory depth
- **MAXimum:** In RUN state: 1 to the number of effective points on the current screen; In STOP state: 1 to the number of effective points in the current memory

Return Format

The query returns the number of waveform points in integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:POINts 100   /*Sets the number of waveform points to be
read to 100.*/
:WAVeform:POINts?   /*The query returns 100.*/
```

3.28.5   :WAVeform:DATA?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:DATA?`

Description

Reads the waveform data.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

Procedures of reading the waveform data from the screen:

```
:WAV:SOUR CHAN1    /*Sets the channel source to CHANnel1.*/
:WAV:MODE NORMal   /*Sets the waveform reading mode to NORMal.*/
:WAV:FORM BYTE    /*Sets the return format of the waveform data to
BYTE.*/
:WAV:DATA?     /*Reads the waveform data on the screen.*/
```

Procedures of reading the waveform data from the internal memory:

```
:STOP    /*Sets the instrument to STOP state (you can only read the
waveform data from the internal memory when the oscilloscope is in
STOP state).*/
:WAV:SOUR CHAN1   /*Sets the channel source to CHANnel1.*/
:WAV:MODE RAW    /*Sets the waveform reading mode to RAW.*/
:WAV:FORM BYTE    /*Sets the return format of the waveform data to
BYTE.*/
:WAV:STAR 1     /*Sets the start point of waveform data reading to
the first waveform point.*/
:WAVeform:STOP 120000   /*Sets the stop point of waveform data
reading to the 120,000th waveform point (last point).*/
```

Return Format

The return format is related to the return format of the currently selected waveform data (:WAVeform:FORMat). For detailed operations, refer to descriptions in *Waveform Data Reading*.

3.28.6   :WAVeform:XINCrement?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XINCrement?

Description

Queries the time interval between two neighboring points of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, XINCrement = TimeScale/100.
- In RAW mode, XINCrement = 1/SampleRate.
- In MAX mode, XINCrement = TimeScale/100 when the oscilloscope is in the Run state; XINCrement = 1/SampleRate when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state.

The unit is related to the current channel source:

Return Format

The query returns the time difference in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.7   :WAVeform:XORigin?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XORigin?

Description

Queries the start time of the waveform data of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

-   In NORMal mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data displayed on the screen.

-   In RAW mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data in the internal memory.

-   In MAX mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data displayed on the screen when the instrument is in the RUN state; the query returns the start time of the waveform data in the internal memory when the instrument is in the Stop state.

The unit is related to the current channel source.

Return Format

The query returns the time value in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.8   :WAVeform:XREFerence?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XREFerence?

Description

Queries the reference time of the waveform points of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

N/A

Return Format

The query returns 0 (namely the first waveform point on the screen or in the internal memory).

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.9   :WAVeform:YINCrement?

Syntax

:WAVeform:YINCrement?

Description

Queries the unit voltage value of the current source channel Y in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, YINCrement = VerticalScale/25.

- In RAW mode, YINCrement and Verticalscale of the memory waveforms are related to the currently selected Verticalscale.

- In MAX mode, YINCrement = VerticalScale/25 when the instrument is in the RUN state; YINCrement is related to the VerticalScale of the internal waveform and the currently selected VerticalScale when the instrument is in the Stop state.

Return Format

The query returns the unit voltage value in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.10 :WAVeform:YORigin?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:YORigin?`

Description

Queries the vertical offset relative to the vertical reference position of the currently selected channel source in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, YORigin = VerticalOffset/YINCrement.

- In RAW mode, YORigin is related to the VerticalScale of the memory waveforms and the currently selected VerticalScale.

- In MAX mode, YORigin = VerticalOffset/YINCrement when the instrument is in the RUN state; YORigin is related to the VerticalScale of the internal waveform and the currently selected VerticalScale when the instrument is in the Stop state.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

`N/A`

3.28.11 :WAVeform:YREFerence?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:YREFerence?`

Description

Queries the vertical reference position of the currently selected channel source in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The value of YREFerence is related to the configuration of the *:WAVeform:FORMat* command. The reference position is different for different return formats of waveform data.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.12 :WAVeform:STARt

Syntax

:WAVeform:STARt <*sta*>

:WAVeform:STARt?

Description

Sets or queries the start position of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<sta>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	1

Remarks

When reading the waveform data from the internal memory, the actual settable ranges of the start point and stop point of a reading operation are related to the memory depth of the oscilloscope and the return format of the waveform data currently selected.

- In Normal mode, the range is from 1 to 1,000.
- In Max mode, when the oscilloscope is in RUN state, its range is from 1 to 1,000; when the oscilloscope is in STOP state, its range is from 1 to current maximum memory depth.
- In Raw mode, the range is from 1 to the current maximum memory depth.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:STARt 100   /*Sets the start point to 100.*/
:WAVeform:STARt?   /*The query returns 100.*/
```

3.28.13 :WAVeform:STOP

Syntax

`:WAVeform:STOP` <*stop*>

`:WAVeform:STOP?`

Description

Sets or queries the stop position of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<stop>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	1,000

Remarks

When reading the waveform data in the internal memory, the actual settable ranges of the start point and stop point of a reading operation are related to the memory depth of the oscilloscope and the return format of the waveform data currently selected.

- In Normal mode, the range is from 1 to 1,000.

- In Max mode, when the oscilloscope is in RUN state, its range is from 1 to 1,000; when the oscilloscope is in STOP state, its range is from 1 to current maximum memory depth.

- In Raw mode, the range is from 1 to the current maximum memory depth.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:STOP 500   /*Sets the stop point to 500.*/
:WAVeform:STOP?   /*The query returns 500.*/
```

3.28.14 :WAVeform:PREamble?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:PREamble?`

Description

Queries all the waveform parameters.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

N/A

Return Format

The query returns 10 waveform parameters, separated by commas.

<format>,<type>,<points>,<count>,<xincrement>,<xorigin>,<xreference>,<yincrement>,<yorigin>,<yreference>

Wherein,

<format>: indicates 0 (BYTE), 1 (WORD), or 2 (ASC).

<type>: indicates 0 (NORMal), 1 (MAXimum), or 2 (RAW).

<points>: an integer ranging from 1 to 50,000,000.

<count>: indicates the number of averages in the average sample mode. The value of <count> parameter is 1 in other modes.

<xincrement>: indicates the time difference between two neighboring points in the X direction.

<xorigin>: indicates the start time of the waveform data in the X direction.

<xreference>: indicates the reference time of the waveform data in the X direction.

<yincrement>: indicates the step value of the waveforms in the Y direction.

<yorigin>: indicates the vertical offset relative to the "Vertical Reference Position" in the Y direction.

<yreference>: indicates the vertical reference position in the Y direction.

Example

```
:WAVeform:PREamble?/*The query returns
0,0,1000,1,1.000000E-8,-5.000000E-6,0.000000E-12,4.000000E-03,0,128.
*/
```

After sending the *:TRIGger:LIN:CURRbit* command to set the specified bit, you can send this command to query or modify the value of the specified data bit.

Return Format

The query returns 0, 1, or 255.

Example

```
:TRIGger:LIN:CODE 0    /*Sets the data value to 0.*/
:TRIGger:LIN:CODE?      /*The query returns 0.*/
```

3.28   :WAVeform Commands

:WAVeform commands are used to read waveform data and relevant settings.
The *:WAVeform:MODE* command is used to set the reading mode of waveform data. In different modes, the definitions for the parameters are different, as shown in *Figure 3.12* and *Figure 3.13* .
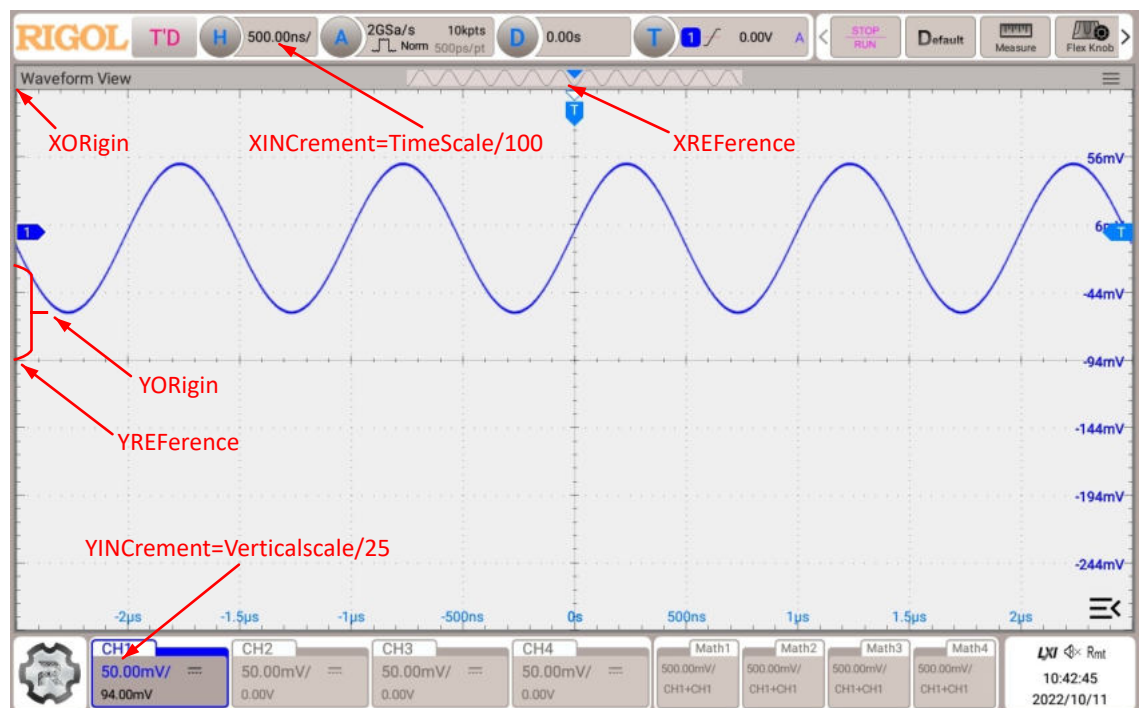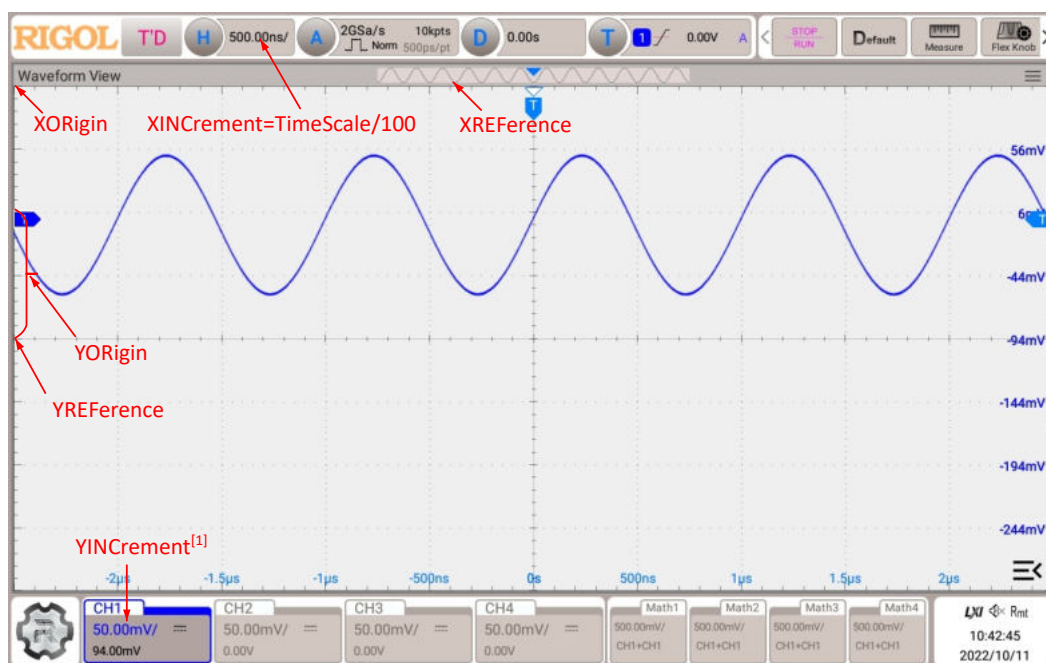

Figure 3.12 Parameter Definitions in NORMAL Mode

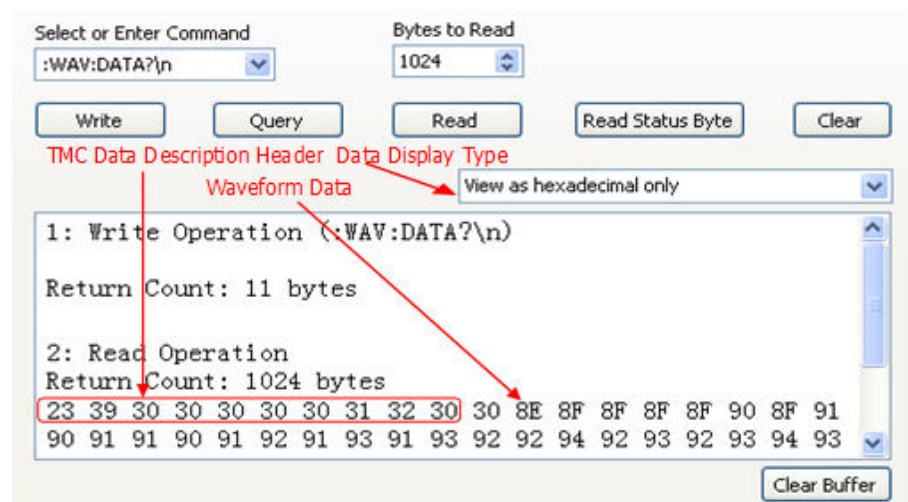**Figure 3.13 Parameter Definitions in RAW Mode**

NOTE

[1]**:** In RAW mode, YINCrement and Verticalscale of the memory waveforms are related to the currently selected Verticalscale.

Waveform Data Reading

- **WORD/BYTE format:** The read data format is TMC header + waveform data points + end identifier. The TMC header is in #NXXXXXX format; wherein, # is the TMC header identifier; N following # represents the length of the waveform data; the length of the waveform data points is expressed in ASCII strings, and the terminator represents the ending of communication. For example, the data read for one time is #9000001000XXXX. "9" indicates the length of data, and "000001000" indicates the length of the binary data stream, that is, 1000 bytes.

- **ASCii format:** The read data format is waveform data points + end identifier. The waveform data point query returns the actual voltage value of each waveform point in scientific notation. The voltage values are separated by commas.

- When the waveform data in the internal memory are read in batches, the waveform data returned each time might be the data in one area of the internal

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memory. In "WORD" or "BYTE" return format, each returned data in blocks contain the TMC data block header. Waveform data in two adjacent data blocks are consecutive.

- The figure below shows the waveform data that have been read (in BYTE format). First, select "View as hexadecimal only" from the drop-down list at the right side. Then, the waveform data that have been read are displayed in hexadecimal format. The first 11 bytes denote the "TMC data block header", and beginning from the 12th byte (8E) are the waveform data. You can convert the waveform data read to the voltage value of each point of the waveform by using the formula "(0x8E - YORigin - YREFerence) x YINCrement". For the definitions of the parameters in this formula, refer to *Related Commands*.

Related Commands

:WAVeform:MODE

:WAVeform:YINCrement?

:WAVeform:YORigin?

3.28.1   :WAVeform:SOURce

Syntax

:WAVeform:SOURce *<source>*

:WAVeform:SOURce?

Description

Sets or queries the source channel of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<source>	Discrete	{D0|D1|D2|D3|D4|D5|D6|D7|D8| D9|D10|D11|D12|D13|D14|D15| CHANnel1|CHANnel2| CHANnel3|CHANnel4|MATH1| MATH2|MATH3|MATH4}	CHANnel1

Remarks

When the channel source is set to MATH1~MATH4, *:WAVeform:MODE* can only select the NORMal mode.

D0~D15 are only available for the DHO900 series.

Return Format

The query returns D0, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, D6, D7, D8, D9, D10, D11, D12, D13, D14, D15, CHAN1, CHAN2, CHAN3, CHAN4, MATH1, MATH2, MATH3, or MATH4.

Example

```
:WAVeform:SOURce CHANnel2    /*Sets the channel source to
CHANnel2.*/
:WAVeform:SOURce?             /*The query returns CHAN2.*/
```

3.28.2   :WAVeform:MODE

Syntax

:WAVeform:MODE <*mode*>

:WAVeform:MODE?

Description

Sets or queries the mode of the *:WAVeform:DATA?* command in reading data.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<mode>	Discrete	{NORMal|MAXimum|RAW}	NORMal

Remarks

• **NORMal:** reads the waveform data currently displayed on the screen.

- **MAXimum:** reads the waveform data displayed on the screen when the oscilloscope is in the Run state; reads the waveform data from the internal memory when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state.

- **RAW:** reads the waveform data from the internal memory. Note: The data in the internal memory can only be read when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state. You are not allowed to operate the instrument when it is reading data.

- When the channel source is set to MATH, only the NORMal mode is valid.

Return Format

The query returns NORM, MAX, or RAW.

Example

```
:WAVeform:MODE RAW  /*Sets the reading mode of waveform data to
RAW.*/
:WAVeform:MODE?      /*The query returns RAW.*/
```

3.28.3   :WAVeform:FORMat

Syntax

:WAVeform:FORMat <*format*>

:WAVeform:FORMat?

Description

Sets or queries the return format of the waveform data.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<format>	Discrete	{WORD|BYTE|ASCii}	BYTE

Remarks

- **WORD:** Each waveform point occupies two bytes (16 bits).
- **BYTE:** Each waveform point occupies one byte (8 bits).
- **ASCii:** The query returns the actual voltage value of each waveform point in scientific notation; and the voltage values are separated by commas.

Return Format

The query returns WORD, BYTE, or ASC.

Example

```
:WAVeform:FORMat WORD   /*Sets the returned format of waveform data
to WORD.*/
:WAVeform:FORMat?        /*The query returns WORD.*/
```

3.28.4 :WAVeform:POINts

Syntax

:WAVeform:POINts <*point*>

:WAVeform:POINts?

Description

Sets or queries the number of the waveform points to be read in the current mode.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<point>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	-

Remarks

The range of <point> is related to the current reading mode of the waveform data. You can send the *:WAVeform:MODE* command to set or query the reading mode of the waveform data.

- **NORMal:** 1 to 1,000
- **RAW:** 1 to the current maximum memory depth
- **MAXimum:** In RUN state: 1 to the number of effective points on the current screen; In STOP state: 1 to the number of effective points in the current memory

Return Format

The query returns the number of waveform points in integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:POINts 100   /*Sets the number of waveform points to be
read to 100.*/
:WAVeform:POINts?   /*The query returns 100.*/
```

3.28.5 :WAVeform:DATA?

Syntax

:WAVeform:DATA?

Description

Reads the waveform data.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

Procedures of reading the waveform data from the screen:

EN

```
:WAV:SOUR CHAN1    /*Sets the channel source to CHANnel1.*/
:WAV:MODE NORMal   /*Sets the waveform reading mode to NORMal.*/
:WAV:FORM BYTE   /*Sets the return format of the waveform data to
BYTE.*/
:WAV:DATA?    /*Reads the waveform data on the screen.*/
```

Procedures of reading the waveform data from the internal memory:

```
:STOP    /*Sets the instrument to STOP state (you can only read the
waveform data from the internal memory when the oscilloscope is in
STOP state).*/
:WAV:SOUR CHAN1   /*Sets the channel source to CHANnel1.*/
:WAV:MODE RAW   /*Sets the waveform reading mode to RAW.*/
:WAV:FORM BYTE   /*Sets the return format of the waveform data to
BYTE.*/
:WAV:STAR 1    /*Sets the start point of waveform data reading to
the first waveform point.*/
:WAVeform:STOP 120000  /*Sets the stop point of waveform data
reading to the 120,000th waveform point (last point).*/
```

Return Format

The return format is related to the return format of the currently selected waveform data (*:WAVeform:FORMat*). For detailed operations, refer to descriptions in *Waveform Data Reading*.

3.28.6   :WAVeform:XINCrement?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XINCrement?

Description

Queries the time interval between two neighboring points of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, XINCrement = TimeScale/100.
- In RAW mode, XINCrement = 1/SampleRate.
- In MAX mode, XINCrement = TimeScale/100 when the oscilloscope is in the Run state; XINCrement = 1/SampleRate when the oscilloscope is in the Stop state.

The unit is related to the current channel source:

Return Format

The query returns the time difference in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.7   :WAVeform:XORigin?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XORigin?

Description

Queries the start time of the waveform data of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

*   In NORMal mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data displayed on the screen.

*   In RAW mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data in the internal memory.

*   In MAX mode, the query returns the start time of the waveform data displayed on the screen when the instrument is in the RUN state; the query returns the start time of the waveform data in the internal memory when the instrument is in the Stop state.

The unit is related to the current channel source.

Return Format

The query returns the time value in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.8   :WAVeform:XREFerence?

Syntax

:WAVeform:XREFerence?

Description

Queries the reference time of the waveform points of the currently selected channel source in the X direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

N/A

Return Format

The query returns 0 (namely the first waveform point on the screen or in the internal memory).

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.9 :WAVeform:YINCrement?

Syntax

```
:WAVeform:YINCrement?
```

Description

Queries the unit voltage value of the current source channel Y in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, YINCrement = VerticalScale/25.

- In RAW mode, YINCrement and Verticalscale of the memory waveforms are related to the currently selected Verticalscale.

- In MAX mode, YINCrement = VerticalScale/25 when the instrument is in the RUN state; YINCrement is related to the VerticalScale of the internal waveform and the currently selected VerticalScale when the instrument is in the Stop state.

Return Format

The query returns the unit voltage value in scientific notation.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.10 :WAVeform:YORigin?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:YORigin?`

Description

Queries the vertical offset relative to the vertical reference position of the currently selected channel source in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The returned value is related to the current data reading mode:

- In NORMal mode, YORigin = VerticalOffset/YINCrement.

- In RAW mode, YORigin is related to the VerticalScale of the memory waveforms

  and the currently selected VerticalScale.

- In MAX mode, YORigin = VerticalOffset/YINCrement when the instrument is in

  the RUN state; YORigin is related to the VerticalScale of the internal waveform

  and the currently selected VerticalScale when the instrument is in the Stop state.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

`N/A`

3.28.11 :WAVeform:YREFerence?

Syntax

`:WAVeform:YREFerence?`

Description

Queries the vertical reference position of the currently selected channel source in the Y direction.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

The value of YREFerence is related to the configuration of the *:WAVeform:FORMat* command. The reference position is different for different return formats of waveform data.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
N/A
```

3.28.12 :WAVeform:STARt

Syntax

:WAVeform:STARt <*sta*>

:WAVeform:STARt?

Description

Sets or queries the start position of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<sta>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	1

Remarks

When reading the waveform data from the internal memory, the actual settable ranges of the start point and stop point of a reading operation are related to the memory depth of the oscilloscope and the return format of the waveform data currently selected.

- In Normal mode, the range is from 1 to 1,000.
- In Max mode, when the oscilloscope is in RUN state, its range is from 1 to 1,000; when the oscilloscope is in STOP state, its range is from 1 to current maximum memory depth.
- In Raw mode, the range is from 1 to the current maximum memory depth.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:STARt 100   /*Sets the start point to 100.*/
:WAVeform:STARt?   /*The query returns 100.*/
```

3.28.13 :WAVeform:STOP

Syntax

:WAVeform:STOP <*stop*>

:WAVeform:STOP?

Description

Sets or queries the stop position of waveform data reading.

Parameter

Name	Type	Range	Default
<stop>	Integer	Refer to *Remarks*	1,000

Remarks

When reading the waveform data in the internal memory, the actual settable ranges of the start point and stop point of a reading operation are related to the memory depth of the oscilloscope and the return format of the waveform data currently selected.

- In Normal mode, the range is from 1 to 1,000.

- In Max mode, when the oscilloscope is in RUN state, its range is from 1 to 1,000; when the oscilloscope is in STOP state, its range is from 1 to current maximum memory depth.

- In Raw mode, the range is from 1 to the current maximum memory depth.

Return Format

The query returns an integer.

Example

```
:WAVeform:STOP 500   /*Sets the stop point to 500.*/
:WAVeform:STOP?   /*The query returns 500.*/
```

3.28.14 :WAVeform:PREamble?

Syntax

:WAVeform:PREamble?

Description

Queries all the waveform parameters.

Parameter

N/A

Remarks

N/A

Return Format

The query returns 10 waveform parameters, separated by commas.

<format>,<type>,<points>,<count>,<xincrement>,<xorigin>,<xreference>,<yincrement>,<yorigin>,<yreference>

Wherein,

<format>: indicates 0 (BYTE), 1 (WORD), or 2 (ASC).

<type>: indicates 0 (NORMal), 1 (MAXimum), or 2 (RAW).

<points>: an integer ranging from 1 to 50,000,000.

<count>: indicates the number of averages in the average sample mode. The value of <count> parameter is 1 in other modes.

<xincrement>: indicates the time difference between two neighboring points in the X direction.

<xorigin>: indicates the start time of the waveform data in the X direction.

<xreference>: indicates the reference time of the waveform data in the X direction.

<yincrement>: indicates the step value of the waveforms in the Y direction.

<yorigin>: indicates the vertical offset relative to the "Vertical Reference Position" in the Y direction.

<yreference>: indicates the vertical reference position in the Y direction.

Example

```
:WAVeform:PREamble?/*The query returns
0,0,1000,1,1.000000E-8,-5.000000E-6,0.000000E-12,4.000000E-03,0,128.
*/
```