

COMMENT**COMMENT*****COMMENT_{OPTION}**

Available options include:

<BLANK>

NOECHO

All input that falls between a *COMMENT command and the subsequent line of input that has an asterisk in the first column thereby signaling the start of another keyword command, is not acted on by LS-DYNA. This provides a convenient way to interject multiple, successive lines of commentary anywhere inside an input deck.

*COMMENT also provides a convenient way to comment out an existing keyword command and all its associated input data as shown in an example below.

Unless you append keyword option NOECHO, lines of input that are deactivated by *COMMENT are echoed on the screen and to the messag and d3hsp files.

Card 1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Variable				COMMENT				
Type				A				
Default				none				

VARIABLE**DESCRIPTION**

COMMENT Any comment line.

Example:

In this excerpt from an input deck, 5 lines of comments including blank lines, are added to the input deck.

```
*KEYWORD
*COMMENT
Units of this model are mks.
```

```
Input prepared by John Doe.
Input checked by Jane Doe.
```

```
*CONTROL_TERMINATION
1.E-02
:
```

*COMMENT

*COMMENT

Example 2:

In this excerpt from an input deck, a contact is disabled by inserting *COMMENT command before the contact keyword command.

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:  
*COMMENT  *CONTACT_AUTOMATIC_SURFACE_TO_SURFACE_ID  
$#      cid          title  
    1  
$#      surfa        surfb      surfatyp    surfbtyp    saboxid    sbboxid    sapr      sbpr  
1,2,0,3  
$#      fs           fd         dc          vc          vdc        penchk     bt         dt  
0.2  
$#      sfsa         sfsb       sast        sbst        sfsat      sfsbt      fsf       vsf  
$#      soft         sofscl     lcidab     maxpar     sbopt      depth      bsort      frcfrq  
    2  
*SET_SEGMENT  
$#      sid          da1        da2        da3        da4        solver  
    1      0.000      0.000      0.000      0.000MECH  
$#      n1           n2        n3          n4          a1         a2         a3         a4  
  2842      626      3232      3242      0.000      0.000      0.000      0.000  
  2846      2842     627       2843      0.000      0.000      0.000      0.000  
:  
:
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