

Print Multiple BarCode Labels/DataMax

PROGRAM NAME: INBARSAM

MENU OPTION TITLE: Print Multiple Barcode Labels/Datamax

MAIN MODULE: BAR CODE SYSTEM

HELP KEY ACTIVE: No

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This program creates barcode labels by part. It is specifically written for a DataMax 400/430 printer and prints barcode style "Barcode B" or "UPC-A", on a 3" wide by 1" tall label. The program prints the UPC-A code as stored in the part master file NSN field. Then, it prints the barcode style "Barcode A", or code 3 of 9, next the part number, and the words "UPC Code". Remember the UPC-A code is different from the Barcode A. Your part number may be up to 20 digits and the UPC part identifier can only be 5 digits.

This program generates a text file on your hard drive with the proper language in it to print the barcode label. This file will be stored in the first path you have configured on your computer. Make sure that this path runs to the directory that includes the Dataflex program "DFRUN". This way, the program can find the file and send it to the proper port. The default port name is COM2.

Next, you will need to execute an "MSDOS" command either during your boot up of the PC or in the "SETPATH" file of your shortcut that runs the IBS software. This command is as follows: "MODE COM2:96,N,8,1". If you have trouble with this, you will need to contact NBS, your authorized IBS representative, or an experienced PC technician.

PROGRAM OPERATION

ENTER PART NUMBER TO PRINT: Enter a part number to start the report. You can use <F3> to pop up a window to browse through the part number master file.

ENTER QUANTITY TO PRINT: Type how many labels that you want printed.

ENTER PRINTER PORT TO USE: You can choose from any of the installed printers, however the choice to print to screen is not a valid choice since this is intended to print to a physical printer. This printer will automatically display as you have set it up in the system setup file.

ENTER FILE NAME TO USE: The printout will store on your hard drive as a text file, containing the barcode print information. The program then copies the text file to the printer, which is how this program works. This name will automatically display as you have set it up in the system setup file.

Is this information correct (Y/N)?