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Identification

Return Process-Group Directory Path Name

gdir

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Purpose

The function gdir returns the path name of the process-group directory of the process in which it is called. See BD.6.10 for a discussion of process-group directories.

Usage

```
dcl (gdir external entry, process_group_dir)
char (511) varying;
```

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process_group_dir = gdir;
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Implementation

The gdir function uses the function get\_group\_id (BY.18.02) to obtain the name of the process-group as a 50-character string. Gdir concatenates ">process\_group\_dir\_dir>" with the name of the process-group. The resulting path name is the path name of the process-group directory. Gdir returns it to the caller.

A varying character string is returned to prevent future upheavals if the length of the path name being returned should change.