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## HOW TO USE THIS MANUAL

## Chapters

This publication has nine chapters and several appendixes. Chapter 1 is an introduction. Chapter 2 describes RPG II coding entries common to all specification types. Chapters 3-9 describe the seven types of RPG II specifications in the order they are read by the RPG II compiler. The appendixes contain additional information useful in RPG II programming, including convenient reference tables and performance improvement tips.

## Column Descriptions

Specifications are described column-by-column as a programmer would write them. The following information is included for each column description:

1. List of possible entries.
2. General discussion of use of column and considerations for all possible entries.
3. Specific discussion of each entry.
4. Charts and examples.

## Special Topics

Some RPG II features require multiple, interrelated specifications or are especially important and merit expanded discussion. Examples are multifile processing, tables and arrays, and operation codes. These features are discussed near the specifications which are key to their use.

## FUNCTION OF RPG II

RPG II consists of a symbolic programming language and a compiler program. The RPG II symbolic language is a highly flexible, problem solving language. It allows programming solutions to a wide variety of data processing problems. The compiler program translates the symbolic language program (source program) into a machine language program (object program). The object program is used by System/ 3 to process information according to the programmer's specifications.

Basically, the program undergoes two processes:

1. Compilation. The source program is translated into an object program.
2. Execution. The object program is used to process data.

During compilation, the program specifications you wrote are used to produce machine language instructions. Storage areas are automatically assigned, constants or other reference factors are included, and program routines for checking, for input/output operations, and for other functions are produced.

During execution, the machine language instructions are combined with the input data files and both are processed through the system to do the job.

## USING RPG II

Doing a job using RPG II consists of the general operations illustrated in Figure 1 and described as follows. (The circled numbers in Figure 1 refer to the numbers in the following text.)

1. The programmer analyzes the job requirements to determine the format of the input files and the layout of the finished report. For example, he determines what fields in the input records are to be used, what calculations are to take place, where the data is to be located in the output records, and how many and what kind of totals must be accumulated.
2. After the programmer has analyzed the requirements of the job, he provides the RPG II program with information about these requirements.
a. He furnishes special information about his program and describes his system by making entries on the sheet containing Control Card specifications.
b. He describes all files used by the object program (input files, output files, table files, etc.) by making entries on the File Description Specifications Sheet.
c. If the programmer uses record address files, tables, or arrays in his object program, he furnishes information about them through entries on the Extension Specifications Sheet.
d. He provides certain information about the format of printed reports on the Line Counter Specifications Sheet.
e. He describes his input files by making entries on the Input Specifications Sheet.
f. He states what processing is to be done (add, subtract, multiply, divide, etc.) by means of entries on a Calculation Specifications Sheet.
g. He defines the layout of the desired report (print positions, carriage control, etc.) by making entries on the Output-Format Specifications Sheet.
3. After the specifications have been written on the appropriate forms, the data on the forms is recorded in punched cards or entered into the system through the keyboard.
4. These specifications (called the source program) are preceded by the RPG II control card. The source program and the control card are processed by the RPG II compiler under control of the Disk System. At the end of this processing run (referred to as the compilation run), the object program is stored in an object library or punched in cards. This program contains all the machine instructions required to perform the desired job.
5. When the object program is to be executed, it is read into main storage from cards or disk.
6. The input files are read by the system under control of the object program. This is known as the object run.

## DEFINITIONS OF TERMS

## EBCDIC (Extended Binary-Code-Decimal Interchange

 Code) Notation: The 256-character machine code used in the IBM System/3 Disk System. See Appendix E for a table of hexadecimal equivalents of the EBCDIC characters.Alphabetic Characters: The 26 alphabetic EBCDIC characters and the three EBCDIC characters \#, \$, and @.

Numeric Characters: The EBCDIC characters 0-9.

Special Characters: The 217 EBCDIC characters not defined as alphabetic or numeric.

Alphameric Characters: Any of the 256 EBCDIC characters.

Alphameric Fields: All fields for which a decimal-positions specification has not been made in the appropriate column of the specifications forms. Alphameric fields can contain alphabetic, numeric, or special characters.

Numeric Fields: All fields having a decimal-positions specification in the appropriate columns of the specifications forms.

Valid RPG II Names: The following rules apply to names used in RPG II programs:

- RPG II filenames can be from 1-8 characters long; RPG II field names can be from 1-6 characters long.
- The first character of either a filename or a field name must be alphabetic (see preceding definition of alphabetic characters). The remaining characters can be any combination of alphabetic and numeric characters (special characters are not allowed).
- Blanks cannot appear between characters in the name.


Figure 1. Performing a Job Using RPG II

## GENERAL RPG II OBJECT PROGRAM LOGIC

Every object program generated by the RPG II Compiler uses the same general program logic (Figure 2). The term program logic refers to all the RPG II functions performed for each data record read.

Knowledge of RPG II logic is helpful when writing RPG II programs. For relatively simple jobs involving a single input file, an understanding of the general logic presented here is sufficient. Complex jobs require a more thorough understanding of the logic. Appendix C: Detailed RPG II Object Program Logic contains a detailed flowchart and explanation of the program logic.

Every program cycle involves three basic logic steps:

1. Reading information (input).
2. Performing calculations (processing).
3. Recording results (output).

Within a program cycle, these basic logic steps can be divided into numerous substeps in which the input determines when calculation and output operations occur. According to RPG II program logic, calculation and output operations (including exception output) are performed at two different times in a cycle: total time and detail time.

## Total Operations

Total calculations are specified by placing an $L$ indicator in columns 7-8 of the Calculation Sheet. Total output operations are specified by placing a $T$ in column 15 of the Output Sheet. The appropriate control level indicator should be entered in columns 23-31 of the Output Sheet to distinguish between output operations performed for different control levels.

Total calculation and total output operations are normally performed on data accumulated for a group of related records which form a control group. Such operations are normally done only after a control break has occurred. A control break occurs when the control field of the record just read is different from the control field of the previous record. Whenever a record is read, a check is made to determine if information in a control field (when one has been specified) is different from the control field information on the previous record.

A change in the control field information indicates that all records from a particular control group have been read and a new group is starting. When all records from a group
have been read (shown by control level indicators being turned on), calculation and output operations are done using information accumulated from all records in that group. Information on the record that started the new control group is not used in these total operations; only information from records in the previous control group is used.

## Detail Operations

Those calculations not conditioned by $L$ indicators in columns 7-8 are detail calculations. Detail output operations are specified by placing an $H$ or $D$ in column 15 of the Output Sheet. Detail calculation and detail output operations are normally performed for individual data records. These operations are done for each record, provided all conditioning indicators are satisfied. When any one of the following conditions are met, detail time calculation and output operations are done:

1. All total calculation and total output operations have been completed.
2. No total operations are to be done (the information in the control field has not changed).

Total operations are performed before detail operations. This prevents data from the first record in a new control group from being accumulated in the totals for the previous group. Total operations are performed only on data accumulated from previous records. Detail operations on the record that caused the control break are done after total operations are finished.

## General Program Cycle

Figure 2 shows specific steps in the general flow of RPG II program logic. A program cycle begins with step 1 and continues through step 11 , then begins again. Steps 7 and 8 are known as total time; steps 11 and 1 are knows as detail time.

The first and last program cycles of a job are somewhat different from the normal cycle. Before the first record is read, lines conditioned by the $1 P$ indicator are written. Any heading or detail lines having no conditioning or having all negative conditioning indicators are also written at this time. In addition, total operations are bypassed for the first record even though a control break may occur.

When the last record to be processed is read, the last record (LR) indicator turns on. This automaticaiiy causes aii control level indicators to turn on also. Total operations are performed and the job ends; only steps 3-8 of the program cycle are done.

1. Before the first record is read, the program writes all heading or detail records (those having an $H$ or $D$ in column 15 of the Output Sheet). This is done only if all conditioning indicators are satisfied.
2. All record identifying indicators are turned off.
3. A record is read and identified by the object program. The appropriate record identifying indicator is turned on.
4. The record just read is examined to determine whether or not a control break has occurred. A control break occurs when the control field of the record just read is different from the control field of the previous record.
5. If a control break occurs, the proper control level indicators turn on except LO which is always on. On the first cycle, however, total calculations and total output (steps 7 and 8) are bypassed.
6. A check is made to determine if any of the control level indicators that are on are used in column 7-8 to condition total calculations.
7. Total calculation operations (those conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8 of the Calculation Sheet) are performed if the control level condition is satisfied.
8. Total records (those having a $T$ in column 15 of the Output-Format Specifications Sheet) are written or punched out according to output specifications.
9. If matching fields have been specified, these fields are checked for a matching condition. The matching record (MR) indicator is set accordingly.
10. Data from the record read at the beginning of the cycle (step 3) is now made available for use in detail calculation and output operations.
11. All detail calculation operations (those not conditioned by level indicators in columns 7-8 of the Calculation Sheet) are performed on the data from the record read at the beginning of the cycle. Chaining and exception output can also be performed.


Figure 2. General Object Program Cycle

## MACHINE REQUIREMENTS

Minimum System/3 Disk System machine requirements for compiling and executing an RPG II program are:

- 12 K bytes of core storage.
- IBM 5424 Multi-Function Card Unit and/or IBM 1442 Card Read Punch.
- IBM 5203 Printer.
- IBM 5444 Disk Storage Drive.
- IBM 5410 Processing Unit.

The optional machine devices supported are:

- $16 \mathrm{~K}, 24 \mathrm{~K}, 32 \mathrm{~K}, 48 \mathrm{~K}$, or 64 K bytes of core storage.
- one additional IBM 5444 Disk Storage Drive.
- IBM 5471 Printer Keyboard.
- IBM 1403 Printer.

IBM 5445 Disk Storage Drive.

- IBM 3410 Magnetic Tape Unit.


## RPG II SPECIFICATION SHEETS

The RPG II specification sheets are used when coding an RPG II program. The format and column headings on each of these sheets guide you in making the appropriate entries. The sheets are designed so that one card is punched from each specification line. There are five specification sheets:

1. Control Card and File Description Sheet. This sheet contains two types of specifications:
a. Control card specifications provide information to the RPG II compiler.
b. File description specifications provide information about all files used in the program.
2. Extension and Line Counter Sheet. This sheet contains two types of specifications:
a. Extension specifications provide information about tables, arrays, and record address files.
b. Line counter specifications provide information about the number of lines to be printed on the forms that are used.
3. Input Sheet. This sheet is used to describe the records in an input file.
4. Calculation Sheet. This sheet is used to describe all operations that are to be performed on the data.
5. Output-Format Sheet. This sheet is used to specify the arrangement and type of data that will be written or punched on printed reports or cards, or stored on disk.

Information on specification sheets is recorded in punched cards to form a source program. The arrangement of the cards is shown in Figure 3.


Figure 3. Card Arrangement in the RPG II Source Deck

This chapter defines entries common to all RPG II coding sheets. Each coding sheet contains the following entries:

1. Columns 1-2 (PAGE).
2. Columns 3-5 (LINE).
3. Column 6 (FORM TYPE).
4. Column 7 (COMMENTS).

## 5. Columns 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION).

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)
Entry Explanation
01-99 Page number

Columns 1-2 in the upper right corner of each sheet are for numbering the specification sheets used in a job. You can use more than one of each sheet, but all sheets of the same type should be kept together. When all the specifications sheets are filled out, arrange them in the following order and number them in ascending sequence:

1. Control Card and File Description.
2. Extension and Line Counter.
3. Input.
4. Calculation.
5. Output-Format.

## COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)

Entry Explanation
Any Line numbers numbers

Columns 3-5 are used to number the lines on each sheet. Columns 3-4 contain preprinted line numbers, so in most cases line numbering is already done for you. For instance, the Control Card and File Descriptions Sheet contains line numbers for lines 01-07. The unnumbered lines below the preprinted numbers can be used for additional lines or to insert a line between two other completed lines (see Example).

The control card specification line is always line 01. Any other lines on the sheets can be skipped. The line numbers you use need not be consecutive, but should be in ascending order.

## Example

Figure 4 shows the insertion of a line between two completed lines. To show that a line belongs between line 02 and line 03, a 5 is placed in column 5 (any number 1-9 can be used). Line 025 should be inserted between 02 and 03. All lines inserted between existing lines should be written after the last line with a printed line number.

Note: After the source cards have been punched, cards from insert lines must be placed in proper sequence.

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

Entry Explanation
H Header card (Control Card Specification Sheet).

F File Description Specifications Sheet.
E Extension Specifications Sheet.
L Line Counter Specifications Sheet.
I Input Specifications Sheet.
C Calculation Specifications Sheet.
0 Output-Format Specifications Sheet.
Column 6 contains a pre-printed letter on all sheets. The letter identifies the type of specifications for each line.

COLUMN 7 (COMMENTS)

Entry Explanation

* Comment line

You may want to write comments to help you understand or remember what is being done in a certain section of coding. RPG II allows an entire line to be used for these comments. The comment line is identified by placing an asterisk in column 7. Any characters in the character set may be used in a comment line. A card is punched from this line and the comments appear in the source program listing.

Comments are not instructions to the RPG II program. They serve only as a means of documenting the program. A comment line cannot be written in the control card specifications line.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)

Entry Explanation
Valid Program identification (the first character RPG II cannot be \#, \$, or @ and no special charname acters may be used in the name)

Blank RPGOBJ is assumed.

## Control Cards

Columns 75-80 (at the top of the Control Card Sheet) are used to name your object program. This name is used in a directory that contains the location of your program on disk. The compiler places the first four characters (columns 75-78) into positions 89-92 of each record in your object program. Columns $75-80$ of the control card must contain an entry when an object program is permanently cataloged on the object library (a $C$ in column 10 of the control card). If columns 75-80 are left blank, the compiler assumes the entry is RPGOBJ. (The compiler uses columns 93-96 of each object program record for consecutive numbering of the records.) The name should be unique.

Note: DIR, ALL, and SYSTEM are reserved names and must not be used as the name of an object program.

## All Other Source Cards

Columns 75-80 on all source program cards, except the control card, may contain any characters. These columns may use the program name in the control card, or the column may contain any other characters to identify a certain portion of the program. These entries are ignored by the compiler, but will appear in the source program listing.


Figure 4. Insertion of Lines

One control card is required for every program. It provides information about your program and your system to the RPG II compiler. Without this information your source program cannot be translated into an RPG II object program. For coding the control card, one specification line is provided on the Control Card and File Description Sheet (Figure 5).

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)
See Chapter 2.

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

An $H$ must appear in column 6. A control card with an $H$ punched in column 6 must be entered for every program even if all the other columns are left blank.

## COLUMNS 7-9 (CORE SIZE TO COMPILE)

Columns 7-9 are not used. The program is compiled in the available core storage.

See Chapter 2.


File Description Specifications


Figure 5. Control Card and File Description Sheet

## COLUMN 10 (OBJECT OUTPUT)

Entry Explanation
Blank Object program is written temporarily in the object library. The system halts only when severe errors are found.

D Object program is written temporarily in the object library. The system halts for both warning errors and severe errors. The operator can continue the job after a halt occurs for a warning error.

C Object program is written permanently in the object library.

P Object program is punched into cards.

Note: An object program in punched cards cannot be run in level two under Dual Program Feature.

Column 10 is used to indicate the output you want as a result of compiling the source program. The object prograrn is usually written in the same object library in which the compiler resides.

You will usually want the object program written temporarily in the object library until you have tested your program. When a program is written permanently in the object library, it deletes all programs temporarily written in the object library. (Every object program written permanently in the object library must be assigned a valid program name in columns 75-80 of the Control Card Specifications Sheet.)

A program identification (columns 75-80) is required when the object program is written permanently in the object library ( $C$ entry in column 10 ).

No object program is produced when severe (terminal) errors are present in the source statements.

## COLUMN 11 (LISTING OPTIONS)

## Entry Explanation

Blank 1. The object program is produced (if no severe errors are found).
2. The program listing is printed.

B

1. The object program is produced (if no severe errors are found).
2. The program listing is not printed.

Column 11 provides for listing options at the time your source program is compiled. If any severe errors are found during compilation, the system halts after completing the listing (provided a listing is to be printed).

The blank entry is the usual case, producing an object program (if no severe errors are found) and a source program listing. The program listing consists of the source program, error messages, and a core map. The core map lists such information as relative addresses of fields, constants, and I/O areas. The entire core map is printed only if the program is successfully compiled.

The B entry means that no program listing is printed; however, an object program is produced. This entry can be used if you want to produce an object program for which you already have a listing.

## COLUMNS 12-14 (CORE SIZE TO EXECUTE)

Columns 13-14
Entry Explanation
Blank The core storage available for object program execution is the same as that used to compile the program.

01-61 The core storage available for program execution (if different from core storage available for object program generation).

Use columns 13-14 to specify some multiple of 1 K bytes of storage $(K=1024)$.
Columns 13-14 define the core storage available for program execution (not including core requirements for the supervisor). The entry must end in column 14.

This entry can differ from the core storage available for object program generation because: (1) your program can be executed on a system other than the one that compiled it, or (2) you might be using the Dual Program Feature (see IBM System/3 RPG II Additional Topics Programmer's Guide, GC21-7567.

If the system used for program execution is different from that used for compilation, subtract the amount of core storage occupied by the supervisor from the total core storage of the system used for execution.

If you are using the Dual Program Feature, subtract the amount of core storage allocated to the second object program and the supervisor from the total core storage of the system used for program execution.

Whether or not an entry is made in these columns, the supervisor size must be considered. Remember that the DPF supervisor is larger than the dedicated supervisor. In all cases, even if no entry is made in these columns, the maximum core available to load the programs is the total core storage of the system less the size of the supervisor.

The size of the total program cannot exceed 64 K . If at any time during compilation the total program size exceeds $X^{\prime}$ FFFF' ( 65,535 in decimal), the compilation will cease. A terminal halt will occur before an attempt is made by the compiler to generate overlays. If the total program cannot be contained in the amount of core storage specified, RPG II automatically creates overlays.

## Column 12

## Entry Explanation

Blank, 0 No additional 256-byte increments are needed.

Q One additional 256-byte increment is needed.

H
Two additional 256-byte increments are needed ( 512 bytes).

T Three additional 256-byte increments are needed ( 768 bytes).

Column 12 may be used to specify additional 256-byte increments of storage. These increments allow an extra $1 / 4 \mathrm{~K}, 1 / 2 \mathrm{~K}$, or $3 / 4 \mathrm{~K}$ of storage to be available in addition to the storage specified in columns 13-14. These additional increments are particularly useful when using the dual programming feature.

## Example

The following chart shows examples of the possible entries that can be made in columns 12-14 and the amount of storage that would be made available for that entry:

| Entry | Available Bytes |
| :--- | :--- |
| 004 | 4,096 |
| Q04 | $4,352(4,096+256)$ |
| H04 | $4,608(4,096+512)$ |
| T04 | $4,864(4,096+768)$ |
| 005 | 5,120 |

## COLUMN 15 (DEBUG)

## Entry Explanation

Blank DEBUG operation is not performed.
1 DEBUG operation is performed.
In order to perform a DEBUG operation:

1. A 1 must appear in column 15 when the source program is compiled.
2. The DEBUG operation code must appear in calculation specifications.

See Operation Codes, DEBUG Operation in Chapter 8 for more information.

## COLUMN 16

Column 16 is not used.

## COLUMNS 17-20 (STERLING)

Columns 17-20 are used to describe the format of the sterling fields used in sterling currency. If you are not using sterling, these columns must be left blank. See Sterling in Appendix D for more information and definitions of IBM and BSI formats.

## COLUMN 17 (INPUT-SHILLINGS)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Sterling currency is not being used.
1 Input shilling field is in IBM format.

2 Input shilling field is in BSI (British Standard Institute) format.

## COLUMN 18 (INPUT-PENCE)

Entry Explanation
Blank Sterling currency is not being used.
1 Input pence field is in IBM format.
2
Input pence field is in BSI format.

COLUMN 19 (OUTPUT-SHILLINGS)

Entry
Blank Sterling currency is not being used.
$0 \quad$ Output shilling field is to be printed only.

1 Output shilling field is to be written in IBM format.

2
Output shilling field is to be written in BSI format.

## COLUMN 20 (OUTPUT-PENCE)

Entry Explanation
Blank Sterling currency is not being used.
$0 \quad$ Output pence field is to be printed only.

1 Output pence field is to be written in IBM format.

Output pence field is to be written in BSI format.

The same fields may be punched, printed, or written on disk. Although they are always punched in the selected format (IBM or BSI), the printed output is not affected by the selected format. Printed fields always have two positions in both the pence and shilling fields. See Sterling in Appendix D for more information.

## COLUMN 21 (INVERTED PRINT)

Entry Explanation
Blank Domestic format.
I World Trade format.
J World Trade format (leading zero remains for zero balances).

D United Kingdom format.
Use column 21 to describe the format and punctuation used for numeric literals in the calculations specifications, the order of the system date (referenced by UDATE) field and edit codes used on output. Figure 6 shows inverted print specifications and resulting formats.

## COLUMNS 22-25

Columns 22-25 are not used.

## COLUMN 26 (ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE)

Entry
Explanation
Blank Normal collating sequence is used.
S Alternate collating sequence is used.
Use column 26 only to alter the normal collating sequence for a job. Additional specifications are required, as described in the following discussion.

| Inverted Print Option | Numeric Literal using Period/Comma as a Decimal Point | Edit Codes using <br> a Period/Comma as a Decimal Point | Zero Suppress to the Left/Right of the Decimal Point | UDATE <br> Appears as a Slash/Period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Blank | 4123.57 | 3,210.89 | . 50 | MM/DD/YY |
| D | 4123.57 | 3,210.89 | . 50 | DD/MM/YY |
| 1 | 4123,57 | 3.210,89 | ,50 | DD.MM.YY |
| J | 4123,57 | 3.210,89 | 0,50 | DD.MM.YY |

Figure 6. Inverted Print Specifications

## Collating Sequence

Every alphabetic, numeric, or special character holds a special position in relation to all other characters (see Figure 7 and Appendix E, Table E-5). This order is known as the collating sequence. System/3 uses a collating sequence based on the way characters are represented in the machine (see Character Structure under Columns 21-41 in Chapter 4).

You can change this collating sequence if you wish. If you want characters to appear in a sequence other than the one used by System/3, or if you want two or more characters to have the same position in the sequence (this means they are considered equal), you must describe an alternate collating sequence.

Note: An alternate collating sequence applies to matching fields, sequence checking, and alphameric compare operations (COMP). It has no effect on control levels, numeric compares, look up, or sequence checking of tables or arrays.

## Defining an Alternate Collating Sequence

To define an alternate collating sequence you must enter an $S$ in column 26 of the Control Card Specifications Sheet.

A table also must be entered which lists the changes you wish to make in the normal collating sequence. This is a special table requiring no File Description or Extension Specifications Sheet. The following entries are needed for each table record entered:

Positions 1-6: Enter ALTSEQ to indicate that you are altering the normal sequence.

Positions 7-8: Leave these positions blank.

Positions 9-10: Enter the hexadecimal number of the character whose normal collating sequence is being replaced. Table E-5 in Appendix $E$ and Figure 7 list characters and their hexadecimal equivalents.

Positions 11-12: Enter the hexadecimal number of the character that is replacing the character taken out of sequence.

Positions 13-16, 17-20, 21-24, etc.: These positions are used in the same way as positions $9-12$. The first two positions give the character to be replaced by the character specified in the next two positions. There may be as many position entries as the record can contain. Additional records may be used with the above format. The first blank position terminates the record. ${ }^{* *}$ or $/ *$ ends the table.

The alternate sequence table must be preceded by a record with ** $\delta$ in positions 1-3. The remaining positions of the record may be used for comments. This table must follow the RPG II specification deck and file translation cards, if used. Figure 3 shows the arrangement of cards in an RPG II source deck.

## Translation Table and Alternate Collating Sequence Coding Sheet

The Translation Table and Alternate Collating Sequence Sheet (Figure 7) can be used for coding an alternate collating sequence. It helps you to determine the entries needed for the alternate collating sequence table input records.

## Causing Characters To Be Considered Equal

If you want a character to be considered the same as another character, both must hold the same position in the collating sequence. For example, you may want a blank to be considered a zero. Therefore, you need to define an alternate collating sequence in which the blank is the same as the zero because it holds the same position in the sequence. The alternate collating sequence input record looks like this:

Position Entry
1-6 ALTSEQ
7-8 Blanks

9-12 40F0 (blank takes the zero's position)
Whenever a blank is read and used in a compare, it is considered as a zero. Thus, if you were comparing numbers to 0036 to find an equal condition, 0036 and BK 36 (where b=blank) both compare equal to 0036 .
translation table and alternate collating seouence coding sheet

| Cod, | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes Place Of |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 000, 0000 |  | 00 |  |
| 000130001 |  | 01 |  |
| 00050010 |  | 02 |  |
| 00000011 |  | 03 |  |
| 00030100 |  | 04 |  |
| 00030101 |  | 05 |  |
| 00050110 |  | 06 |  |
| 00030111 |  | 07 |  |
| 00031000 |  | 08 |  |
| 00031001 |  | 09 |  |
| 00031010 |  | 0 A |  |
| 00001011 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{OB}$ |  |
| 00001100 |  | ${ }_{0}$ |  |
| 00001101 |  | OD |  |
| 00001110 |  | OE |  |
| 00001111 |  | Of |  |
| 00010000 |  | 10 |  |
| 00010001 |  | 11 |  |
| 00010010 |  | 12 |  |
| 00010011 |  | 13 |  |
| 00010100 |  | 14 |  |
| 00010101 |  | 15 |  |
| 00010110 |  | 16 |  |
| 00010111 |  | 17 |  |
| 00011000 |  | 18 |  |
| 00011001 |  | 19 |  |
| 00C11010 |  | 1 A |  |
| $006: 11011$ |  | 18 |  |
| $00 ¢ 11100$ |  | 1 C |  |
| 00C11101 |  | 10 |  |
| 006 |  | 1 E |  |
| $000 \overline{11111}$ |  | 1 F |  |
| 00100000 |  | 20 |  |
| 00100001 |  | 21 |  |
| 00100010 |  | 22 |  |
| 00100011 |  | 23 |  |
| 00,00100 |  | 24 |  |
| 00100101 |  | 25 |  |
| 00:00110 |  | 26 |  |
| 00:00111 |  | 27 |  |
| 00:01000 |  | 28 |  |
| 00.01001 |  | 29. |  |
| $00 \cdot 01010$ |  | 2A |  |
| 00:01011 |  | 2 B |  |
| $00 \cdot 101100$ |  | 2 C |  |
| 00101101 |  | 2 D |  |
| 00101110 |  | 2 E |  |
| 00101111 |  | 2 F |  |
| 00110000 |  | 30 |  |
| 00110001 |  | 31 |  |
| 00110010 |  | 32 |  |


| Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes <br> Place |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 00110011 |  | 33 |  |
| 00110100 |  | 34 |  |
| 00110101 |  | 35 |  |
| 00110110 |  | 36 |  |
| 00110111 |  | 37 |  |
| 00111000 |  | 38 |  |
| 00111001 |  | 39 |  |
| 00111010 |  | 3 A |  |
| 00111011 |  | 38 |  |
| 00111100 |  | 3 C |  |
| 00111101 |  | 3D |  |
| 00111110 |  | 3E |  |
| 00111111 |  | 3F |  |
| 01000000 | Blank | 40. |  |
| 01000001 |  | 41 |  |
| 01000010 |  | 42 |  |
| 01000011 |  | 43 |  |
| 01000100 |  | 44 |  |
| 01000101 |  | 45 |  |
| 01000110 |  | 46 |  |
| 01000111 |  | 47 |  |
| 01001000 |  | 48 |  |
| 01001001 |  | 49 |  |
| 01001010 | $\stackrel{+}{4}$ | 4A |  |
| 01001011 | . | 48 |  |
| 01001100 | $<$ | 4 C |  |
| 01001101 | 1 | 4 D |  |
| 01001110 | $+$ | 4 E |  |
| 01001111 | 1 | 4 F |  |
| 01010000 | \% | 50 |  |
| 01010001 |  | 51 |  |
| 01010010 |  | 52 |  |
| 01010011 |  | 53 |  |
| 01010100 |  | 54 |  |
| 01010101 |  | 55 |  |
| 01010110 |  | 56 |  |
| 01010111 |  | 57 |  |
| 01011000 |  | 58 |  |
| 01011001 |  | 59 |  |
| 01011010 | 1 | 5A |  |
| 01011011 | \$ | 58 |  |
| 01011100 | $\stackrel{-}{ }$ | $5 C$ |  |
| 01011101 | 1 | 50 |  |
| 01011110 |  | 5 E |  |
| 01011111 | 7 | 5 F |  |
| 01100000 |  | 60 |  |
| 01100001 | 1 | 61 |  |
| 01100010 |  | 62 |  |
| 01100011 |  | 63 |  |
| 01100100 |  | 64 |  |
| 01100101 |  | 65 |  |


| Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced Place Of |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 01100110 |  | 66 |  |
| 01100111 |  | 67 |  |
| 01101000 |  | 68 |  |
| 01101001 |  | 69 |  |
| 01101010 |  | 6A |  |
| 01101011 |  | 68 |  |
| 01101100 | \% | 6 C |  |
| 01101101 | - | 6 D |  |
| 01101110 | 7 | 6 E |  |
| 01101111 | ? | 6 F |  |
| 01110000 |  | 70 |  |
| 01110001 |  | 71 |  |
| 01110010 |  | 72 |  |
| 01110011 |  | 73 |  |
| 01110100 |  | 74 |  |
| 01110101 |  | 75 |  |
| 01110110 |  | 76 |  |
| 01110111 |  | 71 |  |
| 01111000 |  | 78 |  |
| 01111001 |  | 79 |  |
| 01111010 | : | 7A |  |
| 01111011 | \# | 7 B |  |
| 01111100 | - | ic |  |
| 01111101 |  | 70 |  |
| 01111110 | $=$ | 7 E |  |
| 01111111 | " | IF |  |
| 10000000 |  | 80 |  |
| 10000001 |  | 81 |  |
| 10000010 |  | 82 |  |
| 10000011 |  | 83 |  |
| 10000100 |  | 84 |  |
| 10000101 |  | 85 |  |
| 10000110 |  | 86 |  |
| 10000111 |  | 87 |  |
| 10001000 |  | 88 |  |
| 10001001 |  | 89 |  |
| 10001010 |  | 8A |  |
| 10001011 |  | 88 |  |
| 10001100 |  | 8 C |  |
| 10001101 |  | 8D |  |
| 10001110 |  | 8 E |  |
| 10001111 |  | 8 F |  |
| 10010000 |  | 90 |  |
| 10010001 |  | 91 |  |
| 10010010 |  | 92 |  |
| 10010011 |  | - 93 |  |
| 10010100 |  | 94 |  |
| 10010101 |  | 95 |  |
| 10010110 |  | 96 |  |
| 10010111 |  | 97 |  |
| 10011000 |  | ${ }^{38}$ |  |


| Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes Place Of |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10011001 |  | 99 |  |
| 10011010 |  | 9 A |  |
| 10011011 |  | 98 |  |
| 10011100 |  | 9 C |  |
| 10011101 |  | 90 |  |
| 10011110 |  | $9 E$ |  |
| 10011111 |  | 9 F |  |
| 10100000 |  | ${ }^{\text {A }}$ |  |
| 10100001 |  | A1 |  |
| 10100010 |  | A2 |  |
| 10100011 |  | A3 |  |
| 10100300 |  | A 4 |  |
| 10100101 |  | A5 |  |
| 10100110 |  | ${ }^{\text {A } 6}$ |  |
| 10100111 |  | A7 |  |
| 10101000 |  | A8 |  |
| 10101001 |  | A9 |  |
| 10101010 |  | AA |  |
| 10101011 |  | AB |  |
| 10101100 |  | ${ }^{\text {A }}$ |  |
| 10101101 |  | AD |  |
| 10101110 |  | AE |  |
| 10101111 |  | AF |  |
| 10110000 |  | во |  |
| 10110001 |  | B1 |  |
| 10110010 |  | B2 |  |
| 10110011 |  | B3 |  |
| 10110100 |  | 84 |  |
| 10110101 |  | B5 |  |
| 10110110 |  | B6 |  |
| 10110111 |  | B7 |  |
| 10111000 |  | B8 |  |
| . 10111001 |  | B9 |  |
| 10111010 |  | BA |  |
| 10111011 |  | BB |  |
| 10111100 |  | BC |  |
| 10111101 |  | BD |  |
| 10111110 |  | BE |  |
| 10111111 |  | BF |  |
| 11000000 |  | co |  |
| 11000001 | A | C1 |  |
| 11000010 | 8 | ${ }^{2}$ |  |
| 11000011 | c | C |  |
| 11000100 | D | C |  |
| 11000101 | E | C5 |  |
| 11000110 | F | C6 |  |
| 11000111 | G | ${ }^{\text {c7 }}$ |  |
| 11001000 | H | C8 |  |
| 11001001 | 1 | c9 |  |
| 11001010 |  | CA |  |
| 11001011 |  | CB |  |


| Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced <br> By/Takes Place Of |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11001100 |  | cc |  |
| 11001101 |  | CD |  |
| 11001110 |  | CE |  |
| 11001111 |  | CF |  |
| $\underline{11010000}$ | ) | D0 |  |
| 11010001 | J | D1 |  |
| 11010010 | k | D2 |  |
| 11010011 | 1 | D3 |  |
| 11010100 | M | D4 |  |
| 11010101 | N | D5 |  |
| 11010110 | 0 | D6 |  |
| 11010111 | P | D7 |  |
| 11011000 | o | D8 |  |
| 11011001 | R | D9 |  |
| 11011010 |  | DA |  |
| 11011011 |  | DB |  |
| 11011100 |  | DC |  |
| 11011101 |  | DD. |  |
| 11011110 |  | DE |  |
| 11011111 |  | DF |  |
| 11100000 |  | EO |  |
| 11100001 |  | E1 |  |
| 11100010 | 5 | E2 |  |
| 11100011 | T | E3 |  |
| 11100100 | U | E4 |  |
| 11100101 | v | E5 |  |
| 11100110 | w | E6 |  |
| 11100111 | x | E7 |  |
| 11101000 | r | E8 |  |
| 11101001 | 2 | E9 |  |
| 11101010 |  | EA |  |
| 11101011 |  | EB |  |
| 11101100 |  | EC |  |
| 11101101 |  | ED |  |
| 11101110 |  | EE |  |
| 11101111 |  | EF |  |
| 11110000 | 0 | F0 |  |
| 11110001 | 1 | F1 |  |
| 11110010 | 2 | F2 |  |
| 11110011 | 3 | F3 |  |
| 11110100 | 4 | F4 |  |
| 11110101 | 5 | F5 |  |
| 11110110 | 6 | F6 |  |
| 11110111 | 7 | F7 |  |
| 11111000 | 8 | $\mathrm{F}_{8}$ |  |
| 11111001 | 9 | F9 |  |
| 11111010 |  | FA |  |
| 11111011 |  | FB |  |
| 11111100 |  | FC |  |
| 11111101 |  | FD |  |
| 11111110 |  | FE |  |
| 11111111 |  | FF |  |

## Altering the Normal Collating Sequence

You can alter the normal collating sequence in several ways. You can insert a character between two existing characters, you can take a character out of the sequence, or you can change characters (put $A$ where $Z$ is, and $Z$ where $A$ is). Regardless of how you alter the sequence, you must specify every character to be changed by the alteration. For example, if you want the dollar sign (\$) to be positioned in the collating sequence between $A$ and $B$, the normal sequence is changed as follows:

| Normal | Altered | Normal | Altered |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Sequence | Sequence | Sequence | Sequence |
| A | A | F | E |
| B | $\$$ | G | F |
| C | B | H | G |
| D | C | I | H |
| E | D |  | I |

On the Translation Table and Alternate Collating Sequence Coding Sheet, note that there are many characters between $I$ and $\}, R$ and $S, Z$ and $O$. These characters can be represented in the computer and on records by a certain code. However, they have no printable graphic symbol. Due to this particular arrangement of graphics, nongraphics, graphics, etc. in the collating sequence, a character, when inserted between $A$ and $B$, changes only the position of graphics $B$ through $I$. All other graphics are not affected. $B$ through $I$ all move down one position, causing the $I$ to take the place of the nongraphic represented by hexadecimal CA. This does not matter, however, since the original character CA cannot be printed anyway. See Figure 8 for the entries on the Translation Table and Alternate Collating Sequence Coding Sheet.

The alternate sequence input record is constructed as follows (this record must be preceded by a record with **b in positions 1-3):

## TRANSLATION TABLE AND ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE CODING SHEET



Figure 8. Altering the Collating Sequence

| Position | Entry |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1-6$ | ALTSEQ |
| $7-8$ | (blanks) |
| $9-12$ | 5BC2 (\$ takes B's position) |
| $13-16$ | C2C3 (B takes C's position) |
| $17-20$ | C3C4 (C takes D's position) |
| $21-24$ | C4C5 (D takes E's position) |
| $25-28$ | C5C6 (E takes F's position) |
| $29-32$ | C6C7 (F takes G's position) |
| $33-36$ | C7C8 (G takes H's position) |
| $37-40$ | C8C9 (H takes I's position) |
| $41-44$ | C9CA (I takes a new position held by no <br> other printable character) |

## COLUMNS 27-36

Columns 27-36 are not used by System/3.

## COLUMN 37 (INQUIRY)

## Entry Explanation

Blank The program cannot be interrupted (does not recognize an inquiry request).

B The program can be interrupted (recognizes an inquiry request).

I The program is an inquiry program that can only be executed when an inquiry request is made.

System/3 Disk System allows certain programs to be interrupted while they are being processed. A request for interruption is called an inquiry request (made by depression of the REQUEST key on the printer-keyboard). Programs are usually interrupted to permit another program to run, then control is given back to the first program.

An I-type program is usually read in only when a B-type program is interrupted. In this case, the I-type program will not recognize an inquiry request. However, if an I-type program is loaded in the normal manner (not because of a program interrupt), it can only be executed when an inquiry request is made. While this program is running, it will not recognize an inquiry request.

The RPG II inquiry request is outlined in these steps:

1. Only a B-type program will recognize an inquiry request.
2. When the program recognizes an inquiry request, a roll-out routine moves the interrupted program from main storage to disk.
3. The program for which the interrupt was requested is processed. The interrupting program may be any type (blank, $B$, or $I$ ). This interrupting program cannot be interrupted.
4. After the interrupting program is executed, the interrupted program moves back into main storage using a roll-in routine. The interrupted program resumes execution at the point of interruption and terminates in a normal manner.

In the dual program mode, the same specifications apply, but only level 1 programs can be interrupted and moved out of main storage by a roll-out routine. For information about roll-out/roll-in, see IBM System/3 Disk Concepts and Planning Guide, GC21-7571.

Note: An inquiry request can also be made by using IBMwritten subroutine SUBR95 instead of roll-out/roll-in. For information on this method, see Appendix L.

COLUMNS 38-40

Columns 38-40 are not used by System/3.

## COLUMN 41 (1P FORMS POSITION)

## Entry Explanation

Blank First 1P line is printed only once.
1 First 1P line can be printed repeatedly.

When forms are first inserted in the printer, they may not always be in perfect alignment. Sometimes several lines must be printed to determine the correct positioning of the form. Since you may not want to print several lines of a report before getting the forms positioned correctly, you have the option of repeatedly printing the first line conditioned by the first page (1P) indicator. Each time the 1P line is printed, the program halts so you may reposition the forms if needed. Forms positioning applies to the first 1P output line for the first printer file. Page count is not incremented until the forms are positioned correctly.

## COLUMN 42 (INDICATOR SETTING)

Column 42 is not used.

## COLUMN 43 (FILE TRANSLATION)

## Entry Explanation

Blank No file translation is needed.
F Input, output, update, or combined files are to be translated.

Use column 43 only when information contained in an input, output, combined, or update file is in a form which requires translation. When file translation is specified for an update or combined file, both the input and output portions of the file are translated. In this discussion, input and output characters are referred to as external characters; characters used for processing within System/3 are called internal characters.

An $F$ in column 43 indicates either or both of the following:

1. The character code used in the input data (external character) must be translated into a form that can be used by your program (internal character).
2. The output data must be in a character code different from that used by your program.

## FILE TRANSLATION

RPG II allows you to translate any character code into another character code. This capability is file translation.

A different character code used as input can be translated into the code used by System/3, and the code used by System/3 can be translated into a different code for output.

## Specifications for File Translation

To indicate that there are files to be translated, enter an $F$ in column 43 of the RPG II Control Card Specifications Sheet. File translate table records must also be used to specify how the translation is to be done. The following entries are needed for each file translation table record used:

Positions 1-6: Enter *FILES to indicate that all input, output, update, and combined files are to undergo translation (both the input and output portions of update and combined files will be translated). Then use the specifications listed below, beginning with positions 9-10. All files will be translated according to the translate table specified beginning in position 9 .

If only certain files are to be translated, they must be named individually in positions 1-8 as follows:

Positions 1-8: Enter the filename of the input, output, update, or combined file to be translated (both the input and output portions of update and combined files will be translated). Then use the following specifications, beginning with positions 9-10.

Positions 9-10: Enter the hexadecimal equivalent of the external character. This is the character in a different character code to be translated from input data or for output data.

Positions 11-12: Enter the hexadecimal equivalent of the internal character. This is the character in the System/3 code which internally represents the external input or output character.

Positions 13-16, 17-20, and 21-24, etc: These groups of positions are used the same way as positions 9-12. The first two positions of a group give the character to be translated into the character named in the last two positions of a group. All tables for one file must be kept together. The file translation table input records must be preceded by a record with **b in positions 1-3. The remaining positions of this record may be used for comments. The file translation records must directly follow the RPG II specifications in the source program (Figure 3).

## Example

Assume that a department store must process cards serving as sales slips for all items sold. Each card contains a punched and printed record of the actual, or wholesale, cost of its associated item along with a retail price.

Since wholesale cost is confidential, the store uses individual letters of a code name in place of wholesale cost figures.

A typical code name consists of a combination of letters that can be easily remembered by the store's personnel. The only restriction, however, is that the code name must contain ten different letters, one for each of the numbers zero through nine.

Using the code name BUCKINGHAM to represent numbers one through nine and zero, the letter B represents the number 1 ; letter $U$ represents number 2 , etc. Letter $M$ represents zero. Individual letters are combined to represent each item's wholesale cost. Thus a wholesale cost of BBU.CC translates as 112.33; that is, one hundred twelve dollars and thirty-three cents.

In the following chart, hexadecimal equivalents of each letter in the word BUCKINGHAM are listed along with the hexadecimal equivalents of numbers one through nine and zero.

| Letter in <br> Code name | Hexadecimal <br> Equivalent | Number | Hexadecimal <br> Equivalent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| B | C2 | 1 | F1 |
| U | E4 | 2 | F2 |
| C | C3 | 3 | F3 |
| K | D2 | 4 | F4 |
| I | C9 | 5 | F5 |
| N | D5 | 6 | F6 |
| G | C7 | 7 | F7 |
| H | C8 | 8 | F8 |
| A | C1 | 9 | F9 |
| M | D4 | 0 | F0 |

Hexadecimal equivalents are merely a different way of representing the 8 -bit code that the computer examines to recognize individual characters in your language.

See Figure 9. Note that if letters BBU were read and never translated, hexadecimal equivalents C2, C2, and E4 would be used by System $/ 3$. As a result, it would be impossible to perform an arithmetic operation involving the wholesale cost, BBU. Therefore, with the aid of file translation, the computer replaces the letters BBU with numbers.

File translation table input card specifications for letters in the word BUCKINGHAM are as follows:

| Column | Entry |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1-6 | *FILES |
| 7-8 | Blank |
| 9-12 | C2F1 |
| 13-16 | E4F2 |
| 17-20 | C3F3 |
| 21-24 | D2F4 |
| 25-28 | C9F5 |
| 29-32 | D5F6 |
| 33-36 | C7F7 |
| 37-40 | C8F8 |
| 41-44 | C1F9 |
| 45-48 | D4F0 |
| Only the letters of the previous example will be specified for translation. All other characters will be handled in the normal manner. Figure 10 shows the entries made on the Translation Table and Alternate Collating Sequence Coding Sheet for the previous example. |  |
| COLUMN 44 (PUNCH MFCU ZEROS) |  |
| Entry | Explanation |
| Blank | Leading zeros are removed. |
| 1 | Leading zeros are used. |

ranslatioñ table and alternate collíting sequence coding sheet


Figure 9. Differences in Character Codes

This column applies only to output on the MFCU. If the column is left blank, all numeric output fields on the MFCU will be zero suppressed to the units position. Enter a 1 in column 44 when you wish to have leading zeros on fields punched or printed by the MFCU.

If an edit word or edit code is defined for fields to be printed or punched on the MFCU, the edit word or code will override column 44.

## COLUMN 45 (NONPRINT CHARACTERS)

Entry Explanation
Blank Program halts if an unprintable character was in the last line printed.

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No program halt for such unprintable characters.

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{ }$ | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced $\mathrm{By} /$ Takes Place Of | Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes Place Of | Code | Systern/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes Place Of | Code | System/3 Graphic | Entry | Replaced By/Takes Place Of |
| 110011 |  | 33 |  | 01100110 |  | 66 |  | 10011001 |  | 99 |  | 11001100 |  | CC |  |
| 110100 |  | 34 |  | 01100111 |  | 67 |  | 10011010 |  | 9A |  | 11001101 |  | CD |  |
| 110101 |  | 35 |  | 01101000 |  | 68 |  | 10011011 |  | 9B |  | 11001110 |  | CE |  |
| 110110 |  | 36 |  | 01101001 |  | 69 |  | 10011100 |  | 9 C |  | 11001111 |  | CF |  |
| 110111 |  | 37 |  | 01101010 |  | 6A |  | 10011101 |  | 9 D |  | 11010000 | 3 | D0 |  |
| 111000 |  | 38 |  | 01101011 |  | 6 B |  | 10011110 |  | 9E |  | 11010001 | $J$ | D1 |  |
| 111001 |  | 39 |  | 01101100 | \% | 6C |  | 10011111 |  | 9F |  | 11010010 | K | D2 | F4 |
| 111010 |  | 3A |  | 01101101 | - | 60 |  | 10100000 |  | AO |  | 11010011 | $L$ | D3 |  |
| 111011 |  | 3B |  | 01101110 | $>$ | 6 E |  | 10100001 |  | A1 |  | 11010100 | M | D4 | $F \Phi$ |
| 111100 |  | 3 C |  | 01101111 | $?$ | $6 F$ |  | 10100010 |  | A2 |  | 11010101 | N | D5 | F6 |
| 111101 |  | 3D |  | 01110000 |  | 70 |  | 10100011 |  | A3 |  | 11010110 | 0 | D6 |  |
| 111110 |  | 3E |  | 01110001 |  | 71 |  | 10100100 |  | A4 |  | 11010111 | P | D7 |  |
| 111111 |  | 3F |  | 01110010 |  | 72 |  | 10100101 |  | A5 |  | 11011000 | Q | D8 |  |
| 000000 | Blank | 40 |  | 01110011 |  | 73 |  | 10100110 |  | A6 |  | 11011001 | R | D9 |  |
| 000001 |  | 41 |  | 01110100 |  | 74 |  | 10100111 |  | A7 |  | 11011010 |  | DA |  |
| 000010 |  | 42 |  | 01110101 |  | 75 |  | 10101000 |  | A8 |  | 11011011 |  | DB |  |
| 000011 |  | 43 |  | 01110110 |  | 76 |  | 10101001 |  | A9 |  | 11011100 |  | DC |  |
| 000100 |  | 44 |  | 01110111 |  | 77 |  | 10101010 |  | AA |  | 11011101 |  | DD |  |
| 000101 |  | 45 |  | 01111000 |  | 78 |  | 10101011 |  | AB |  | 11011110 |  | DE |  |
| 000110 |  | 46 |  | 01111001 |  | 79 |  | 10101100 |  | AC |  | 11011111 |  | DF |  |
| 000111 |  | 47 |  | 01111010 | : | 7A |  | 10101101 |  | AD |  | 11100000 |  | EO |  |
| 001000 |  | 48 |  | 01111011 | \# | 7 B |  | 10101110 |  | AE |  | 11100001 |  | E1 |  |
| 001001 |  | 49 |  | 01111100 | @ | 7 C |  | 10101111 |  | AF |  | 11100010 | S | E2 |  |
| 001010 | ¢ | 4A |  | 01111101 |  | 7 D |  | 10110000 |  | B0 |  | 11100011 | T | E3 |  |
| 001011 |  | 4B |  | 01111110 | - | 7E |  | 101i000i |  | Bi |  | 11100100 | U | $\underline{E} 4$ | E2 |
| 001100 | $\leq$ | 4 C |  | 01111111 | " | 7F |  | 10110010 |  | B2 |  | 11100101 | $v$ | E5 |  |
| 001101 | 1 | 4 D |  | 10000000 |  | 80 |  | 10110011 |  | B3 |  | 11100110 | w | E6 |  |
| 001110 | $+$ | 4E |  | 10000001 |  | 81 |  | 10110100 |  | B4 |  | 11100111 | $\underline{X}$ | E7 |  |
| 001111 | 1 | 4F |  | 10000010 |  | 82 |  | 10110101 |  | B5 |  | 11101000 | Y | E8 |  |
| 010000 | \& | 50 |  | 10000011 |  | 83 |  | 10110110 |  | 86 |  | 11101001 | 2 | E9 |  |
| 010001 |  | 51 |  | 10000100 |  | 84 |  | 10110181 |  | B7 |  | 11101010 |  | EA |  |
| 010010 |  | 52 |  | 10000101 |  | 85 |  | 10111000 |  | B8 |  | 11101011 |  | EB |  |
| 010011 |  | 53 |  | 10000110 |  | 86 |  | 10111001 |  | B9 |  | 11101100 |  | EC |  |
| 010100 |  | 54 |  | 10000111 |  | 87 |  | 10111010 |  | BA |  | 11101101 |  | ED |  |
| 010101 |  | 55 |  | 10001000 |  | 88 |  | 10111011 |  | B8 |  | 11101110 |  | EE |  |
| 010110 |  | 56 |  | 10001001 |  | 89 |  | 10111100 |  | BC |  | 11101111 |  | EF |  |
| 010111 |  | 57 |  | 10001010 |  | 8A |  | 10111101 |  | BD |  | 11110000 | 0 | FO |  |
| 011000 |  | 58 |  | 10001011 |  | 8B |  | 10111110 |  | BE |  | 11110001 | 1 | F1 |  |
| 011001 |  | 59 |  | 10001100 |  | 8C |  | 10111111 |  | BF |  | 11110010 | 2 | F2 |  |
| 011010 | $!$ | 5A |  | 10001101 |  | 8D |  | 11000000 |  | CO |  | 11110011 | 3 | F3 |  |
| 011011 | \$ | 5B |  | 10001110 |  | BE |  | 11000001 | A | C1 | $F 9$ | 11110100 | 4 | F4 |  |
| 011100 | * | 5 C |  | 10001111 |  | 8 F |  | 11000010 | 8 | C2 | F1 | 11110101 | 5 | F5 |  |
| 011101 | 1 | 50 |  | 10010000 |  | 90 |  | 11000011 | C | C3 | F3 | 11110110 | 6 | F6 |  |
| 011110 | : | 5E |  | 10010001 |  | 91 |  | 11000100 | D | C4 |  | 11110111 | 7 | F7 |  |
| 011111 | 7 | 5F |  | 10010010 |  | 92 |  | 11000101 | E | C5 |  | 11111000 | 8 | F8 |  |
| 100000 | - | 60 |  | 10010011 |  | 93 |  | 11000110 | F | C6 |  | 11111001 | 9 | F9 |  |
| 100001 | 1 | 61 |  | 10010100 |  | 94 |  | 11000111 | G | S5\% | 数\% | 11111010 |  | FA |  |
| 100010 |  | 62 |  | 10010101 |  | 95 |  | 11001000 | H |  |  | 11111011 |  | FB |  |
| 100011 |  | 63 |  | 10010110 |  | 96 |  | 11001001 | 1 | C9. | 金F5 | 11111100 |  | FC |  |
| 100100 |  | 64 |  | 10010111 |  | 97 |  | 11001010 |  | \% ${ }^{\text {\% }}$ |  | 11111101 |  | FD |  |
| 100101 |  | 65 |  | 10011000 |  | 98 |  | 11001011 |  | ${ }^{*}$ | - | $\underline{11111110}$ |  | FE |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - | 11111111 |  | FF |  |
| This is the hexadecimal equivalent of the character to be translated. <br> This is the hexadecimal equivalent of the System/3 character that will be substituted for the character that is to be translated. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Figure 10. Specifications for File Translation Input Cards

Column 45 is used to bypass machine halts for unprintable characters. This column applies to the printer and the printer keyboard. All characters are known to the system by a numeric code. If a numeric code is formed which is not known to your system (not in your character set) and that character is to be printed, the machine will halt after printing the line. The unprintable characters will have been replaced by blanks.

If you wish to bypass this halt, enter a one (1) in column 45. An unprintable character will be printed as a blank and no halt will occur. Note, however, that this option could make some types of output data meaningless.

## COLUMNS 46-47

Columns 46-47 are not used.

## COLUMN 48 (SHARED I/O AREA)

## Entry Explanation

1 All disk files share a single input/output area.

Blank All disk files use a separate input/output area.

Column 48 applies to disk files only. Enter a 1 in this column to indicate that all disk files in the program share a single input/output area.

Normally an RPG II program uses one input/output area for each file. An entry in column 48 allows all disk files to use one input/output area. By specifying a shared input/output area, you can reduce the amount of core storage needed to process a program. This is particularly important if a program is so large that it cannot run in the core storage you have available. However, the use of a shared input/output area increases the time required to process your program. Therefore, before you indicate that all disk files are to share one input/output area, be sure that the program would otherwise exceed the capacity of the system.

Note: Additional input/output areas (entry in column 32 of the File Description sheet) cannot be specified for disk files using a shared input/output area.

# COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION) 

See Chapter 2.

File description specifications are required for every file used by a program. Write these specifications on the Control Card and File Description Sheet (Figure 11). Only one line is needed to describe a file. A maximum of 20 file description records are allowed per program.

At the end of this chapter is a series of charts showing all possible files that can be defined on the File Description Sheet. The charts are arranged by device, showing the basic entries for all possible disk, card, console, and printer files.

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)

See Chapter 2.

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)
See Chapter 2.

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

An $F$ must appear in column 6.


File Description Specifications


Figure 11. Control Card and File Description Sheet

## COLUMNS 7-14 (FILENAME)

Use columns $7-14$ to assign a unique filename to every file used in your program except compile time table and array files, which must not be named on the File Description Sheet. (Compile time tables and arrays are described on the Extension Sheet.) The filename can be from $1-8$ characters long, must begin in column 7, and must be a valid RPG II name. The filename can be the same as a field name.

Pre-execution time table and array files are described on the File Description Sheet. More than one table or array file can be described for the same device (see columns $40-46$ in this chapter). For the MFCU (but not for other devices), a single file may contain more than one table or array. In this case, the MFCU file would be named only once on the File Description Sheet, but each table or array within the file would be described separately on the Extension Sheet (see Tables and Arrays in Chapter 5).

COLUMN 15 (FILE TYPE)

| Entry | Explanation |
| :--- | :--- |
| I | Input file |
| O | Output file |
| U | Update file |
| C | Combined file |
| D | Display file |

Use column 15 to identify the way in which your program uses the file.

## Input File

Input files are records that a program uses as a source of data. When input files are described in a program it indicates that records are to be read from the file. All input files except table and record address files must be further described on the Input Sheet. Table files and record address files must be further described in the Extension Sheet.

## Output Files

Output files are records that are written, punched, or printed by a program. All output files, except table and array output files, must be further described on the OutputFormat Sheet.

## Update Files

Update files are disk files from which a program reads a record, updates fields in the record, and writes the record back in the location from which it was read. Update files must be further described on both the Input Sheet and Output-Format Sheet; only the fields to be updated must be described on the Output-Format Sheet. A chained file or a demand file may be updated at detail time or at total time or exception time. All other disk files can be updated only at detail time.

## Combined Files

A combined file is both an input file and an output file. A combined file must be assigned to the MFCU. A program reads records from a combined file and includes output data on the records in the file. The result is one file that contains both input and output data. Combined files must be further described on both the Input Sheet and OutputFormat Sheet.

If an MFCU file is a combined file, output data can be printed or punched on cards as they are read.

Output to a combined file can occur once per cycle.

## Display Files

A display file is a collection of information from fields used by a program. The DSPLY operation code must be used on the Calculation Sheet in order to print a field or record directly from storage and/or key data into a field or record in storage. Display files need only be described on the File Description Sheet. The device associated with a display file must be a printer keyboard (console). See Operation Codes, Display in Chapter 8 for more information.

## COLUMN 16 (FILE DESIGNATION)

Entry Explanation
P Primary file
S Secondary file
C Chained file
R Record address file
T Table or array file (pre-execution time tables or arrays)

D Demand file

Use column 16 to further identify the use of input, update, combined, and chained output files. Leave the column blank for display files and all output files except chained output files (direct load).

## Primary Files

A primary file is the main file from which a program reads records. In multifile processing the primary file is used to control the order in which records are selected for processing. It can be an input, update, or combined file. In programs that read records from only one file, that file is the primary file. Every program must have one, and only one, primary file.

## Secondary Files

Secondary files apply to programs that do multifile processing. All of the files involved in multifile processing, except the primary file, are secondary files. A secondary file can be an input, update, or combined file. Secondary files are processed in the order in which they are written in the file description specifications.

Note that table, chained, record address, and demand files are not involved in record selection in multifile processing.

See Multifile Processing (columns 61-62) in Chapter 7 for more information on primary and secondary files.

## Chained Files

A chained file is a disk file that is read randomly or loaded directly via the CHAIN operation code. A maximum of 15 chained and/or demand files are allowed per program.

A chained file can be an input, output, or update file. See Column 28 (Mode of Processing), Random in this chapter, and Operation Codes, CHAIN in Chapter 8.

## Record Address Files

A record address file is an input file that indicates which records are to be read from a disk file and the order in which the records are to be read from the disk file. You cannot use more than one record address file in a program. All record address files must be further defined in extension specifications.

Record address files contain either record key limits or relative record numbers in binary format. Record address files that contain record key limits can be disk files, card files, or can be entered by the printer-keyboard.

Record address files that contain binary relative record numbers can only be disk files. Those files that contain limits are used with indexed files only. See Column 28 (Mode of Processing), Sequential Within Limits in this chapter for more information.

Record address files on disk that contain binary relative record numbers are called ADDROUT (address output) files. They are produced by the Disk Sort Program and can be used with any type of disk file. See Column 28 (Mode of Processing), By ADDROUT File in this chapter for more information.

## Table or Array Files

A table or array file is a sequential input file that contains table or array entries. The entries can be read into the program during compilation or immediately before execution of the program. Only pre-execution time tables or arrays are described on the File Description Sheet. However, both pre-execution and compile time tables and arrays must be described in the Extension Sheet.

A table or array output file (written or punched after LR output) is defined as a normal output file and does not require an entry in column 16.

Table and array files are not involved in record selection and processing. They are only a means of supplying entries for tables or arrays used by the program. When table or array files are read during the execution of the program, the program reads all the entries from the table or array files before it begins record processing. See Tables and Arrays in Chapter 5 for additional information.

## Demand Files

Demand files can be input, update, or combined files. The READ operation code must be used on the Calculation Sheet in order to read from a demand file. Demand files can only be processed sequentially. A maximum of 15 demand and/or chained files are allowed per program. See Operation Codes, READ in Chapter 8 for a discussion of processing demand files.

COLUMN 17 (END OF FILE)
Entry Explanation
E All records from the file must be processed before the program can end.

Blank 1. The program can end whether or not all of the records from the file have been processed.
2. If column 17 is blank for all of the files, all records from every file must be processed before the program can end.

Column 17 applies to programs that perform multifile processing. Use it to indicate whether or not the program can end before all of the records from the file are processed. It applies only to input, update, and combined files that are used as primary, secondary, or record address files.

A program that performs multifile processing could reach the end of one file before reaching the end of the others. It therefore needs some indication of whether it is to continue reading records from the other files or end the program. An entry in column 17 in the descriptions of the files provides that indication.

If the records from all the files must be processed, column 17 must be blank for all files, or contain $E$ 's for all files.

## End-of-File Processing

By specifying an $E$ in column 17 of the File Description Sheet, you indicate that the job is to end after all records are processed from the file for which you specified the $E$. In most cases, the job will end at the time all records from that file are processed. However, under certain conditions additional records may be processed after all records from the file with the $E$ designation are processed. The exceptional situation is in matching records when an $E$ is designated for the primary file and all records from that file have been processed. The job will end only after all secondary records that match the last primary record have been processed or the first secondary record without a match field has been encountered.

Figure 12 shows the records that will be processed for various end-of-file situations.

| $\begin{array}{cc} \text { Primary Fiie } & \text { Secondary File } \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{l^{*}}---7 & 3 \\ & --\frac{3}{4}-- \end{array}$ <br> Letter E Designated for Primary File Only |
| :---: |
| $\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \\ - & \frac{3}{l^{*}}-- \end{array} \text { no match field }_{4}^{5}-$ <br> Letter E Designated for Primary File Only |
| $\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 1 \\ 2 \\ -\frac{3}{l^{*}}--7 & 2 \\ & 3 \\ 1 & 3 \\ & \text { no match } \\ & \\ & \text { no match } \end{array}$ <br> Letter E Designated for Primary File Only |
| Key: - Numeric values show contents of match fields <br> - All records above dotted line are processed before the job ends |

Figure 12. End-of File Processing

## COLUMN 18 (SEQUENCE)

## Entry Explanation

A Sequence checking is to be done. Records in the file are in ascending order.

D Sequence checking is to be done. Records in the file are in descending order.

Blank No sequence checking is to be done.

Column 18 applies to update files, combined files, and all input files except table, array, chained, demand, and record address files. Leave column 18 blank for output, display, record address, table or array files, and chained files. Use it to indicate whether or not the program is to check the sequence of the records. Use columns 61-62 on the Input Sheet to identify the matching fields containing the sequence information.

Sequence checking is required when match fields are used in the records from the file. When a record from a matching input file is out of sequence, the program halts, and the operator has three options:

1. Bypass the record out of sequence and read the next record from the same file.
2. Bypass the record out of sequence, turn on the LR indicator and perform all end-of-job and final total procedures.
3. Cancel the entire program.

## COLUMN 19 (FILE FORMAT)

Entry Explanation

## F Fixed length records

Column 19 must contain an $F$ entry. This entry indicates that all of the records in the file are of the same length.

## COLUMNS 20-23 (BLOCK LENGTH)

| Entry | Explanation |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1-4096 | 1. $\quad$Multiple of disk record length or <br> disk record length. |
|  | 2. MFCU record length. |
|  | 3. $\quad$ Printer-Keyboard record length. |
|  | 4. $\quad$ Printer record length. |
| Blank | Block length for this file is the same as <br> record length. |

Columns 20-23 have a different use depending on the device named for the file. If an entry is specified, the entry must end in column 23, and leading zeros can be omitted (Figure 13 ).

## Block Length for Disk Records

Disk block length must be a number equal to record length or a multiple of record length. The maximum block length is 4096 .

Block length does not affect the way records are written on disk. Its function is to specify the amount of core storage to use for input/output area.

If a value equal to the disk record length is entered in these columns, RPG II will assign an efficient block length. See Table E-7 in Appendix $E$ for block lengths computed by RPG II for various disk files and record lengths.

| Device <br> (Columns 40-46) | Columns 20-23 <br> (Block Length) | Columns 24-27 <br> (Record Length) | Maximum <br> Record Length |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| DISK or <br> DISK45 | Record length <br> or a multiple <br> of record length. | Record length | 4096 |
| MFCU1 or <br> MFCU2 | Record length. | Record length | 96 |
| CONSOLE <br> (printer-keyboard) | Record length. | Record length | 125 |
| PRINTER or <br> PRINTR2 | Record length. | Record length <br> (number of <br> print positions) |  |
| TAPE | Record length or a <br> multiple of record <br> length plus the <br> buffer offset. | Record length | 4096 |

Figure 13. Block Length and Record Length Entries

## Block Length for Tape Records

The block length for tape records must be a multiple of the record length plus the length of the buffer offset and the total length must be from 18 to 4096 characters. When figuring the block length, remember to allow space for:

1. The number of records to be in a block.
2. The length of the buffer offset (block prefix).

For a discussion of buffer offset, see Columns 54-59 (Continuation Line Option).

## COLUMNS 24-27 (RECORD LENGTH)

Entry Explanation
1-4096 The number of characters in each record (limited by the device used).

18-4096 Record length for tape files.

Use columns 24-27 to indicate the length of the records in the file. All of the records in one file must be the same length. (For update files, the length of a record after it is updated must be the same as before it was updated.) The maximum record length allowed and the size of the I/O area assigned depend upon the device assigned to the file (see Figure 13). For printer and MFCU, an I/O area equal to the maximum record length is assigned. The record length specified, however, may be shorter than the maximum length for the device.

The entry you place in these columns must end in column 27. Leading zeros can be omitted.

The record length for tape must specify the size of the data records to be processed by this program.

## COLUMN 28 (MODE OF PROCESSING)

| Entry | Explanation |
| :---: | :---: |
| L | Sequential within limits |
| R | 1. Random by relative record number. |
|  | 2. Random by key. |
|  | 3. By ADDROUT file. |
|  | 4. Direct file load (random load). |
| Blank | 1. Sequential by key. |
|  | 2. Consecutive. |

Use column 28 to indicate the method by which records are to be read from the file or to indicate that a direct file load (random load) is to take place.

For disk files specified as primary, secondary, or chained files, the possible methods depend upon the organizations of the files (Figure 14). For the other types of files, consecutive processing is the only possible method.

Column 31 is used to further identify the method for the program. See column 31 (Record Address Type) in this chapter.


Figure 14. Possible Record Retrieval Methods for Disk Files

## Consecutive

The consecutive method applies to all sequential and direct files. It may also be used with indexed input files. During consecutive processing records are read in the order in which they physically appear in the file. The contents of spaces left for missing records in direct files are read as though the records were there. (When a direct file is loaded, such spaces are filled with blanks.) You should allow for these blank records in your program.

The program reads records from the file until either the end of that file is reached or the program ends due to the end-of-file condition of another file. See Column 17, End of File in this chapter for more information about the second condition.

## By ADDROUT File

An ADDROUT (address output) file is a record address file produced by the Disk Sort Program. It is a file of 3-byte disk records containing binary relative record numbers of records in a disk file. RPG II converts the binary relative record number to a disk address and locates and reads the record at that address in the original disk file. Records are read in this manner until either the end of the ADDROUT file is reached or the program ends due to the end-of-file condition of another file (see Examples, Example 1). See Column 17, End of File in this chapter for more information about the second condition.

## Sequential By Key

The sequential by key method of processing applies to indexed disk files that are used as primary, secondary, or demand files.

Records are read in ascending key sequence (the order in which the record keys are arranged in the index portion of the file). The program reads records until all records in the file are processed or the program ends due to the end of file condition of another file. See Column 17, End of File for more information about the second condition.

## Sequential Within Limits

The sequential within limits method applies only to indexed disk files used as primary and secondary files and demand files. A limits record consists of the lowest record key and the highest record key of the records in the indexed disk file which are to be read. Limits records are contained in a record address file. The record address file can be located on disk, punched on cards, or entered by the printer-keyboard.

To process sequentially within limits, the program reads:

1. A limits record from the record address file.
2. Records with keys greater than or equal to the low record key and less than or equal to the high record key.

The program repeats these two steps until either the end of the record address file is reached or the program ends due to the end-of-file condition of another file. See Column 17, End of File in this section for more information about the second condition.

The format of the records in a record address file containing limits must conform to these rules:

1. Only one set of limits is allowed per record in the record address file.
2. The low record key must begin in position one of the record. The high record key must follow the low record key. A record key can be from 1-29 characters in length.
3. Both the low record key and the high record key must be equal in length to the key field length specified in columns 29-30. Therefore, leading zeros may be necessary in specifying numeric record keys.
4. An alphameric record key may contain blanks.
5. If keys in the indexed files are packed, the keys on the limits records must also be packed.

The same set of limits can appear in more than one record address record. Data records, therefore, can be processed as many times as you wish.

The two record keys in a limits record can be equal. In this case, however, only one data record will be read.

## Random

The two methods, random by relative record number and random by key, apply to chained files only. They require the use of the CHAIN operation code. The records of a file to be read or written must be processed by the CHAIN operation code. The records are read or written only when the CHAIN statements that identify them are executed.

For sequential and direct files, relative record numbers must be used to identify the records (see Examples, Example 3). Relative record numbers identify the positions of the records relative to the beginning of the file. For example, the relative record numbers of the first, fifth, and seventh records in a file are 1,5 , and 7 respectively. (See Operation Codes, CHAIN in Chapter 8 for a description and example of direct file loading.)

For indexed files, record keys must be used to identify the records (see Examples, Example 4). A record key is the information from the key field of a record. The information is used in the index portion of the file to identify the record. Indexed files may also be processed randomly by relative record number if they are input files.

Records are read during the calculation phase of the program. Therefore, fields from these records can be used during detail or total calculations. Note then, that fields of records read from chained update files can be read and altered during total calculations and the records can be updated (written back on the file with alterations) during
total output: the same also applies to detail calculations and detail output (see Examples, Example 5).

## Examples

## Example 1

Figure 15 shows processing a sequential disk fiie by an ADDROUT file. The record address file, ADRTFILE, defined as an ADDROUT disk file, consists of 3-byte binary
relative record numbers which correspond to locations of records on the input disk file, MASTER. As each record is read from ADRTFILE, the indicated record from MASTER is located and read. For each record read from MASTER (indicator 01 is on), a detail line is printed on the printer output file, PRINTER.

Since end of file ( $E$ in column 17 of the File Description Sheet) is specified for the ADDROUT file, processing continues until all records in ADRTFILE have been read.


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Figure 15. Processing a Sequential Disk File with an ADDROUT File (Part 1 of 2)



Figure 15. Processing a Sequential Disk File with an ADDROUT File (Part 2 of 2)

## Example 2

In Figure 16, the input disk file, MASTER, described as an indexed file to be processed by record keys is to be processed within the limits contained on the record address file, LIMITS. The LIMITS file, which is further described on the Extension Sheet, is to be read from the primary MFCU hopper.

Each set of limits read from LIMITS will consist of the low and high account numbers to be processed. Since the account number key field (ACCT) is eight positions long, each set of limits will include two 8-position keys.

As MASTER is processed within each set of limits, the corresponding records are written out on the output printer file, PRINT. Processing is complete when all sets of limits have been processed.


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Figure 16. Processing an Indexed File Sequentially Within Limits (Part 1 of 2)



Figure 16. Processing an Indexed File Sequentially Within Limits (Part 2 of 2)

## Example 3

In Figure 17, the direct update file, MASTER, is to be processed randomly by relative record numbers. The account number (ACCT) from the primary MFCU file, CHANGE, is used as the relative record number.

As each record is read from CHANGE, the MASTER record corresponding to the account number is read during calculation time by the CHAIN operation code. At detail output time, the data in the NEW field replaces the original data in the NAMADR field and the updated MASTER record is output to its original relative record location on the disk file.


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Figure 17. Random Processing of a Direct File by Relative Record Number (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 17. Random Processing of a Direct File by Relative Record Number (Part 2 of 2)

## Example 4

Figure 18 shows random processing by key of an indexed file. MASTER, a chained update file, is described on the File Description Sheet as an indexed file to be processed by keys. As each record is read from the input card file,

CHANGE, the account number (ACCT) is used as the key to chain to the corresponding record in MASTER at calculation time. At detail output time, the data in the NEW field of CHANGE replaces the original data in the NAMADR field. The updated MASTER record is then written on its original disk location. See Column 32 in this chapter for a description of indexed file organization.


Figure 18. Random Processing of an Indexed File by Key (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 18. Random Processing of an Indexed File by Key (Part 2 of 2)

## Example 5

Figure 19 shows the updating of an indexed file. The indexed file, MASTER, is described as a chained update file to be processed by keys. The key field in MASTER is ITEMNO, in positions 1-10. The index will be sorted into ascending sequence when processing is complete.

As each record is read from TRANS, the input transaction file, the ITEMNO field is used as the key to chain to MASTER during calculations. If the character 2 is in position 64 of the transaction record, the quantity in ADJUST is added to the ONHAND field of MASTER. If the character 3 is in position 64, ADJUST is subtracted from ONHAND. If the character 1 appears in location 64 of the MASTER record, the updated ONHAND field is written out on its original location in the MASTER record at detail output time.


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Figure 19. Updating an Indexed File (Part 1 of 2)




Figure 19. Updating an Indexed File (Part 2 of 2)

## COLUMNS 29-30 (LENGTH OF KEY FIELD OR RECORD ADDRESS FIELD)

Entry Explanation
Number Length of record key or ADDROUT file record

Columns 29-30 apply only to indexed disk files and record address files. Enter:

1. The length of the record keys in indexed files and record address files that contain limits.
2. The length of the records in ADDROUT files.
3. The length of record keys in packed format.

All of the key fields in the records in an indexed file must be the same length. The maximum is 29 bytes; 8 bytes are for record keys in packed format. All of the records in an ADDROUT file have a length of three. A leading zero is not required for entries of 1-9.

## COLUMN 31 (RECORD ADDRESS TYPE)

## Entry Explanation

A Record keys are used in processing and loading indexed files.

I The file is being processed by means of an ADDROUT file or the file is an ADDROUT file.

P Record keys in packed format are used in processing and loading indexed files.

Blank 1. Relative record numbers are used in processing sequential and direct files.
2. A sequential or direct file is being loaded.
3. Records are read consecutively.

Column 31 applies to disk files specified as input, update, or chained output files. It indicates the way in which records in the file are identified (Figure 20). Together, columns 28 and 31 indicate:

| PRIMARY AND SECONDARY FILES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Method | Column 28 <br> (Mode of Processing) | Column 31 <br> (Record Address Type) |
| Consecutive | Blank | Blank |
| By ADDROUT | T R | 1 |
| Sequential By <br> Key | Blank | A or ${ }^{\text {P }}$ |
| Sequential Within Limits | L | A |


| CHAINED FILES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Method (Mod | Column 28 <br> Mode of Processing) | Column 31 <br> (Record Address Type) |
| Random By Relative | R | Blank |
| Record Number |  |  |
| Random By Key | ey R | A |
| Direct File Load (Random Load) | d) R | Blank* |

* A direct file load requires an $O$ in column 15 and a $C$ in column 16.

Figure 20. Specifications Identifying Methods for Retrieving Records or Loading a Direct File

1. The method by which records are read from the file.
2. A direct file load.

For ADDROUT files, column 31 must contain an $I$.

Note: When building a file with packed keys ( P in column 31), you must specify the key field as packed in output specifications.

COLUMN 32 (FILE ORGANIZATION OR ADDITIONAL I/O AREA)
Entry Explanation

I Indexed file.

## T ADDROUT file.

1-9 Sequential file or direct file. Use two input/output areas for the file. (The digit two is preferred because a maximum of two input/output areas are allowed.)

Blank Sequential file or direct file. Use one input/output area for the file.

Use column 32 to:

- Identify the organization of all files except ADDROUT files.
- Identify ADDROUT files.
- Indicate whether one or two input/output areas are to be used for sequential files or direct files.


## File Organization

File organization is the arrangement of records in a file. The three types are indexed, direct, and sequential. Files organized in these ways are called indexed files, direct files, and sequential files, respectively.

## Indexed Files

An indexed file is a disk file in which the location of records is recorded in a separate portion of the file called an index. The index and its associated file occupy adjacent positions on disk. The index contains the record key and record location of every record (Figure 21).

A record key is the information from the key field of a record. The record key can be used to identify the records of an indexed file. Record keys are always required in an indexed file. Indexed files may be loaded with the keys in ascending sequence or keys in non-ascending sequence. After a file is loaded in non-ascending key sequence, the keys in the index are sorted into ascending sequence. See Column 66 of the File Description Sheet for a definition of the unordered load function.


If the record keys are not in ascending sequence, they are sorted into ascending sequence.

The order of the records in the data portion remains unchanged when the entries in the index are sorted.


Figure 21. Indexed File Organization

## Direct Files

Direct files are disk files in which records are assigned specific record positions. Regardless of the order in which the records are put in the file, they always occupy a specific position (a specific disk address). Relative record numbers identify the relative position of a record within the file.

Before a direct file is loaded the entire disk area (a minimum of one track is allocated) for the direct file is cleared to blanks. Spaces are reserved in a direct file for records not available at the time the file is loaded (Figure 22). You should handie these blank records in your program.

## Sequential Files

Sequential files are files in which the order of the records is determined by the order in which the records are put in the file. For example, the tenth record put in the file occupies the tenth record position.

Files other than disk files are always sequential files.

## Additional Input/Output Area

Normally the program uses one input/output area for each file. A second area, however, can be used for sequential
and direct disk files and non-disk files, specified as input or output files in column 15. Additional input/output areas cannot be used for console files, table files, or demand files or for disk files using a shared I/O area. The devices associated with these files can be the disk and MFCU for input or output files, and the printer for output files only. If you want two areas to be used for a card file, do not specify stacker selection for the records in the file. Stacker selection is described under Column 42, Stacker Select in Chapter 7.

The use of two I/O areas may increase the size of the program. Therefore, before you indicate that two areas are to be used for a file, be sure that the increase in size will not make your program exceed the capacity of your system.

Note: Additional I/O area cannot be specified for disk files with a shared input/output area (column 48 of the Control Card Specifications Sheet). If both additional I/O and shared input/output areas are specified, additional I/O is dropped, and a warning message is given.

## ADDROUT Files

When describing an ADDROUT file, you must place a $T$ in column 32. The ADDROUT file must be a disk file. See Column 28, Mode of Processing for a description and example of ADDROUT processing.


* The programmer usiualiy derives retative record numbers fiom information in the records.

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Figure 22. Direct File Organization

## COLUMNS 33-34 (OVERFLOW INDICATOR)

Entry Explanation
OA-OG, An overflow indicator is used to condition OV

Blank No overflow indicator is used.

Columns 33-34 apply to output files assigned to the printer. Use these columns to indicate that you are using an overflow indicator to condition records being printed in the file. Any overflow indicators used in a program must be unique for each output file assigned to the printer. Note that only one overflow indicator can be assigned to a file. Do not assign overflow indicators to a console file.

## Overflow Indicators

Overflow indicators are used only with printer files, primarily to condition the printing of heading lines. If you intend to use an overflow indicator to condition output lines on the printer, you must assign an overflow indicator to the printer file on the File Description Sheet (columns 33-34). The same indicator must be used to condition all lines that are to be written only when overflow occurs.

If the destination of a space/skip or print operation is a line beyond the overflow line, the overflow indicator is turned on and remains on until all overflow lines are printed. However, if a skip or space is specified that advances the form past the overflow line to the first line or past the first line on a new page, the overflow indicator does not turn on.

If an overflow indicator is used as a conditioning indicator, it indicates that output is to be performed at overflow time. This applies whether or not the line conditioned by the indicator is in an AND or OR relationship with other indicators.

The overflow indicator may be set by the SETON or SETOF operation code. After all total records have been written, however, the indicator is set as it normally is in accord with the overflow line.

## USING OVERFLOW

When the printer has reached the end of a printed page, RPG II language allows you to do one of three things:

1. Advance to the top (line 6) of the next page and continue printing.
2. Ignore the fact that the end of the page has been reached and keep right on printing.
3. Print special lines at the bottom of the page and at the top of the new page.

You automatically get the first option by not assigning an overflow indicator. You get the second by assigning an overflow indicator and never using it to condition output lines. You get the third by assigning and using overflow indicators. These three possibilities are described as follows:

1. For every job you do you must determine how many lines will be printed on each page or form. You can indicate this by line counter specifications. From these specifications RPG II determines which line is the overflow line. (The overflow area includes the first line past the overflow line to the end of the form.) When the overflow line is sensed, an overflow indicator automatically turns on and the following steps occur:
a. Detail lines are printed (if this part of the program cycle has not already been completed).
b. Total lines are printed if required.
c. Forms advance to a new page.
d. The overflow indicator turns off.
2. If you are not concerned about pages or skipping to new pages and want one continuous listing, you must make an entry that will cause the automatic handling of overflow and advancing of forms to be discontinued. To cause overflow to be ignored, assign an overflow indicator to the printer file in columns 33-34 of a file description specification line.
3. If you are concerned about pages and want certain lines to appear on each page, assign an overflow indicator to the printer file in columns 33-34 of the File Description Sheet (Figure 23). Use this same indicator to condition those lines which you want printed on every page. Usually these lines are total lines which must be printed at the bottom of every page, or heading lines which must be printed at the top of each new page.

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Figure 23. Assigning an Overflow Indicator

When an overflow indicator is assigned and used, forms do not automatically advance to a new page. You have to specify a skip to the first printing line on a new page. This skip is usually specified on the first heading line you want printed on the new page (Figure 24).

In the case where you have specified an overflow indicator and are using it to condition output lines, the following steps occur when the overflow line (end of page) has been sensed:
a. Detail lines are printed (if that part of the program cycle has not already been completed).
b. Total lines are printed (except at LR time).
c. Total overflow lines are printed if conditioned by the overflow indicator.
d. Forms advance to the next page if indicated by the skip specification on a heading line or total line.
e. Headings and detail lines are printed, if conditioned by overflow indicators.

## Writing Specifications Using Overflow Indicators

Often you want each page to contain information from only one control group. (Information from one group may require several printed pages, however.) You might also wish each page to have headings identifying the type of information on the page. For these cases you need to useboth the control level indicators and the overflow indicators. Together they condition when headings and/or group information are to be printed.


Figure 24. Advance Forms to New Page

A new page should advance either when the overflow line has been reached (the overflow indicator you assigned is on) or when there is a change in a control field ( L indicator is on). You must specify that each indicator causes a new page to be advanced by specifying a skip to the first printing line on a page. If the control level has changed and the overflow condition has occurred at the same time, it is possible to duplicate an output line (one called for by the overflow indicator, the other by the control level indicator). A blank page can also appear in your report as a result.

Figure 25 shows the coding necessary for printing headings on every page: first page, every overflow page, and each new page to be started because of a change in control fields ( L 2 is on). Line 01 allows the headings to be printed at the top of a new page (skip to 01 ) only when an overflow occurs ( OV is on and L 2 is not on).

Line 02 allows printing of headings on the new page only at the beginning of a new control group ( L 2 is on). This way, duplicate headings caused by both L 2 and OV being on at the same time do not occur. Line 02 allows headings to be printed on the first page after the first record is read. This is true because the first record always causes a control break (L2 turns on), if control fields are specified on the record. (If the first record did not have a control field, another OR line would be necessary with a 1P entry in columns 24-25.)

Figure 26 shows the necessary coding for the printing of certain fields on every page: a skip to 01 (first line on new page) is done either on an overflow condition or on a change in control level (L2). The NL2 indicator in line 01 prevents the line from printing and skipping twice in the same cycle.

## Fetching The Overfiow Routine

When the overflow line is reached, the same sequence of events always takes place. These were described previously. Briefly, remaining detail lines, total lines, and total overflow lines (lines conditioned by the overflow indicator) are printed on the page even after overflow has occurred. Therefore, you must leave enough room between the overflow line and the actual end of page to have room for all these lines to print.

However, you can run into problems when you do this. For example, if a different number of detail or total lines can be printed each time, you may not have allowed enough room between the overflow line and the end of page to take care of all total lines which will print before the forms advance. Therefore, printing is done on the perforation. You may also have to allow so much room between the overflow line and the end of page that often only half a page is used.

To take care of these problems, you may call for the printing of overflow lines and a forms advance any time after the overflow line has been reached. Causing overflow lines to be printed ahead of the usual time is known as fetching overflow. When overflow is caused in this way, the following events occur:

1. All total lines conditioned by the overflow indicator are printed.
2. Forms advance to new page when a skip to 01 has been specified in a line conditioned on an overflow indicator.


Figure 25. Printing Headings on Every Page


Figure 26. Printing Fields on Every Page
3. Heading and detail lines conditioned by the overflow indicator are printed.
4. The line that fetched overflow is printed.
5. Any detail and/or total lines left to be printed for that program cycle are printed.

For the printer file, an $F$ in column 16 on the OutputFormat Sheet specifies that the overflow routine will be fetched. An $F$ can be specified for any total, detail line, or exception line except those conditioned by an overflow indicator.

Figure 27 shows the use of a fetched overflow routine ( $F$ in column 16). The total lines 03, 09, and 11 can fetch the overflow routine. They do this, however, only if the overflow line has been sensed prior to the printing of one of these lines. If the overflow indicator is turned on before the output line specified in line 03 is printed and if control level indicator L 1 is on, forms advance to the new page as specified by the skip entry in the heading line. The heading line and all total lines are printed on the new page. If, however, the printing of the line specified in 03 caused the overflow indicator to turn on, the following happens:

1. The line specified in 05 prints on the same page.
2. The line specified in 07 prints on the same page.
3. The line specified in 09 fetches an overflow ( $F$ in column 16) and causes the heading line and all total lines $(09,11,13$, and 15$)$ to print on the new page.


Figure 27. Uses of Fetch

If the output lines specified in 09 fetched overflow, line 11 does not fetch a new page again since the overflow indicator is turned off after line 09 fetched overflow. (Remember, a line can fetch overflow only when the overflow indicator is on.) Line 11 fetches overflow only if the output line specified in 09 causes the overflow indicator to turn on.

You should fetch the overflow routine ( $F$ in column 16) only when you feel that (1) this line, when printed, could cause overflow and (2) if it did, there would not be enough room left on the page to print the remaining detail and/or total output lines plus lines conditioned by the overflow indicator.

When more than one printer file is used, fetch overflow applies only to the overflow lines associated with the file containing the record that specified fetch.

Note: Fetch overflow cannot be specified when an overflow indicator is specified in columns 23-31 on the same specification line. If this condition does occur, fetch overflow is not performed.

## Overflow Printing with EXCPT Operation Code

Overflow indicators cannot condition an exception line, but can condition fields within an exception record. The use of the EXCPT operation code with the $E$ in column 15 of the Output-Format Sheet causes the fields to be printed during the time calculations are being performed (normally they are printed afterwards). Only the specified fields (identified by an $E$ in column 15) are printed at that time. Even though these fields are not printed at the usual time, they still have the same effect on the overflow routines as all other lines. If the overflow line is sensed when an exception field is printed, the overflow indicator turns on as usual.

## General Considerations

When using the overflow indicator to condition overflow printing, remember:

1. Overflow indicators may be turned on and off by the operation codes SETON and SETOF.
2. Spacing past the overflow line causes the overflow indicator to turn on.
3. Skipping past the overflow line to any line on the new page does not turn the overflow indicator on.
4. Skipping past the overflow line to a line on the same page causes the overflow indicator to turn on.
5. A skip to a new page specified on a line not conditioned by an overflow indicator causes the overflow indicator to turn off.

Figure 28 shows the setting of overflow indicators during the normal overflow routine and during a fetched overflow routine for both normal output and exception output. The left-hand portion of the graph shows when the indicators are on or off in relation to the general program cycle. For example, if, during normal output, a detail line is printed on the line number specified as the overflow line, the overflow indicator turns on. It remains on until the end of the next program cycle. The solid blank lines indicate that the indicator is on. The dashes are used to show a connection between the end of one cycle and the start of the next.

## COLUMNS 35-38 (KEY FIELD STARTING LOCATION)

Entry Explanation
1-4096 Record position in which the key field begins.

Columns 35-38 apply to indexed disk files only. An entry must be made in these columns for an indexed disk file. Use them to identify the record position in which the key field begins. The key field of a record is the field that contains the information that identifies the record. The information is used in the index portion of the file. The key field must be in the same location in all of the records in the file.

The number you place in these columns must end in column 38. Leading zeros can be omitted.


| NORMAL OVERFLOW ROUTINE |  |  |  | FETCHED OVERFLOW ROUTINE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NORMAL OUTPUT |  | EXCEPTION OUTPUT |  | NORMAL OUTPUT |  | EXCEPTION OUTPUT |  |
| Overflow <br> During <br> Detail Output | Overflow During Total Output | Overfiow <br> During Detail Calc. | Overflow During Total Calc. | Overflow During Detail Output | Overtiow During Total Output | Overflow During Detail Calc. | Overflow During Total Calc. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | (\%) OF |

-     -         -             -                 - connection between cycles

Figure 28. Overflow Printing: Setting of the Overflow Indicator

## COLUMN 39 (EXTENSION CODE)

## Entry Explanation

E Extension specifications further describe the file.

L Line counter specifications further describe the file.

Column 39 applies to (1) table and array files that are to be read during program execution, (2) record address files, and (3) output files that are assigned to the printer. Output files that are assigned to the printer can be described on the Line Counter Sheet. Table, array, and record address files must be described on the Extension Sheet.

## COLUMNS $40-46$ (DEVICE)

Entry Explanation
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { MFCU1 } & \text { Multi-Function Card Unit. } \\ & \text { The cards are in the primary hopper. }\end{array}$

MFCU2 Mutli-Function Card Unit. The cards are in the secondary hopper.

PRINTER Printer (whole carriage). If the dual carriage feature is used, this entry refers to the left carriage.

PRINTR2 Right carriage of the printer (dual carriage feature only).

CONSOLE Printer-keyboard.

DISK 5444 Disk Unit.

DISK45 5445 Disk Unit.
TAPE 3410 Magnetic Tape Unit.
SPECIAL Device not supported by RPG II.

Use columns 40-46 to identify the input/output device to be used for the file. All entries must begin in column 40. The devices that can be used depend upon the form of the records (Figure 29).

## CONSOLE (Printer-Keyboard)

Figure 29 shows the file types that can be assigned to the printer-keyboard (CONSOLE). More than one printerkeyboard file may be described in a program.

Records entered from a printer keyboard file will be treated as any other records. Every character to be entered must be keyed in. Key the information into the fields as you would into a card. Fields must be properly rightjustified and left-justified by you. You must space where blanks appear in a record. The END key must be depressed after all characters have been keyed into a record.

If the operator hits the CNCL (CANCEL) key, those characters of the record already accepted will be "erased"; the keying element will return to column 1, and the operator may begin to key the record in again. If the operator keys in more characters than are specified for a record, the record is automatically cancelled and the operator is notified to key it in again.


- Figure 29. Device Assignment

For use of the printer-keyboard in the display operation, see Operation Codes, DISPLA Y, in Chapter 8.

Note: When the printer-keyboard is used as an input device, it is suggested that some output to the printer-keyboard occur before input data is to be keyed in. This provides a visual indication in addition to the REQUEST PENDING light that data is to be entered on the printer-keyboard.

## Printer Files

The dual carriage feature allows you to produce two separate printer output files in one program. The two output devices assigned to the printer must be named PRINTER and PRINTR2. The forms used for the two files are special forms such as checks or invoices that are narrower than the regular form for your printer. One form is controlled by the left carriage of the printer (device name PRINTER) and the other form is controlled by the right carriage (device name PRINTR2). The two printer files are considered as separate output files and must be described as such. A minimum of 17 print positions are lost between the two forms. Care must be taken, therefore, when describing the location (end position) of output fields, to avoid printing in positions where there is no form. Numbering of print positions is not affected when dual carriages are used; the first print position for PRINTR2 depends on where the forms are physically located on the carriage.

Figure 30 shows the columns that cannot be used for the devices named. The shaded columns must be blank for the device named in the specification line. (MFCU is MFCU1 or MFCU2; PRINTER is PRINTER or PRINTR2; DISK is DISK or DISK45.)

## SPECIAL Device Support

You can process files using devices not supported by RPG II. To do this, you must indicate that the file will be handled by a SPECIAL device (SPECIAL in columns 40-46 of the File Description Sheet). You must also supply a subroutine to perform the $\mathrm{I} / \mathrm{O}$ operations required to transfer data between the SPECIAL device and core storage (subroutine name in columns $54-59$ of the File Description Sheet).

For a discussion of the file description specifications necessary for SPECIAL device support, see Appendix G.

COLUMNS 47-52
Columns 47-52 are not used.

## COLUMNS 53-65 (CONTINUATION LINES)

## Column 53

## Entry Explanation <br> K Continuation record

Continuation records provide additional information about the tape file being defined. A maximum of two continuation records can be specified for each tape file. When specifying a continuation record, columns 54-59 (Continuation Line Option) must be coded and columns $60-65$ (Continua-


Figure 30. Columns That Do Not Apply to Device Named

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- Figure 31. Tape Continuation Record
tion Line Entry) may also need to be coded. Figure 31 shows an example of the coding necessary on the File Description Sheet for a continuation line.

Columns 54-59 (Continuation Lines Option)

Entry Explanation
ASCII Tape file defined is an ASCII file (American Standard Code for Information Interchange).

BUFOFF Tape input file contains a block prefix.
BUFOFF can only be used for ASCII files. Therefore, if BUFOFF is entered, ASCII must also be entered. BUFOFF also requires an entry in columns 60-65 (Continuation Lines Entry).

## Columns 60-65 (Continuation Line Entry)

Entry Explanation
0-99 Length of the block prefix in an ASCII tape input file that specifies BUFOFF.

An entry must be specified in these columns if BUFOFF has been specified in columns 54-59. This entry cannot be specified for tape output files. The entry must end in column 65 (right justified).

## COLUMN 53 LABELS

Column 53 for labels is not used.

## COLUMN 54.59 NAME OF LABEL EXIT

Entry Explanation
SUBRxx Name of the user-written subroutine which ( $x=$ any $\quad$ will perform the I/O operation for a alphabetic SPECIAL device.
character)

## Blank No SPECIAL device is being used.

Columns 54-59 must contain an entry for each data file assigned to a SPECIAL device. These columns are used to specify the subroutine which will perform the input/output operations for a file assigned to a SPECIAL device. The subroutine name entered in columns $54-59$ can be from four to six characters long. The first four characters must be SUBR; the remaining characters can be any alphabetic characters.

## COLUMNS 60-65 CORE INDEX

| Entry | Explanation |
| :--- | :--- |
| 6-9999 | Number of bytes reserved for the core <br> index. |
| Blank | No core index will be built. |

Columns 60-65 apply only to indexed files processed randomly. Core index cannot be specified in shared I/O. Entries must be right-justified. Leading zeros are not required. You can specify up to 9999 bytes for the core index. This will usually provide for faster retrieval of records.

Track A


Figure 32. Disk Layout of the Index for INDEXT

The core index is a table containing entries for tracks in the index portion of a data file. Each entry contains a track address and the lowest key field associated with that track. Figure 32 shows the layout on disk of the index for the indexed file, INDEXT, which contains 1000 records. Since all index entries are contained on three tracks, the core index for INDEXT shows in Figure 33 contains only three entries, one per track. Each core index entry contains the low key on the track and the track address.


Figure 33. Core Index for INDEXT

Use of the core index can significantly reduce the amount of time needed to process an indexed file because it enables the system to go more directly to the specific record you want. With the core index, the system can find a specific record by searching only a small part of the file index.

Without the core index all index entries that precede the record you want must be searched. Using the core index shown in Figure 32, record 767 can be found in this manner:

1. Search the core index until the first key field higher than record 767 is located. In this instance the key is 769 , on track $C$. Since 769 is the low key on track $C$, key 767 must reside on track $B$.
2. Search track $B$ in the file index until key 767 is located.
3. Chain directly to the associated data record.

In columns 60-65 you specify the number of storage positions (bytes) you wish reserved for the core index. Using the amount of core storage you specify, the system builds the most efficient core index it can. The core index is built immediately before your RPG II program is executed.

For efficient processing, the core index should be large enough to contain one entry (low key and track number) for each track of index in the data file. Therefore, the most efficient size for the core index is equal to key field length plus 2, multiplied by the number of tracks in the file index. For the indexed file, INDEXT, in Figures 32 and 33, the entry in columns $60-65$ would be 45 :

> | 13 (keylength) |
| :--- |
| $+\quad 2$ (length of a track address) |
| 15 (length of a core index entry) |
| $\times \quad 3$ (number of file index tracks) |
| 45 (size of core index) |

If the storage space you specify in columns 60-65 is not large enough to contain one entry for each track of file index, the system may construct a core index containing one entry for every cylinder of file index or, perhaps, for every other cylinder.

If storage space is not enough for at least two index entries, the entry is ignored and no core index is used for this job.

## COLUMN 66 (FILE ADDITION)

## Entry Explanation

A New records will be added to the file.

U Records for an indexed file are to be loaded in unordered sequence.

Column 66 applies to sequential and indexed disk files. This column indicates:

1. The program is to add new records to the file (see Examples, Example 1).
2. Records are to be loaded in an unordered sequence (see Examples, Example 2).

Records added to a sequential file are added at the end of the file. To add records to a sequential file, the file must be an output file ( 0 in column 15 of the File Description Sheet).

Records added to an indexed file are added at the end of the file and entries for the new records are made in the index. The index is then reorganized so that the record keys (including the new ones) are in ascending order.

File addition in column 66 cannot be specified for indexed files from which records are read using the sequential within limits method. Records added to an indexed file should be in ascending sequence. New records may be added to a direct file by specifying the file as an update file processed consecutively or by the CHAIN operation code.

After a file has been loaded on disk, it may be necessary to add records to the file. Records can be added at detail, total, or exception time during the program cycle. When records are to be added to an indexed file randomly, the records to be added may:

1. Contain keys that are above the highest presently in the file. In this case, the records constitute an extension of the file.
2. Contain keys that are either lower than the lowest presently in the file, or fall between those already in the file.

If records are to be added to an indexed file sequentially:

1. The record to be added must be lower than the record currently in process and higher than the preceding record.
2. The file must be at end of file.

If the above conditions do not exist, a halt occurs; otherwise, the record is added. (See Appendix A for a discussion of halts and operator options.)

Unordered Load ( U in column 66) is specified when an indexed file is to be built from records in an unordered sequence. After records have been loaded and an index built in the unordered sequence, the index is sorted into ascending sequence.

In Figure 34, combinations of entries in file type (column 15) and file addition (column 66) show the functions that can be performed for indexed files ( $I$ in column 32).

## Examples

## Example 1

Figure 35 shows how records can be added to an indexed disk file. The new records are contained in a card file, CARDIN. The file INDEXED is the existing disk file to which new records will be added. A printer file, PRINT, will provide a report showing all the records in CARDIN, with an indication of which records were added to INDEXED and which records were not added.

On the File Description Sheet, an $A$ must appear in column 66 for the file INDEXED, and on the Output Sheet ADD must appear in columns $16-18$ for the new record to be added.

As defined on the Input Sheet, all the cards in CARDIN should have an $A$ in position 80 . The code identifies a record to be added to the disk file, and this record type is assigned indicator 01. On the Output Sheet, notice that wher 01 is on, the data from the card is written on the disk file INDEXED and is also printed on the file PRINT to keep a visual report of new records.

| Column 15 | Column 66 | Function |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | Blank | Load records in ascending key sequence to an indexed file. |
| 0 | U | Load records in unordered key sequence to an indexed file. |
| 0 | $A^{*}$ | Add records to an existing indexed file. |
| 1 | Blank | Read records of an indexed file without adding new records or updating records. |
| I | A* | Read records of an indexed file and add new records to the file that are not presently there. No updating is performed. |
| U | Blank | Update records of an indexed file without adding new records. |
| U | A* | Update records of an indexed file and add new records to the file. |

* An A in column 66 requires an ADD entry in columns 16-18 of the Output-Format Sheet.

Figure 34. Various Functions Performed on Indexed Files


Figure 35. File Addition (Part 1 of 2)




Figure 35. File Addition (Part 2 of 2)

There may be records in CARDIN that do not belong in that file, or some records may have a keypunch error. These records are identified on the Input Sheet as not having the character $A$ in position 80 . These records will turn on indicator 02 , and are not to be added to the disk file INDEXED. On the Output Sheet, the constant RECORD NOT ADDED is printed only on indicator 02, indicating a record that was not added to the disk file. In this manner, there will be a printed report of all records in CARDIN, and the records not added to INDEXED are identified by the constant RECORD NOT ADDED.

## Example 2

Figure 36 shows the unordered loading of an indexed disk file from an unsequenced input card file. The output file, MASTER, is described as an indexed file to be loaded and processed by record keys. The $U$ in column 66 of the File Description Sheet indicates that an unordered load is to be done. The input file, CARDS, is described on the Input Sheet as being without sequence.

The keys from which the index is to be built appear as the first eight positions of the output record. As the disk file is loaded, the key is extracted from the record and an index entry is built including the location of the record on disk. After the entire file has been loaded and an index entry has been constructed for each record, the index entries are sorted into ascending sequence.

## COLUMN 67

Column 67 is not used.

## COLUMNS 68-69 (NUMBER OF EXTENTS)

Entry Explanation
Blank Single volume file (non-indexed).
1-50 Number of volumes that contain the file.


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Figure 36. Unordered Loading of an Indexed File (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 36. Unordered Loading of an Indexed File (Part 2 of 2)

The entry must end in column 69. These columns define the number of volumes (disks) on which the disk file is located. A disk file must occupy consecutive cylinders on each volume. For instance, a disk file could not occupy cylinders $20-30$ and $41-50$ on one volume. The file could occupy cylinders $20-40$ on that volume, or the data in cylinders 41-50 could be placed on another volume.

The number of volumes you can use depends on the mode of processing and number of drives used. For single volume files the entry in columns $68-69$ must be 01 or blank. The Number of Extents entry in columns 68-69 must not be greater than 01 when sequential processing within limits ( L in column 28 and A in column 31) or an unordered load ( U in column 66) is specified for the file.

For multi-volume files, determine the entry as follows:

1. Consecutive Processing or Processing by Keys. A disk file to be processed consecutively or by keys can be located on a fixed disk, a removable disk, or both if the entire file is on-line during processing. However, when portions of the file are off-line during processing, the file must be located on removable disks only. If a multi-volume file is to be processed consecutively or by keys, the entry in columns 68-69 can be from $2-50$. (If one drive is used for multi-volume files, only one volume can be on-line at any given time, and if two drives are used, only two volumes can be on-line at any given time.)
2. Random Processing by Relative Record Number. A disk file to be processed randomly by relative record number can be located on a fixed disk, a removable disk, or both. To process a multi-volume disk file randomly by relative record number, the entire file must be available to the system at any given time. Therefore, the entire file must be on-line. If one drive is used for multi-volume files, the entry in columns 68-69 is 2 . If two drives are used for multivolume files, the entry in columns 68-69 can be 2,3 , or 4 . Figure 37 shows the maximum number of volumes allowed for each processing method and number of drives available.

Multi-volume processing cannot be used with shared I/O. Additional information on creating and processing multivolume files, including Operation Control Language statements, is contained in the IBM System/3 Disk System Operation Control Language and Disk Utilities Reference Manual, GC21-7512.

COLUMN 70 (TAPE REWIND)
Entry Explanation
R Rewind tape at end of file.
U Unload tape at end of file.
$\mathrm{N} \quad$ Leave tape at end of file.
Column 70 is used only with tape files to control the rewinding and unloading of tapes. This entry specifies what the system should do with the tape after the tape files have been processed. These entries may be overridden by the END parameter on the FILE statement.

If column 70 is left blank, the tape rewind information specified at program execution time is assumed.

## COLUMNS 71-72 (FILE CONDITION)

Entry Explanation
U1-U8 The file is conditioned by the specified external indicator.

Blank The file is not conditioned by an external indicator.

|  | ONE DRIVE |  | TWO DRIVES |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Maximum number of volumes allowed | Maximum number of volumes on-line | Maximum number of volumes allowed | Maximum number of volumes on-line |
| Consecutive or processing by keys Iremovable disks only) | 50 | 1 | 50 | 2 |
| Consecutive or processing by keys (removable or fixed disks) | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Sequential or Random Processing (removable or fixed disks) | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 |

Figure 37. Number of Volumes Allowed for Multi-Volume Files

Columns 71-72 apply to primary and secondary input (excluding table input files), update, output, and combined files. A record address file may be conditioned by an external indicator which is off, it will be in end of file status. If an output file is conditioned by an external indicator which is off, records will not be written on that file. Any calculation operations which should not be done when the file is not in use should also be conditioned by the same indicator. When the indicator is off, the file is treated as though the end of file had been reached; that is, no records can be read from or written in the file. If a disk file is conditioned by an external indicator which is off, the FILE OCL statement for that file should be removed.

Note: Information on setting external indicators (SWITCH OCL statement) can be found in the IBM System/3 Disk System Operation Control Language and Disk Utilities Reference Manual, GC21-7512.

## U1-U8 (External Indicators)

Indicators U1-U8 are external indicators. This means they are set prior to processing by Operation Control Language. Their setting cannot be changed during processing. Thus, the program has no control over them.

You may use these indicators as file conditioning indicators. They tell whether or not a certain file is to be used for a job. For example, you may have a job which one time requires the use of two output (or input) files and another time the use of only one. Instead of writing two different programs (one using one file, the other two), you can condition a file (in the file description specifications) by an external indicator. When the indicator is on, the file is used; when it is off, the file is not used.

If a file is conditioned by an external indicator, output data handled by the file can also be conditioned by the same indicator. If an input file is conditioned by an external indicator which is off it will be in end of file status. If an output file is conditioned by an external indicator which is off records will not be written on that file. Any calculation operations which should not be done when the file is not in use should also be conditioned by the same indicator.

In addition to using these indicators as file conditioning indicators, you may use them:

1. To condition calculation operations.
2. To condition output operations.
3. As field record relation indicators (columns 63-64 of Input Specifications Sheet).

## COLUMNS 73-74

Columns 73-74 are not used.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)

## See Chapter 2.

## FILE DESCRIPTION CHARTS

The File Description Charts in the following pages (Figures 38-45) are for:

1. Disk files, presented by disk file organization and processing method.
2. MFCU, Console, and Printer files.
3. Tape files.

- The entries in the chart must be made for the processing method and type of file described on that line.
- The shaded columns must be blank for the file described on that line.
- The other columns may be required or optional, but cannot be indicated on the chart because the entries represent information that changes from program to program.

If you are updating an indexed disk file using the CHAIN operation code, look at the chart for indexed disk files, random processing by CHAIN operation code. Then choose the chained update file with or without record addition.

The entries on the chart must be made for the file you are describing. The shaded columns must be blank for that file.

The remaining columns represent information that changes from program to program. For instance, in this example these columns are required but may change from one program to another: Filename, Record Length, Length of Key Field, and Key Field Starting Location. Optional entries are: End of File, Sequence, File Condition, Line, Block Length, Number of Extents, and Cylinder Index in Core.

## Type of

Processing

| Sequential* | by Key, no ADD by Key, no ADD by Key, with ADD by Key, with ADD by Key, no ADD by Key, no ADD by Key, with ADD by Key, with ADD by Limits (RAF) by Limits (RAF) by Limits (RAF) by Limits (RAF) |
| :---: | :---: |
| Sequential* <br> (Dernand Files <br> Processed by the READ <br> Operation Code) | by Key, no ADD by Key, with ADD by Key, no ADD by Key, with ADD by Limits (RAF) by Limits (RAF) |
| Random | by CHAIN, no ADD by CHAIN, with ADD by CHAIN, no ADD by CHAIN, with ADD <br> by ADDROUT by ADDROUT by ADDROUT by ADDROUT |
| Load | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { Unordered } \\ \text { Ordered } \end{array}\right.$ |

Adcl records
only
\{ ADD only


* Sequential processing by key or limits must use the file index, which is always arranyed in ascending sequence. When an indexed file is processed record by record from beginning to end, the file is processed through the index using the sequential by key method.
Note: Either DISK or DISK45 can be specified as the device (columns 40-46).


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1. ADDROUT Files
2. Record Key Limits


* ADDROUT files may be associated with indexed, sequential, or direct disk files.
* Record address files containing record key limits may only be associated with indexed disk files, but may be a disk, MFCU, or console file (see charts for MFCU and console files).

Note: Either DISK or DISK45 can be specified as the device (columns 40-46).





Extension specifications are needed to describe the record address files, tables, and arrays you may use in your job. Enter these specifications on the Extension and Line Counter Sheet (Figure 46).

See Tables and Arrays at the end of the column descriptions in this chapter for a complete description of tables and arrays including definitions of terms used in this chapter and examples of tables and arrays.

Pre-execution time tables and arrays are described in columns 11-45. Compile time tables and arrays are described in columns 19-45. If an alternating table or array is to be specified with another table or array, it is described in columns $46-57$ of the same line as the first. A maximum of 60 tables and arrays can be used per program.

Record address files require entries on the Extension Sheet in columns 11-26.

Figure 51 is a chart showing possible Extension Sheet entries.

## COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)

See Chapter 2.

## COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)

See Chapter 2.


Figure 46. Extension and Line Counter Sheet

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

An E must appear in column 6.

## COLUMNS 7-10

Columns 7-10 are not used.

## COLUMNS 11-18 (FROM FILENAME)

## Entry Explanation

Record The name of the record address file defined Address on the File Description Specifications Sheet. Filename

Table or Table or array file loaded at pre-execution
Array time.
Filename

Blank

1. Table or array loaded at compilation time if an entry appears in Number of Entries per Record (columns 33-35).
2. Array loaded at execution time (loaded via input or calculations specifications) if there is no entry in Number of Entries per Record (columns 33-35).

Columns 11-18 are used to name a table file, array file, or record address file. Filenames must begin in column 11.

Leave columns 11-18 blank for compile time tables or arrays or for arrays loaded via input or calculations specifications (execution time array). These columns must contain the table or array filename of every pre-execution time table or array used in your program. More than one preexecution time table or array can be read from the same MFCU file; therefore the From Filename might be the same for more than one table or array (this is true only for MFCU files).

## COLUMNS 19-26 (TO FILENAME)

## Entry Explanation

Name of an The file processed via the record input or address file named under From Filename. update file

Name of an The output file on which a table or array output file is to be written at end of job.

Columns 19-26 define the relationship between a file named in these columns and a file named in columns 11-18. Filenames must begin in column 19.

If a record address file is named under From Filename, columns 11-18, the name of the primary or secondary file that contains the data records to be processed must be entered in To Filename, columns 19-26.

If you wish a table or array to be written or punched, use columns 19-26 to enter the filename of the output file you will use to do this. This output file must have been previously named in the file description specifications. Execution time arrays cannot be written at end of job. Leave columns 19-26 blank for execution time arrays or if you do not want the table or array written or punched.

If a table or array is to be written or punched, it is automatically written or punched at the end of the job after all other records have been written or punched.

Since the table or array will be written or punched in the same format in which it was entered, you may want to rearrange the output table or array through output-format specifications. You may format table or array output by using exception lines to write out one item at a time (see Operation Codes, Exception in Chapter 8). Tables or arrays will be written or punched under RPG III controi only after all records have been processed (Last Record indicator is on).

Note: If a table or array is to be written to a printer file at the end of a job, the last Output-Format specification should be a space or skip to the line at which table or array output should begin.

## COLUMNS 27-32 (TABLE OR ARRAY NAME)

Entry Explanation
Table or Name of a table or array used in the Array program.
name

Use columns 27-32 to name your table or array. No two tables or arrays may have the same name. The name can be from one to six characters long and must begin in column 27 , and must be a valid RPG II name. If alternating tables or arrays are being described, this must name the table or array whose entry is first on the input record (see Example).

## Table Name

Every table used in your program must be given a name from three to six characters long beginning with the letters TAB. Any name in these columns which does not begin with TAB is considered an array name. This table name is used throughout the program. However, different results can be obtained depending upon how the table name is used. Factor 2 on the Calculations Sheet can contain the
name of a table to be searched and the result field can contain the name of another table from which an associated function is to be obtained. When the table name is used in Factor 2 or Result Field (on the Calculation Sheet) with LOKUP operation, it refers to the entire table. When the table name is used with any other operation code, it refers to the table item last selected from the table by a LOKUP operation. If the table name is used before any successful look-ups are performed, the first table item is referenced. See Operation Codes, Lookup in Chapter 8 for more information.

Tables are processed in the same order as they are specified on the Extension Sheet. Therefore, if you have more than one table, remember the tables are to be loaded in the same order as they appear on the sheet.

Tables cannot be used with an index (see Tables and Arrays, Array Name and Index in this chapter).

## Array Name

Every array used in your program must be given a name from one to six characters long. An array name cannot begin with the letters TAB. This array name is used throughout the program. See Tables and Arrays after the column description in this chapter for complete information.

## Example

Figure 47, insert A, shows two related tables (TABA and TABB) described in alternating form on a table input card. An item for TABA appears first. Thus, in insert B, TABA is named in columns 27-32 of the Extension Sheet: TABB is named in columns 46-51.

COLUMNS 33-35 (NUMBER OF ENTRIES PER RECORD)
Entry Explanation
1-9999 Number of table or array entries found in each table or array input record.

Indicate in columns 33-35 the exact number of table entries in each table or array input record. Every table or array input record except the last must contain the same number of entries as indicated in columns 33-35. The last record may contain fewer entries than indicated, but never more.

When two related tables are described, each table input record must contain the corresponding items from each table written in alternating form. These table items are considered as one entry (see Example). The number entered must end in column 35. Corresponding items from related tables must be on the same record. If there is room, comments may be entered on table input records in columns following table entries.

When loading an array the following must be considered:

1. To load a pre-execution time array, the array filename must be entered in columns 11-18 and an entry must be made in Number of Entries per Record (columns 33-35).
2. To load an array at compile time, the filename entry (columns 11-18) must be blank, but an entry must be made in Number of Entries per Record (columns 33-35).
3. To load an execution time array (via the input and/or calculations specifications), the From Filename (columns 11-18) and the To Filename (columns 19-26) entries must be blank and the Number of Entries per Record (columns 33-35) must be blank.

## Example

Figure 47, insert A, shows the table items for the two related tables, TABA and TABB. The corresponding items in TABA and TABB are considered one entry. Even though there are 14 table items on the card, there are only 7 table entries. Insert B shows the Extension specifications which describe TABA and TABB as related tables.

(A)


The corresponding items from the related tables are punched in alternating format on the table input card. The corresponding items from the two related tables are considered as one entry.


Figure 47. Related Tables

## COLUMNS 36-39 (NUMBER OF ENTRIES PER TABLE OR ARRAY)

Entry Explanation
1-999 Maximum number of table or array entries.

Use columns $36-39$ to indicate the maximum number of table items which can be contained in the table named in columns 27-32, or the maximum number of array items which can be contained in the array named in columns $27-32$. This number may apply to one table or to two alternating tables. If alternating tables are described, corresponding table items are considered one entry. Any number entered in these columns must end in column 39.

If your table or array is full, this entry gives the exact number of items in it. However, if the table or array is not full, the entry gives the number of items that can be put into it (Figure 48). A table or array that is not full in known as a short table or array.

Since the number of items for two related tables or arrays must be the same, the entry in these columns also gives the number of items in a second table or array (columns 46-51).

If sterling is specified on input for an array, the actual length must be given.

## COLUMNS 40-42 (LENGTH OF ENTRY)

## Entry Explanation

1-256 Length of a table or array entry.
Use columns 40-42 to give the length of each entry in the table or array named in columns 27-32. The number entered must end in column 42. For numeric tables or arrays in packed decimal format (see Column 43, Packed or Binary Field), enter the unpacked decimal length in columns 40-42. For numeric tables or arrays in binary format, enter the number of bytes required in storage for the binary field. For a 2 character binary field, the entry in columns 40-42 is 4 ; for a 4 character binary field the entry is 9 .

All table items must have the same number of characters. It is almost impossible, however, for every item to be the same length. Therefore, add zeros or blanks to the front of numeric items to make them the same length and add blanks to alphameric items. For alphameric items, blanks may be added either before or after the item (see Examples, Example 1).

| TABPRT | TABAMT* |
| :--- | :--- |
| (Part Number) | (Price) |


| 001 | 127.62 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 002 | 198.32 |
| 003 | 000.27 |
| 004 | 000.01 |
| 005 | 001.98 |
| 009 | 003.79 |
| 010 | 005.67 |
| 014 | 002.33 |
| 026 | 014.67 |
| 045 | 029.33 |
| 096 | 029.34 |
| 097 | 000.05 |
| 098 | 000.09 |
| 099 | 001.19 |
| 100 | 002.22 |
| 101 | 126.73 |
| 110 | 596.74 |
| 115 | 393.75 |
| 126 | 697.75 |
| 137 | 001.92 |

If this data is loaded, TABPRT and TABAMT will be full ( 20 entries fill the table).
*Decimals are for illustration only.

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This entry indicates that TABPRT and TABAMT may both have a maximum of $\mathbf{2 0}$ entries.

$$
1111111111111|111| 1|1| 1|1| 1|1|||||\mid 1
$$

Figure 48. Table Entries (Number per Table)

If two related tables or arrays are described on one Extension Sheet, the entry in columns $40-42$ applies to the table whose item appears first on the record (see Examples, Example 2).

The maximum length of a numeric item is 15 characters. The maximum length of an alphameric item is 256 characters. See Tables and Arrays in this chapter for more information.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 49 shows a table, called TABMO, which lists the months of the year. The name SEPTEMBER, having nine characters, is the longest entry. Because the lengths of the entries must be the same, blanks are added to the remaining names to make each of them nine characters long.

Example 2: Figure 50 shows entries in a table input card for related tables, TABC and TABD. Each item in TABC is two characters long; each item in TABD is six characters long. Since TABC appears first on the card, its length (2) is specified in columns 40-42. The length of items in TABD is indicated in columns 52-54.


Figure 50. Length of Corresponding Table Items
JANUARY
FEBRUARY
MARCH
APRIL
MAY
JUNE
JULY
AUGUST
SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER
NOVEMBER
DECEMBER

List of Months

Figure 49. Length of Table Entries
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All entries must have the same length. Those items that are not as long as the longest item must be padded with blanks (b).

JANUARYBb FEBRUARYD MARCHbbbb APRILbbbb MAYbbbbbb JUNE bbbbb JULYbbbbb AUGUSTbbb SEPTEMBER OCTOBERbb
NOVEMBERb DECEMBERb

TABMO


## COLUMN 43 (PACKED OR BINARY FIELD)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Data for table or array is in unpacked decimal format or is alphameric. This is used for execution time arrays (must be blank for compile-time tables or arrays).
$\mathbf{P} \quad$ Data for table or array is in packed decimal format.

B Data for table or array is in binary format.

For a complete discussion of unpacked decimal, packed decimal, and binary data representation, see Column 43, Packed or Binary Field in Chapter 7.

## COLUMN 44 (DECIMAL POSITIONS)

Entry Explanation
Blank Alphameric table or array.
0-9 Number of positions to the right of the decimal in numeric table or array items.

Column 44 must always have an entry for a numeric table or array. If the items in a numeric table or array have no decimal positions, enter a 0.

If two alternating tables or arrays are described in one file, the specification in this column applies to the table containing the item which appears first on the record.

## COLUMN 45 (SEQUENCE)

Entry Explanation
Blank No particular order.
A Ascending order.
D Descending order.

Use column 45 to describe the sequence (ascending or descending) of the data in a table or array. Execution time arrays are not checked for sequence, but column 45 must contain an entry if high or low LOKUP is to be used.

When an entry is made in column 45 , the table or array is checked for the specified sequence. If a pre-execution time table or array is out of sequence, an error occurs and
the program halts immediately. The program can be restarted from the point where it halted if you do not want to correct the out-of-sequence condition; however, if you do correct the out-of-sequence condition, program execution must be restarted from the beginning.

Ascending order means that the table or array items are entered starting with the lowest data item (according to the collating sequence) and proceeding to the highest. Descending order means that the table or array items are entered starting with the highest data item and proceeding to the lowest.

If alternating tables or arrays are described in one file, the entry in column 45 applies to the table or array containing the item which appears first on the record.

When you are searching a table or array for an item (LOKUP) and wish to know if the item is high or low compared with the search word, your table or array must be in either ascending or descending order. See Operation Codes, Lookup in Chapter 8 for more information. When a speciific sequence has been specified, RPG II checks the data in the table or array to see if it really is in that sequence. In checking for sequence, an equal condition is considered valid. This allows you to pad the beginning of the table with zeros or blanks, or to pad the end of the table with 9's (assuming ascending sequence).

## COLUMNS 46-57

Use columns 46-57 only when describing a second table or array which is entered in alternating format with the table or array named in columns 27-32. All fields in this section have the same significance and require the same entries as the fields with corresponding titles in columns 27-45. An alternating array cannot be described with an execution time array. See the previous discussion on those columns for information about correct specifications.

## COLUMNS 58-74 (COMMENTS)

Enter any information you wish in columns 58-74. The comments you use should help you understand or remember what you are doing in each specification line. Comments are not instructions to the RPG II program; they serve only as a means of documenting your program.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)

See Chapter 2.


- The shaded columns must be blank for the file named.
- For tables and arrays except execution time arrays, columns 19-26 and columns 46-57 are optional.
- Execution arrays are loaded via input and/or calculation specifications.
- For record address files, columns 11-26 must have entries.

Figure 51. Possible File Entries for Extension Specifications

## TABLES AND ARRAYS

Tables and arrays are systematic arrangements of data items having like characteristics; that is, the same field length, data type (alphameric or numeric), and number of decimal positions. Both tables and arrays are described on the Extension Specifications Sheet. Important differences exist, however, in defining and processing tables and arrays.

Tables are used during the execution of a program much like a shipping clerk would use a rate table for obtaining freight rates. The clerk might scan the table for the desired city, then select the corresponding rate. Tables are referenced by searching the table one item at a time for a specific item of data with a unique identifier. Table names must begin with the letters TAB.

Arrays can also be searched for a uniquely identified datà item. Unlike tables, however, array items can also be referenced by their relative position to other items. This is done by indexing to a specific item in the array. Also, an entire array can be processed sequentially by using the array name only once in certain calculation operations. Array names must not begin with the letters TAB.

Several terms are used to describe tables and arrays:

- Compile time tables and arrays are compiled with the source program and become a permanent part of the object program. A compile time table or array can be permanently changed only by recompiling the source program with the revised table or array.
- Pre-execution time tables and arrays are loaded with the object program before actual execution of the RPG II program begins; that is, before any input files are read, calculations performed, or output functions performed.
- Execution time arrays are loaded or created by input or calculation specifications. They are loaded after actual execution of your RPG II program has begun (read in as input data or created during calculations in your program). An execution time array is also described on the Extension Specifications Sheet.
- Related tables and arrays are tables and arrays that are used together. The items in each table or array are called corresponding items; each item in the second gives additional information about its corresponding item in the first. In Figure 52, TABA and TABB are related. An item in TABA gives a part number, the corresponding item in TABB gives the part cost. Although all items within one table or array must have the same characteristics, corresponding items of related tables or arrays may have different characteristics. Related tables and arrays do not have to have the same number of entries.
- Short tables and arrays are those in which not all of the entries contain data. The unused parts of numeric tables and arrays are filled with zeros; the unused parts of alphameric tables and arrays are filled with blanks. You usually create short tables or arrays when you have only a few table or array items available when building the table, but know that more items will soon be included. Short tables and arrays must have at least one entry.
- Full tables and arrays are those in which all possible entries contain data.

| TABA | TABB |
| :---: | :---: |
| 345126 | 000373 |
| 38A473 | 000498 |
| 39K146 | 001297 |
| 408125 | 000093 |
| 410043 | 041998 |
| 42D893 | 000087 |
| 43K532 | 000349 |
| 44M111 | 000679 |
| 45P673 | 000898 |
| $46 C 732$ | 147587 |

(A) Related tables

(B) TABA and TABB described as separate tables.

(C)

TABA and TABB described in al ternating format.


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Figure 52. Related Tables (TABA and TABB) Described Separately and Alternately

## Creating Table or Array Input Records

Table and array data must be recorded according to certain rules. In the following list of rules, the term entry refers to one element in a single table or array, or to corresponding items of related tables or arrays.

## Rules

1. The first table or array entry for each record must begin in position 1.
2. An entire record need not be filled with entries. In this case, blanks or comments can be included after the entries. (Figures 53 and 54 show a table input record and extension specifications for alternating tables. Note that three blanks appear between the last table entry and the comment.)
3. Each record, except the last, must have the same number of entries. You may want to place just one entry on each record or as many entries as the record can hold.
4. An entire entry must be on one record. It cannot be split. Thus the length of a single entry is limited to the maximum record length for the device. If related tables or arrays are used, corresponding items must be on the same record and, together, cannot exceed maximum record length for the device.
5. Related tables or arrays can be described separately or in alternating format. Alternating format means that the corresponding items are considered one table or array entry. Figure 52 shows ways in which related tables or arrays can be described.
6. The number of table and/or array names used in a program must be no more than 60 .


Figure 53. Input Record for Alternating Tables, TABPAR and TABID


Figure 54. Extension Specifications for Aiternating Tables, TABPAR and TABID

## Defining Tables and Arrays

All tables and arrays are described on the Extension Sheet. One line is used to describe one set of table or array input records. If only one table or array is described, columns $11-45$ are used. If alternating tables or arrays are described on one set of input records, columns 46-57 are used to describe the second table or array. If pre-execution time tables and array are being described, entries in columns 11-18 and 27-45 are required, as described in the first part of this chapter. Columns 19-26 are used if the table or array is to be written or punched at the end of the job.

Tables and arrays can be specified in any sequence. Compile time and pre-execution time tables and arrays can be mixed. Remember the sequence in which tables and arrays are specified on the Extension Sheet determines the order in which they must be loaded at the start of the job (see Loading Tables and Arrays).

Figure 55 shows the necessary extension specifications for each type of array. Line 1 specifies a compile time array, ARRAYC. This array has a total of eight elements (three elements per record). Each element has a length of 12 positions, including four decimal places. Line 2 specifies preexecution time array, ARRAYE, to be read from file CARDINP. ARRAYE has 250 alphameric elements ( 12 elements per record); each element is 5 positions long and is equal to or higher than the previous element in collating sequence. Line 3 specifies an execution time array, ARRAYI, to be read from input records. ARRAYI has ten numeric elements each ten positions long.

Compile time and pre-execution time arrays (lines 1 and 2) can include entries in columns 19-26 (To Filename) and in columns 46-57 (to describe an alternating array). Execution time arrays cannot have To Filename and alternating array specifications.

## Loading Tables and Arrays

Tables and arrays can be loaded at compilation time or preexecution time. When loaded at compilation or pre-execution time, the entire table or array is loaded. Arrays can also be loaded at execution time.


Figure 55. Specifications for Three Types of Arrays

## Compilation Time

Tables and arrays loaded at compilation time are compiled along with the RPG II source program. They become a part of that program. Rules for loading tables and arrays at compile time are as follows:

1. The table or array records must follow the RPG II source program.
2. A record with ${ }^{* *} b$ (blank) in positions 1-3 must appear before each table or array entered. (Any record with these characters in positions $1-3$ will be treated as a delimiter, so do not use these characters as the first three characters on a data record.)
3. /* record must appear at the end of the last compiletime table or array.
4. The tables and arrays must be loaded in the same order as described on the Extension Sheet.
5. A compilation time array must have entries in columns 33-35 of the Extension Sheet and must not have entries in columns 11-18 of the Extension Sheet.
6. The tables and arrays must not be packed or binary.

Figure 56 shows the placement of compile time tables and arrays in relation to RPG II source specifications.

## Pre-execution Time

Pre-execution time tables and arrays are not part of your source program. They are used by the object program like any other data file.

Rules for loading tables and arrays at pre-execution time are as follows:

1. The table or array must be loaded before any other processing is done.
2. A/* record must follow every pre-execution time table or array.


Figure 56. Placement of Compile-Time Tables in Relation to RPG II Source Specifications
3. If two or more tables or arrays are loaded, they must be loaded in the same order as described on the Extension Sheet.
4. If errors are encountered during loading, additional information about the error will be displayed on the printer/keyboard if it has been defined as the log device.
5. A pre-execution time array must have entries in columns 11-18 and 33-35, and may have entries in 43 and 55 if appropriate.

## Execution Time

If you are loading an array from information in input records (execution time array), you must describe that information in your input specifications. How the entries are made depends on whether the array information is contained in one or more than one record. Any type of array (compile time, pre-execution time, execution time) can be described on the input specifications.

Execution time arrays are not checked for sequence, but column 45 (sequence) must contain an entry if high or low LOKUP is used.

If an execution time array is to be read in packed or binary format, an entry should be given in column 43 of the Input Sheet. In this case, the From and To columns on the Input Sheet should define the positions the array occupies in the record in the packed or binary format. The unpacked decimal length of each array element is defined on the Extension Sheet. An execution time array must not have an entry in columns 11-26, 33-35, 43, and 46-57 on the Extension Sheet.

## Array Information in One Record

If all of the array information is in one record, it can occupy consecutive positions in the record or be scattered throughout the record.

If the array elements are consecutive on the input record, they may be loaded with a single input specification. Figure 57 shows an array, INPARR, of six elements (twelve positions each) being loaded from a single record from the file ARRFILE.

If the array elements are scattered throughout the record, they may be defined and loaded one at a time, one to a


Figure 57. Defining an Execution Time Array with Consecutive Elements


Figure 58. Defining an Execution Time Array with Scattered Elements
specification line. In Figure 58, an array, ARRX, of six elements with 12 positions each, is loaded from a single record from file ARRFILE; a blank column appears between each two elements.

Following are the input specifications required for loading an array from a single input record:

## Column Entry

$6 \quad$ I
7-42 Blank
$43 \quad \mathrm{P}$ (packed), B (binary), or blank.
44-47 Field location of either an entire array and (consecutive elements) or individual field 48-51 locations of single elements of the array.

This column can be left blank. If a decimal position entry is made, it must be the same as that specified on the Extension Sheet.

The name of the array or the name of a single element (array name with index). This array name must be the same name as that used on the Extension Sheet.

## Blank

Field record relation indicator. See Columns 63-64 in Chapter 7 for information on this entry.

Blank
Sterling field. See Sterling in Appendix D for information on this entry.

If the array information is in two or more records, there are many methods that may be used to introduce the array to the system. The method you use is primarily based on the size of the array and whether the array information is all together in the input records. Figure 59 shows the array that could result by loading array information from certain input records. Each record identified by a 1 or 3 in column 1 contains twelve items of array information. Records identified by a 2 in column 1 do not contain array information, although they appear in the same input file. Examples of loading and storing array information are found in Examples of Using Arrays in this chapter.

Keep in mind that the RPG II program processes one record at a time. You cannot process the entire array until all of the records containing the array information have been read and the information moved into the array fields. It may, therefore, be necessary to suppress calculation and output operations until the entire array has been read into the system.

## Searching Tables and Arrays

Tables and arrays can be searched using the LOKUP operation code. LOKUP is described under Operation Codes at the end of the column descriptions in Chapter 8.

## Using Arrays

Arrays can be used in input, output, or calculation specifications (see Examples). The elements in an array can be referenced individually, or the array can be referenced as a whole. Individual elements are referenced by an array name plus an index. The array name alone references the entire array.

## Array Name and Index

The array name must begin in column 27 or column 46 of the Extension Sheet and must be a valid RPG II name.


Figure 59. Loading an Array from Input Records

The length of the array name depends on how the array is being used. The array name can be from one to six characters long. The array name by itself is used only when referencing the entire array.

If individual elements of the array are to be referenced, the array name will require an index. An index may be a numeric field with zero decimal positions or a literal. The array name and index must be separated by a comma. The array name with comma and index entry is limited to six positions (input, output specifications, or Result Field of calculation specifications) or ten positions (Factor 1 or Factor 2 of calculation specifications). The index must not be zero, negative, or greater than the number of elements in the array.

Some examples of array names with and without indexes are as follows:

## Valid Explanation

ARAY01

B

AR, $1 \quad$ The first element of array AR.
X,YY2 Where YY2 is the name of a numeric field with zero decimal positions.

Invalid

BALANCE Array name has more than six characters.
6TOTAL First character not alphabetic.
TOTAL Name contains special character.
CR TOT Name contains blank.
A1, A1 Array is used as index.
BAL,XX1 Name including comma has more than six characters. This name is valid for Factor 1 and Factor 2 of the calculation specifications only.

## Referencing an Array in Calculations

You can reference an entire array or individual elements in an array using calculation specifications. Process individual elements like normal fields. Remember, if an array field is to be used as a result field, the array name with comma and index cannot exceed six characters.

To reference an entire array use the array name without an index. The following operations may be used with an array name: ADD, Z-ADD, SUB, Z-SUB, MULT, DIV, SQRT, MOVE, MOVEL, MLLZO, MLHZO, MHLZO, MHHZO, DEBUG, XFOOT, and LOKUP. Except when XFOOT and LOKUP operations are used, Factor 1 and Factor 2 cannot be an array name unless the Result Field is also an array name.

There are also several operations that can be used with an array element only (not the array name alone). These operations are: COMP, DSPLY, TESTZ, TESTB, BITON, and BITOF.

The following rules apply when using array names without an index in calculations:

1. When the factors and the result field all are arrays with the same number of elements, the operation is performed using the first element from every array, then the second element from every array, etc., until all elements in the arrays are processed. If the arrays do not have the same number of the entries, the operation ends when the last element of the array with the fewest elements has been processed.
2. When one of the factors is a field or constant and the other is an array, and the result field is an array, the operation is performed once for every element in the shorter array. The same field or constant is used in all of the operations.
3. Resulting indicators (columns 54-59) cannot be used due to multiple operations being performed. Exceptions are XFOOT and LOKUP which allow resulting indicators.

## Modifying the Contents of Tables and Arrays

Tables and arrays can be temporarily changed during execution of a job. This is done when the table or array name is used as a result field in an arithmetic or move operation. This causes the appropriate entry in the table or array to be modified for the duration of the job. The next time the job is executed, however, the table or array will have the original entries. Temporary changes can be permanent if the modified table or array entries are written or punched out and the new records, instead of the original ones, are used in the table or array input file or the original data is modified.

Figure 60 shows specifications for modifying the contents of corresponding tables TABFIL and TABLIT.

## Adding Entries to a Short Table or Array

Entries can be added to short tables and arrays before or during execution of the job. The simplest way to add entries to a table or array is to write additional entries on the input records before program execution. However, entries can also be added during execution of a program. The entries added can be created by calculation operations or read from an input record.

Figure 61 shows how entries are added to two related, numeric tables.

## Table and Array Output

Tables and arrays can be written out one of two ways depending on whether or not you want to modify the table or array output. If you specify the name of the output file to be used in columns 19-26 of the Extension Sheet, the RPG II program will write out the entire table or array with all of its modifications. Using this method the RPG II program will write out all types of tables and arrays except execution time arrays.

If you wish to modify the output of a table or array, you must describe the table or array on the Output-Format Sheet along with any normal fields for the output record. You must also specify the name of the table or array in columns 32-37 of the Output-Format Sheet. Columns 40-43 must contain the record position where the last field of the table or array is to end.

If an output record is to contain only certain fields from a table or array, describe the fields in the same way as you do normal fields, using either a table name or an array name with an index.


Figure 60. Changing Table Data During Calculations


Figure 61. Adding Table Entries to a Short Table

## Editing Entire Arrays

When editing an entire array, any editing you specify applies equally to all fields in the array. If you require different editing for various elements, reference them individually.

When you specify an edit code for an entire array (column 38), note that two blanks are automatically inserted to the left of every field in the array. When you specify an edit word instead, the blanks are not inserted. The edit word must specify all the blanks you want inserted.

## Example of Using Tables

A payroll job requires two related tables (Figure 62).
TABNUM is the search table containing employee numbers.

TABRAT is the related table containing employee salary rates. After an employee's rate has been found, the rate is multiplied by the number of hours worked. The result is the amount earned.


Figure 62. Tables Used in Payroll Job

The table entries are organized in alternating format on the input records. On line 01 of the Extension Sheet (Figure 63), the table searched is called TABNUM. There are eight entries in each input record and 500 entries in the table. Each table entry is five positions long and contains no decimal positions. The table is in ascending sequence. The related table is called TABRAT. Each entry is four positions long and contains two decimal positions.

Line 01 of the Calculation Sheet causes the employee number (EMPNUM) to be used as the search word for the data contained in TABNUM (the search table). Indicator 03 is turned on when the program finds an entry in TABNUM that is equal to the search word.

Line 02 of the Calculation Sheet is performed when indicator 03 is on. The rate for the employee, taken from the related table TABRAT, is multiplied by the number of hours worked (HRSWKD). The result is stored in the field EARNS, which is five positions long with two decimal positions. The result is half-adjusted.

When the search word does not find an equal entry in TABNUM (indicator 03 is not on), line 03 is performed. The literal 000.00 is then moved to the field EARNS, indicating that the employee does not have an entry in the table.


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Figure 63. Specifications for Payroll Job (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 63. Specifications for Payroll Job (Part 2 of 2)

## Examples of Using Arrays

Example 1: Figure 64 illustrates a method of loading an array using fields in input records as indexes. The example shows a 12 -element array with element length five. The array can be made larger without additional input specifications by assigning different values to the I1-I10 fields on each input record type 03 and to the I1 and I2 fields on each 04 record type. Succeeding type-03 records then load ten additional elements into array AR; each type-04 record loads two additional elements.

Blanks and other fields can appear on the input records since the array elements and their index are identified by From and To entries.

This method requires a minimum of coding and no calculations to set up the array. Extra work, however, is required to set up the indexing scheme for the input records.

Example 2: In Figure 65 we see a method whereby eighteen 5-position elements of array AR1 are loaded with only two specification lines. On succeeding lines of the Input Sheet other elements of AR1 are loaded one after another until the array is full. Each additional element is coded on a separate line. Each new record requires a separate means of identification. For example, if another 03 record followed the first, the fields on the second record would overlay the fields read in from the first record.

The method illustrated in Example 2 works well for small arrays.


Figure 64. Building an Array Using Input Fields as Indexes


Figure 65. Building an Array Using Fixed Indexes

Example 3: The specifications in Figure 66 perform the function of tabulating three levels of totals. The fields FIELDA, FIELDB, FIELDC, and FIELDD are added, as they are read from input records, to the first level totals L1A, L1B, L1C, and L1D. These first level totals are added at the time of an L 1 control break to totals L2A, L2B, L2C,
and L2D. Similarly, at an L2 control break the second level totals are added to third level totals L3A, L3B, L3C, and L3D. In addition, as control breaks occur, L1, L2, and L3 total output is performed; total fields are zeros after they are written on the output device.



Figure 66. Calculating Totals Without Arrays

Figure 67 shows the same functions being performed using arrays. Note the reduction in coding required to specify the functions. For example, line 5 of the Calculation Sheet performs the same function as lines 5 through 8 of the Calcul-
ation Sheet of Figure 66. Similarly, the output specifications are reduced from 15 lines to 6. (Notice, however, that the method using array results in only two positions between array elements.)


Figure 67. Calculating Totals With Arrays

Example 4. This example illustrates the use of three arrays defined as follows. Refer to Figure 68.

Array Name Number of Fields Field Length

| ARA | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| ARB | 5 | 10 |
| ARC | 6 | 4 |

Array ARA is contained in the input records corresponding to indicator $01, \mathrm{ARB}$ in the records corresponding to 02 , and ARC in both types of records. Array ARC and the first field of array ARA are to be included together in an output record as are arrays ARC and a field (identified by field X1) of array ARB. Every field in array ARC is edited according to the edit word $0,6.66 \& C R$. (where $b$ represents a blank).

Assume that the contents of the arrays in the first two input records are:

| Record | Array | Array Contents |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | ARA | 12345678901234567890 |
|  | ARC | 01234567890123456789876 N (note that N equals minus 5) |
| 2 | ARB | JOHN6DOEbbJOEbSMITHbLEEb |
|  |  | MARXbطJIMbKNOTSbTIMbTYLERb |
|  | ARC | (The same as in record 1) |

In the first output record, the location and contents of the arrays are ( $b$ represents a blank):

| Array | Location | Contents |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ARA <br> (first field) | 85-89 | 12345 |
| ARC | 37-84 | K1.236bb45.676Bb |
|  |  | 89.01 BKB 23.45 BBC |
|  |  | 67.89bbb87.65bCR |

For the second output record assume that the contents of field X 1 is 4 . The locations and contents of the arrays are:

| Array | Location | Contents |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ARB <br> (fourth <br> field) | $91-100$ | JIMBKNOTSB |
| ARC | $37-84$ | The same as in the first record. |



Figure 68. Using Arrays to Format Field Output

Example 5: Figure 69 shows a method of writing short arrays on the output device. The contents of one element of a 22-element array, AR2, is written to the output file ARFILE each time the specification in line 3 of the Calculation Sheet is performed.

Example 6: Figure 70 shows a method of writing a large array on the output device. The number of fields printed on a line depends on the value assigned to the compare on line 10 of the Calculation Sheet. If an edit code is used, each array field will be separated by two spaces. These spaces must be considered when computing the end position in the output specifications.



Figure 69. Printing One Array Element Per Line


Figure 70. Printing More Than One Array Element Per Line

Line counter specifications should be used for each printer file (except the console printer) in your program. If the dual carriage feature is used, two specification lines should be completed. Line counter specifications indicate at what line overflow occurs and the length of the form used in a printer. Both of these entries must be specified on the Line Counter Sheet (Figure 71). If no line counter specifications exist, the forms length used will be either:

1. The forms length specified on the // FORMS card, or
2. The forms length specified at system generation time (if no // FORMS card was specified).

In either case, the overflow line is assumed to be six lines less than the specified forms length.

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)
See Chapter 2.

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)
See Chapter 2.


Figure 71. Extension and Line Counter Sheet

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

An $L$ must appear in column 6.

## COLUMNS 7-14 (FILENAME)

Use columns $7-14$ to identify the output file to be written on the printer. Filename must begin in column 7.

Any filename entered in these columns must be previously defined on the File Description Sheet. The output device assigned to the file on the File Description Sheet must be a printer.

## COLUMNS 15-17 (LINE NUMBER-NUMBER OF LINES PER PAGE)

## Entry Explanation

1-112 Number of printing lines available.
Columns $15-17$ specify the exact number of lines available on the form or page to be used. The entry must end in column 17. Leading zeros may be omitted.

## COLUMNS 20-22 (LINE NUMBER-OVERFLOW LINE)

Entry Explanation
FL Form length

Columns 18-19 must contain the entry FL. This entry indicates that the preceding entry (columns 15-17) is the form length.

## COLUMNS 20-22 (LINE NUMBER)

## Entry Explanation

1-112 A line number from 1-112 is the overflow line.

Columns $20-22$ specify the line number that is the overflow line. The entry must end in column 22. Leading zeros may be omitted.

When the destination line of a space, skip, or print operation is a line beyond the overflow line you have specified (but not beyond the form length), the overflow indicator turns on to indicate that the end of the page is near. When the overflow indicator is on, the following occur before forms advance to the next page:

1. Detail lines are printed (if this part of the program cycle has not already been completed).
2. Total lines are printed.
3. Total lines conditioned by the overflow indicator are printed.

Because all these lines are printed on the page after the overflow line, you have to specify the overflow line high enough on the page to allow all these lines to print. You know the data you will be printing out after the overflow line is reached. Thus, you can judge what line should be the overflow line on this basis. See Columns 33-34, Chapter 4 for a discussion of overflow.

## COLUMNS 23-24 (OVERFLOW LINE)

Entry Explanation
OL Overflow line
Columns 23-24 must contain the entry $O L$. This entry indicates that the preceding entry (columns 20-22) is the overflow line.

## COLUMNS 25-74

Columns 25-74 are not used.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION

See Chapter 2.

Input specifications describe the data files, records, and fields of the records to be used by your program. These specifications may be divided into two categories:

1. File and record type identification (columns 7-42). These specifications describe the input record and its relationship to other records in the file.
2. Field description entries (columns 43-74). These specifications describe the fields in the records.

The specifications are written on the Input Sheet (Figure 72). The field description entries must start at least one line lower than file and record type identification entries.

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)
See Chapter 2.

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)

See Chapter 2.

COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)
An $I$ must appear in column 6.


Figure 72. Input Sheet

## COLUMNS 7-14 (FILENAME)

Columns $7-14$ identify the input, update, or combined file you are describing. The filename must begin in column 7 and conform to RPG II naming specifications. Use the same filename given in the file description specifications. The name of every input, update, or combined file (except table input files and record address files) described in the file description specifications must be entered at least once on this sheet. The filename must appear on the first line that contains information concerning the records in that file. If the filename is omitted, the last filename entered is assumed to be the file being described. All records and fields for one file must be completely described before another file can be described.

## COLUMNS 15-16 (SEQUENCE)

Entry Explanation
Any two No check for special sequence. alphabetic
characters

Any two- Check for special sequence. digit
number
Columns 15-16 may contain a numeric entry which assigns a special sequence to different record types in a file.

If different types of records do not need to be in any special order, use two alphabetic characters (see Examples, Example 1). Alphabetic characters must be used for chained files and look ahead records. Within one file record types having alphabetic and numeric sequence entries can be specified for the same file, but all alphabetic entries must be before the numeric entries.

Use columns 15-16 to assign sequence numbers to different types of records within a file. Your job may require that one record type (identified by a record identification code) must appear before another record type within a sequenced group. For instance, you may want a name record before an address record. You must provide a record identification code for each type of record and then number the record types in the order that they should appear. The program will check this order as the records are read. The first record type must have the lowest sequence number (01), the next record type should be given a higher number, etc. (See Examples, Example 2.)

Numeric sequence numbers only ensure that all records of record type 01 precede all records of record type 02, etc., in any sequenced group. The sequence numbers do not ensure that records within a record type are in any certain order. Numeric sequence numbers have no relationship with control levels, nor do they provide for sequence checking of data in fields of a record (see Examples, Example 3).

Gaps in sequence numbers are allowed, but the numbers used must be kept in ascending order. The first sequence number must be 01.

A record type out of sequence causes the program to stop. The program may be restarted by pressing the START key on the processing unit. The record that causes the halt is bypassed and the next record is read from the same file.

Records in an AND or OR line cannot have a sequence entry in these columns. The entry in these columns from the previous line also applies to the card in the OR line. See Columns 53-58 in this chapter for information on OR relationships.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 73, insert A, shows a file having two types of records (part number and item number) which may appear in any order. Since they are not to be checked for sequencing, they are assigned two alphabetic characters (AA and BC, respectively) instead of numbers. See Figure 71 , insert $B$ for the coding of this example.

Example 2: Figure 74, insert A shows the order of four different types of records within a file. The records are arranged in groups according to some control field. The name record is first in each group and is assigned sequence number 01. Street record is next and is assigned 02. City/state record is 03 . Item number is last and is assigned 07. See Figure 74, insert B for the coding of this example.

(A)

Figure 73. Unsequenced Card Types in a File
(A)


Figure 74. Sequence Checking of Record Types

(B)

(B)

Example 3: Figure 75 shows three groups of four different record types. Each group is in proper sequence according to the assigned sequence numbers ( $01,02,03$, and 07 ). Notice, however, that the city/state record for group B is in group C and vice versa. The sequence entry which you specify in columns $15-16$ will not catch this mistake since the sequence entry does not cause the data on the record to be checked.

COLUMN 17 (NUMBER)

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { Entry } & \text { Explanation } \\
\text { Blank } & \begin{array}{l}
\text { Record types are not being sequence } \\
\text { checked (columns 15-16 have alphabetic } \\
\text { entries). }
\end{array} \\
1 & \begin{array}{l}
\text { Only one record of this type is present in } \\
\text { the sequenced group. }
\end{array} \\
\mathrm{N} & \begin{array}{l}
\text { One or more records of this type may be } \\
\text { present in the sequenced group. }
\end{array}
\end{array}
$$



Figure 75. Correct Card Sequence (Incorrect Data in Each Group)

Use column 17 only if sequence checking is to be done (columns 15-16 contain numbers). Often, when sequence checking, you may have more than one record of a particular type within the sequenced group (see Example). Thus you must indicate by an entry in column 17 that a certain number of records of one type may be found in the sequence group.

AND or OR lines (columns 14-16 have the letters AND or OR ) should not have an entry in this column. It is assumed that the number of records of this type to be found in the sequenced group is the same as the number entered in column 17 of the previous line. (See Columns 21-41 in this chapter for more information on AND lines; see Columns 53-58 for more information on OR lines.)

## Example

Figure 76 shows a sequenced record file in which there is more than one record per type in a group. The record type called item number appears three times.

There is probably no reason for a name, street, or city/state record to appear more than once in one group. A 1 is entered in column 17 to indicate that these record types appear only once in each group. However, since one person may have purchased more than one item, there may be two or more item number records per group; an $N$ is entered in column 17 for this field. See Figure 74, insert B for the coding of this example.


Figure 76. Sequenced Card File (More Than One Record Per Type in a Group)

## COLUMN 18 (OPTION)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Record type must be present (if sequence checking is specified).
$0 \quad$ Option. Record type may or may not be present.

Column 18 is used when record types are being sequence checked. A blank entry specifies that a record of this record type must be present in each sequenced group.

The $O$ entry specifies that a record of this record type may or may not be present in each sequenced group (see Example). If all record types are optional, no sequence errors will be found.

AND or OR lines should not have an entry in this column. The entry in this column on the previous line also applies to this line. (See Columns 21-41 in this chapter for more information on AND lines; see Columns 53-58 for more information on OR lines.)

## Example

Figure 77 shows a sequenced card file in which a card type may be optional. For instance, the street or item number records may not be included. Since it is not always necessary to have a street address, this record is optional. Suppose this job required a list of all items purchased during


$$
51613
$$

Figure 77. Sequenced Card File (Optional Record Types)
one month by the individual named in the name record. It is possible that a person might not buy anything during the month. In this case, there would be no item record; therefore, the item record would also be optional. (See Figure 72 , insert B for a coding example.)

## COLUMNS 19-20 (RECORD IDENTIFYING INDICATOR, **)

Entry Explanation
01-99 Record identifying indicator (see general discussion under Columns 54-59, Chapter 8).

L1-L9 Control level indicator, used for a record identifying indicator when a record type rather than a control field signals the start of a new control group (see general discussion under Columns 59-60, Chapter 7).

LR Last record indicator (see Columns 7-8, Chapter 8).

H1-H9 Halt indicator, used for a record identifying indicator when checking for a record type that causes an error condition (see general discussion under Columns 54-59, Chapter 8).
** Look-ahead fields.

TR Spread cards.
Columns 19-20 may be used for three purposes:

1. Specifying record identifying indicators.
2. Indicating look-ahead fields.
3. To specify the trailer portion of spread cards.

## RECORD IDENTIFYING INDICATORS

Use columns 19-20 to assign an indicator to each record type. When you have different types of records within a file, you often want to do different operations for each record type. Therefore, you must have some way of knowing which type of record has just been read. To do this, you assign different record identifying indicators to each record type. Whenever a record type is selected to be processed next, its corresponding identifying indicator is turned on. (All other record identifying indicators are off at this time, unless chained files or demand files are being
processed, when several may be on at the same time.) This indicator signals throughout the rest of the program cycle which record type has just been selected. A record identifying indicator need not be assigned if you are not concerned about different record types.

Because the record identifying indicator is on for the rest of the program cycle, you may use it to condition calculation operations (see Columns 9-17 in Chapter 8) and output operations (see Columns 23-31 in Chapter 9).

Record identifying indicators do not have to be assigned in any order.

When a control level indicator used as a record identifying indicator turns on to reflect the type of record read, only that one control level indicator turns on. All lower level indicators remain off.

You may assign the same indicator to two or more different record types provided you want the same operations performed on these types. This can be done by using the OR relationship (see Columns 21-41 in this chapter).

No record identifying indicator may be specified in the AND line of an AND relationship. Record identifying indicators for OR lines may be specified for every record type in the OR relationship that requires special processing. (See Columns 21-41 in this chapter for information on AND lines. See Columns 53-58 in this chapter for information on OR lines.)

## LOOK AHEAD FIELDS

Use asterisks in columns 19-20 to indicate that fields named in columns 53-58 on the following specifications lines are look-ahead fields. A look-ahead field allows you to look at information in a field on the next record that is available for processing in any input file. In update and combined files, the look-ahead field is for the record currently in process.

Two of the uses for look-ahead fields are:

1. Determining when the last card of a control group is being processed.
2. Extending the RPG II matching record capability.

Look-ahead fields can be used with input, update, and combined files whether or not they are processed by a record address file. They cannot be specified for chained or demand files or files that contain header/trailer records. You can describe one set of look-ahead fields per file; the description applies to all records in the file, regardless of their type. (The specifications for describing the fields are given later.) Look-ahead fields cannot be altered in the program (cannot be used as a result field or blanked after).

If you wish to use information both before and after the record is selected for processing, you must describe the field twice; once as a look-ahead field and once as a normal field.

For combined and update files, the look-ahead fields apply to the next record in the file only if the current record was not read from that file. Therefore, when you are reading from only one file and the file is a combined or update file, look-ahead fields always apply to the current record.

Figure 78 shows processing three records from two input files, one primary and one secondary. The first record from each file is read (see Figure 78, insert A). In Figure 78 , insert B, record P1 is selected for processing; in Figure 78 , insert C, record P2; and in Figure 78, insert D, record S1. The records available for look-ahead during the processing of these records are:

## Record Records <br> Processed Available

| P1 | P2 and S1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| P2 | P3 and S1 |
| S1 | P3 and S2 |

In general, when the record being processed is from an input file, the next record in the input file is available as are the records which were read but not selected from the other files.

(A)

(B)

Figure 78. Available Records: Two Input Files (Part 1 of 2)
(2)

Read third record from
primary file.

(1)
 Process Area


Select second record from primary file for processing.
(C)


Figure 78. Available Records: Two Input Files (Part 2 of 2)

Figure 79 shows the same files as Figure 78 with one exception: file A is an update file. The records available for look-ahead during the processing of the three records are:

| Records <br> Processed | Records <br> Available |
| :--- | :--- |
| U1 | U1 and S1 |
| U2 | U2 and S1 |
| S1 | U3 and S2 |

In general, when the record being processed is from a combined or update file, only the records which were read, but not selected, from the other files are available for lookahead. The next record from the combined or update file is not read until after the current record has been processed. Therefore, the next record from the combined or update file is not available for look-ahead.

After the last record from a file has been processed, every look-ahead field for the file is automatically filled with 9's. For example, a field three record-positions long contains 999. The 9's remain in the fields until the job ends. Note also that blank after (B in column 39 of the Output-Format Sheet) cannot be used with look-ahead fields.

(A)

Figure 79. Available Records: One Input File, One Update File (Part 1 of 3)

(B)


Figure 79. Available Records: One Input File, One Update File (Part 2 of 3)

(D)

(E)


Figure 79. Available Records: One Input File, One Update File (Part 3 of 3)

## Specifications

You can describe one set of look-ahead fields per file. The description applies to all records in the file, regardless of their type. Look-ahead fields must not be described for demand or chained files, and they must not be used as array fields. To describe a set of look-ahead fields, place ** in columns $19-20$ of a line following the normal field descriptions for the file. The ** line can follow only a file or record type which has an alphabetic sequence entry. Leave columns $17-18$ and $21-74$ blank. Place any alphabetic characters under Sequence in columns 15-16. Describe the look-ahead fields on separate lines following the ** line (as in Figure 80, Part 2, insert B).

Figure 80 shows a job which reads records from two files. The primary file is named PRIMARY; the secondary file, SECONDRY. If a record from the primary file matches one from the secondary file, the information in positions one through ten of the secondary file record is placed in positions 31.40 of the primary file record. When there is no match, a 6 is placed in position 1 of the primary file record. The 6 will indicate an unmatched record in the primary file.

Because the primary file record is processed first when it matches a secondary file record, the information from the secondary file record has to be described as a look-ahead field.


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## (A)

Figure 80. Look-Ahead Fields (Part 1 of 2)

(B)

(C)

Figure 80. Look-Ahead Fields (Part 2 of 2)

## SPREAD CARDS

Certain jobs require that you keep data files containing a header card and a separate card for each item or transaction being recorded. Thus, for a billing job you may have a data file, for each customer, with the following cards.


Customer 3

Customer 2

With the spread card capability of RPG II, you can store more data on each card. You do not need to use a header card and a separate card for each item or transaction. You can specify a spread card with a header portion followed by trailer portions which contain the item or transaction data. A trailer portion can consist of as many fields as are necessary; however, the same fields must appear in each trailer portion. A trailer portion must not be split between two records.

Thus, a data file for a billing job such as the one shown previously may have the following spread cards.


Spread cards containing header and trailer portions. CUSTOMER NUMBER is the header portion; each set of ITEM\# and QTY fields is a trailer portion.

## Specifications

The only time you can specify spread cards is when the input card files are designated as primary or secondary. No look ahead fields can be described for spread cards. You can describe a maximum of 225 valid TR lines (TR in columns 19-20) in a program.

Specify spread cards as follows:

1. Describe the fields in the header portion of the spread card on separate specification lines immediately following the proper file and record type entries. The header is considered to be all positions up to the first trailer in the record. Any record identification codes specified for the header/trailer record must be contained within the header portion of the record. If a numeric entry is made in columns $15-16$ of the specifications line containing the file and record type entries, an N must be entered in column 17 of the same line.

Describe each field in the header portion as you would any normal RPG II field. You are required to describe only those fields in the header portion that are used later in the program. If no field in the header portion is used, you can omit the header field specification and specify the TR line immediately following the file and record type entries.
2. Enter TR in columns $19-20$ of a specification line to indicate that the fields in the first trailer portion are described in the specification lines that follow. Leave columns 7-18 and 21-74 of the TR line blank.
3. Describe the fields in the first trailer portion on separate lines immediately following the TR line. Leave columns $7-43,59-62$, and $71-74$ of the trailer specifications blank. Describe the fields in the first trailer portion as you would any normal RPG II field.

You are required to describe only those fields in the first trailer portion that are used later in the program. Be sure, however, that you describe the fields that indicate the start and end position of the first trailer portion.

Since all trailer portions must be the same length and must include the same fields, you need only describe the first one. The compiler uses this trailer specification to calculate how many trailer portions the record contains and to determine the start and end position of each.

## Processing Spread Cards

The following considerations apply when processing spread cards:

1. One trailer portion from a spread card is processed per program cycle. The system treats that trailer portion, along with its associated header portion, as one logical record.
2. The next spread card is read when:

- the system has processed all trailer portions in the current record.
- the system encounters a trailer portion in the card being processed which is entirely blank.

Example: The following input specifications are needed to describe a file (CARDIN) containing spread cards. Each card in the file contains a header portion in positions 3-8 which is made up of the customer number field (CUSTNO). The header is followed by a number of trailer portions. Each trailer is made up of an item number field (ITMNO), a field indicating the size of the item (SIZE), and a quantity field (QTY).


## COLUMNS 21-41 (RECORD IDENTIFICATION CODES)

Use columns 21-41 to describe the information that identifies a record type.

When you have many record types in one file, you often want to perform different operations for each type. Therefore, you must identify each type by giving each a special code consisting of a combination of characters in certain positions in the record. This code must be described in columns $21-41$ so that when a record is read the record type can be determined by these specifications. The first record identifying character should be identified in columns $21-27$, the second in columns $28-34$, and so forth.

When more than one record type is used in a file, only one record type will be selected for processing in each cycle. The record identifying indicator for that record type will be turned on at the time of selection. If a data record meets the requirements of more than one of the record types, it will belong to the first record type for which it qualifies. When all records are to be processed alike regardless of their type, or if there is only one type, leave columns 21-41 blank.

## Position

Entry Explanation

Blank No record identification code is needed.

1-4096 Record position of the record identification code.

Use columns 21-41, 28-31, and 35-38 to give the location in the record of every character in the identification code. Entries in these columns must end in columns 24, 31, and 38 respectively. Leading zeros can be omitted.

Not (N)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Record ID code is present in the specified column.

N
Record ID code is not present in the specified column.

Use columns 25,32 , and 39 to indicate that a certain character should not be present in the specified position.

## C/Z/D

Entry Explanation
C Entire character.

Z Zone portion of character.
D Digit portion of character.

Use columns 26,33 , and 40 to indicate what portion of a character is used as part of the record identifying code (see Character Structure following Examples). Only the zone portion, only the digit portion, or both portions (the whole character) may be used (see Examples, Example 3, and Example 4). When establishing record identifying codes, remember that many characters have either the same zone or the same digit portion. For a list of characters that have identical zone or digit portions see Appendix E, Table E-4.

## Character

Use any alphabetic character, special character, or digit in columns 27,34 , and 41 to identify the character that was used in the record to serve as the code or part of the code.

Note: If none of the identifying codes you have specified is found on a record, processing stops. You may continue, however, by pressing START on the processing unit. The record that caused the halt is not processed, and the next record in that file is read.

## AND Relationship

A maximum of three identifying characters may be described in one specification line. Thus, if the identification code consists of more than three characters, an AND line must be used. This means that the first three identifying characters are described in the first line. The additional identifying characters are described in as many following lines as are needed. Write the word AND in columns 14-16 to indicate an AND line (see Examples, Example 1).

You may specify up to 20 AND or OR lines in any combination to describe the record identifying code. The record must contain all the characters indicated as its record identification code before the record identifying indicator will turn on.

## OR Relationship

A particular record type may be identified by two different codes. If this is the case, OR lines must be used to indicate that either one of the codes may be present to identify the record. Write the word OR in columns $14-15$ to indicate an OR line (see Examples, Example 2). A maximum of 20 AND or OR lines in any combination are allowed in any record identification line.

Seven columns are set aside for the description of one character in the record identification code. Each specification line contains three sets of seven columns: columns 21-27, $28-34$, and 35-41. Each set consists of 4 fields: Position, Not, C/Z/D, and Character. Coding is the same for all three sets.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 81, insert A shows a record identification code consisting of five characters. The first character is located in position 1, the other four record ID tests are made in positions $93,94,95$, and 96 . Since only three identifying characters may be described on one line, the word AND must be used on the next line to indicate that the last two characters of the code are part of the preceding record identification entries.

Example 2: Figure 81, insert B shows the use of an OR line to describe record type identification codes. The record assigned resulting indicator 12 can be identified by two different codes. The record can be identified by a code consisting of a 5 in position 1 and a 6 in position 2 or a code consisting of a 6 in position 1.

(A)

(B)

Figure 81. Record Identification Codes.

Example 3: In figure 81 , insert A, the entry in column 32 indicates that the digit 9 must not be present in position 93 for the records in the file.

Example 4: Figure 81, insert A shows that only the zone portion of the character $T$ located in position 94 is part of the identifying code. In position 96 only the digit portion of the character $E$ is part of the code.

## CHARACTER STRUCTURE

Every alphabetic character, numeric character, or special character is represented by different combinations of punches in the 96 -column card. Each character punched on the card is composed of two parts, a zone portion and a digit portion. Even after a character has been read into the machine, it is still composed of these two parts. Appendix $E$, Table E-2 shows grouping of characters by equal zones and equal digits. Refer to that table while you read the following paragraphs.

A character is represented in the computer by eight magnetic bits. Because the character is represented by six punch positions on a card, translation has to take place so that it can be represented by eight bits in storage. This is an automatic function. As a result of it, however, the way characters are represented in the machine and the way they appear on the punched card are not always identical. Not all characters having a $B$ zone punched in the card have identical zone structures in the machine.

Whenever you use just the zone or just the digit portions of characters in specific functions such as sequencing, testing, or identifying records, you must keep in mind the exact structure of the characters when represented in the machine. For example, when you are identifying a record type on the basis of the zone portion of character $D$, you must remember that several characters have the same zone structure as the letter $D$. If a card with the record identifying code of $E$ is read, it is still considered to be a $D$ type record because the zone of character $E$ is the same as the zone of character D.

Note: Characters with the same zone punch in the card do not necessarily have the same representation in the machine. For instance, character $\$$ has the same zone punch in the card as character $K$. However, they do not have the same zone representation in the machine.

All characters can be arranged in a certain order according to the way their zone and digit portions are represented in the machine. This means that if you are to sequence the characters, each character has a special position in relation to all others on the basis of its representation in the machine.

This special order or positioning is known as the collating sequence (see Column 26, Alternate Collating Sequence in Chapter 3). The characters can also be arranged in a special order on the basis of just the zone portion or just the digit portion. Each type of sequencing, whether according to zone, digit, or the entire character, results in a different arrangement of the characters. The standard sequence order of the characters, when both zone and digit portions are used to sequence, is shown in Appendix E, Table E-5. When using only the digit or only the zone portion of the character to sequence the characters, remember that often characters have the same zone or the same digit portion. Thus they each rightly belong in the same position. The only thing that then determines their position is the order in which they are read into the machine.

Use Table E-4 in Appendix $E$ to determine which characters have identical zone and digit portions. All characters in each group have either the same zone or the same digit portions (depending on the figure). The groups are arranged from low to high according to the collating sequence supported by RPG II.

## Structure of Negative Numbers

Negative numbers have a different character structure than positive numbers because negative numbers are formed by punching a minus sign over the number. Numbers $0-9$ have only digit portions. However, a minus sign is a B zone punch. Thus when the zone punch (minus sign) and the digit punch (0-9) are put together, a different character is formed. Therefore, negative numbers are represented in the machine by the characters J-R. (When the B zone punch is combined with a zero, the character $\}$ is formed. \} does not print using the standard 48 -character set.)

## COLUMN 42 (STACKER SELECT)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Cards automatically fall into a predetermined stacker.

1-4 Stacker into which the card type is stacked.

Column 42 is used to indicate that certain types of input cards must be stacked in a specific stacker. If you make no entry, aili cardis will go into a predetermined stacker ( primary hopper-stacker 1 , secondary hopper-stacker 4). Only input file and combined file cards may be stacker selected in the input specifications.

You may stacker select cards from the input file in input specifications only. However, cards from a combined file may be stacker selected in either input specifications or output-format specifications (see Column 16 in Chapter 9).

Any card type that is stacker selected on the input specifications should not have an output operation specified for it. If an output operation is specified, however, the input stacker selection specification is overridden (see Column 16 in Chapter 9) if the output is performed.

When the same stacker is used for both input (or combined) and output files, a card from the output file is put in the stacker before a card from the input or combined file. This procedure is reversed (input or combined card before output card) if Look Ahead Fields or dual I/O areas are specified for the input file (a stacker select specification may not be made for input files with dual $\mathrm{I} / \mathrm{O}$ areas).

The card type in an OR line may be selected for a special stacker by an entry in column 42. If the card type in an OR line has no entry in column 42, the card goes into the pre-determined stacker. (See Columns 53-58 in this chapter for more information on OR lines.) AND lines may not have an entry in stacker select.

## COLUMN 43 (PACKED OR BINARY FIELD)

| Entry | Explanation |
| :--- | :--- |
| Blank | Field is in unpacked decimal format, or is <br> alphameric. |
| P | Field is in packed decimal format. |
| B | Field is in binary format. |

Column 43 is used to indicate that a numeric field is in packed decimal or binary format. Numeric data fields in packed decimal or binary format must be converted to the unpacked decimal format before they can be processed. This conversion ignores decimal points.

Column 43 must contain a $P$ if the input field named in columns $53-58$ is in packed decimal format. Column 43 must contain a $B$ if the input field named in columns 53-58 is in binary format.

Any array which was read in packed or binary format should have an entry in column 43 of the Input Sheet. In this case, the From and To columns in the Input Sheet should define the positions the array occupies in the record in the packed or binary format. The unpacked decimal length of each array element is defined on the Extension Sheet.

## Unpacked Decimal Format

Unpacked decimal format means that each byte of storage, whether on disk or in the computer, can contain one character. (That character may be a decimal number or it may be an alphabetic or special character.) In the unpacked decimal format, each byte of storage is divided into a 4 -bit zone portion and a 4-bit digit portion. Figure 82 shows the unpacked decimal format.

The zone portion of the rightmost byte indicates whether the decimal number is positive or negative. In unpacked decimal format, the zone portion is included for each digit in a decimal number; however, only the zone over the rightmost digit serves as the sign. Figure 83 shows the unpacked decimal format for decimal number $8,191$.

Once data has been read into the computer, it must be represented in unpacked decimal format before it can be processed. Thus, it is perfectly correct to store data on disk and read it into the computer in the unpacked decimal format. This eliminates converting the input data since it is already in the required format.


Figure 83. Unpacked Format of Decimal Number 8, 191


Figure 82. Unpacked Decimal Format

## Packed Decimal Format (P)

Packed decimal format means that a byte of disk storage can contain two decimal numbers. This format allows you to get almost twice as much data into a byte as you can using the unpacked decimal format.

In the packed decimal format, each byte of disk storage, except the rightmost byte, is divided into two 4-bit digit portions. The rightmost portion of the rightmost byte contains the sign (plus or minus) for that field. Figure 84 shows packed decimal format.


Figure 84. Packed Decimal Format

The sign portion of the rightmost byte is used to indicate whether the numeric value represented in the digit portions is positive or negative. In the packed decimal format, the sign is included for each decimal number; the zone portion is not given for each digit in the number. Compare how the decimal number 8,191 is represented in packed decimal format (Figure 85) with its unpacked representation (Figure 83).


Figure 85. Packed Format of Decimal 8,191

Since data must be represented in unpacked decimal format once it is inside the computer, you must give the RPG II program an indication when input fields are in a different format. A $P$ in column 43 indicates that the input field is in the packed decimal format and that the system must convert this field to the required unpacked format.

## Binary Format

Binary format means that two bytes of disk storage can contain up to four decimal numbers, and that four bytes of disk storage can contain up to nine decimal numbers. In the binary format, each field on disk must be either two or four bytes long.

Each 2-byte binary field consists of a 1-bit sign followed by a 15 -bit numeric value. In binary format, a decimal number as high as 9,999 requires only two bytes of disk storage. For each 2-byte binary field stored on disk, the system automatically sets aside four bytes of storage to accommodate the field when it is converted to unpacked format. Figure 86 shows a 2-byte field in binary format.


Figure 86. Two-Byte Field in Binary Format

Each 4-byte binary field consists of a 1-bit sign followed by a 31-bit numeric value. In binary format, a decimal number as high as $999,999,999$ requires only four bytes of disk storage. For each 4 byte binary field stored on disk, the system automatically sets aside nine bytes of core storage to accommodate the field when it is unpacked. Figure 87 shows a 4-byte field in binary format.


Figure 87. Four-Byte Field in Binary Format

Binary fields containing values greater than decimal 9,999 (4-byte decimal field) or 999,999,999 (9-byte decimal field) cannot be converted into 4-byte or 9-byte decimal fields without loss of data. High order (leftmost) digits of decimal numbers longer than four or nine digits are lost in such cases.

In both 2-byte and 4-byte binary fields, the sign bit indicates whether the numeric value is positive (sign bit is off) or negative (sign bit is on). Notice that in binary format the zone portion of the decimal number is not included. Compare the binary format of the number 8,191 (Figure 88 ) with its packed and unpacked representation (Figures 83 and 85 ). Figure 89 shows the binary format of $-8,191$. Note that the sign bit is on (negative number). The same procedure shown in Figure 89 can be used to convert any negative binary field to decimal.

Since data must be represented in unpacked decimal format once it is inside the computer, you must give the RPG II program an indication of when input fields are in another format. A $B$ in column 43 indicates that the input field is in the binary format and that the system must convert this field to the required unpacked format.

## COLUMNS 4451 (FIELD LOCATION)

Entry Explanation
Two 1-4 Beginning of a field (From) and end of a digit field (To). numbers

Use columns 44-51 (From and To) to describe the location on the record of each field containing input data named in columns 53-58 (Field Name). Enter the number of the record position in which the field begins in columns 44-47. Enter the number of the record position in which the field ends in columns 48-51.

A single position field is defined by putting the same number in both From (columns 44-47) and To (columns 48-51). If a field of more than one position is defined, the number entered in From (columns 44-47) must be smaller than the number entered in To (columns 48-51).

It is not necessary that the From and To columns specify a whole array. A portion of an array may be read in; however, the array will be read in from element 1 up to as many elements as will fit in the numbers specified in the From and To columns.

The maximum field length for a numeric field is 15 positions (eight if packed, four if binary). The maximum field length for an alphameric field is 256 characters.

Entries in these columns must end in columns 47 and 51. Leading zeros may be omitted.


* The numeric value of a positive binary field is obtained by adding the values of the bits that are on (represented as 1 's). The sign bit is not included in the addition.

Figure 88. Binary Format of Decimal Number 8,191


[^0]Figure 89. Binary Format of Decimal Number-8,191

## COLUMN 52 (DECIMAL POSITION)

Entry Explanation
Blank Alphameric field.
0-9 Number of decimal positions in numeric field.

Use column 52 to indicate the number of positions to the right of the decimal in any numeric field named in columns 53-58. Column 52 must always have an entry when the field named in columns $53-58$ is numeric. If you wish to define a field as numeric with no decimal position, enter a 0 . If a field is to be used in arithmetic operations or is to be edited, it must be numeric. The number of decimal positions must be less than or equal to the field length.

## COLUMNS 53-58 (FIELD NAME)

Entry Explanation
1-6 alpha- Field name, array name, or array element meric
characters

PAGE

PAGE1 Special words

## PAGE2

Use columns 53-58 to name a field, array, or array element found on your input records. If you are referencing an array, additional entries may be needed in these columns (see Tables and Arrays in Chapter 5). Use this name throughout the program whenever you refer to this field. You must indicate the names of the fields for all types of records. However, you should name only the fields that you use.

Field Names

A field name can be from one to six characters long, must begin in column 53, and must be a valid RPG II name.

All fields in one type of record should have different names. If two or more fields on the same record type have the same name, only the field described last is used. However, fields from different record types may have the same name if the fields are the same length and contain the same type of data. This applies even if the fields are found in different locations in each record type.

Fields which are read in from a card are limited to the length of one punched card.

Fields that are used in arithmetic operations or fields that are edited or zero suppressed (see Column 38 and Columns $45-70$ in Chapter 9) must be defined as numeric. This means that column 52 must have a decimal position entry.

A separate line is used for each field description.

Field Names in OR Relationship

Even though two or more record types contain identical fields, you must describe each field. This may require duplicate coding. To eliminate duplicate coding of identical fields from different record types, you may use the OR relationship. A maximum of twenty OR or mixed AND and OR lines can be used for each record sequence group.

An OR relationship means that the fields named may be found in either one of the record types. You may use OR lines when:

1. Two or more record types have the same fields in the same positions (see Example).
2. Two or more record types have some fields which are identical and some fields which differ in location, length, or type of data. See Columns 63-64 in this chapter for sample coding of such record types.

Write the word OR in columns 14 and 15 to indicate an OR line (see Example). If there are several AND or OR lines, field description lines start after the last record identification line.

## Special Words (PAGE, PAGE1, PAGE2)

If your printed report has several pages, you may want to number the pages. The special word PAGE allows you to indicate that page numbering is to be done. When you use a PAGE entry on the Output-Format Sheet, page numbering automatically starts with 1 (see Columns 32-37 in Chapter 9).

If you want to start at a page number other than 1 , you can enter that page number in a field of an input record and name that field PAGE in columns 53-58. The number you enter in the PAGE field of the input record should be one number less than the starting page number. If your numbering should start with 24 , enter a 23 in the PAGE
field. The PAGE field can be of any length (up to 15 positions), but must have zero decimal positions specified (Figure 90). Any entry you make in the PAGE field should be right justified, such as 0023.

Page numbering can be restarted during a program run by entering a number in a PAGE field of any input record. The PAGE field can be defined and used in calculations like any other field.

The three possible PAGE entries: PAGE, PAGE1, and PAGE2 are provided for naming different output files. Care must be taken when using the same entry for two different output files.


Figure 90. Page Record Description

## Example

Figure 91 shows how the use of OR lines can save duplicate coding. The two different record types (one identified by a 5 in column 1 , the other by a 6 in column 1 ) both have identical fields which must be described. Figure 91, insert $B$ shows the use of OR lines to do the same thing with less coding. The coding in Figure 91, insert B says that all four fields can be found on either the record type identified by the 5 in column 1 or the record type with a 6 in column 1 .

## COLUMNS 59-60 (CONTROL LEVEL)

## Entry Explanation

L1-L9 Any control level indicator.
Use columns 59-60 to assign control level indicators to input fields. (Control level indicators may not be associated with a chained or demand file.) Control level indicators are used to specify the point at which specified operations are to be done. You may assign a control level.


(B)

Figure 91. Record Types with Identical Fields
indicator to any field except a binary field. This field is then known as a control field and is checked for a change in information. When information in the control field changes, a control break occurs. All records having the same information in the control field are known as a control group.

Whenever a record containing a control field is selected, the data in the control field is compared with data in the same control field from the previously selected record. When a control break occurs, the control level indicator turns on. Operations conditioned by the control level indicators are then done (see Columns 7-8 and Columns 9-17 in Chapter 8 or Columns 23-31 in Chapter 9).

## L1-L9 (Control Level Indicators)

Control level indicators are used to signal when a change in a control field has occurred. Because they turn on when the information in a control field changes, they may be used to condition operations (such as finding totals) that are to be performed only when all records having the same information in the control field have been read. They may also be used to do total printing or to condition operations that are to be done on only the first record in a control group. Control level indicators always turn on after the first record of a control group is read.

The indicators are ranked in order of importance with larger numbers ranking higher than lower numbers. L4 has a higher rank than L1. All lower ranked indicators turn on when a higher level indicator turns on. For example, if an L8 control break occurs, L1-L7 also turn on. The importance of a control field in relation to others should determine how you assign indicators. For example, the type of data which demands a subtotal has a lower control level indicator than data which needs a grand total. A field containing department numbers is given a higher control level indicator than a field containing employee numbers (see Examples, Example 1).

Control level indicator L0, since it is always on, cannot be assigned to a control field. Nevertheless, you may use it to condition operations (see Columns 7-8 in Chapter 8). Normally, control level indicators are used to:

1. Condition certain calculations to be performed when the information in the control field changes.
2. Condition certain punching (summary punching) or printing (total printing) to be done after totals have been accumulated for one control group.
3. Condition certain operations to be done on the record that causes a change in a control field (first record of a new control group).

Control level indicators may be used in input, calculation, and output-format specifications.

A control level indicator may be turned on or off by operation codes SETON and SETOF and may be used as record identifying indicators. However, not all control level indicators lower than the one specified are turned on or off in these cases. For example, when L2 is set on, L1 does not automatically turn on.

## Using Control Fields

When using control fields, remember:

1. If the same control level indicator is used in different record types or in different files, the control fields associated with that control level indicator must be the same length and same type (alphabetic or numeric). See Examples, Example 2.
2. In the same record type, record columns in control fields assigned different control level indicators may overlap (Figure 92). However, the total number of columns assigned as control fields (counting each control level only once) must not be greater than 144. In Figure 92 for example, a total of 15 columns is assigned to control levels.


Figure 92. Overlapping Control Fields
3. Field names are ignored in control level operations. Therefore, fields from different record types which have been assigned the same control level indicator may have the same name.
4. Control levels need not be written in any sequence. L2 entry can appear before L1. Also, there may be gaps in the control levels assigned.
5. When numeric control fields with decimal positions are compared to see if a control break has occurred, they are always treated as if they have no decimal positions. For example, 3.46 is considered equal to 346.
6. If a field is specified as numeric, only the digit portion is used to determine if a control break has occurred. This means that a field is always considered to be positive. A minus five is considered equal to a plus five.
7. All control fields given the same control level indicator are considered numeric if any one of those control fields is described as numeric (column 52 has an entry). This means that when numeric control fields are compared to see if the information has changed, only the digit portion of each character is compared.
8. Control fields are initialized to hexadecimal (logical) zeros or to the lowest alternate collating sequence value given.
9. A control break is highly probable after the first record containing a control field is read. The control fields in this record are compared to an area in storage which is void of any type of data. Since fields from two different records are not being compared, total calculations and total output operations are bypassed for the first record containing a control field.
10. If different record types in a file do not have the same number of control fields, unwanted control breaks may occur. See Examples, Example 3 for a method of avoiding unwanted control breaks.

## Split Control Fields

If a control field is made up of more than one field of a record, it is then known as a split control field. A split control field is created when the same indicator is assigned to two or more connected or unconnected fields on the same record type.

All fields in one record that have the same control level indicators are combined by the program in the order specified in the input specifications and treated as one control field (see Examples, Example 4). Some special rules for split control fields are:

1. For one control level indicator, a field may be split in some record types and not in others if the field names are different. However, the length of the field, whether split or not, must be the same in all record types.
2. The length of the portions of a split control field may vary for different record types if the field names are different. However, the total length of the portions must always be the same.
3. No other specification lines may come between lines which describe split control fields.
4. If one section of a split control field is numeric, the whole field is considered numeric.
5. A numeric split control field may have more than 15 characters if any one portion of the split field does not exceed 15 characters and the sum of all control fields (counting each control level only once) is not greater than 144 characters.
6. A split control field cannot be made up of a packed decimal field and an unpacked decimal field. Both portions of the control field must be packed, or both unpacked.

Note: Additional rules applying to control level indicators when used with indicators in the Field Record Relation columns are discussed in Columns 63-64 in this chapter.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 93 shows the assignment of three indicators. The names of the control fields (DIVSON, DEPT, EMPLNO) give an indication of their relative importance. The division (DIVSON) is the most important group. It is given the highest control level indicator used (L3). The department (DEPT) ranks below the corporation; L2 is assigned to it. The employee field has the lowest control level indicator (L1) assigned. Note the overlap of control fields on lines 02 and 06.

Example 2: Figure 93 shows that the same control level indicators may be used for different record types. Notice, however, that the control fields having the same indicators are the same length. EMPLNO, in both cases, is 6 columns in length, DEPT is 4 , and DIVSON is one.


Figure 93. Control Level Indicators (Two Record Types)

Example 3: Different record types normaily contain the same number of control fields. However, some applications require a different number of control fields in some records. This is shown in Figure 94, insert A. The salesman records contain only the L2 control field. The item records contain both L2 and L1 control fields.

With normal RPG II coding, an unwanted control break is created by the first item record following the salesman record. This is recognized by an L1 control break immediately following the salesman record and results in an asterisk being printed on the line below the salesman record (see Figure 94, insert B).

Figure 94, inserts C and $\overline{\mathrm{D}}$, contain excerpts from a program that processes the input shown in Figure 94, insert A, and prevents the unwanted control break from occurring. The corrected output produced is shown in Figure 94, insert B.

Line 01 of the Calculation sheet sets on indicator 11 when the salesman record is read. When the next item record causes an L1 control break, no total output is printed because indicator 11 is on (line 07 of Output-Format sheet). Detail calculations are then processed for the item record and line 02 of the Calculation sheet sets indicator 11 off. This allows the normal L1 control break to occur.


Figure 94. Unwanted Control Breaks (Part 1 of 4)


Output Showing Unwanted Control Level Break


Corrected Output

Figure 94. Unwanted Control Breaks (Part 2 of 4)




Figure 94. Unwanted Control Breaks (Part 3 of 4)

(D)

Figure 94. Unwanted Control Breaks (Part 4 of 4)

Example 4: Figure 95 shows a split control field made up of three portions. The control level indicator (LA) which is used for all three portions indicates that they are all to be treated as one control field. The field can be pictured as follows:

## CUSNO ACCTNO REGNO

## 1679865397111

The first field assigned the same control level indicator begins the control field; the last ends it.

## COLUMNS 61-62 (MATCHING FIELDS)

## Entry

## Explanation

M1-M9
Any matching level
Use columns 61-62 to specify matching fields and sequence checking.

An entry in columns 61-62 indicates:

1. Matching fields and sequence checking when you have two or more input, update, or combined files with match fields (see general discussion that follows under Multifile Processing).
2. Only sequence checking when you have just one input, update, or combined file.

## Matching Fields

Make an entry in columns 61-62 when you wish to compare records from two or more input, update, or combined files in order to determine when records match. Records can be matched by matching one field, many fields, or entire records. You can indicate as many as nine matching fields (M1-M9). Whenever the contents of the match fields from records of the primary file are the same as the contents of the match fields from a secondary file, the matching record (MR) indicator turns on. M1-M9 are used only to identify fields by which records are matched. The values M1-M9 are not indicators, but do cause MR to turn on when a match occurs. Matching is allowed with primary and secondary files only. Figures 96 and 97 show selection of records by matching fields from two or three input files.


Figure 95. Split Control Fields


The records from the two files are processed in the order shown here. The single, merged file is shown mainly for illustration purposes, although the files could be merged.

The MR indicator is on during processing of the shaded records.

Record Processed
(Records without match fields are selected before records with match fields)


Figure 96. Processing Two Files by Matching Fields


Figure 97. Normal Record Selection from Three Files (Part 1 of 3)


The first record from each file is read. The $P$ and $S$ records have no match field, so they are processed before the T record which has a match field. Because the $P$ record comes from the primary file, it is selected for processing first.


The next $P$ record is read. It con tains no match field, and comes from the primary file, so the new $P$ record is also selected for processing before the S record.


The next $P$ record read has a match field. The S record has no match field, so it is selected for processing.


The next $S$ record is read. All three records have match fields. Because the value in the match field of the $T$ record is lower than the value in the other two, the $T$ record is selected for processing.


The next $T$ record is read. The matching $P$ and $S$ records both have the low match field value, so they are processed before the $T$ record. Since the matching $P$ record comes from the primary file, it is selected for processing first. MR indicator is turned on at this point.

Figure 97. Normal Record Selection from Three Files (Part 2 of 3)


The next S record is read. The T record contains the lowest match field value, and is selected for procesaing.

Figure 97. Normal Record Selection from Three Files (Part 3 of 3)

## MR (Matching Record Indicator)

Use the MR indicator to condition calculation and output operations which are to be done only when records match.

The MR indicator turns on when a primary file record matches any secondary file record on the basis of the matching fields indicated by M1-M9. The matching record indicator is always set before detail calculations. IIt remains this setting for one complete cycle. If all primary file records match all secondary file records, the MR indicator is always on. If record types for which no matching fields have been specified are read, MR is turned off.

A record selected by FORCE causes the MR indicator to remain off for one cycle while the forced record is processed.

## Sequence Checking

Make an entry in columns 61-62 when you want to sequence check records within one input, update, or combined file. This entry causes sequence checking of the data in the fields to which M1-M9 have been assigned (see Columns 15-16 in this chapter for sequence checking of record types).

You may use as many as nine fields (M1-M9) to sequence check. The sequence (ascending or descending) of your record file must be specified in the file description specifications (see Column 18 in Chapter 4). An entry in columns 61-62 indicates that the records are to be checked to see if they really are in the sequence specified (see Examples, Example 3).

## MULTIFILE PROCESSING

Multifile processing applies to programs that read records from a primary file and one or more secondary files. It is the name given to the methods by which programs select records for processing. The method used depends upon whether or not match fields are used in the records.

## No Match Fields

When no match fields are used, records are selected from one file at a time. When the records from one file have all been processed, records from the next file are selected. The files are processed in this order:

1. Primary file.
2. Secondary files in the order in which they are described in the file description specifications.

## Match Fields

When match fields are used, records are selected according to the contents of the match fields. One record is read from every file, and the match fields in the records are compared. If the records are in ascending order, the record with the lowest match field is selected for processing. If the records are in descending order, the record with the highest match field is selected.

When a record is selected from a file and processing from that file takes place, the next record from the file is read. At the beginning of the next program cycle, the new record is compared with the records that had not been selected during the previous cycle, and one is selected.

Records without match fields can be included in the files. Such records are selected before records with match fields. If two or more of the records being compared have no match fields, selection of those records is determined by the priority of the files from which the records came.

When the primary record matches one or more of the secondary records, the MR indicator is turned on. The indicator can be used to condition calculations or output for the record that is selected. If one of the matching records must be selected, the selection is determined by the priority of the files from which the records came.

For a discussion of multifile processing at end-of-file, see Column 17 (End of File) in Chapter 4.

## Assigning Matching Field Values

1. Sequence checking is automatically done for all record types with matching field specifications. The contents of the fields to which M1-M9 have been assigned are checked for correct sequence. An error in sequence stops the program. The record which caused the halt is not processed. When the machine is restarted, the next record from the same file is read. Thus, all matching fields must be in the same order, either all ascending or all descending (see Column 18 in Chapter 4).
2. Not all files used in the job must have matching fields. Not all record types within one file must have matching fields either. However, at least one record type from two files must have matching fields if files are ever to be matched.
3. The same number of matching fields must be specified for all record types which are used in matching. The same matching record values must also be used for all types (see Examples, Example 1).
4. All match fields given the same matching record value (M1-M9) must be the same length and type (alphameric or numeric).

Note: When using packed fields the unpacked length [( $2 \times$ packed length $)-1]$ is regarded as the length of the matched field.
5. Record columns of different matching fields may overlap, but the total length of all fields must not exceed 144 characters.
6. If more than one matching field is specified for a record type, all the fields are combined and treated as one continuous matching field (see Examples, Example 2). They are combined according to ascending sequence of matching record values.
7. Matching fields may not be split. This means that the same matching field value cannot be used twice for one type of record.
8. Matching fields may be either alphameric or numeric (but not binary). However, all matching fields given the same matching record value (M1-M9) are considered numeric if any of those matching fields is described as numeric. Numeric matching fields contain only the digits $0-9$. Thus, matching fields of 050 and b50 (where $\psi$ denetes blank) will compare equal.
9. When numeric fields having decimal positions are matched, they are treated as if they had no decimal position.
10. Only the digit portions of numeric match fields are compared. Even though a field is negative it is considered to be positive since the sign of the numeric field is ignored. Thus, a -5 will match with a +5 .
11. Whenever more than one matching record value is used, all match fields must match before the MR indicator turns on. For example, if matching fields M1, M2, M3 are specified, all three fields from the primary file must match all three fields from the other record. A match on only the M1 and M2 fields will not turn on the MR indicator (see Examples, Example 1).
12. Field names are ignored in matching record operations. Therefore, fields from different record types which have been assigned the same match level may have the same name.
13. If you have defined an alternate collating sequence for your program, alphameric fields are matched according to the sequence you have specified. Matching fields contain a corresponding initial alternate collating sequence value; that is, they are set to the lowest alternate sequence value if ascending sequence is specified, and to the highest alternate sequence value if descending sequence is specified.
14. Matching is not allowed with demand or chained files.
15. If a program contains files with match fields as well as files without match fields, the files without match fields are processed before the files with match fields.

Note: Additional rules applying to matching records when used with entries in the Field Record Relation columns are discussed in Columns 63-64 in this chapter.

## Processing Matching Records-Two or More Files

1. Whenever a record from the primary file matches a record from the secondary file, the primary file record is processed first. Then the matching secondary file record is processed unless another file is forced (see Operation Codes, FORCE in Chapter 8). Remember, the record identifying indicator which identifies the record type just selected is on at the time the record is processed. This indicator is often used to control the type of processing that takes place.
2. Whenever records from ascending files do not match, the record having the lowest match field content is processed first (Figure 96). Whenever records from descending files do not match, the record having the highest match field content is processed first.
3. A record type which has no matching field specification is processed immediately after the record it follows. The MR indicator is off. If this record type is first in the file, it is processed first even if it is not in the primary file (Figure 96).
4. The matching of records makes it possible to enter data from primary records into their matching secondary records since the primary record is processed before the matching secondary record. However, the transfer of data from secondary records into matching primary records can only be done through look ahead fields (see Columns 19-20 in Chapter 7).

For additional information on matching records from more than two files see Operation Codes, FORCE in Chapter 8.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 98 shows three record types that are used in matching records. All record types have three matching fields specified and all use the same values (M1, M2, M3) to indicate which fields must match. The MR indicator turns on only if all three match fields in either of the record types from the MASTER file are the same as all three fields from the record in the WEEKLY file.


Figure 98. Match Fields

Example 2: Figure 98 indicates three matching fields on one record. These three are combined and treated as one matching field organized as follows:
DIVSON DEPT EMPLNO

M3 M2 M1
The order in which the fields are specified on the input specifications does not affect the organization of the match fields in the computer.

Example 3: An input file called MASTER is to be sequence checked using three fields (Figure 99). Data from two records is shown below:

| Data from First | Record | Data from Second Record |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| DEPT | 008 | DEPT | 003 |
| REGION | 051 | REGION | 025 |
| DIVSON | 003 | DIVSON | 005 |

In sequence checking, all fields are treated as one continuous field. Thus, the matching fields look like:

|  | M3 | M2 | M1 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| Record 1 | 003 | 051 | 008 |
| Record 2 | 005 | 025 | 003 |

The matching field from record 1 is compared with the matching field from record 2. If the file is specified to be in ascending sequence, the records are in order since 005025003 is higher than 003051008 . However, if the file is specified as having a descending sequence, card 2 is out of order and a halt occurs.

## COLUMNS 63-64 (FIELD RECORD RELATION)

## Entry Explanation

01-99 Record identifying indicator assigned to a record type.

L1-L9 Control level indicator previously used.
MR Matching record indicator.
U1-U8 External indicator previously set.
H1-H9 Halt indicator previously used.


Figure 99. Match Fields (Sequence Checking Within a File)

Columns 63-64 have several uses which are discussed after these general rules:

1. All fields, including matching or control fields, that have no field record relation specification should come before those that do.
2. All fields related to one record type (that is, having the same Field Record Relation entry) should be entered as a group in specification lines following one another for more efficient use of core storage. These fields could, however, be entered in any order.
3. All portions of a split control field must be assigned the same field record relation indicator and must be entered as a group in specification lines following one another (see Examples, Example 1). For more information on split control fields, see Columns $59-60$ in this chapter.
4. When used with match or control fields, the field record relation indicator must match a record identifying indicator for this file.
5. When any match value (M1-M9) is specified without field record relation, all match values used must be specified once without field record relation. If all match fields are not common to all records, a dummy match field should be used.

## Record Identifying Indicators (01-99)

Columns 63-64 are commonly used when several record types have been specified in an OR relationship. Fields which have no field record relation indicator are associated with all the record types in the OR relationship. This is fine when all record types have the same fields. But if the record types in the OR relationship have some fields that are the same and some that are not the same, you do not want to associate every field with all records. Therefore, you must have some way of relating a field to a certain record. To do this, place in columns 63-64 the record identifying indicator found in columns 19-20 of the record type on which the field is found (see Examples, Example 2).

Control fields (indicated by entries in columns 59-60) and matching fields (indicated by entries in columns 61-62) may also be related to a particular record type in an OR relationship by a field record relation entry. Control fields or matching fields that are not related to any particular record type in the OR relationship by the field record relation indicator are used with all record types in the OR relationship.

When two control fields have the same control level indicator or two matching fields have the same matching level entry, it is possible to assign a field record relation indicator to just one of the control fields or to just one of the matching fields. In this case, only the specification having the field record relation indicator is used when that indicator is on. If none of the field record relation indicators are on for that control field or matching field, the specification without a field record relation indicator is used. Control fields and matching fields cannot have an L1-L9, U1-U8, or MR entry in columns 63-64.

## Control Level (L1-L9) and Matching Record (MR) Indicators

Another situation for which you may use these columns is when you wish to accept and use data from a particular field only when a certain condition (such as matching records or a control break) occurs. You indicate the conditions under which you accept data from a field by indicator L1-L9 or MR. Data from the field named in columns 53-58 is accepted only when the indicator is on (see Examples, Example 3).

## External Indicators (U1-U8)

You may also use these columns to condition a specification by an external indicator (U1-U8). The external indicator which you set prior to processing conditions whether a field is to be used in the program. When the indicator is on, the field is read; when the indicator is off, the field is not read.

External indicators are primarily used when file conditioning is done by an entry in columns 71-72 in the file description specifications. However, they may also be used to condition when a specification should or should not be done even though file conditioning is not specified. See Columns 71-72 in Chapter 4.

## Halt Indicators ( $\mathrm{H} 1-\mathrm{H} 9$ )

A halt indicator is used to relate a field to a record that is in an OR relationship and also has a halt indicator specified in columns 19-20.

## Examples

Example 1: Split control fields on one record type must have the same record relation entry. Figure 100, insert A, shows several record types with split control fields in each. The record identified by a 1 in column 95 has two split control fields:

FLD1A and FLD1B
BLD2A and FLD2B

The record with a 2 in column 95 has three split control fields.

FLD1A and FLD1B
FLD2A and FLD2B
FLD3A, FLD3B, and FLD3C

The third record type, identified by the 3 in column 95 , also has three split control fields:

FLD1A and FLD1B
FLD2A and FLD2B
FLD3D and FLD3E

Record identification code $=1$
Record identification code $=2$


Record identification code $=3$

## (A)

Figure 100. Field Record Relation (Split Control Fields) (Part 1 of 2)

All portions of the split control field must be assigned the same control level indicator and all must have the same field record relation entry. Figure 100 , insert B, shows the field record relation required for the three record types.


## (B)

Figure 100. Field Record Relation (Split Control Fields) (Part 2 of 2)

Example 2: Figure 101 shows how record identifying indicators are used to relate a field to a record. The file contains two different types of records, one identified by a 5 in column 1 and the other by a 6 in column 1. FLDC is related by record identifying indicator 14 to the record type which is identified by a 5 in column 1. FLDD is related to the record type having a 6 in column 1 by record identifying indicator 16. This means that FLDC is found on only one type of record (that identified by 5 in column 1) and FLDD is found only on the other type. FLDA and FLDB are found on both types since they are not related to any one type by a record identifying indicator.

Example 3: Suppose you were printing a monthly report showing all items sold in each department in your company. You also want the report to list the name of the manager of each department. Each input record then has the department number (DEPT), the manager's name (MANAGR), and one item (ITEM) that was sold by that department. Fields are described as shown in Figure 102. The records are arranged in order by department.


Record identification code $=5$


Record identification code $=6$


Figure 101. Field Record Relation


Figure 102. Field Record Relation: Accepting Data From a Field

In the report it is not necessary to print the manager's name for every item that was sold in his department. Instead, it should be printed only when the first record containing an item sold in a different department is read. The field called DEPT is established as a control field.

Remember that the manager's name is printed only when information in the control field changes. Thus the information from the field called MANAGR is not used often. It would be wasted time to accept that information every time a record is read. The L1 entry in columns 63-64 indicates that the data from the field called MANAGR is to be accepted only when a control break occurs.

## COLUMNS 65-70 (FIELD INDICATORS)

## Entry Explanation

01-99 Field indicator.
H1-H9 Halt indicator (when checking for an error condition in the data).

Use field indicators $01-99$ when you wish to test a field for a condition of either plus, minus, zero, or blank. The indicator specified turns on if the condition is true for the input record; it remains off or turns off if the condition is not true for the input record. You usually use these same indicators to control certain calculation or output operations (see Columns 9-17 in Chapter 8 or Columns 23-31 in Chapter 9).

The three conditions you may check for arc:

1. Plus (columns 65-66). Any valid indicator entered here is turned on if the numeric field named in columns 53-58 is greater than zero.
2. Minus (columns 67-68). Any valid indicator entered here is turned on if the numeric field in columns $53-58$ is less than zero.
3. Zero or blank (columns 69-70). Any valid indicator entered here is turned on if a numeric field named in columns $53-58$ is all zeros or if an alphameric field is all blanks.

A numeric field which is all blanks will turn on an indicator specified for all zeros. However, if an alphameric field is all zeros, the field will not turn on an indicator specified for all blanks.

In the input specifications, you specify the indicators that will be used to condition operations. In the calculation specifications and output-format specifications, you actually use these indicators. When conditioning operations, you must know when the indicators will be off and when they will be on. When assigning and using field indicators in columns 65-70, remember:

1. Indicators for plus or minus are off at the beginning of the program. They are not turned on until the condition (plus or minus) is satisfied by the field being tested on the card just read.
2. An indicator assigned to zero or blank is off at the beginning of the program. It remains off until the field being tested is zero or blank.
3. One input field may be assigned two or three field indicators. However, only the one which signals the result of the test turns on; the others are turned off.
4. If the same field indicator is assigned to fields in different record types, its status is always based on the last record type selected.
5. When different field indicators are assigned to fields in different record types, a field indicator turned on will remain on until another record of that type is read. Similarly, a field indicator assigned to more than one field within a single record type will always reflect the status of the last field defined.
6. Fieíd indicators assigned in these columns may be SETON or SETOF in calculation specifications.

## Halt Indicators

Specify any halt indicator ( $\mathrm{H} 1-\mathrm{H} 9$ ) in columns $65-70$ when you wish to check for an error condition in your data. For example, if a field should not be zero, you can specify a halt indicator to check for that zero condition. If a zero field is found, the halt indicator turns on and the job stops after the record with the zero field has been processed.

Indicators H1-H9 cause the program to halt after the record which caused the indicator to turn on is completely processed.

## COLUMNS 71-74 (STERLING SIGN POSITION)

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Entry Explanation } \\
& \text { Blank Sterling input is not being used. } \\
& \mathrm{S} \quad \text { Sign is in normal position. } \\
& \text { (Col. 74) } \\
& \text { 1.4096 Number of the record position which contains } \\
& \text { the sign if the sign is not in normal position. }
\end{aligned}
$$

Use columns 71-74 only when processing sterling currency amounts. The position of the sign ( + or - ) for the field named in columns 53-58 must be indicated in these columns. The normal position of the sign in a field having decimal positions is in the rightmost decimal position of the pence field. If the field has no decimal positions, the normal sign position is in the last column (units position) of the pounds field. See Sterling in Appendix D for more information.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)

See Chapter 2.

## Chapter 8. Calculation Specifications

Calculation specifications describe the calculations you want performed on your data and the order in which you want them performed. Each calculation specification can be divided into three parts that indicate:

1. When the operation is to be performed (columns 7-17). The indicators entered in these columns determine under what conditions the operation specified is to be done.
2. What kind of operation (columns 28-32) is to be performed on the data in columns 18-27 and/or columns 33-42. Entries in these fields describe the kind of operation to be done. They also specify the data upon which the operation is to be performed.
3. What tests are to be made on the results of the operation (columns 54-59). The indicators entered here signal the result of the operation and may serve to condition other operations.

Write these specifications on the Calculation Sheet
(Figure 103).

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)

See Chapter 2.

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)

See Chapter 2.


Figure 103. Calculation Sheet

## COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)

A $C$ must appear in column 6 .

## COLUMNS 7-8 (CONTROL LEVEL)

| Entry | Explanation |
| :--- | :--- |
| Blank | Calculation operation is not part of a sub- <br> routine and may only be performed for <br> detail calculations. |
| L0, | Calculation operation is done when the <br> appropriate control break occurs or an <br> indicator is set on (L0 is always on). |
| LR | Calculation operation is done after the <br> last record has been processed or after the <br> LR indicator has been set on by a SETON <br> operation. |
| SR | Calculation operation is part of a subroutine. |
| AN,OR | Establishes AN and OR relationships <br> between lines of indicators. |

If you leave columns $7-8$ blank, the operation specified on the same line is done every time a record is read, provided indicators in columns 9-17 of that line or AN/OR lines associated with that line allow it (see Columns 9-17 in this chapter).

Calculations must be specified in the following order:

1. Detail (blank in columns 7-8).
2. Total (L0 or L1-L9 in columns 7-8).
3. Last record (LR in columns 7-8). LR calculations must appear after L1-L9 calculations.
4. Subroutine (SR in columns 7-8).

AN/OR lines can appear within any of the above calculations.

## Control Leve! !ndicators (LO, L1-L9)

The L0 indicator is on during the entire program. You need never assign this indicator, but you may use it. The indicator is often used when no control fields have been assigned. Remember that when a control break occurs, all operations conditioned by control level indicators are done before those that are not conditioned. If you have no control field but want total calculations to be done and total output records to be written or punched, you may use the L0 indicator to condition those operations (see Examples, Example 1).

Use control level indicators L1-L9 to signal when certain operations are to occur. If you specify a control level indicator (L1-L9) in columns 7-8, the operation described on the same specifications line is done only when that indicator is on. Remember that a control level indicator turns on when information in a control field changes (see Columns 59-60 in Chapter 7).

A control break for a certain level causes all lower control level indicators to turn on. Thus, if you used indicators L3, L2, and L1 in your program, and L3 turns on, L1 and L2 will also turn on. All operations conditioned by L3, L2, and L1 will be done. Exceptions are as follows:

1. When a control level indicator used as a record identifying indicator turns on to reflect the type of record read, only that one control level indicator turns on.
2. When a control level indicator is turned on by the SETON instruction, only that one control level indicator turns on.

Note: In one program cycle, all operations conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8 are done at total calculation time. Operations that are conditioned by control level indicators in columns 9-17 are done at detail calculation time immediately following the control break.

## LR (Last Record Indicator)

Use the LR indicator to condition all operations that are to be done only at the end of the job. This indicator automatically turns on after the last record of the input file has been processed. When LR turns on, all other control level indicators are also automatically turned on. If LR is on, the job ends after all total operations have been performed. It is also possible to turn the LR indicator on by a SETON operation. This does not, however, cause all other control level indicators used to turn on. (LR cannot, however, be turned off by a SETOF operation.)

## Subroutine Lines (SR)

Use columns $7-8$ to indicate that a line is part of a subroutine (see Subroutines in Chapter 8). Subroutine lines must be specified last.

## AN/OR Lines

Columns 7-8 can be used to specify that lines of indicators are in an AN/OR relationship. By using the AN/OR relationship, many lines of indicators may be grouped together to condition an operation. A maximum of seven AN, OR or AN/OR lines may be used to condition an operation.

The first line of such a group contains blanks in columns 7-8, or an L0-L9, LR, or SR entry if the group of lines is conditioned by a control level indicator or is part of a subroutine. All lines after the first line in the group must have an AN or OR entry in columns 7-8. The indicators on each line are in an AND relationship. It is not necessary to have three indicators on each AN and OR line, but an AN/OR group must have at least one indicator. The last line of the group contains the operation and the necessary operands. All lines in the group prior to the last line must contain blanks in the columns for Factor 1, Factor 2, Operation, Result Field, and Resulting Indicator (see Examples, Example 2 and 3).

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 104 shows the format of the report printed by the job described in Figure 105. The job shows how total operations can be performed even though there is no control field (no L1-L9 indicators). The job requires:

1. A list of items sold in each district.
2. A total of all sales for each district.
3. A grand total of all sales in all districts.


Figure 104. Format of a Printed Report

(A)

(B)

Figure 105. Use of the L0 Indicator (Part 1 of 2)

(C)

Figure 105. Use of the L0 Indicator (Part 2 of 2)

The input records have ITEM and COST fields and a one column record identification field. The records are grouped in ascending sequence by district. The record identification code is used to tell which district a record is from. For example, records from district one are identified either by a 1 or an $M$ in column 1. Records from district two are identified either by a 1 or an $N$ in column 1 (Figure 105, insert A).

No field on the records can serve as a control field. Certainly, ITEM and COST cannot. The record identifying field cannot either since one district can be identified by two different codes. This means that the contents of this one column identifying field can change even though the district number cannot. Therefore, in order to get total operations without the use of a control field, L0 must be used (see line 05 of Figure 105, insert B). Assume that the five records shown in Figure 106 are read. Refer to Figure 103 as you read the description of operations performed for each record read.


Figure 106. Data Records with No Control Fields

Example 2: Figure 107, insert A shows the use of AN and OR entries to group lines of indicators. When indicators $01,02,03$ and 04 are on, or when indicators 01,02 , 03 and 05 are on, the calculation will be performed.

Example 3: Figure 107, insert B illustrates a case in which three additional conditions will cause the LA total calculations to be performed: 01 and 02 are on, but not 03 ; or 01 and 03 are on, but not 02 ; or 02 and 03 are on but not 01.

## COLUMNS 9-17 (INDICATORS)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Operation is performed for every record read if columns 7-8 are not L0 or L1-L9 or SR.

01-99 Resulting indicators used elsewhere in the program.

L1-L9 Control level indicators previously assigned.
LR Last record indicator.

MR Matching record indicator.
H1-H9 Halt Indicators assigned elsewhere.

U1-U8 External indicators previously set.
OA-OG, Overflow indicator previously assigned. OV

Use columns 9-17 to assign indicators that control when an operation is or is not to be done. You may use from one to three indicators on a line. By using AN or OR entries in columns 7-8, many indicators can be used to condition one operation. A maximum of seven AN or OR lines in any combination are allowed.

There are three separate fields (9-11, 12-14, and 15-17) on each line, one for each indicator. If the indicator must not be on in order to condition the operation, place an $N$ before the appropriate indicator (columns $9,12,15$ ).

All three indicators on one line are in an AND relationship with each other. The indicators on one line, or indicators in grouped lines, plus the control level indicator (if used in columns 7-8) must all be exactly as specified before the operation is done (see Examples, Example 1).

(A)

(B)

Figure 107. Use of AND/OR Lines for Indicators

Indicators are used as follows in columns 9-17:

- Use any record identifying indicators previously specified in columns 19-20 on the Input Sheet to condition an operation that is to be done only for a certain type of record (see Examples, Example 1).
- Use any field indicators previously specified in columns 65-70 on the Input Sheet to condition an operation that is to be done only after the status of a field has been checked and has met certain conditions (see Examples, Example 3).
- Use any resulting indicators specified in columns 54-59 on the Calculation Sheet to condition operations according to the results of previous calculation operations (see the example in Columns 54-59 in this chapter).
- Use any halt indicators previously used in columns $65-70$ on the Input Sheet or in columns 54-59 on the Calculation Sheet to prevent the operation from being done when a specified error condition has been found in the input data (see Columns 19-20 in Chapter 7) or on previous calculations. This is necessary because the record that causes the halt condition will be completely processed before your program stops. Thus, if the operation is performed even on an error condition, the results are in error. It is also possible to use a halt indicator to condition an operation that is to be done only when an error occurs.
- Use the matching record (MR) indicator to condition an operation that is to be done only when matching records have been found.
- Use any external indicator, including any previously specified in columns 71.72 on the File Description Sheet, to condition which operations should be done and which files should be used for a specific job.
- Use the last record (LR) indicator to condition all operations that are to be done at the end of the job.
- Use any control level indicators specified in columns $59-60$ on the Input Sheet, or in columns 54-59 on the Calculation Sheet. If control level indicators are used in these columns instead of in columns $7-8$, the operation is performed on only the first record of a new control group at detail calculations time.
- Use any overflow indicators previously specified in columns 33-34 on the File Description Sheet to condition operations that are to be done when overflow occurs. See Columns 33-34 in Chapter 4 for a discussion of overflow.

The relationship between columns $7-8$ and columns 9.17 is as follows:

- When a control level indicator (11-L9) is specified in columns $7-8$ and MR is specified in columns 9-17, MR indicates the matching condition of the previous record and not the one just read that caused the control break. After all operations conditioned by control level indicators (specified in columns $7-8$ of the Calculation Sheet) are done, MR then indicates the matching condition of the record just read.
- When a control level indicator is used in columns 9-17 and columns 7.8 are not used, the operation conditioned by the indicator is done only on the record that causes that control break or any higher level control break.
- In one program cycle all operations conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8 are done before operations that are conditioned by control level indicators in columns 9-17 (see Examples, Example 4).


## Examples

Example 1: Figure 108 shows the use of control level indicators to condition calculation operations. The operation in line 02 may be done when the L 2 indicator is on, provided indicator 10 is on and L3 is not on.

The operation conditioned both by L2 and NL3 is done only when a control level 2 break occurs. These two indicators are used together because this operation is not to be done when a control level 3 break occurs, even though L2 is also on.


Figure 108. Conditioning Calculations (Control Level Indicators)

Example 2: Figure 109 shows how a record identifying indicator is used to condition an operation. When a record is read that has a $T$ in column 1 , the 01 indicator turns on. If this indicator is on, the field named SAVE is added to SUM. When a record having no $T$ in column 1 is read, the 02 indicator is on. The subtract operation, since it is conditioned by 02 , is then done instead of the add operation.


Figure 109. Conditioning Operations (Resulting Indicators)

Example 3: Figure 110 shows the use of field indicators to condition operations. Assume the job is to find weekly earnings including overtime. The overtime field is checked to see if any overtime has been put in. If the employee has worked overtime, the field is positive and indicator 10 turns on. In all cases the weekly regular wage is calculated. However, overtime pay is calculated only if indicator 10 is on (lines 02 and 03 ).

Example 4: Line 02 of Figure 111 shows the use of a control level indicator in columns 9-17. Assume that indicator 25 represents a record type and that a control level 2 break occurred when record type 25 was read. L1 and L2 are both on. All operations conditioned by the control level indicators in columns 7-8 are performed before operations conditioned by control level indicators in columns 9-17. Thus, the operation in line 03 occurs before the operation in line 02 . The operation in line 02 is done on the first record of the new control group indicated by 25 , whereas the operation in line 03 is a total operation done for all records of the previous control group.



Figure 110. Conditioning Operations (Field Indicator)


Figure 111. Conditioning Calculations (Control Level Indicators)

COLUMNS 18-27 (FACTOR 1) AND COLUMNS 33-42 (FACTOR 2)

Use columns $18-27$ and $33-42$ to name the fields or to give the actual data (literals) on which an operation is to be performed. The entries you can use are:

1. The name of any field that has been defined.
2. Any alphameric or numeric literal.
3. Any subroutine, table array name, or array element.
4. Any date field names (UDATE, UMONTH, UDAY, UYEAR).
5. The special names, PAGE, PAGE1, or PAGE2.
6. A label for a TAG, BEGSR, or ENDSR operation (Factor 1 only). A label for a GOTO or EXSR operation (Factor 2 only).
7. A filename for a CHAIN, DEBUG, DSPLY, READ, or FORCE operation (Factor 2 only).

An entry in Factor 1 must begin in column 18; an entry in Factor 2 must begin in column 33.

The entries you use depends upon the operation you are describing. Some operations need entries in both sets of columns, some need entries in only one, and some need no entries at all. See Columns $28-32$ in this chapter for more information on operation codes. If you are naming a subroutine, see Subroutines in this chapter.

## Literals

A literal is the actual data used in an operation rather than the field name representing that data. A literal may be either alphameric or numeric.

Consider the following rules when using an alphameric literal (Figure 112, insert A):

1. Any combination of characters may be used in an alphameric literal. Blanks are also valid.
2. Alphameric literals must be enclosed by apostrophes (').
3. The maximum length of an alphameric literal is eight characters excluding the two enclosing apostrophes.
4. An apostrophe required as part of a literal is represented by two apostrophes. For example, the literal 'O'CLOCK' would be written as ' $O$ 'CLOCK'.
5. Alphameric literals may not be used for arithmetic operations.

(A)

(B)

Figure 112. Alphameric and Numeric Literals

Consider the following rules when using a numeric literal (Figure 112, insert B):

1. A numeric literal consists of any combination of the digits 0-9. A decimal point or sign may also be included.
2. The maximum total length of a literal is 10 characters including signs and decimal points.
3. Blanks may not appear in the literal.
4. The sign, if present, must be the leftmost character. An unsigned literal is treated as a positive number.
5. Numeric literals must not be enclosed by apostrophes (').
6. Numeric literals are used in the same way as a numeric field.
7. Decimal comma or decimal period is controlled by the Inverted Print option on the Control Record (see Chapter 3, Column 21).

## COLUMNS 28-32 (OPERATION)

Use columns 28-32 to specify the kind of operation to be performed using Factor 1, Factor 2, and/or the Result Field and resulting indicators. The operation code must begin in column 28. A special set of operation codes have been defined which you must use to indicate the type of operation desired. Every operation code used requires certain entries on the same specification line. See Appendix $E$, Table E-1 for a summary of all possible codes and the additional entries required for each code. For further information on the operations that can be performed, see Operation Codes in this chapter.

The operations are performed in the order specified on the Calculation Sheet.

All operations conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8 must follow those that are not conditioned by control level indicators. All operations which are part of a subroutine (SR in column 7-8) must follow all other calculations in a program.

## COLUMNS 43-48 (RESULT FIELD)

## Entry Explanation

Result Field, table, array, or array element.
Field
Use columns 43-48 to name the field, table, array, or array clement that will hold the result of the operation specified in columns 28-32. You may use the name of a field, table, array, or array element that has already been defined either on extension specifications, input specifications, or elsewhere in the calculation specifications. (See Tables and Arrays in Chapter 5 for more information on arrays.)

Otherwise you may define a new field by entering a field name that has not alreayd been used. Any field you define here will be created at the time the program is compiled. The field you name may be either numeric or alphameric. A field used in arithmetic operations (see Columns 28-32 in this chapter) or numeric compare, or a field edited or zero suppressed in output-format specifications must be numeric.

The result field name must begin with an alphabetic character in column 43 and contain no blanks or special characters.

If you are entering the name of a field that has not been defined elsewhere, columns $49-52$ should also contain entries.

If you are entering the name of a field that has been defined, entries in columns 49-52 are not necessary but if specified must agree with the previous definition of that field.

## COLUMNS 49-51 (FIELD LENGTH)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Alphameric or numeric field described elsewhere.

1-256 Result Field length.
Use columns 49-51 to give the result field length for any result field. If you are naming a new field (one that has not been used before), you must consider the form your data will be in and the length it will have after the operation has been performed.

Whenever the field length is specified for a result field, you should be careful to make the result field long enough to hold the largest possible result. If the result field is too small, significant digits may be lost. For example, you may wish to add field A (eight characters long, four decimal places) to field B (ten characters long, six decimal positions). Fields A and B have four characters to the left of the decimal, but the result field, field C, must allow for more characters to the left of the decimal.

| 9999.0000 | Field A |
| :---: | :--- |
| 0001.111111 | Field B |
| 10000.111111 | Field C (result field) |

In this case, field C was defined as 11 characters long with six decimal positions. Some of the numbers to the right of the decimal could be lost without changing the meaning of the result greatly. However, if field $C$ were defined as 10 characters long with six decimal positions, a significant digit to the left of the decimal would be lost. Field C in this case would be 0000.111111 and the meaning of the result has greatly changed.

Numeric fields have a maximum length of 15 characters. Alphameric fields may be up to 256 characters long. You may indicate the length of a field that has been previously described either in the input specifications or in calculation specifications. However, if you do so, you must specify the same field length and number of decimal positions as was previously given to the field.

If the result field contains the name of a table or array, an entry in these columns is optional. If used, it must agree with the length described in the extension specifications.

## COLUMN 52 (DECIMAL POSITIONS)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Alphameric or numeric field described elsewhere.

0-9 Number of decimal places in a numeric result field.

Use column 52 to indicate the number of positions to the right of the decimal in a numeric result field. If the numeric result field contains no decimal positions, enter zero.

This column must be left blank if the result field is alphameric. it may aiso be ieft biank if the resuit field is numeric but has been previously described in the extension, input, or calculation specifications. In this case, Field Length (columns 49-51) must also be blank.

The number of decimal positions must never be greater than the length of the field. The number may, however, be larger or smaller than the number of decimal positions that actually result from an operation. If the number of decimal positions specified is greater than the number of decimal places that actually result from an operation, zeros are filled in to the right. If the number specified is smaller than the number that results from the operation, the rightmost digits are dropped.

Figure 113 shows how the contents of a result field after a multiplication operation may change according to the Decimal Positions (column 52) and Field Length (columns 49-51) specifications.

## COLUMN 53 (HALF ADJUST)

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { Entry } & \text { Explanation } \\
\text { Blank } & \text { Do not half adjust. } \\
\text { H } & \text { Half adjust. }
\end{array}
$$

Use column 53 to indicate that the contents of the result field are to be half adjusted (rounded). In essence, half adjusting is done by adding a 5 ( -5 if the field is negative) to the number at the right of the last decimal position specified for this field. All decimal positions to the right of the position specified for that field are then dropped (see Example).

The half adjust entry is allowed only with arithmetic operations (see Columns $28-32$ in this chapter). This entry, cannot be specified for an MVR operation, or for a DIV operation followed by an MVR operation.

## Example

Figure 114 shows a result field being half adjusted to two decimal positions ( 2 in column 52 and $H$ in column 53). The result field is half adjusted as follows:
35.7968 Result of an add operation.

5 Add 5 to the number at the right of the last decimal position specified.
35.8018 Drop all decimal positions to the right at the position specified.
35.80 $\quad$ Kesult after half adjusting

Multiplication: $98.76 \times 1.234=121.86984$ *

| Decimal Positions (column 52) | Field Length (columns 49-51) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 10 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 9 | 1.869840000 | . 8698440000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 21.86984000 | 1.86984000 | .86984000 | , |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | 121.8698400 | 21.8698400 | 1.8698400 | $8698400$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | 0121.869840 | 121.869840 | 21.869840 | 1869840 | $869840$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | 00121.86984 | 0121.86984 | 121.86984* | 21.86984 | 1.86984 | $86984$ |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | 000121.8698 | 00121.8698 | 0121.8698 | 121.8698 | 21.8698 | 1.8698 | $8098$ |  |  |  |
| 3 | 0000121.869 | 000121.869 | 00121.869 | 0121.869 | 121.869 | 21869 | 1.869 | 869 |  |  |
| 2 | 00000121.86 | 0000121.86 | 000121.86 | 00121.86 | 0121.86 | 121.86 | 21.86 | 188 |  |  |
| 1 | 000000121.8 | 00000121.8 | 0000121.8 | 000121.8 | 00121.8 | 0121.8 | 121.8 | 218 | 1.8 | 8 |
| 0 | 0000000121 | 000000121 | 00000121 | 0000121 | 000121 | 00121 | 0121 | 121 | 21 | 1 |



Not permitted

Permitted but inaccurate
Recommended

* A field length of 8 with 5 decimal positions gives all significant digits without adding zeros to either the left or right.

Figure 113. Result Field Contents Based on Various Field Length and Decimal Position Specifications


Figure 114. Specifying Half Adjust

## COLUMNS 54-59 (RESULTING INDICATORS)

Entry Explanation
01-99 Any numeric indicator.

H1-H9 Any halt indicator.
L1-L9 Any control level indicator.

LR Last record indicator.
OA-OG, Any overflow indicator (if specified on OV File Description Sheet).

Columns 54-59 are used for four different purposes:

1. To test the value of the result field after an arithmetic operation.
2. To check the outcome of a CHAIN, LOKUP, COMP, TESTB, or TESTZ operation (see Operation Codes, in this chapter).
3. To specify which indicators to SETON or SETOF.
4. To indicate end of file for the READ operation code.

## Test Results

By entering an indicator in columns 54-59, you specify that the result field is to be tested after the operation specified in columns $28-32$ has been performed. (Normally, only indicators 01-99 and H1-H9 are used for testing.) The indicator specified is turned on only if the result field satisfies the condition being tested for (see Examples, Examples 1-3). This indicator may then be used to condition following calculations or output operations (see Examples, Example 4). If the same indicator is used to test the result of more than one operation, the operation last performed determines the setting of the indicator.

Notice that three fields (columns 54-55, 56-57, and 58-59) can be used for this purpose. Each field is used to test for different conditions: columns 54-55, plus or high; columns $56-57$, minus or low; columns 58-59, zero or equal. You can test for more than one of the conditions.

Columns 54-55 (Plus or High): Place an indicator in these columns when testing to find:

1. If the Result Field in an arithmetic operation is positive.
2. If Factor 1 is higher than Factor 2 in a compare operation.
3. If Factor 2 is higher than Factor 1 in a table or array lookup operation.
4. The results of a CHAIN (not found), TESTB (all 0 's), or TESTZ ( $C$ zone) operation.

Columns 56-57 (Minus or Low): Place an indicator in these columns when testing the Result Fieid to find:

1. If the Result Field in an arithmetic operation is negative.
2. If Factor 1 is lower than Factor 2 in a compare operation.
3. If Factor 2 is lower than Factor 1 in a table or array lookup operation.
4. $\quad$ The results of a TESTB (mixed), or TESTZ ( $D$ zone) operation.

Columns 58-59 (Zero or Equal): Place an indicator in these columns when testing the Result Field to find:

1. If the Result Field in an arithmetic operation is zero.
2. If Factor 1 is equal to Factor 2 in a compare operation.
3. If Factor 2 is equal to Factor 1 in a table or array lookup operation.
4. The results of a READ (end of file), TESTB (all ones), or TESTZ (not $C$ or $D$ zone) operation.

## Setting Indicators

You may enter the indicators that you want to turn on or off by the operations SETON or SETOF. See Operation Codes, Setting Indicators in this chapter for more information on these operations. Any indicators to be turned on or off by the SETON or SETOF operations are specified from left to right in the three resulting indicators fields (Figure 115). Column headings in columns $54-59$ have no meaning for SETON, or SETOF operations.

## 01-99 (Field Indicators, Record Identifying Indicators, Resulting Indicators, and Conditioning Indicators)

You may assign any of the numbers 01-99 to indicate such things as:

1. The type of record read (see Columns 19-20 in Chapter 7).
2. The status (plus, minus, zero/blank) of an input field (see Columns 65-70 in Chapter 7).
3. The results of a calculation operation. See Examples, Example 1 and Example 2.

Any of these indicators which you have assigned may then also be used to:

1. Condition calculation operations (see Columns 9-17 in this chapter).
2. Condition output operations (see Columns 23-31 in Chapter 9).
3. Establish field record relations (see Columns 63-64 in Chapter 7).

Indicators reflect only one condition at a time. When one indicator is used to reflect two or more conditions, it is always set to reflect the condition in the last operation performed. Therefore, it is not usual practice to assign the same number as a field indicator and/or resulting indicator more than once in a program. When you use such an indicator to condition other operations, you may get wrong results since the indicator may not always reflect the condition you think it does (see Examples, Example 3).

If any indicator 01-99 is set on or off by the operation codes SETON or SETOF, it remains on or off until an instruction in a specification line containing that same indicator is performed. The indicator is then set to reflect a condition from the operation performed.


Figure 115. Setting Indicators

## H1-H9 (Halt Indicators)

You may use any halt indicator to:

1. Cause the program to stop after finding an unacceptable condition.
2. Condition calculation or output operations that are not to be performed when such an unacceptable condition has occurred. This is necessary because all calculation and detail output operations are still performed for the record that caused the error before processing stops.
3. Establish field record relations (see Columns 63-64 in Chapter 7).

Using the same indicator to test for two or more error conditions is not usually good practice (see Examples, Example 5).

Any halt indicator assigned to test for zero or blank is off at the beginning of the program.

Note: If a halt indicator stops processing, it is turned off when the system is restarted. If more than one halt indicator turns on during a program cycle, each halt indicator must be considered separately. Every time the program is restarted, only one halt indicator is bypassed.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 116, insert A shows that resulting indicator 10 has been assigned to signal when a minus condition occurs. Indicator 10 turns on if the result after the subtraction operation has been performed is negative. It then remains on (or off depending upon the result) until the same operation is performed again. It is always set to reflect the result of the subtraction operation each time it is done.

Example 2: Figure 116, insert B shows the same operation as insert A. However, this operation is conditioned by indicator 01 . The operation is done only when indicator 01 is on. Resulting indicator 10 is set on only when the result of the operation is negative.

Example 3: Figure 116, insert C shows the use of the same indicator (10) in two lines. The status of this indicator reflects the result of each operation. For instance, indicator 10 turns on after the operation in line 05 has been done if the result of the operation is negative. However, if the result of the operation in line 07 is positive or zero, indicator 10 turns off. It is then reset only when the operation in line 05 is done again.


Figure 116. Indicators 01-99

Example 4: Figure 117 shows the entry of two indicators that are used to test for the different conditions in a compare operation. These indicators are used to condition the calculations which might be performed for a payroll job. Indicator 10 is turned on if the hours worked (HRSWKD) are greater than 40 and is then used to condition all operations necessary to find overtime pay. Indicator 20 is
turned on if HRSWKD is less than 40. It is also used to condition other operations. In line 03 if 20 is not on (the employee worked 40 or more hours), regular pay based on a 40 hour week is calculated. In line 06 if 20 is on (employee worked less than 40 hours), pay based on less than a 40 hour week is calculated.


Figure 117. Conditioning Operations (Resulting Indicators)

Example 5: Figure 118, insert A shows the use of H 1 in two different specification lines. If the result of the calculation operation in line 01 is negative, H1 turns on. This is an error condition. Processing continues, however, until this program cycle is completed. Thus, the operation in line 03 is done. If the result of this subtraction operation is positive, H1 turns off. The program does not stop because Hl is not on, even though an error condition has been found in line 01 .

The use of two different halt indicators as shown in Figure 118, insert B does not allow a situation like the one just described to occur.

## COLUMNS 60-74 (COMMENTS)

Enter in columns 60-74 any meaningful information you wish. The comments you use should help you understand or remember what you are doing on each specification line. Comments are not instructions to the RPG II program. They serve only as a means of documenting your program.

## COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)

## See Chapter 2.


(A) This operation is not conditioned.

It will always be done even when the halt indicator is on to signal an error condition.


Figure 118. One Halt Indicator Testing for Two Error Conditions

Operation Codes

## Zero and Add (Z-ADD)

Factor 2 is added to a field of zeros, and the sum is placed in the Result Field.

You are able to perform many different types of operations on your data using the RPG II language. Special codes have been set up which indicate the operation to be performed. Usually these are just abbreviations of the name of the operation. You must use these codes to specify the operation to be performed.

Operations may be divided into nine categories; all codes in each category are explained in this section. Examples are also given for many codes. Appendix E, Table E-1 provides a summary of the operation codes. It also shows what other specifications need to be used with each code.

## ARITHMETIC OPERATIONS

Arithmetic operations can be performed only on numeric fields or literals. The result field must also be numeric. For arithmetic operations in which all three fields are used:

1. Factor 1, Factor 2, and the Result Field may all be different fields.
2. Factor 1, Factor 2, and the Result Field may all be the same field.
3. Factor 1 and Factor 2 may be the same field but different from the Result Field.
4. Either Factor 1 or Factor 2 may be the same as the Result Field.

The length of any field involved in an arithmetic operation cannot exceed 15 characters. If the result exceeds 15 characters, characters may be dropped from either or both ends depending on the location of the decimal point. The results of all operations are signed (+,-). Any data placed in the result field replaces the data that was there previously.

## Add (ADD)

Factor 2 is added to Factor 1. The sum is placed in the Result Field. Factor 1 and Factor 2 are not changed by the operation.

## Subtract (SUB)

Factor 2 is subtracted from Factor 1. The difference is placed in the Result Field. Factor 1 and Factor 2 are not changed by the operation.

Note: Subtracting two fields which are the same is a method of setting the result field to zero.

## Zero and Subtract (Z-SUB)

Factor 2 is subtracted from a field of zeros. The difference is placed in the Result Field. This actually places the negative of Factor 2 in the Result Field. This operation can be used to change the sign of a field. Factor 1 is not used.

## Multiply (MULT)

Factor 1 is multiplied by Factor 2. The product is then placed in the Result Field. Factor 1 and Factor 2 are not changed. When you use (as a factor) a field which is described as the Result Field, you must be sure the Result Field is large enough to hold the product.

## Divide (DIV)

Factor 1 (dividend) is divided by Factor 2 (divisor). The result (quotient) is placed in the Result Field. Factor 1 and Factor 2 are not changed.

If Factor 1 is 0 , the result of the divide operation will be 0 . Factor 2 cannot be 0 . If it is, the job stops immediately and a halt code is displayed (see RPG II Halt Procedures in Appendix A). You may continue processing, however, by pressing HALT/RESET on the processing unit. When processing is continued, the result and remainder are set to zero.

Any remainder resulting from the divide operation is lost unless the move remainder operation is specified as the next operation. If move remainder is the next operation, the result of the divide operation cannot be half adjusted (rounded).

## Move Remainder (MVR)

This operation moves the remainder from the previous divide operation to a separate field named under Result Field. Factor 1 and Factor 2 must not be used. This operation must immediately follow the divide operation and should be conditioned by the same indicators. Half adjust cannot be specified with this operation. The maximum length of the remainder is 15 , including decimal positions. The number of significant decimal positions is the greater of:

1. The number of decimal positions in Factor 1 of the previous divide operation.
2. The sum of the decimal positions in Factor 2 and the Result Field of the previous divide operation.

The maximum whole number positions in the remainder is equal to the whole number positions in Factor 2 of the previous divide operation.

Figure 119 shows the use of the move remainder operation.

## Square Root (SQRT)

This operation derives the square root of the field named in Factor 2. The square root of Factor 2 is placed in the Result Field. Factor 1 is not used.

Factor 2 and the Result Field can be numeric fields up to fifteen digits long overall, including up to nine decimal places. Figure 120 is a table which can be used to determine Result Field contents for various field lengths and decimal positions.

For every digit left of the decimal place in the Result Field, there should be two digits left of the decimal place in Factor 2; for every digit right of the decimal place in the Result Field, there should be two digits right of the decimal place in Factor 2.

A whole array can be used in a SQRT operation if Factor 2 and Result Field contain array names. In this case, the square root of each element of the array named in Factor 2 will be palced in the corresponding element of the array named in the Result Field.

When using the SQRT operation, remember:

1. The Result Field (root) is automatically half-adjusted.
2. The Result Field length must be greater than or equal to the decimal positions entry.
3. Factor 2 cannot be a negative number. A negative number causes a halt (see RPG II Halt Procedures in Appendix A).


Figure 119. Move Remainder Operation


## Notes: 1. Shaded areas are decimal positions.

2. To find the Result Field contents for any field length and decimal positions, read all digits on the desired decimal positions line which are below and to the right of the desired field length. For example:

Field length $=8$; decimal positions $=4$
Result Field contents $=0063.8112$

Figure 120. Result Field Contents for Various Field Lengths and Decimal Positions

## Crossfoot (XFOOT)

This operation is used only on arrays with numeric elements. It adds all the elements of the array together and puts the sum into a separate field specified as the Result Field. Factor 1 is not used. Factor 2 contains the name of the array. You can half-adjust the total in the Result Field and use resulting indicators if you wish.

If the Result Field is an element of the same array used in Factor 2, the value of that element prior to the XFOOT operation is used in arriving at a total.

## MOVE OPERATIONS

Move operations move part or all of Factor 2 to the Result Field. Factor 2 remains unchanged.

Factor 1 is not used in any move operations. It must always be blank. No resulting indicators may be used. Numeric fields may be changed to alphameric fields and alphameric fields may be changed to numeric fields by the move operations. To change a numeric field to an alphameric field, place the name of the numeric field in Factor 2 and use an alphameric result field. To change an alphameric field to a numeric field, place the name of the alphameric field in Factor 2 and use a numeric result field.

When move operations are specified to move data into numeric fields, decimal positions are ignored. For example, if the data 1.00 is moved into a numeric field with one decimal position, the result is 10.0 .

## Move (MOVE)

This operation causes characters from Factor 2 to be moved to the rightmost positions in the result field. Moving starts with the rightmost character.

If Factor 2 is longer than the Result Field, the excess leftmost characters of Factor 2 are not moved. If the Result Field is longer than Factor 2, the characters to the left of the data just moved in are unchanged.

An alphameric field or constant may be changed into a numeric field by moving it into a numeric field. When this is specified, the digit portion of each character is converted to its corresponding numeric character and then moved to the result field. Blanks are transferred as zeros. However, the zone portion of the rightmost alphameric character is converted to a corresponding sign and is moved to the rightmost position of the numeric field where it becomes the sign of the field. A numeric field may also be changed into an alphameric field by moving it into an alphameric field. All digits are transferred. The digit and zone of the rightmost character are transferred. The MOVE operation is summarized in Figure 121.


Figure 121. MOVE Operations

## Move Left (MOVEL)

This operation causes characters from Factor 2 to be moved to the leftmost position in the Result Field. Moving begins with the leftmost character.

If Factor 2 is longer than the Result Field, the excess rightmost characters of Factor 2 are not moved. If the Result Field is longer than Factor 2, the characters to the right of the data just moved in are unchanged. In this case the sign of a numeric field is not changed either.

An alphameric field or constant may be changed into a numeric field by moving it into a numeric field. When this is specified, the digit portion of each character is converted to its corresponding numeric character and then moved into the result field.

Blanks are transferred as zeros. If the rightmost character is moved, the zone is also converted and used as the sign of the field. When the rightmost character is not transferred, the zone is, nevertheless, still transferred and used as the sign of the result field.

A numeric field may also be changed into an alphameric field by moving it into an alphameric field. All digits are transferred. Both digit and zone portions of the rightmost character are transferred if that character is to be moved.

A summary of rules for MOVEL transfers are as follows (see also Figure 122):

1. Factor 2 is the same length as the Result Field.
a. Factor 2 and Result Field numeric: the sign is moved with the rightmost digit.
b. Factor 2 numeric, Result Field alphameric: the sign is moved with the rightmost digit. Only digits are moved for other positions.
c. Factor 2 alphameric, Result Field numeric: zone and digit portions of rightmost digit are moved. Zones in other positions are not moved.
d. Factor 2 and Result Field alphameric: all characters are moved.
2. Factor 2 is longer than the Result Field.
a. Factor 2 and Result Field numeric: the sign from the rightmost position of factor 2 is moved over the rightmost digit of the result field.
b. Factor 2 numeric, Result Field alphameric: the Result Field contains only digits.
c. Factor 2 alphameric, Result Field numeric: zone from the rightmost character of Factor 2 is moved over the rightmost digit of the Result Field; other Result Field positions contain only digits.
d. Factor 2 and Result Field alphameric: only the number of characters needed to fill the Result Field are moved.
3. Factor 2 is shorter than the Result Field.
a. Factor 2 either numeric or alphameric, Result Field numeric: digit portion of Factor 2 replaces the contents of the leftmost positions in the Result Field. The sign in the rightmost position of the Result Field is not changed.
b. Factor 2 either numeric or alphameric, Resuit Field alphameric: characters in Factor 2 replace the equivalent number of leftmost positions in the Result Field. No change is made in the zone of the rightmost position of the Result Field.


Figure 122. MOVEL Operations

## MOVE ZONE OPERATIONS

These operations are used only to move the zone portion of a character. There are four varieties of the move zone operation (Figure 123).

Note: Generally, whenever the word high is used, the field involved must be alphameric; whenever low is used, the field involved may be either alphameric or numeric.


Figure 123. Function of Move Zone Operations

## Move High to High Zone (MHHZO)

This operation moves the zone from the leftmost position of Factor 2 to the leftmost position of the Result Field. Factor 2 and the Result Field must be alphameric.

## Move High to Low Zone (MHLZO)

This operation moves the zone from the leftmost position of Factor 2 to the rightmost position of the Result Field. Factor 2 can be only alphameric. The Result Field may be either alphameric or numeric.

## Move Low to Low Zone (MLLZO)

This operation moves the zone from the rightmost position of Factor 2 to the rightmost position of the Result Field. Factor 2 and the Result Field may be either alphameric or numeric.

## Move Low to High Zone (MLHZO)

This operation moves the zone from the rightmost position of Factor 2 to the leftmost position of the Result Field. Factor 2 can be numeric or alphameric, but the Result Field can only be alphameric.

## COMPARE AND TESTING OPERATIONS

These operations test fields for certain conditions. The result of the test is shown by the resulting indicators assigned in columns 54-59. No fields are changed by these operations.

## Compare (COMP)

This operation causes Factor 1 to be compared with Factor 2. As a result of the compare, indicators are turned on as follows:

| High | Factor 1 is greater than Factor 2. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Low | Factor 1 is less than Factor 2. |
| Equal | Factor 1 equals Factor 2. |

Factor 1 and Factor 2 must either be both alphameric or both numeric.

The fields are automatically aligned before they are compared. If the fields are alphameric, they are aligned to their leftmost character. If one is shorter, the unused positions are filled with blanks (Figure 124).

If the fields which are to be compared are numeric, they are aligned according to the decimal point. Any missing digits are filled in with zeros (Figure 125). The maximum field length for numeric fields which are to be compared is 15 digits.

If an alternate collating sequence is defined, alphameric fields are compared according to that sequence. Entire arrays cannot be used with the compare operation.

Figure 126 shows some specifications for compare operations. In specification line 01, the contents of the field SLS67 (1967 sales) are compared with the contents of SLS68. If 1967 sales exceed 1968 sales, resulting indicator 21 turns on; if they are less, resulting indicator 26 turns on; if the two years had equal sales, 30 turns on. In line 03 the alphameric constant OCTOBER is compared against the contents of the field named MONTH (which must also be defined as alphameric). If the MONTH field does not contain the word OCTOBER, indicator 13 turns on; if it does, indicator 15 turns on after the compare operation. In line 05 the contents of the field named GRSPAY (which must be defined as numeric) is decimal-aligned with numeric


Figure 124. Comparison of Alphameric Fields


Figure 125. Comparison of Numeric Fields


Figure 126. Compare Operations
constant 1250.00 and then compared to it. If the value in field GRSPAY is greater than or equal to 1250.00 , indicator 04 turns on; if its value is less than 1250.00 , indicator 05 turns on. In line 07 the contents of the field NETPAY (which must be defined as numeric) is decimal-aligned with numeric constant 0 and then compared to it. If NETPAY is greater than zero, indicator H 1 remains off after the compare operation. If NETPAY is zero or negative, indicator H1 turns on.

## Test Zone (TESTZ)

This operation tesis the zone of the leftmost character in the result field (see Character Structure under Columns 21-41 in Chapter 4). The Result Field must be alphameric since this operation can be done only on alphameric characters. Resulting indicators are used to determine the results of the test. The zone portion of characters \& and $A-I$ causes the plus indicator to turn on. The zone portion of the characters \} (bracket), -(minus), and J-R causes the minus indicator to turn on. All other characters, when tested, cause the blank indicator to turn on. Factor 1 and Factor 2 are not used in this operation.

## BINARY FIELD OPERATIONS

Three operation codes, BITON, BITOF, and TESTB, are provided to set and test individual bits. The individual bits can be used as switches in a program.

In binary field operations, the operation code, BITON, BITOF, or TESTB, must appear in columns 28-32. Factor 2 can contain:

- Bit numbers 0-7: One or more bits (maximum of eight) may be set on, set off, or tested per operation. The bits are numbered from left to right and are enclosed in apostrophes. The order of specification of the bits is not restricted. For example, to specify the first bit in a field, enter ' 0 ' in Factor 2 (in columns 33-35). To speciby bits 0,2 , and 5 , enter ' 025 ' in Factor 2 (in columns 33-37). Bits not specified in Factor 2 are not changed.
- Field Name: The name of a one-position, alphameric field or table or array element can be entered. In this case, the bits which are on in the field or array element are set on, set off, or tested in the Result Field; bits which are not on are not affected.

Any field named in Factor 2 or the Result Field must be a one-position, alphameric field (no entries in the decimal positions columns on the Input or Calculation Sheet).

## Set Bit On (BITON)

This operation code causes bits identified in Factor 2 to turn on (set to one) in a field named as the Result Field. The operation code BITON must appear in columns 28-32. Conditioning indicators can be used in columns 7-17. Any entry under Field Length must be 1 . See the preceding discussion in Binary Field Operations.

Factor 1, Decimal Positions, Half-Adjust, and Resulting Indicators are not used with the BITON operation. See Figure 127 for a summary of BITON operations.


Figure 127. Set Bit On (BITON) Operations

## Set Bit Off (BITOF)

This operation code causes bits identified in Factor 2 to turn off (set to zero) in a field named as the Result Field.

The operation code BITOF must appear in columns 28-32.
All other specifications are the same as those for the
BITON operation. See Figure 128 for a summary of
BITOF operations.


Figure 128. Set Bit Off (BITOF) Operations

## Test Bit (TESTB)

This operation code causes bits identified in Factor 2 to be tested for an on or off condition in the field named as the Result Field. The condition of the bits is known by resulting indicators in columns 5459. All other specifications are the same as those for BITON and BITOF. See Figure 129 for a summary of TESTB operations.

At least one resulting indicator must be used with the TESTB operation; as many as three can be named for one operation. Two indicators may be the same for one TESTB operation, but not three. If Factor 2 contains bits which are all off, no resulting indicators are turned on. A resulting indicator has the following meanings for these columns:

- Columns 54-55: An indicator in these columns is turned on if each bit specified in Factor 2 is off (0) in the Result Field.
- Columns 56-57: An indicator in these columns is turned on if two or more bits were tested and found to be of mixed status; that is, some bits on and other bits off. It is the programmer's responsibility to ensure that the field named in Factor 2 contains more than one bit which is on if an indicator appears in columns 56-57.
- Columns 58-59: An indicator in these columns is turned on if each bit specified in Factor 2 is on (1) in the Result Field.


Figure 129. Test Bit (TESTB) Operations (Part 1 of 2)

## SETTING INDICATORS

These operation codes are used to turn indicators off or on. Any indicator to be turned on or off is specified in columns 54-59. The headings in the Resulting Indicators field (Plus or High, Minus or Low, Zero or Equal) have no meaning in these operations. When setting indicators, remember:

1. The following indicators may not be turned on by the SETON operation: 1P, MR, L0, U1-U8.
2. The following indicators may not be turned off by the SETOF operation: 1P, MR, LR, L0, U1-U8.
3. If the LR indicator is turned on by a SETON operation which is conditioned with a control level indicator (columns 7-8 of the Calculation Sheet), processing stops after all total output operations are finished. If it is turned on by a SETON operation not so conditioned, processing stops after the next total output operation is completed.
4. If the halt indicators ( $\mathrm{H} 1-\mathrm{H} 9$ ) are set on and not turned off before the detail output operations are complete, the system stops. Processing may be continued by pressing the start key on the Processing Unit once for every halt indicator that is on.
5. Setting on or setting off a control level indicator (L1-L9) does not automatically set on the lower control level indicators.
6. Indicators L1-L9 and the record identifying indicators are always turned off after detail output operations are completed, regardless of the previous SETON or SETOF operation.
7. Whenever a new record is read, record identifying indicators (01-99) and field indicators are set to reflect conditions on the new record. The setting from any previous SETON or SETOF operation does not apply then.


Figure 129. Test Bit (TESTB) Operations (Part 2 of 2)

## Set On (SETON)

This operation causes any indicators in columns 54-59 to be turned on.

## Set Off (SETOF)

This operation causes any indicators in columns 54-59 to be turned off.

## BRANCHING OPERATIONS

Operations are normally performed in the order that they appear on the Calculation Sheet. There may be times, however, when you do not want the operations performed in the order they are specified. For example, you may wish to:

1. Skip several operations when certain conditions occur.
2. Perform certain operations for several, but not all, record types.
3. Perform several operations over and over again.

## Go To (GOTO)

This operation allows you to skip instructions by specifying some other instruction to go to (see $T A G$ ). You may branch to an earlier line or to a later specification line. However, you cannot skip from a calculation that is not conditioned by a control level indicator (columns 7-8) to one that is, or vice versa. Neither can you branch from a calculation within a subroutine to a calculation outside of that subroutine, or vice versa.

Factor 2 must contain the name of the point to which you wish to go. Factor 1 and the Result Field are not used in this operation. The GOTO operation may be conditioned by any indicators. If it is not conditioned, the operation is always done. See Examples for use of GOTO operations.

## Tag (TAG)

This operation code names the point to which you are branching in the GOTO operation. Factor 1 contains this label. The name must begin in column 18. The same label may not be used for more than one TAG instruction.

Factor 2 and the Result Field are not used. No indicators may be entered in columns 9-17 for a TAG instruction. Control level indicators may be used, however, if branching is to occur at total time. See Examples for use of the TAG operation.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 130 shows how TAG and GOTO may be used to skip operations on certain conditions.

1. If the results of the subtraction in line 01 is minus (indicator 10 is on), a branch is taken to RTN1 (routine 1) named by the TAG operation code in line 09. Notice that both the GOTO (line 02) and TAG (line 09) are not conditioned by control level indicators.
2. If the branch is not taken in line 02, the multiplication in line 03 is performed. Then the branch to RTN1 (line 09) must be taken because this branch is not conditioned by indicators.
3. Operations in lines $10-12$ are then done. If the operation in line 12 does not turn indicator 15 on, a branch is taken backwards to RTN2 (line 05).
4. Operations then go in the order specified again from lines $06-12$. Nothing is done in line 09 since TAG only gives a name. These same operations are performed again and again until 15 does turn on.
5. When 15 is on, the branch to RTN2 is not taken. The TESTZ operation is then performed. If this operation causes 20 to turn on, a branch is taken to line 17 (GOTO END). If 20 is not on, the operation on line 16 is done.


Figure 130. Using GOTO and TAG (Skipping Operations)

Example 2: Figure 131 shows how TAG and GOTO may be used to eliminate coding when several operations have to be performed again and again.

Assume that you wish to make 20 mailing labels for every customer you have. The customer's name and address are found on an input card. Since you wish to write 20 labels for each card, you have to use exception lines and the operation EXCPT (see EXCPT Operation in this section for further information).

This can be coded as shown in Figure 131, insert A. You have to write the EXCPT operation code for every mailing label. However, by using branching, you can code it all in six lines (see Figure 131, insert B). An EXCPT line is printed out. One is added to COUNT in order to keep track of how many times the line has been printed. Then COUNT is compared to 20 . If COUNT does not equal 20, a branch is taken back to the beginning (GOTO DOAGIN). If COUNT equals 20, the branch is not taken. Instead 20 is subtracted from the COUNT field so that it will be zero for the next cycle.

## LOOKUP OPERATIONS

Lookup operations are used when searching through a table or an array to find a special element.

## Lookup (LOKUP)

This operation code causes a search to be made for a particular item in a table or array. The table or array is Factor 2. Factor 1 is the search word (data for which you wish to find a match in the table or array named). Factor 1, the search word, may be:

1. An alphameric or numeric constant.
2. A field name.
3. An array element.
4. A table name.

Remember that when a table is named in Factor 1, it refers to the element of the table last selected in a LOKUP operation, not to the whole table.

Resulting indicators are always used in connection with LOKUP. They are used to first indicate the type of search desired and then to reflect the result of the search. A resulting indicator assigned to Equal (columns 58-59) instructs the program to search for an entry in the table or array equal to the search word. The indicator turns on only if such an entry is found. If there are several entries identical to the search word, the first one that is encountered is selected.

An indicator assigned to Low (columns 56-57) instructs the program to locate an entry in the table that is nearest to, yet lower in sequence than, the search word. The first such entry found causes the indicator assigned to Low to turn on.

The indicator assigned to High (columns 54-55) instructs the program to find the entry that is nearest to, yet higher in sequence than, the search word. The first higher entry found causes the indicator assigned to High to turn on. In all cases the resulting indicator turns on only if the search is successful.

At least one resulting indicator must be assigned, but no more than two can be used. Resulting indicators can be assigned to Equal and High or Equal and Low. The program searches for an entry that satisfies either condition with Equal given precedence; that is, if no Equal entry can be found, the nearest lower or nearest higher entry is selected. If resulting indicators are assigned both to High and Low, the indicator assigned to Low is ignored. When using the LOKUP operation, remember:

1. The search word and each table or array item must have the same length and the same format (alphameric or numeric), but need not have the same alignment.
2. You may search on High, Low, High and Equal, or Low and Equal only if your table or array is in sequence.
3. No resulting indicator turns on if the entry searched for is not found.


Figure 131. Using GOTO and TAG (Eliminate Duplicate Coding)

## Using the LOKUP Operation

## LOKUP with One Table

When searching a single table, Factor 1, Factor 2, and at least one resulting indicator must be specified. Conditioning indicators (specified in columns 7-17) may also be used.

Whenever a table item is found that satisfies the type of search being made (Equal, High, Low), a copy of that table item is placed in a special storage area. Every time a search is successful, the newly found table item is placed in this area, destroying what was there before. If the search is not successful, no table item is placed in the storage area. Instead, the area keeps the contents it had before the unsuccessful search.

Resulting indicators are always set to reflect the result of the search. If the indicator is on, showing a successful search, you know that a copy of the item searched for is in the special storage area.

## LOKUP with Two Tables

When two related tables are used in a search, only one is actually searched. When the search condition (High, Low, Equal) is satisfied, the corresponding data items from both tables are made available for use.

Factor 1 must be the search word and Factor 2 must name the table to be searched. The Result Field must name the related table from which data is made available for use. Resulting indicators must also be used. Conditioning indicators (specified in columns 7-17) may be specified if needed.

The two tables involved should be the same length. If the table that is searched is longer than its related table, the search stops at the end of the shorter table.

## Referencing the Table Item Found in a LOKUP Operation

Whenever a table name is used in an operation other than LOKUP, the table name really refers to the data placed in the special storage area by the last successful search. Thus, by specifying the table name in this fashion, you can use data items from a table in calculation operations.

If the table is used as Factor 1 in a LOKUP operation, the contents of the special storage area are used as the search word. In this way a data item from a table can itself become a search word.

The table may also be used as the Result Field in operations other than the LOKUP operation. In this case the contents of the special storage area are changed by the calculation operation. The corresponding table item in the table itself is also changed. This is a way in which you can modify the contents of the table by calculation operations (Figure 132).


Figure 132. Referencing the Table Item Found in a LOKUP Operation

## Example of Table Lookup

Figures 133 and 134 show the use of the LOKUP operation. Figure 133, insert A shows the contents of four tables: TABLEA, TABLEB, TABLEC, and TABLED (loaded at compile time). Each table has five entries.

Figure 133, insert $B$ shows the extension specifications for these tables. TABLEA and TABLEB are described separately and are, therefore, entered separately.
TABLEC and TABLED are related tables and are entered in alternating format on the table input cards. Figure 132 shows the order in which the table input cards are loaded into the machine at compile time.

## LOKUP with an Array

The LOKUP specifications for arrays are the same as for tables except that if Factor 2 is an array, the Result Field cannot be used. In addition if the desired item is found, the indicators reflect only that the desired item is in the array; the programmer does not have ready access to this item.

If you use just the array name in referencing the array, the search begins at the first element in the array. You must use indicators to determine if a match was found.

If you use the array name and an index (which may be a field name or a literal), the search begins at the element identified by the index. If a match is found, the number of the array element containing the match is placed in the field used as an index. If no match is found, the index field is set to 1.

If a literal was used as an index, indicators must be used to determine if a match was found. The content of the element referenced by the literal is not changed.

|  | First <br> Entry | Second <br> Entry | Third <br> Entry | Fourth <br> Entry | Fifth <br> Entry |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TABLEA | 01 | 05 | 08 | 32 | 96 |
| TABLEB | 05.13 | 02.12 | 47.15 | 28.70 | 15.16 |
| TABLEC | WWW | NNN | LLL | GGG | AAA |
| TABLED | 7 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 5 |

## (A)



Figure 133. Table Lookup (Tables Used)


Figure 134. Order in which Tables are Loaded (Compile Time)

Figure 135 shows two LOKUP operations performed with an array. MANNOS, a 2100 element array of employee numbers, is read in at pre-execution time from file ARRFILE with six 10 position elements per record; the array elements are in ascending order. Line 01 of the Calculation sheet shows a LOKUP of array MANNOS with the object of finding the element nearest to but higher in sequence than the search word '100336'. If this desired element is found in the array, indicator 20 turns on and the GOTO in line 02 is performed. Notice that the result of this LOKUP indicates only whether or not the desired element exists in the array. Line 05 of the Calculation Sheet shows essentially the same LOKUP
operation-indicator 20 will turn on when the first element higher in sequence than ' 100336 ' is found. Note, however, that in this LOKUP operation, the array MANNOS is indexed by the field INX. This index field was set to 1 in line 04 so the LOKUP will begin at the first element of MANNOS. If the desired element is found, the number of this element (not its contents) is placed in the field INX. In this way, the actual element which satisfied the LOKUP can be used in subsequent calculation operations, as in line 07. If no element was found to satisfy the LOKUP, the field INX would be reset to 1 .


Figure 135. LOKUP With an Array

## Starting the Search at a Particular Array Item

It is possible, in order to save processing time, to start the LOKUP search at a particular item in the array. This type of search is indicated by additional entries in columns 33-42. Enter the name of the array to be searched in these columns followed by a comma and a numeric literal or the name of a numeric field (with no decimal positions). The numeric literal or numeric field tells the number of the item at which you wish to start the search (Figure 136). This numeric literal or field is known as the index because it points to a certain item in the array. All other columns are used as previously described for the normal lookup operation.

The search starts at the specified item and continues until the desired item is found or until the end of the array is reached. When an index field is used, an unsuccessful search causes the index field to contain the value of one. If, however, an item is found which satisfies the conditions of the LOKUP operation, the number of that array item (counting from the first item) is placed in the index field. A numeric literal used as an index is not changed to reflect the result of the search.

Note: If a literal or field index for an array is zero, or greater than the number of elements in the array, the following will result:

1. For a literal index a severe error occurs, and compilation will cease.
2. For a field index the job will halt, allowing the operator to cancel or restart the program. If the program is restarted, the field index is given a value of one (see Appendix A, RPG II Halt Procedures).

## SUBROUTINE OPERATIONS

These operation codes are only used for subroutines. See Subroutines for information on subroutines. All subroutine operation codes must be written in specification lines following all detail and total calculations. Subroutine lines are always identified by an SR in columns 7-8.

## Begin Subroutine (BEGSR)

This operation code serves as the beginning point of the subroutine. Factor 1 must contain the name of the subroutine.

## End Subroutine (ENDSR)

This operation code must be the last statement of the subroutine. It serves to define the end of the subroutine. Factor 1 may contain a name. This name then serves as a point to which you can branch by a GOTO statement within the subroutine. The ENDSR operation ends the subroutine and automatically causes a branch back to the next statement after the EXSR operation.

## Execute Subroutine (EXSR)

This operation causes all the operations in the subroutine to be performed. EXSR may appear anywhere in the program. Whenever it appears, the subroutine is executed. After all operations in the subroutine are done, the operation in the line following the EXSR operation is performed.


Figure 136. Array Lookup: Starting at a Particular Array Item

This operation may be conditioned by any indicators, meaning the subroutine is executed only when all conditions are satisfied. Factor 2 must contain the name of the subroutine that is to be executed. This same name must appear on a BEGSR instruction.

## SUBROUTINES

A subroutine is a routine that is part of another main routine. A routine is something done over and over again. A program can be called a routine because the instructions in a program are done again and again (the program cycle). A subroutine is a group of instructions in that main routine (program) which may be done several times in one program cycle.

Sometimes it is necessary to write a program which at several points does the same operations. Instead of having to write these instructions every time they are needed, it is easier and less time consuming if they can be written just once and then referred to each time they are needed. You can do this by writing a subroutine which then consists of all those operations you have to do at several points in your program.

You might also have to do the same sequence of operations in several different programs. Instead of writing these specifications in each program, you can code the operations once as a subroutine. You then include this subroutine in as many different programs as you wish.

## Coding Subroutines

Subroutines are coded and used on the Calculation Sheet. They are entered after all other calculation operations. Every subroutine must have a name, but no two subroutines used in the same program may have the same name.

Enter the name of the subroutine in Factor 1, and on the same line enter the operation code BEGSR (line 10 of Figure 137). The subroutine name can be 1-6 characters long and must begin in column 18 with an alphabetic character. The remaining characters can be any combination of alphabetic or numeric characters (no special characters). Blanks may not appear between characters in the name.


Figure 137. Subroutine Lines (SR)

Each specification line within the subroutine (except AN or OR lines) must have SR in columns $7-8$ to identify it as a subroutine line (Figure 137). The last statement of the subroutine is indicated by the operation code ENDSR (line 17 of Figure 137). Factor 1 of the ENDSR statement may contain a name. This name indicates the point to which a GOTO within the subroutine can branch (Figure 138).

The subroutine, even though specified last on the Calculation Sheet, may be performed at any point in the calculation operations. Whenever the subroutine is to be used,
enter the operation code EXSR (execute subroutine). The name of the subroutine to be used must also be entered in Factor 2 (lines 04 and 08 of Figure 139).
Using the EXSR operation is known as calling a subroutine.

The operation code EXSR causes the operations in the subroutine named in Factor 2 to be performed. After all calculation operations in the subroutine are done, the next operation after the EXSR is performed. For example, when the EXSR operation (line 04 of Figure 139) is encountered, all subroutine operations (lines 11-15) are done. Then the operation in line 05 is performed.


Calculation operations

Calculation operations within a subroutine

Factor 1 of the ENDSR statement contains a name to which the GOTO statement in the subroutine can branch.

Figure 138. Subroutines (ENDSR)

Indicators may be used with EXSR code to condition when the subroutine should be executed. Any valid indicator may be used in columns 7-17. If no indicators are used, the subroutine is always executed.

All possible RPG II operations may be performed within a subroutine. Operations within the subroutine may be conditioned by any valid indicator in columns 9-17
(Figure 139). Since SR must appear in columns 7-8, control level indicators cannot be used in these columns.

This means that individual operations within the subroutine cannot be conditioned by a control level indicator used in columns 7-8. However, entire subroutines can be conditioned by control level indicators. This can be done by using the control level indicator with the EXSR operation (line 08 of Figure 139).

Fields used in the subroutine may be defined either inside or outside the subroutine. In either case, they can be used by both the main routine and the subroutine.


Figure 139. Subroutines (EXSR)

You may use as many subroutines in your main program as you wish. However, you cannot write a subroutine within a subroutine. This means that within one subroutine you cannot have the BEGSR and ENDSR operation codes. One subroutine may call another subroutine, however. In other words, within a subroutine you may have an EXSR operation (Figure 140). A subroutine cannot call itself and cannot call the subroutine which called it.

Subroutines need not be defined in the order in which they are used. However, you must make certain that each one has a different name and a BEGSR and ENDSR operation code.

When you use a GOTO statement in a subroutine, you may only branch to another statement in that same subroutine. Branching (GOTO) to a statement in another subroutine or outside of a subroutine causes an error condition. You cannot use a GOTO from outside the subroutine to a statement within the subroutine either. Figure 141 shows the correct use of GOTO and TAG within a subroutine.

## Use of One Subroutine in Many Different Programs

When you wish to do the same operations in many different programs, you may use a subroutine to eliminate duplicate coding in each program. Merely code these operations once and use this subroutine along with your main program deck.

Whenever you code a subroutine to be used in several different programs, remember:

1. When you call the subroutine in your main program (EXSR operation code), you must use the correct name of the subroutine in Factor 2.
2. All fields that will be used both by the subroutine and the main routine must be named the same in each routine. For example, if both the main routine and the subroutine used data from the field called COST on the input card, that field must be named COST in both routines. Keep in mind that the COST field also has the same characteristics (length, decimal positions) in both the main routine and the subroutine.


Figure 140. Subroutines: Calling Another Subroutine


Figure 141. GOTO and TAG Within a S:abroutine

## PROGRAMMED CONTROL OF INPUT AND OUTPUT

The normal RPG II processing cycle is as follows:

1. A record is read.
2. Calculations are performed.
3. Records are written.
(See General RPG II Object Program Logic in Chapter 1 for a brief description of the program cycle.) The normal
program cycle can be altered to allow input and output operations during calculations. The following operations provide this capability:

- Exception (EXCPT)
- Force (FORCE)
- Display (DSPLY)
- Read (READ)
- Chain (CHAIN)


## Exception (EXCPT)

This operation allows records to be written at the time calculations are being done. Use this primarily when you wish to have a variable number of similar or identical records (either detail or total) written in one program cycle. (Remember that normally, only the exact number of records specified in the output-format specifications are written or punched on a file in one program cycle.) For example, you might use EXCPT to produce a variable number of identical mailing labels, to write out contents of a table, or to produce a number of records having the same information punched in them.

When the EXCPT operation is used, EXCPT is entered in columns $28-32$, and columns $7-17$ may have entries. All other columns must be blank. The line or lines which are to be written out during calculation time are indicated by an $E$ in column 15 of the Output-Format Sheet. Exception lines may not be used in a combined file.

Figure 142 shows the use of the EXCPT operation to produce a variable number of records having the same information punched in them. Records in the input file have two fields, NAME and COUNT. The NAME field is to be entered into a certain number of records. That number is indicated in the COUNT field.

Every time the operation code EXCPT is performed, the exception record indicated by the $E$ in column 15 of the Output-Format Sheet is punched. The field CONSEC is used to keep track of the number of records punched. Each time an exception record is written, 1 is added to CONSEC. CONSEC is then compared with COUNT, the
field that tells how many records should be punched. If they are not equal (indicator 20 is not on), a branch is taken back to DOAGIN. Another record is punched out. One is added to CONSEC and CONSEC is compared to COUNT. If these fields are now equal, another input record is read. If not, the same operations are done again. Whenever CONSEC equals COUNT, enough records have been punched. CONSEC is then subtracted from itself, making it zero. This last operation is necessary so that an accurate count can be kept for the next record.

## Force (FORCE)

FORCE statements enable you to select the file from which the next record is to be taken for processing. They apply to primary or secondary; input, update, or combined files.

Factor 2 in a FORCE statement identifies the file from which the next record is to be selected. If the statement is executed, the record is selected at the start of the next program cycle. If more than one FORCE statement is executed during the same program cycle, all but the last is | ignored. FORCE should not be specified at total time.

FORCE statements override the multifile processing method by which the program normally selects records. However, the first record to be processed is always selected by the normal method. The remaining records can be selected by FORCE statements. When end of file is encountered on a forced file, a record will not be retrieved from the file; normal record selection will determine which record is to be processed.




Figure 142. EXCPT Operation (Producing a Variable Number of Identical Records)

Figure 143 shows part of a job which uses FORCE operation codes and look ahead fields to simulate normal record selection. Normal record selection is not used because records in the two secondary files have two match fields, CUST and ITEM, and those in the primary file have only one, CUST. Normal record selection requires all three to have the same number of match fields.

Indicators 20-23 and 26-28 are used to determine which file the next record is to be read from. The conditions under which the files are chosen follow. Record 1 means the record from the primary file; record 2 the first secondary file; and record 3 , the second secondary file.

| Condition | Indicators Set On | File Selected |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| None of the <br> records match. <br> Record 1 has the <br> lowest CUST <br> field value. | 20 and 22 | Primary |
| (FIRST) |  |  |

Records 1, 2, and 21 and 23 Primary 3 match (CUST field values).

Record 2 has 26
lower CUST field
value than record 1.
Record 2 has
lower CUST and ITEM fields (together) value than record 3.

Record 2 matches record 3 (both CUST and ITEM fields). Record 1 has greater CUST field value.

Record 3 has
28
lower CUST field value than record 1. Record 3 has lower CUST and ITEM field (together) value than record 2.

First secondary (SECOND)

First secondary (SECOND)

Second secondary (THIRD)

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## (A)

Figure 143. FORCE Operation Code (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 143. FORCE Operation Code (Part 2 of 2)

In addition, indicators 24,25 , and 29 are set to condition calculations which process the record selected.

## Condition

Indicator Set On

Records 1, 2, and 3 match (CUST
fields). Records 2 and 3 match (CUST fields and ITEM fields).

Records 1, 2, and 3 match (CUST
25
fields). ITEM fields in records 2 and 3 do not match.

CUST field values in records 2 and 3 match; ITEM fields do not. Record 1 has higher CUST field value.

All the calculations shown in Figure 141, insert C are needed to determine which record is to be processed next. The operations which are performed upon the data from the input records are not shown. They do, however, precede the calculations shown in Figure 141, insert $C$ and are conditioned by the indicators set during the previous cycle by the calculations shown.

## Display (DSPLY)

The display operation allows either or both of the following:

1. A field, table element, array element, or literal up to 125 characters long is printed on the printer-keyboard during program execution without a program halt.
2. A field, table element, literal, or array element up to 125 characters long is printed on the printer-keyboard, and the program halts, allowing that field to be changed.

See Figure 144 for coding possibilities and results. Also see Figure 146 under CHAIN operation in this chapter for an example using the display operation. A literal may not be changed with display.

There are several points to remember if you wish to enter data during program execution:

1. Numeric data need not be entered with leading zeros; numeric data will be right-justified after all characters are keyed. To key a negative field, the field is keyed and then a minus sign is keyed.
2. Alphameric fields will be left-justified after all characters are keyed.
3. Alphameric fields are blanked out and numeric fields are zeroed out.
4. If no characters are entered or the space bar is not depressed, the result field will not be changed.
5. The data entered must be followed by depressing the END key if the data is correct or the CANCEL key if you want to re-enter data.

## Read (READ)

The READ operation is used to call for immediate input from a demand file during the calculations in the program cycle. This operation differs from the FORCE operation because FORCE specifies input on the next program cycle, not the present one. The READ operation is similar to the CHAIN operation, except that the READ file is processed sequentially and the CHAIN file is processed randomly.

The operation code READ must appear in columns 28-32. Factor 2 contains the name of the file from which a record will be read immediately. An indicator should be used in columns 58-59. An indicator specified in these columns will turn on after each READ operation if an end of file condition is reached. If columns 58-59 are blank, a halt will occur on an end-of-file condition and on subsequent READ operations after the end-of-file condition is reached. Indicators may be specified in columns 7-17.

Note: When the program is reading from several demand files during the same RPG II cycle, record identifying indicators assigned to the demand files will remain on throughout the cycle if the previous READ operations were executed successfully.

The foilowing files can appear as Factor 2 in a READ operation (all must be designated demand files with a $D$ in column 16 of the File Description Sheet):

- Sequential or direct disk files processed consecutively and specified as input or update files.
- Indexed disk files processed sequentially by key and specified as input or update files.
- Indexed disk files processed sequentially within limits and specified as input or update files.
- Console files specified as input files.
- MFCU files specified as input or combined files.



## Results:

A 1. FIELDA (up to 125 characters) is printed as shown.
2. FIELDA does not change.
3. Program does not halt.


B 1. FIELDB (up to 125 characters) is printed as shown
2. Program halts.
3. FIELDB is blanked out if data is entered or the space bar is pressed.
4. Data can be entered in FIELDB.

C 1. FIELDA (up to 125 characters) and FIELDB (up to 125 characters) are printed as shown..
2. FIELDA does not change.

DSPLY
Contents of FIELDA (Factor 1)
Contents of FIELDB (Result Field)
3. Program halts.
4. FIELDB is blanked out if data is entered or the space bar is pressed.
5. Data can be entered in FIELDB.

Note: Factor 1 cannot be the name of an array.

Figure 144. Methods of Coding the Display Operation

When using the READ operation for demand files remember these points:

1. Demand files can only be processed by the READ operation.
2. Control levels, matching fields, and look-ahead fields are not allowed with demand files.
3. Numeric sequence testing on the Input Sheet is not allowed for demand files.
4. The MR indicator may not be entered in columns 63-64 (Field Record Relation) on the Input Sheet.
5. Sterling fields cannot be used in demand files.
6. When a demand file is conditioned by a U1-U8 indicator which is not on, no records will be read from that file and the end-of-file indicator in columns $58-59$ will not turn on.

## Example: Assigning Man Numbers to New Employees

Figure 145 shows the coding necessary to process a demand file with the READ operation code. The combined input and output file NEWNAME, consisting of a deck of cards with a name field in columns 8-96, is read from the primary MFCU hopper. The disk file NUMBRFLE, specified as an update demand file, consists of records containing a sevendigit number and a flag mark. For each record read from NEWNAME, a record is also read from NUMBRFLE during the calculation phase by means of the READ operation code. If the record from the demand file contains a flag (field indicator 88 is off), another record is immediately read. This loop is repeated until a record without a flag has been read from NUMBRFLE; a flag of ' X ' is then moved into the FLAG field. When end of file has been reached on the demand file and each time READ is encountered thereafter, resulting indicator H 1 is turned on.


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Figure 145. READ Operation Code (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 145. READ Operation Code (Part 2 of 2)

At detail output time, the flagged number from the record in NUMBRFLE is punched and printed on the card from NEWNAME. The record from NUMBRFLE, which now contains a flag, is returned to its original location on the disk. The disk file, NAMEFILE, is then written containing the name from the NEWNAME card file and the number from the demand file, NUMBRFLE.

## Chain (CHAIN)

The chain operation causes a record to be read from a disk file during calculations. This operation allows one record to be read in when the operation code CHAIN appears in columns 28-32 of the Calculation Sheet.

Indicators in columns $7-17$ may be used, but Result Field, Field Length, Decimal Position, and Half-Adjust (columns 43-53) must be blank. File conditioning indicators (U1-U8) can be used to condition a chained file.

Columns $54-55$ should contain an entry. If the record is not found, the indicator specified in these columns will turn on. No output is permitted to a chained update file when the specified record is not found. Columns 56-59 must always be blank for chain operations.

If an indicator is not specified in columns 54-55, and the record is not found, the program will halt. The options given are to end the job or to bypass the remainder of the current cycle and begin a new cycle. If LR processing has already been initiated, the bypass-and-begin-new-cycle option is not allowed. If the controlled cancel option is taken, files are closed, but the rest of the LR processing does not occur.

When the program is chaining to a file with packed record keys, the entry in Factor 1 of the CHAIN operation must have a packed length which is the same as the length of the key field in the chained file. Packed key fields can be a maximum of 8 bytes. The following chart shows the packed equivalents for unpacked fields from one to 15 bytes in length:

| Unpacked Length | Packed Length |
| :---: | :---: |
| 15,14 | 8 |
| 13,12 | 7 |
| 11,10 | 6 |
| 9,8 | 5 |
| 7,6 | 4 |
| 5,4 | 3 |
| 3,2 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 |

The chain operation is used for two purposes:

1. Random processing of an indexed, sequential, or direct file.
2. Loading a direct file.

## Random Processing

In order to read a record from a sequential or direct file, the record must be identified by relative record number. To read a record from an indexed file, a record key is used for identification. The relative record number or key can be contained in a field specified for that purpose.

The chain operation requires the operation code CHAIN in columns 28-32 of the Calculation Sheet. Factor 1 entries must be a relative record number or key. Relative record numbers must be numeric. Factor 2 must contain the name of the file from which the record will be read. This file is called the file that is chained to, or the chained file (see Examples, Example 1).

## Direct File Load

To create (load) a direct file, define it as a chained output file on the File Description Sheet. In the calculation specifications, Factor 1 must contain a relative record number, columns 28-32 must contain the operation code CHAIN, and Factor 2 must contain the name of the direct disk file to be loaded.

Relative record numbers define the record position for each record in the direct disk file. The relative number can be all or part of a field in input records or can be generated by the RPG II program. Relative record numbers are used for record identification of the disk records after the disk file is loaded.

When a direct file is loaded as a chained output file, the system clears the disk space required for the direct file with blanks before it is loaded. The relative record number is used to chain to the corresponding relative record position in the disk file. The information is then written on disk, replacing the blanks with data. If a record is not loaded, the space reserved for that record in the disk file remains blank (until the proper record is loaded later).

Once the direct file is loaded, records are inserted or changed in the file by defining the direct file as an update file processed consecutively or by the chain operation (see Note).

You may have to allow for synonyms when you load a direct file. Synonyms are two or more records with the same relative record number. If you will have synonyms, you can load the file in one of two ways, using multiple passes:

1. Define the disk file as a direct file and clear it to blanks in your first job (by defining it as a chained output file). Once the file has been cleared, one or more subsequent jobs can be run using the update function to read record locations and check for synonyms while loading the file.
2. Load the direct file with records without synonyms, then run another job using the update function to identify synonyms and load them into the file.

Note: The insertion of records in direct disk files is very different from record addition to sequential or indexed files. For sequential disk files, the new record is added in at the first available position at the end of the file. The same process occurs for an indexed file, except that the record key and disk address are added to the file index. Any new records inserted in a direct disk file already have a space reserved for them. Hence, the record is inserted in its proper place, not merely added to the physical end of the file.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 146 shows the coding necessary to chain to and update an indexed file, MASTINV. The CARDIN file consists of cards sorted by item number, each card representing some quantity ordered. Item number is used as a control field. When all the quantities for one item number are added, a control break will occur. At this point in calculations, the master record for that item number must be found and updated. ITEMNO is a field containing the item number of the cards presently being worked on. The chain operation uses ITEMNO to find the master record for that item number. If it is not found, a display operation prints out the item number of the cards. Note that indicator 20 turns on when the records are not found.

If the master record is found ( 20 not on) the total quantity for the item number is subtracted from the quantity on hand. After the total calculations, the QOH field in the master record is updated.


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Figure 146. Chain Operation (Part 1 of 2)




Figure 146. Chain Operation (Part 2 of 2)

Example 2. Figure 147 shows the loading of a direct disk file. NAMEFILE, described as a chained output file on the File Description Sheet, is to be loaded with records read from CARDS, a card file read from the primary MFCU hopper.

Prior to loading, NAMEFILE is cleared to blanks. As each record is read from CARDS, the man number (MANNUM)
is used as the relative record number to chain to NAMEFILE during calculations. The entire input record, RECORD, is written out on NAMEFILE in the relative record location corresponding to MANNUM. When end of file ( $E$ in column 17 of the File Description Sheet) is reached on CARDS, any relative record locations on NAMEFILE which have not been loaded with data from CARDS will contain blanks.


Figure 147. Direct File Load (Random Load) (Part 1 of 2)


Figure 147. Direct File Load (Random Load) (Part 2 of 2)

## DEBUG OPERATION

The debug operation is an RPG II function that you may use to help you find errors in a program which is not working properly. This code causes one or more records to be written containing information helpful for finding programming errors.

## Debug (DEBUG)

The DEBUG operation code may be placed at any point or at several points in the calculation operations. Whenever it is encountered, one or more records are written depending upon the specifications entered. One record contains a list of all indicators which are on at the time the DEBUG code was encountered. The other shows the contents of any one field.

## Specifications

Factor 1 is optional. It may contain a literal or field name which identifies the particular debug operation. The literal or the value of the field named here is written on record 1. Factor 2 must contain the name of the output file on which the records are written. The same output filename must appear in Factor 2 for all DEBUG statements in a program. The result field may be a field, table element, array element, or whole array whose contents you want to write on record 2. Any valid indicator may be used in columns 7-17. Columns 49-59 must be blank.

Because of additional processing considerations, care must be exercised when writing debug records to a direct or indexed file.

The operation code produces results only if the proper entry ( 1 in column 15) has been made in the control card specifications. If the control card entry has not been made, the operation code DEBUG is treated as a comment. See Column 15 in Chapter 3 for more information.

## Records Written for DEBUG

Record 1 is required. It is written in the following format:

2-7 DEBUG-

Blank.

32-any position (depending on number of indicators on)

Constant entered in Factor 1 or the statement number of the DEBUG operation code in the program.

Blank.

The words INDICATORS ON-

The names of all indicators which are on, each separated by a blank. The word NONE if no indicators are on. More than one record may be needed.

Record 2 is optional and is written only when there is a result field. The record is written in the following format:

| Record Positions | Information |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2-12 | The words FIELD VALUE or <br> TABLE VALUE or ARRAY <br> VALUE. |
| 13-14 | Blank. |
| 15-any position <br> (depending on <br> length of field) | The contents of the result field <br> or table or array (up to 256 <br> characters per element). More <br> than one record may be needed. |

The field is written in record 2 according to the following rules:

1. A blank is used to separate each array element.
2. When applicable, a negative sign is written following an array element, table element, or field.
3. When the result field cannot be contained in a record, a continuation begins in position two of the following record.
4. When one or more elements of an array can be written on a single record, but the next element cannot be entirely contained on the record, then that next element will be written in position two of the next record.

Output-Format specifications describe your output records. These specifications may be divided into two general categories:

1. Record description entries (columns 7-31) which describe the output file records to be written or punched.
2. Field description entries (columns 23-74) which indicate the position and the format of data on the output record.

Write the specifications on the Output-Format Sheet (Figure 148). The field description entries start one line lower than record description entries.

COLUMNS 1-2 (PAGE)
See Chapter 2.

COLUMNS 3-5 (LINE)
See Chapter 2.

COLUMN 6 (FORM TYPE)
An $O$ must appear in column 6.


Figure 148. Output-Format Sheet

## COLUMNS 7-14 (FILENAME)

Use columns 7-14 to identify the file to which records are to be written. The filename must begin in column 7. Use the same filename given in the file description specifications. You need to specify the output filename only once. That name, however, must be on the first line that identifies the file.

## COLUMN 15 (TYPE)

## Entry Explanation

H Heading records.
D Detail records.
T Total records.
E Exception Records (records to be written during calculation time).

Use column 15 to indicate the type of record that is to be written. This record may be printed, written on disk, or punched or printed on a card. Perhaps the clearest method of describing output files is to enter the records for each file in this order: heading, detail, total, and exception (Figure 149, insert A).

Another method is to enter all headings records for all output files, then, all detail records for all output files, etc., as shown in Figure 149, insert B.

Use of heading and detail specifications together with control level and overflow indicators specifying when output records are to be written is described under Columns 23-31, (Output Indicators) in this chapter.

Heading records usually contain unchanging identifying information such as column headings, as well as page numbers and date.

Detail records are closely connected with input data. Most data in a detail record comes directly from the input record or is the result of calculations performed on data from the input record.

Total records usually contain data that is the end result of specific calculations on several detail records. Exception output conditioned by level indicators (L0-L9) or total output may not be specified for primary or secondary update files.

Exception records are written or punched during calculation time. This is an unusual case and can be indicated only when the operation code EXCPT is used. $E$ may not be specified for a combined file. See Operation Codes in Chapter 8 for further information on the EXCPT operation.

## COLUMNS 16-18 (ADD A RECORD)

## Entry Explanation

ADD Add a record.
Columns 16-18 may be used to specify that a record is to be added to an input, output, or update file. The output device for these files must be a disk. An $A$ must also be coded in column 66 of the File Description Specification Sheet for the file to which the record will be added.

ADD must appear in columns 16-18 of the first line for each record identified which is to be added.


Figure 149. Order of Output Record Types

## COLUMN 16 (STACKER SELECT/FETCH OVERFLOW)

Entry Explanation
Blank Cards automatically fall into certain stackers (primary hopper-stacker 1 , secondary hopper-stacker 4).

1-4 Indicates stacker you wish.
F Fetch overflow.

Column 16 may be used for two different purposes:

1. To select a special stacker into which certain cards are to go.
2. To indicate that the overflow routine can be used at this point for a printer file.

## Stacker Select

Use column 16 to indicate that certain cards are to be stacked in a specific stacker. If you make no entry, cards go into a predetermined stacker (primary hopper-stacker 1 ; secondary hopper-stacker 4).

Only combined or output card files may be stacker selected in the output-format specifications. If any output operations are to be performed on cards from a combined file that are also to be stacker selected, stacker selection should be done by the output-format specifications not by the input specifications. Stacker selection in output specifications overrides stacker selection in input specifications.

If stacker selection is done on the basis of matching records, it should only be done for detail output ( $D$ in column 15 ). It is only at this time that the MR indicator signals the matching status of the card that is ready to be stacker selected.

OR lines may have different entries in column 16; AND lines may not. An OR line containing a blank in column 16 causes cards to fall into the normal stacker associated with the hopper used. The stacker select entry on the previous line is not assumed.

## Fetch Overflow

When the fetch overflow routine is not used, the following usually occurs when the overflow line is sensed:

1. All remaining detail lines in that program cycle are printed (if a printer operation spaced or skipped to the overflow area).
2. All remaining total lines in that program cycle are printed.
3. All lines conditioned by an overflow indicator are printed.
4. Forms advance to a new page if a skip to a new page has been specified.

If you do not want all of the remaining detail and total lines printed on the page before overflow lines are printed and forms advance to the new page, you may cause overflow lines to be printed ahead of the usual time. This is known as fetching the overflow routine and is indicated by the entry in column 16. Overflow is fetched only if all conditions specified by the indicators in columns 23-31 are met and an overflow has occurred. See Columns 33-34, Chapter 4 for detailed information and examples of a fetched overflow routine.

The fetched overflow routine does not automatically cause forms to advance. A skip to line 01 (new page) must also be specified on a line conditioned by the overflow indicator in order to advance the forms.
$F$ may be used in an OR line if you want that line to condition a record with the overflow indicator.

## COLUMNS 17-22 (SPACE/SKIP)

Columns 17-22 are used to specify spacing and line skipping for a printer file. If these columns are blank, single spacing occurs automatically after each line is printed.

Line spacing and skipping may be specified both before and after printing of a line. There may be as many as six spaces (three before, three after) between two lines of printing. Only space before and space after can be specified on output for the printer/keyboard.

If both spacing and skipping are specified on the same line, they are done in this order:

1. Skip before.
2. Space before.
3. Skip after.
4. Space after.

## COLUMNS 17-18 (SPACE)

Entry Explanation
$0 \quad$ No spacing.
1 Single spacing.
2 Double spacing.
3 Triple spacing.

Spacing is used in reference to the lines on one page. You may indicate that spacing should be done before (column 17) or after (column 18) a line is printed. If the destination of a space operation is a line beyond the overflow line (but not on a new page), the overflow indicator turns on and remains on until all overflow lines are printed.

Note: The console will always space before printing, due to the carriage return mechanism. Therefore, a space before entry of blank, zero, or one will result in a single space before printing.

## COLUMNS 19-22 (SKIP)

Entry Explanation
01-99 Lines 1-99

A0-A9 Lines 100-109.
B0-B2 Lines 110-112.

Skipping refers to jumping from one printing line to another without stopping at lines in between. This is usually done when a new page is needed. A skip to a lower line number means advance to a new page. Skipping may also be used, however, when a great deal of space is needed between lines.

The entry must be the two-digit number which indicates the number of the next line to be printed. You may indicate that skipping should be done before (columns 19-20) or after (columns 21-22) a line is printed. If you specify a skip to the same line number as the forms are positioned on, no movement of the paper occurs. If the destination of a skip operation is a line beyond the overflow line (but not on a new page), the overflow indicator is turned on and remains on until all overflow lines are printed. The destination line of a skip operation must not be beyond the form length defined on the Line Counter Sheet.

## COLUMNS 23-31 (OUTPUT INDICATORS)

## Entry Explanation

01-99 Any resulting indicator, field indicator, or record identifying indicator previously specified.

Any control level indicators previously specified.

Any halt indicators previously specified.
U1-U8 Any external indicator set prior to program execution.

OA-OG, Any overflow indicator previously assigned OV

MR Matching record indicator.
LR Last record indicator.
$1 \mathrm{P} \quad$ First page indicator.
L0 Level zero indicator.

Use output indicators to give the conditions under which output operations are to be done. More specifically, use them to tell:

1. When you want to output a line (see Examples, Example 1).
2. When you want to output a field (see Examples, Example 2).

When you use an indicator to condition an entire line of print, place it on the line which specified the type of record (Figure 150, insert A). Place an indicator which conditions when a field is to be printed on the same line as the field name (Figure 150, insert B).

There are three separate output indicator fields (columns $23-25,26-28$, and 29-31). One indicator may be entered
in each field. If these indicators are on, the output operation will be done. An $N$ in the column ( 23,26 , or 29 ) preceding each indicator means that the output operation will be done only if the indicator is not on. No output line should be conditioned by all negative indicators (at least one of the indicators used should be positive). If all negative indicators condition a heading or detail operation, the operation is performed at the beginning of the program cycle when 1 P lines are written. The overflow indicators may not be specified on an $E$ (exception output) line.

(A)


[^1]Figure 150. Output Indicator

Warning: When defining records of combined or update files, avoid writing or punching multiple records on one cycle. In Figure 151, for example, if indicator 02 and 03 are both on, two records from the combined file qualify for output on the same cycle. Results are unpredictable. Writing or punching to a combined file can only occur once for each cycle.

In System/3 Disk RPG II, all total lines conditioned by LR will be performed last.

## AND and OR Lines

If you need to use more than three indicators to condition an output operation, you may use an AND line. Enter the word AND in columns $14-16$ and as many indicators as needed. The condition for all indicators in an AND relationship must be satisfied before the output operation is done.

Output indicators may also be in an OR relationship. If either or both of the OR conditions are met, the output operation will be done. OR lines are indicated by the word OR in columns 14-15. Both AND or OR lines may be used together to condition an entire output line. A maximum of 20 AND, OR, or mixed AND and OR lines are allowed in an output operation. AND and OR lines cannot be used to condition a field (see Examples, Example 3).

The use of an L0-L9 indicator in an OR relationship with an LR indicator can result in the specified operation being done twice when LR is on. One operation is performed during LR processing and the other at detail or total time. The following example shows how to eliminate duplicate output at LR time.


## External Indicators

A file named in the output-format specifications may be conditioned by an external indicator in the file description specifications. External indicators can also be used to condition a record or field. No output can occur to a file if it is conditioned by an external indicator and that indicator is off.


Figure 151. Two Records from a File Qualifying for Output on the Same Cycle

## Control Level Indicators

Control level indicators entered in columns 23-31 of this sheet specify when output records or fields are to be written:

1. If the control level indicator is entered along with a $T$ in column 15 and no overflow indicator is used, the record is written only after the last record of a control group has been processed.
2. If the indicator is entered along with a $D$ in column 15 and no overflow indicator is used, the record is written only after the first record of the new control group has been processed.
3. If the control level indicator is entered along with an overflow indicator, the record is written after the overflow line has been sensed (provided a control break has also occurred).

## Overflow Indicators

Overflow indicators are used to condition output operations on the printer. The operations conditioned by the overflow indicator are done only after the overflow line has been passed.

If you have not assigned an overflow indicator to the printer file in the file description specifications, you may not use an overflow indicator in the Output-Format specifications. In this case, advancing the forms to a new page is handled automatically, even though no overflow indicator has been assigned. If any specification line not conditioned by an overflow indicator specifies a skip to a line on a new page, overflow indicators turn off before forms advance to a new page.

An overflow indicator may appear on either AND or OR lines. However, only one overflow indicator may be associated with one group of output indicators. That overflow indicator must also be the same indicator associated with the file on the File Description Sheet.

When the overflow indicator is used in an AND relationship with a record identifying indicator, unusual results are often obtained. This is because the record type might not be the one read when overflow has occurred. Thus, the record type indicator is not on and all lines conditioned by both overflow and record type indicators do not print.

If at all possible, use overflow indicators and record type indicators in an OR relationship when conditioning output lines.

An overflow indicator cannot condition an exception line ( $E$ in column 15), but may condition fields within the exception record.

## First Page Indicator

The first page (1P) indicator is usually used to allow printing on the first page. It may also be used in connection with the overflow indicator to allow printing on every page (see Examples, Example 4). The information printed out on the line conditioned by the 1 P indicator is usually constant information used as headings. The constant information is specified on the Output-Format Sheet, columns 45-70.

The 1 P indicator is used only with heading or detail output lines. It cannot be used to condition total or exception output lines. Use this indicator only when other indicators (control level or resulting indicators) cannot be used to control printing on every page.

All lines conditioned by the 1 P indicator are written out even before the first record from any input file is processed. Therefore, do not condition output fields (except PAGE and UDATE) which are based upon data from input records by the 1 P indicator. Calculation operations cannot be conditioned by the 1 P indicator.

## Error Conditions

On certain error conditions, you may not want output performed. Indicators can be used to prevent the data that caused the error from being used (see Examples, Example 5).

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 150, insert A shows the use of one indicator to condition an entire line of printing. When 44 is on, the fields named INVOIC, AMOUNT, CUSTR, and SALSMN are all printed.

Example 2: Figure 150, insert B shows the use of a control level indicator to condition when one field should be printed. When indicator 44 is on, fields INVOIC, AMOUNT, and CUSTR are always printed. However, SALSMN is printed only if 44 and L1 are on.

Example 3: The use of indicators in both AND and OR lines to condition an output line is shown by Figure 152, insert A. The specifications in lines 01-04 say that the detail line is written if either one of two sets of conditions is met. If indicators $21,40,01$, and 16 are all on, the line is written, or if 21 and 40 are on and 01 and 16 are off, the line is also written.

A maximum of three indicators may be used on the Output-Format Sheet to condition a field since AND and

OR lines may not be used to condition an output field (Figure 152, insert B).

However, you can condition an output field with more than three indicators by using the SETON operation in calculations. For instance, indicators $10,12,14,16$, and 18 are to condition an output field named PAY. In calculation specifications, you can SETON indicator 20 if indicators 10,12 , and 14 are on. Then condition the output field PAY on indicators 20,16 , and 18 on the OutputFormat Sheet.


(B)

Figure 152. Output Indicators

Example 4: Figure 153, insert A shows how the 1P indicator is used when headings are to be printed on the first page only. Figure 153, insert B shows the use of the 1 P indicator and overflow indicator to print headings on every page.

(A)


## (B)

Figure 153. 1P Indicator

Example 5: Figure 154 shows coding necessary to check for an error condition and to stop processing on and writing from the record in error. If FIELDB contains all zeros, halt indicator H1 turns on (see line 03 of Figure 154, insert A). In the calculation specifications, if H 1 is on, resulting indicator 02 turns off (see line 01 of Figure 152, insert B). On the Output-Format Specifications Sheet, FIELDA and FIELDB are printed only if 01 is on (see lines 03 and 05 of Figure 154 , insert C ). Therefore, if indicator 01 is off, fields $A$ and $B$ are not printed. Use this general format when you do not want information that is in error to be printed.

## COLUMNS 32-37 (FIELD NAME)

In columns 32-37, use one of the following to name every field that is to be written out.

- Any field name previously used in this program.
- The special words PAGE, PAGE1, PAGE2, *PLACE, *PRINT, UDATE, UDAY, UMONTH, and UYEAR.
- A table name, array name, or array element.

The field names used are the same as the field names on the Input Sheet (columns 53-58) or the Calculation Sheet (columns 43-48). Do not use these columns if a constant is used (see Columns 45-70 in this chapter). If a field name is entered in columns $32-37$, columns $7-22$ must be blank.

Fields may be listed on the sheet in any order since the sequence in which they appear on the printed form is determined by the entry in columns 40-43. However, they are usually listed sequentially. If later fields overlap the first fields specified, the data which is overlayed is lost.

The sign (+ or -) of a numeric field is in the units position (rightmost digit). A minus sign in the units position prints as a letter unless the field is edited (see Column 38 in this Chapter).

## PAGE

PAGE is a special word which causes automatic numbering of your pages. Enter the word PAGE, PAGE1, or PAGE2 in these columns if you wish pages (or an individual record) to be numbered. When a PAGE field is named in these columns without being defined elsewhere, it is assumed to be a four-position numeric field with no decimal positions.

However, a PAGE field can be defined in input or calculation specifications and may be up to 15 positions long. A PAGE field defined elsewhere must be defined with zero positions. Leading zeros are suppressed, and the sign is not printed in the rightmost position unless an edit word or edit code is specified. The page number starts with 1 unless otherwise specified, and one is automatically added each time the PAGE field is written. See Columns 53-58 in Chapter 7 for information concerning page numbering starting at a number other than 1.

It is possible at any point in your job to restart the page numbering sequence. To do this, set the PAGE field to zero before it is printed. One method of setting the PAGE field to zero is to use Blank After (see Column 39 in this chapter). Another way is to use an output indicator. A PAGE field will always be printed even though the field is conditioned by an indicator. If the indicator is on, the PAGE field is set to zero, and one is added before it is written. Remember than one is always added to the PAGE field before it is written (see Examples, Example 1).

The three possible PAGE entries, PAGE, PAGE1, and PAGE2, may be used for different output files. Do not use the same name for two different output files.

## *PLACE

*PLACE is a special RPG II word which makes it possible to write or punch the same field in several locations on one record without having to name the field and give its end position each time the field is written or punched. The fields are written or punched in the same relative positions ending in the column specified by *PLACE. For example, if you wish fields $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, and C to appear twice on one line, you can specify this in two ways:

1. Define each field and its corresponding end position each time it is to be printed (Figure 155, insert A).
2. Use the special word *PLACE (Figure 155, insert B).

Both coding methods produce a line which looks like this:

Print positions

```
~l_
~~
```


(A)


Figure 154. Preventing Fields From Printing

(A)

(B)

Figure 155. Printing Fields Twice on the Same Line

When using *PLACE, all fields named for each record type (H/D/T/E) are written or punched as usual in the locations specified. The entry *PLACE then causes all of these same fields to be written or punched ending at the position specified in the *PLACE statements.

When using *PLACE, remember:

1. *PLACE must be specified after the field names which are to be placed in different positions in one line (see Examples, Example 2).
2. *PLACE causes all fields (in a record type) above the *PLACE entry to be written or punched.
3. *PLACE must appear on a separate specification line for every additional time you want the field or group of fields written or punched.
4. The end position specified for *PLACE must be at least twice the highest previously specified field end position, but not greater than 256 .
5. An end position must be specified for every *PLACE line. If you do not allow enough space for all fields and constants prior to the *PLACE to be printed again, overlapping occurs, with the *PLACE field overlapping prior characters. The end position must not be lower than the preceding end position specification.
6. The leftmost position of the fields to be moved by the *PLACE specification is always assumed to be position 1.
7. When *PLACE is specified for card output, the fields and constants named above *PLACE will be repunched. Any printed output on the cards will not be reprinted unless an * is entered in column 40 of the same line as *PLACE.
8. A*PLACE specification must not be conditioned by indicators in columns 23-31. *PLACE is automatically conditioned by the same indicators which condition the field or fields to be repeated.

## *PRINT

*PRINT is a special RPG II word which causes fields and constants that were punched in the card to be printed on the card. This enables you to more easily determine what information is found on the card. *PRINT prints the field in the positions which correspond one-for-one to the columns in which the field is punched (see Examples, Example 3).

When using *PRINT, remember:

1. *PRINT may be used only once for each record.
2. *PRINT must be specified after all punch fields which are to be printed on the card are named.
3. The *PRINT specification may be conditioned by indicators in columns 23-31. Columns 7-22 and 38-74 may not be used.
4. *PRINT may be used on a card file only.

If you want to print the fields in positions other than those which correspond to the punch positions of the fields, you must use the card printing option (see Columns 40-43 in this chapter).

## Date Field

Often you want the date to appear on your printed report, punched card, or output record. Use special words UDATE, UMONTH, UDAY, and UYEAR to get the date field you desire. The following rules apply to date fields:

1. UDATE gives a six-character numeric date field in one of two formats ( $d, m$, and $y$ are the day, month and year positions in the UDATE field):
a. Domestic (mmddyy).
b. United Kingdom/World Trade (ddmmyy).

The format is specified by an entry in Column 21 of the control card. The edited date field is eight characters long, in one of three formats:
a. Domestic (MM/DD/YY).
b. United Kingdom (DD/MM/YY).
c. World Trade (DD.MM.YY).
2. UDAY may be used for days only, UMONTH for months only, and UYEAR for years only.
3. These fields may not be changed by any operations specified in the program.

## Examples

Example 1: Figure 156 shows how an output indicator can be used to reset a PAGE field to zero. When indicator 15 is on, the PAGE field is reset to zero and one is added before the field is printed. When 15 is off, one is added to the contents of the PAGE field before it is printed.

Example 2: Figure 157 shows the use of the special word *PLACE to print the same fields several times on the same line. Fields A, B, and C are to be printed four times on one line (Figure 157, insert A). In Figure 157, insert B *PLACE is specified after the fields which are to be printed several times on the same line. All fields to which *PLACE applies appear on the same record. The second *PLACE causes the original three fields to be repeated on the
printed line. Field D, which appears on the total record, is not affected by *PLACE.

Notice that an end position (columns 40-43) is given for every *PLACE. Fields A, B, and C have a total length of 15 characters; thus the end position for each *PLACE allows room for printing 15 additional characters on the output line. The resulting printed line is 60 characters long. There is no overlapping of output fields.

Note: If the end position given for the ${ }^{*}$ PLACE fieid does not allow room for all characters to be repeated, previous characters in the output line are overlaid by the *PLACE field.

| Figure 156. Resetting the PaGE Field to Zero


Figure 157. *PLACE

Example 3: Figure 158 shows how the special word *PRINT may be used to cause printing of the output fields on the punched cards. The fields EMPLYE, SERNUM, and PAYRT are to be punched on the card (specification lines 05-07). The *PRINT entry in line 08 causes the three fields written above the *PRINT entry (EMPLYE, SERNUM, and PAYRT) to print on the card in positions corresponding one-for-one to the punch positions (see Figure 156). The

UDATE field (line 09) is punched but not printed because it is written after the *PRINT entry.

Notice in Figure 158 that *PRINT is specified after the fields which are to be printed. All fields to which *PRINT apply appear on the same record. Therefore, the *PRINT entry applies only to fields specified in lines 05-07, not to fields specified in lines 02 and 03.


## Figure 158. *PRINT

## COLUMN 38 (EDIT CODES)

Use column 38 when you want to:

1. Suppress leading zeros for a numeric field.
2. Omit a sign from the low order position of a numeric field.
3. Punctuate a numeric field without setting up your own edit word.

A table summarizing the edit codes that can be used is printed above columns 45-70 on the Output-Format Sheet.

Each edit code punctuates differently. If you use an edit code in column 38, columns 45-70 must be blank unless asterisk fill or a floating dollar sign is required ('*' or ' $\$$ ' entered in columns 45-47). If an edit code is used to punctuate an array, two spaces are left between elements of the array to the left of each element. Only unpacked numeric data can be edited.

Figure 157 shows the edit codes and how data looks when it is edited. Each code punctuates the field a little differently. All codes suppress leading zeros, except the J World Trade format for output (J-entry in column 21 of the control card specifications). For this J-entry, all zero balances and balances with zero values to the left of the decimal

| Edit Codes | Positive Number Two Decimal Positions | Positive Number No Decimal Positions | Negative Number - * <br> Three Decimal <br> Positions | Negative Number - * <br> No Decimal <br> Positions | Zero Balance - |  |  | Zero Balance <br> No Decimal <br> Positions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Domestic, United Kingdom | World Trade ** |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | $J$ |  |
| Unedited | 1234567 | 1234567 | $00012\}$ | 00012 \} | 000000 | 000000 | 000000 | 000000 |
| 1 | 12,345.67 | 1,234,567 | . 120 | 120 | . 00 | , 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| 2 | 12,345.67 | 1,234,567 | . 120 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | 12345.67 | 1234567 | . 120 | 120 | . 00 | , 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| 4 | 12345.67 | 1234567 | . 120 | 120 |  |  |  |  |
| A | 12,345.6766 | 1,234,567b6 | .120CR | 120CR | . 00 | , 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| B | 12,345.6766 | 1,234,56766 | .120CR | 120CR |  |  |  |  |
| c | 12345.67bb | 12345676b | .120CR | 120CR | . 00 | , 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| D | 12345.67b | 1234567b6 | .120CR | 120CR |  |  |  |  |
| J | 12,345.676 | 1,234,5676 | .120- | 120- | . 00 | . 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| K | 12,345.676 | 1,234,567b | .120- | 120- |  |  |  |  |
| L | 12345.67b | 1234567b | .120- | 120- | . 00 | . 00 | 0,00 | 0 |
| M | 12345.67b | 1234567b | .120- | 120- |  |  |  |  |
| X | 1234567 | 1234567 | 00012 \} | 00012 \} | 000000 | 000000 | 000000 | 000000 |
| Y |  |  | 0/01/20 | 0/01/20 | 0/00/00 | 0.00.00 | 0.00.00 | 0/00/00 |
| $z$ | 1234567 | 1234567 | 120 | 120 |  |  |  |  |

[^2]Figure 159. Examples of Edit Code Usage
comma are written or punched with one leading zero ( 0,00 or 0,04 ). If an edit code is specified on the Output Sheet, and the edit code is to print zero balances, a zero balance field will always have a zero to the left of the decimal comma. The edit code cannot suppress it.

Normally, when you use an edit code in column 38, you cannot define an edit word in columns 45-70; however, there are two exceptions:

1. If you want leading zeros replaced by asterisks, enter ${ }^{\prime *}$ ' in columns 45-47 of the line containing the edit code.
2. If you want a dollar sign to appear before the first digit in the field (floating dollar sign), enter ' $\$$ ' in columns 45-47 of the line containing the edit code.

Asterisk fill and floating dollar sign are not allowed with $X, Y$, and $Z$ edit codes.

It is also possible to have a dollar sign appear before the asterisk fill (fixed dollar sign). This is done in the following way:

1. Place a dollar sign constant one space before the beginning of the edited field.
2. Place '*' in column $45-47$ of the line containing the edit code.

Figure 160 shows the effect different edit codes have on the same field with a specified end position for output.

## COLUMN 39 (BLANK AFTER)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Field is not to be reset (blanked or zeroed) after writing.

B Field is to be reset (blanked or zeroed) after writing.

Use column 39 to reset a field to zeros or blanks. Numeric fields are set to zero and alphameric fields are set to blanks. This column must be blank for Look-Ahead fields, Udate fields (UDATE, UDAY, UMONTH, UYEAR), and constants.


Figure 160. Effect of Edit Codes on End Position

Resetting fields to zeros is useful when you are accumulating and printing totals for each control group. After finding the total for one group and printing it, you want to start accumulating totals for the next group. Before you do this, however, you want your total field to start with zeros, not with the total it had for the previous group. Blank After will reset the total field to zero after it is printed.

If the field is to be used for output more than once (punching and printing), be sure the $B$ is entered on the last output line for that field. Otherwise, the field is blanked out before all required output is finished.

If a field name specified with Blank After is a table name, the element of the table looked up last will be blanked or zeroed.

## COLUMNS 40-43 (END POSITION IN OUTPUT RECORD)

## Disk, Punched Cards and Printed Reports

Use columns 40-43 to indicate the location on the output record of the field or constant that is to be written. You enter only the number of the punching or printing position of the rightmost character in the field or constant.

The largest number to be used to indicate end position for disk output is 4,096 . The largest number for printer output depends upon the number of print positions on the printer.

When *PLACE is specified for the printer (see Columns 33-37 in this chapter), end position indicates the end position of the last field of the group that is to be printed. Thus you must be sure you have indicated an end position that allows enough room for all specified fields to be printed.

Be sure to allow enough space (as indicated by end position entries) on your output record to hold edited fields.

## Printing on Cards

The MFCU prints and punches fields and constants in the same positions on a card by using *PRINT in columns 32-37. If you want to print fields in positions other than those which correspond to the punch positions of the fields, you must:

1. Name the field in columns 32-37.
2. Place an * in column 40.
3. Specify an end position for that field in columns 41-43. The maximum entry for an end position is 128.

The field will be printed in the upper portion of the card in the position you have specified.

All lines with an $*$ in column 40 should follow all lines specifying punching only and all *PRINT lines for that record (see Example). All the punching for a card is done before the printing.

Note: If Blank After (column 39) is specified for a field to be punched and printed, the $B$ entry must be entered on the last line specifying printing for that field. All the printing is done for a card after all the punching, so be careful not to blank out a punch field and then try to print it later. If *PRINT is the last line specifying printing for a field, the $B$ entry is made in the last punching specification line for that field. If an * is used in column 40 to print a field after it is punched, the $B$ entry is made in the last print specification line for that field. A Blank After entry is correctly entered for a punch and print field in Figure 161.


Figure 161. Printing on the MFCU

## Example

Figure 161 shows several examples of printing on a card. The coding shows that the name field will be punched and printed in the same card columns. The account number field is punched only. The amount due field is punched in columns $75-80$, but for ease of reading it is printed with an edit word in columns $44-52$. For the same reason, a constant is printed to identify the amount due field.

In line 06, the field AMTDUE is blanked out after it is printed by a $B$ entry in column 39. If the $B$ entry appeared in column 39 of line 05 , the field would be blanked out after punching and would not be available for printing.

## COLUMN 44 (PACKED OR BINARY FIELD)

## Entry Explanation

Blank Field is unpacked numeric or alphameric data.

P Field is to be written on disk in packed decimal format.

B Field is to be written on disk in binary format.

Column 44 must have an entry if a numeric field (decimal number) is to be written on disk in packed decimal or binary format. Packed decimal and binary fields should not be printed and cannot be punched; these fields can be written on disk.

Column 44 must be blank if an asterisk ( ${ }^{*}$ ) appears in column 40 of the same field specification. Column 44 must also be blank for fields in a record that precede *PLACE with a printer file or *PRINT with an MFCU file.

After decimal fields have been processed, they may be left in the unpacked format. However, for more efficient use of disk space, decimal fields can be converted into packed decimal or binary format. Fields of four or less bytes are converted to two bytes of binary data for output; fields from five to nine bytes are converted to four bytes of binary data for output. The output device for binary fields can only be disk. See Column 43 in Chapter 7 for related information pertaining to input packed and binary fields.

## COLUMNS 45-70 (CONSTANT OR EDIT WORD)

Use columns 45-70 to specify a constant or an edit word.

## Constant

A constant is any unchanging information that is entered by a specification. Constants are usually words used for report headings, column headings or card identification. To print a constant on a card, an * must be entered in column 40 (see Columns $40-43$ in this chapter for printing on cards).

The following rules apply to constants (refer to Figure 162 for examples):

1. Field name (columns 32-37) must be blank.
2. A constant must be enclosed in apostrophes. Enter the leading apostrophe in column 45.
3. An apostrophe in a constant must be represented by two apostrophes. For example, if George's appears as a constant it must be coded GEORGE"S.


Figure 162. Examples of Output Constants
4. Up to 24 characters of constant information can be placed in one line. Additional lines may be used, but each line must be treated as a separate line of constants. The end position of each line must appear in columns 40-43.

## Edit Word

An edit word gives you more flexibility in punctuating a numeric field than an edit code. You directly specify whether commas, decimal points, and zero suppression are needed, whether the negative sign should print, whether the output is dollars and cents, and whether you want a dollar sign and leading asterisks. Constants can be used within edit words (see Examples of Edit Words in the following test).

The following rules apply to edit words:

1. Column 38 (Edit Codes) must not be used.
2. Columns 32-37 (Field Name) must contain the name of a numeric field.
3. Columns 40-43 (End Position in Output Record) must contain an entry.
4. An edit word must be enclosed in apostrophes. Enter leading apostrophe in column 45. The edit word itself must begin in column 46.
5. Any printable character is valid, but certain characters in certain positions have special uses (see Editing Considerations in the following text).
6. An edit word cannot be longer than 24 characters.
7. The number of replaceable characters in the edit word must be equal to the length of the field to be edited. See Editing Considerations in the following text for a discussion of replaceable characters.
8. All leading zeros are suppressed unless a zero or asterisk is specified in the edit word. The zero or asterisk indicates the last leading zero in the field to be replaced by a blank or asterisk.
9. Any zeros or asterisks following the leftmost zero or asterisk are treated as constants (they are not replaceable characters).
10. Any constant to the left of the zero suppression stop character (except \$) will be suppressed unless a significant digit precedes the constant.

## Editing Considerations

Always leave exactly enough room on the output file for the edited field. If the field to be edited is seven characters long on the input record, make sure seven positions allows enough space for it to be written on the output file. By the time the field is edited, it may contain many more characters than seven.

When computing the length of an edited output field, determine how many of the editing characters are replaceable. The number of replaceable characters in the edit word must be equal to the length of the field to be edited (see following Note). The replaceable characters are:

Character Use
$0 \quad$ Zero suppression.

* Asterisk fill.
b Blank.
\$ Floating dollar sign (if it appears immediately to the left of zero suppress).

A fixed dollar sign, decimal points, floating dollar sign, commas, ampersands (representing blanks), negative signs (- or CR) and constant information are not replaceable characters.

Note: There are two exceptions to the rule that the number of replaceable characters in the edit word must be equal to the length of the field to be edited. The exceptions are:

1. An extra space must be left in the edit word for the floating dollar sign. This ensures a print position for the dollar sign if the output field is full.

| Unedited <br> Field | Edit Word | Edited <br> Field | Unedited <br> Field Length | Replaceable <br> Characters <br> in Edit Word |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 72432 N | ‘bb,b\$0.b6\&-' | $\$ 7,243.256$ | 6 | 7 |

2. An extra space can be left in the edit word if the first character in the edit word is a zero. In this case, the field to be edited will not be zero suppressed, but all other specified editing will be performed.

| Unedited | Edit Word | Edited <br> Field | Unedited Field Length | Replaceable Characters in Edit Woro |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Field |  |  |  |  |
| 00746J | 'Обвь, вб女' | 007,461 | 6 | 7 |

If it is necessary to show a negative number, a sign must be included in the edit word. You may use either the minus sign (-) or the letters CR. These print only for a negative number; however, the character positions they require must be taken into consideration when entering the end position of the field on the Output-Format Sheet. Figure 163 shows that for the field PERCPL, CR is to be printed for a negative balance. Assume the field PERCPL contains the negative data $2 \mathrm{~N}(-25 \%)$. The printed output would be 25 CR .


Figure 163. Using the Output-Format Sheet to Format Data

If PERCPL was positive, CR would not print and the same field would appear as 25.

You may also use a minus sign to indicate a negative balance. If you want to leave a space between the number and the negative sign, place an ampersand (\&) in the edit word before the minus sign. PERCPL would then print as 25b-.

If you wish to have a dollar sign printed, you also indicate this in your edit word. To print a dollar sign at the left of the field called SPRICE, put the dollar sign (\$) next to the first quote mark, then put in the necessary blanks and punctuation. A dollar sign in this position is called a fixed dollar sign. The SPRICE field in Figure 164, line A can look like any of the following ( N stands for any number):

## \$NNN.NN

\$ NN.NN
\$ N.NN

## \$ <br> .NN

Suppose, however, you do not want a lot of empty space between the dollar sign and the first digit when zero suppression occurs. (This is commonly the case when writing checks.) You may fill in this empty space with asterisks (*). Instead of using 0 to indicate zero suppression, you use the asterisk to indicate that all extra spaces should be filled with asterisks. The SPRICE field in Figure 164, line B can look like any of the following ( N stands for any number):

## \$NNN.NN

## \$*NN NN

$$
\$^{*} * \mathrm{~N} \cdot \mathrm{NN}
$$

## $\$ * * * . \mathrm{NN}$

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Figure 164. Different Edit Words Used on the Same Field

You may always want the dollar sign to be next to the leftmost digit instead of filling in the space with asterisks or leaving extra blanks. This is indicated in the edit word by placing the $\$$ next to the zero suppress 0 . A dollar sign which changes positions depending upon the number of positions zero suppressed is known as a floating dollar sign. When printed, the SPRICE field in Figure 164, line C can look like any of the following:

## \$NNN.NN

\$NN.NN

## \$N.NN

\$.NN

Note that an extra space must be left in the edit word for the floating dollar sign. This ensures a print position for the dollar sign if the output field is full.


## Examples of Edit Words

Figure 165 shows examples of edit words. All examples assume that column 38 is blank. In an attempt to avoid confusion about the number of blank positions in an edited data field, the symbol $b$ is used to indicate where blank spaces appear. Zeros have not been slashed where no confusion with the letter $O$ is likely to result.

Examples labeled A-H are sample edit words for some of the most frequently desired output formats. The numbered examples ( $1-53$ ) that follow this first group are intended to show possible ways of handling many of the editing situations with which you might be faced.

The letters and numbers under the heading Example Number in Figure 165 refer to the letters and numbers in the following text:
A. Normal method of editing an amount field. Decimal point appears between dollars and cents; commas offset every three positions in the dollar portion of the field. The symbol CR appears in the edited data field when the data is negative; otherwise, it is replaced by blanks.

Since zero suppression occurs through the unitdollar position (zero in the edit word just left of the decimal point), blanks replace leading zeros and constants until a significant digit is encountered or through the specified zero. Thus, the decimal point and data to its right always appear in the edited data. Notice that, since zero suppression occurs through the position of the zero in the edit word, zero is replaced by a blank when no significant digit appears in the data field.
B. Normal method of punctuating a quantity field. Leading zeros and constants are replaced by blanks through the position of the zero suppression zero (the next-to-last position in the edit word). Thus, if the entire data field is zero, a zero appears only in the low-order position of the edited data. A minus sign appears in the edited data if the field is negative; if not, the minus sign is replaced by a blank. The constant ON HAND always appears in the edited data as it is specified in the edit word regardless of whether the minus sign appears as specified or as a blank.
C. Normal editing of an amount field. Because the zero suppression zero appears in the ten-dollar position of the edit word, leading zeros and constants are retained starting with the unit-dollars position. Because the dollar sign is placed just left of the zero suppression zero, it becomes a floating dollar sign. In an edited data field, the floating dollar sign always appears to the immediate left of the first digit. Notice that an extra position is allowed in the high-order portion of the edit word to accommodate the floating dollar sign. The minus sign appears as a constant since a zero is specified to the left of it.
D. Similar to example C , except that zero suppression is allowed up to the decimal point, CR is used to indicate a negative value, and two asterisks are printed at the end of the edited data. In the edited data shown, the dollar sign has floated to the left to precede the first significant digit. If the unedited data were all zeros, it would appear in the output record as $\$ .006 b^{* *}$. Note, again, the extra position in the leftmost portion of the edit word to allow for the dollar sign.
E. Similar to example D, except that no symbol is used to indicate a negative value and the edit word includes a fixed dollar sign. Because the dollar sign is placed in the extreme left position of the edit word, it is a fixed dollar sign. The fixed dollar sign always appears in the leftmost position of the edited data field.
F. This example shows that a space can be left in the edited data field between a fixed dollar sign and the first digit, even when the entire field contains significant digits. An ampersand (\&) in an edit word becomes a blank in the edited field. The minus sign appears in the edited data if the field is negative. The constant GROSS always appears in the edited data.
G. By not specifying a zero or asterisk, zero suppression can occur throughout the field; thus, edited data begins with the first significant digit.
H. This example shows the use of asterisk fill. Asterisks replace all positions in the edit word to the left of the first significant digit. If the asterisk were in the rightmost position of the edit word, the entire edited field would contain asterisks when the data was all zero.

| EDIT WORD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | EXAMPLE NUMBER | SOURCE DATA | APPEARS IN OUTPUT RECORD AS： |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 |  |  | 3 |  |  | ， |  |  | $\varnothing$ | － |  |  | \＆ | C | R | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | A | 0000000005 － |  |
| 1 |  |  | ， |  |  | ， |  | $\varnothing$ |  | $-8$ | 8 | 0 | N | \＆ | H | A | $N$ | D | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | B | 00000000 |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\rightarrow$ | 5 | $\varnothing$ |  | － |  |  | － | ＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | C | $0000000005+$ |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＄ | $\varnothing$ | － |  |  | C | R | ＊ | ＊ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | D | 0034567890 － | В6Б\＄345，678．90 CR＊＊ |
| 1 | \＄ |  |  |  |  |  | 9 |  |  | Ф． | － |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | E | 0000000000 |  |
| 1 | \＄ | \＆ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\varnothing$ |  | － |  |  | \＆ | － | 8 | $G$ | $R$ | 0 | S | 5 | 1 |  | F | 1234567890 － | \＄612，345，678，90 b－bGROSS |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 |  |  |  | － |  |  | － | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | G | 00000000123 － | 6B6B66B6B61．23－ |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  | $\rightarrow$ |  | ＊ |  | $\bullet$ |  |  | 8 | － | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | H | 0000135792 | ＊＊＊＊＊1，357．92 б6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0000135678 | 0000135678 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 | 0000135678 ＋ | 0000135678 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 0000135678 － | 0000135670 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 0000000000 |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 0000135678 ＋ | В666135678 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 0000135678 － | 6666135678 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ¢ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 0000135678 － | С666135678 |
| 1 | $\varnothing$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | 0000135678＋ | 6000135678 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $8{ }^{1}$ | C | R | \＆ | N | E | T | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 | 0000135678 ＋ | W6ロ6135678 Вb6 GNET |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 80 |  |  | 8 | N | E | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 | 0000135678 － | あめம6135678 ВCR BNET |
| T |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＆ | － |  | \＆ | N | E | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11 | 0000135678－ | Б666135678 В－66NET |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＆ 1 | N | $E$ | $T$ | \＆ | C | R | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12 | 0000135678 |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 N | N | $E$ | T | 8 | C | R | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 13 | 0000135678 － | ВББ6135678 ¢NETШСR |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 88 | 8 | P | $R$ | 0 | F | 1 | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14 | 0000135678 | W6ら6135678 W6PROFIT |
| 1 | \＄ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | － | 8 | N | $E$ | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15 | 0000135678 ＋ | \＄6め6゙135678 66 6NET |
| 1 | \＄ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＆ | － | 8 | N | E | T | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16 | 0000135678 － | \＄6ら66135678 В－GNET |
| ${ }^{1}$ | \＄ | $\varnothing$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | － | 8 | N | E | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17 | 0000135678 | \＄0000135678 B WNET |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\$$ | ¢ |  |  | 8 | C | $R$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 18 | 0000135678 － | 66ம6\＄135678 6CR |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\$$ | ठ |  |  | 8 | C | $R$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 1234567809 － | \＄1234567809 BCR |
| 1 | \＄ |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\varnothing$ |  |  | \＆ | $C$ | R | 8 | $G$ | R | 0 | 5 | S | 1 |  |  |  |  | 20 | 0000000000 | \＄6666666600 6b6 6GROSS |
| 1 | ＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | d |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 21 | 0000135678 － | ${ }^{*} 000135678$ |
| 1 | ＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 22 | 1234567890 ＋ | 1234567890 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ＊ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 23 | 0000135678 － | ＊＊＊＊135678 |
| 1 |  |  | ， |  |  | 9 |  |  |  | － |  |  | \＆ | C | $R$ | 8 | \＆ | N | E | $T$ | 1 |  |  |  | 24 | 0000135678 － |  |
| 1 |  |  | ， |  |  | ， |  |  |  | － |  |  | \＆ | C | R | \＆ | － | N | E | T | 1 |  |  |  | 25 | 0000135678 |  |
| 1 |  |  |  | ， |  | ， |  | \＄ | ¢ |  | $\stackrel{-}{-}$ |  |  | \＆ | N | E | T |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 26 | 0000000005 | ¢6666¢666\＄0，05 6NET |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＄ | ¢ | － |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 27 | 0000000005 |  |
| T |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\$$ | O | $\bullet$ |  |  | － | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 28 | 1234567890－ | \＄12，345，678．90－ |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \＄0 | $\varnothing$ | － |  |  | C | R | ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 29 | 0001356789 － | 6ம66\＄13，567．89 CR |
| 1 |  |  | ， |  |  |  |  |  | ＊ | － |  |  | ＊ | C | R | ＊ | 荲 | ＇ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30 | 0000135678 ＋ |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  | $\$$ | ¢ | ， |  |  |  | － |  |  |  | S | A |  | E | S | 1 |  |  |  |  | 31 | 0000001234 | 6666666\＄，012．34 6 SALES |
| 1 | \＄ | \＆ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | あ | $\bullet$ |  |  | C | R | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32 | 1234567890 － | \＄1612，345，678．90 CR |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | － | 0 | L | D | 8 | B | A | L | N | C | E | 1 | 33 | 1234567890 － | 1，234，567，890－OLD®BALNCE |
| 1 |  | ， |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\varnothing$ |  | － | 0 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | D | \＆ | B | A | b | N | C | E | 1 | 34 | 0000000000 | 66b6666b6b6b660 6 OLD |
| 1 |  |  | $\rightarrow$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | D 0 | $\bigcirc$ | L | L | A | R | S |  |  | C | E | N | T | S | 1 | 35 | 0000135678 | 66め6゙ $1,356 \mathrm{DOLLARS78}$ CENTS |
| T |  | $\rightarrow$ |  |  | D | 0 | L | L |  | R | S |  |  | C | E | N | T | 5 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 36 | 000000 |  |
| 1 |  | － |  | $\varnothing$ | D | O | L |  | $A$ | R．S | 5 |  |  | C | E | N | T | S | \＆ | C | $R$ | ＇ |  |  | 37 | 000000 |  |
| 1 |  |  | $\varnothing$ |  | $B$ | S | － | \＆ |  |  | O | $z$ | － | T | A | $R$ | E | \＆ | － | 1 |  |  |  |  | 38 | 000002 ＋ | 6660LBS． 602 bbbbbbbbb |
| 1 |  |  |  | $\varnothing$ L | $B$ | S | － |  |  | 07 | z | － | T | A | R | E | \＆ | － | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 39 | 000002 － | あ6W6LBS． 02 OZ．TARE6－ |
|  | $\varnothing$ |  |  | － |  | － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 | 095140036 | 1695－14－0036 |
| 1 | 0 |  | HIP | $R 15$ | － |  |  | M | 11 | NTS | S | － | $\&$ | 10 | 1 | 1 | C | L | 0 | C | IK | 1 |  |  | 41 | 0042 | 60HRS． 42 MINS．60＇CLOCK |



Figure 165. Examples of Edit Words (Part 2 of 2)

1. No edit word. The data in the output record has the same format as the unedited data. Notice that the low-order position of the output field is printed as an alphabetic character (J-R) if the source data field is negative.
2. Same as 1 .
3. Same as 1 .
4. A blank edit word. All leading zeros are blanked and any sign in the low-order position of the unedited field is removed when the data is edited. Negative values are not identified.
5. Same as 4.
6. Same as 4 .
7. The effect is the same as shown in examples 4,5 , and 6.
8. Although the zero suppression zero appears in the high-order position of the edit word, suppression of the first leading zero cannot be avoided. See Note in Editing Considerations in this section for a discussion of an exception.
9. An ampersand appears as a blank in the edited data. The symbol CR appears in the edited data if the field is negative. It is replaced by blanks if the field is positive. The constant NET always appears in the edited data field.
10. Same as 9 .
11. An ampersand appears as a blank in the edited data. A minus sign, instead of $C R$, indicates negative values.
12. NET CR indicates when the edited data field is negative. Therefore, when the edited field is positive, NET CR appears as blanks.
13. Same as 12 .
14. The constant PROFIT appears in the edited data field. Negative values are not identified.
15. Similar to example 11, except that a fixed dollar sign is shown. An extra position is added to the edit word to allow for the dollar sign.
16. Although the dollar sign appears to the immediate left of the zero suppression zero, it is a fixed dollar sign because it appears in the leftmost position of the edit word.
17. The floating dollar sign is shown for different numbers of leading zeros. Note the extra position in the highorder portion of the edit word to allow for the dollar sign.
18. Same as 18 .
19. This example shows how some zeros can appear in the edited field when the entire field is zero. Zero suppression occurs through the position of the 0 in the edit word. This leaves two positions in which zeros can appear in the edited field.
20. This example shows asterisk protection and zero suppression for a single position. Note that the asterisk is replaced by a significant digit in the position. Negative values are not identified.
21. Same as 21.
22. Asterisk protection and zero suppression for an entire field. Asterisks are replaced by significant digits.
23. A method of editing an amount field. Punctuation and zeros to the left of the first significant digit are blanked. The decimal point is also lost when there are fewer than three significant digits. The constants NET or -NET always appear in the edited field.
24. Same as 24 .
25. Standard method for placing the floating dollar sign so that at least the decimal point is retained regardless of the number of leading zeros. The extra position appears in the leftmost position of the edit word to compensate for the floating dollar sign.
26. Same as 26 .
27. Same as 26.
28. Same as 26.
29. Same as 15 .
30. Asterisk protection and zero suppression to the decimal point. The decimal point is retained regardless of the number of leading zeros. Note that asterisks replace punctuation when leading zeros are suppressed. The second asterisk appears only when the edited data field is negative; the third and fourth asterisks always appear in the edited field.
31. This example shows that a constant (in this case, a comma) follows the dollar sign in the edited data if the floating dollar sign and the zero suppression zero immediately precede a constant. This applies if there are a number of leading zeros. In the case of a comma, this looks awkward; in the case of a decimal point it is a normal approach (see example 27).
32. This example shows how to insert a space between a fixed dollar sign and the first data digit when all digits in the field are significant. An ampersand in an edit word appears as a space in the edited data field.
33. Normal punctuation of a quantity field. In this example, all leading zeros, including the units position, are suppressed (compare with example 34).
34. Normal method of showing a single zero in the edited data field when the data field contains only zeros.
35. Constants in the edit word are handled the same as punctuation marks; that is, only constants to the right of the first significant digit or the zero suppression zero appear in the edited data. Examples 37-38 show how more edit word constants, other than the CR or minus, can be blanked on a positive field. Examples 37-39 also show the effect that the position of the zero suppression zero has on constants. In example 38, an ampersand placed after the first constant provides a space following that constant in the edited data.
36. See example 35.
37. See example 35.
38. See example 35.
39. See example 35.
40. Possible method for editing a social security number field. A hyphen (-) is used within the edit word. In the example shown, the initial zero is suppressed. However, if you want the initial zero to appear in the edited data, you must leave an extra position in the edit word. See the note under Editing Considerations for a discussion of this exception.
41. This example shows the use of constants in the edit word. In this example, the constant contains an apostrophe.
42. This example shows the effect that the position of the zero suppression zero has on the decimal point (or any other constants) and following zeros.
43. Same as 42 .
44. This example shows that a dollar sign separated from the zero suppression zero, even if only by a comma, is a constant rather than a floating dollar sign.
45. Any zero or asterisk to the right of the high-order zero or asterisk is a constant, not a zero suppression zero or asterisk-protection symbol. Examples 47 and 48 also show that asterisk protection replaces not only blanks, but also other constants to the left of the first significant digit.
46. Same as 45.
47. Same as 45 .
48. Same as 45 .
49. An example of editing a date field. Since month numbers have at most one leading zero, it is not necessary to specify a zero suppression zero. Example 50 shows the use of an ampersand to retain a blank space in the edited data.
50. Same as 49.
51. Same as 49.
52. This example shows what happens to the decimal point when no zero suppression zero is specified for a field which has fewer than three significant digits.
53. This example shows how to retain the decimal point in a data field which has fewer than three significant digits.

## COLUMNS 71-74 (STERLING SIGN POSITION)

Use columns 71-74 only when processing sterling currency amounts. For complete information, see Appendix D, Sterling.

## Printer

## Entry Explanation

Blank Field is printed in pence only.
$\mathrm{S} \quad$ Field is printed in pounds, shillings, and
in column pence.
74

## Output Devices Other Than the Printer

## Entry Explanation

Blank Sterling output is not used.
Position Number of the record position which conin tains the sign if the sign is not in the normal record position.

S in $\quad$ Sign is in the normal position.
column 74

For output devices other than the printer, these columns are used to indicate the position of the sign of the field. The normal position of the sign in a field having decimal positions is in the rightmost decimal position of the pence field. If the fields have no decimal position, the normal sign position is in the last column (unit position) of the pounds fields.

COLUMNS 75-80 (PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION)
See Chapter 2.

## RPG II HALT PROCEDURES

Table A-1 is a list of error conditions resulting in a halt during execution or compilation of an RPG II program. Options available to the operator following each halt are also given. The options are:

0 - Continue: Control is returned to the program, and processing continues.

1 - Bypass: The remainder of the program cycle is bypassed, and the next record is read.

2 - Controlled Cancel: End-of-job operations specified by your program are done, tables are dumped, and files are closed.

3 - Immediate Cancel: The job is cancelled without returning control to the RPG II program.

In order to select an option, the operator dials its corresponding number on the rightmost address/data switch and presses the console START switch. (He presses HALT/ RESET if the system is running under the Dual Program Feature.) A complete discussion of operator procedures appears in IBM System/3 Disk System Operator's Guide, GC21-7508.

Appendix F contains a detailed list of compilation errors.

## OPERATION CONTROL LANGUAGE FOR RPG II

In order to compile an RPG II source program, the RPG II compiler program must be loaded into main storage. This can be done by including an IBM-supplied procedure named $R P G$ (located in the Source Library) in the job stream. The OCL statements that include the library procedure are:

```
/&
// CALL RPG,R1
// RUN
```

The OCL statements included in the Source Library procedure named $R P G$ are shown in Figure A-2.

Library procedures can be modified. OCL statements necessary to modify a library procedure are described in IBM System/3 Disk System Operation Control Language and Disk Utilities Reference Manual, GC21-7512.

| Halt Display | Error Description | Operator Options |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Continue | Bypass | Cntl'd Cancel | immed. Cancel |
| H1 | Indicator H 1 is on | x |  | $x$ | $x$ |
| H2 | Indicator H 2 is on | x |  | x | x |
| H3 | Indicator H3 is on | x |  | x | x |
| H4 | Indicator H 4 is on | $x$ |  | x | $x$ |
| H5 | Indicator H 5 is on | x |  | x | $x$ |
| H6 | Indicator $\mathrm{H6}$ is on | $x$ |  | $x$ | x |
| H7 | Indicator H 7 is on | x |  | x | x |
| H8 | Indicator $\mathrm{H8}$ is on | x |  | x | x |
| H9 | Indicator H9 is on | x |  | x | x |
| но | Halt Indicator Previously Displayed | x |  | x | $x$ |
| 11 | Negative Square Root | x |  | $x$ | x |
| 12 | Divide Overflow | x |  | x | x |
| 13 | Divide by Zero | x |  | x | x |
| 14 | Variable Index is Zero, Negative, or Greater than the Number of Elements in the Array | x |  | x | $x$ |
| 15 | Table Out of Sequence | x |  | $x$ | x |
| 16 | Table not Found | x |  | x | x |
| 17 | Too Many Entries For a Table | x |  | x | x |
| 18 | Compile Time Terminal Halt |  |  |  | $x$ |
| 19 | Compile Time Warning Halt | $x$ |  |  | x |
| 10 | No Input File Opened |  |  |  | $x$ |
| 1A | Exceeded Specified Object Core |  |  |  | $x$ |
| 1 C | Unidentifiable Halt Request |  |  | x | x |
| 1 E | Demand File at End of File or Not Opened | x |  | x | x |
| 1F | End of Extent |  |  | x | x |

Table A-1. RPG II Halts and Operator Options (Part 1 of 2)

| Halt Display | Error Description | Operator Options |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Continue | Bypass | Cntl'd. Cancel | Immed. Cancel |
| 1H | Duplicate Load or Add to an Indexed File | $x$ |  | $x$ | x |
| 1 J | Load or Add Out of Sequence to an Ordered Indexed File | $x$ |  | x | $x$ |
| 1L | Key Field Changed During Update | x |  | x | x |
| 1P | 1P Forms Alignment | x | x |  |  |
| 10 | No Record Found for Direct or Indexed Random File |  | x | $x$ | x |
| 16 | Ready to Punch Tables | x |  |  | X |
| $1^{\prime}$ | Program to be Cataloged is Not Named |  |  |  | x |
| J1-J9 | Record Out of Sequence |  | x | x | x |
| LO-L9 | File Out of Matching Record Sequence |  | x | x | x |
| U0-u9 | Unidentified Record |  | $x$ | x | x |

Table A-1. RPG II Halts and Operator Options (Part 2 of 2)

```
// LOAD $RPG,R1
// FILE NAME-$SOURCE,UNIT-R1,RETAIN-S,TRACKS-10,PACK-SYSTEM
// FILE NAME-$WORK,UNIT-R1,RETAIN-S,TRACKS-10,PACK-SYSTEM 1
// RUN
```

\$SOURCE and $\$ W O R K$ are not supported on the 5445 disk.
Figure A-2. IBM-Supplied Library Procedure for Compiling an RPG II Source Program

This appendix contains two complete RPG II sample programs, SAMPL1 and SAMPL2, including specifications sheets. After compiling the two programs, SAMPL1 must be executed before SAMPL2. These programs can be run on any IBM System/3 Disk System. Operator procedures for running the sample programs, the compilation listings, and the program outputs are included in the IBM System $/ 3$ Disk System Operator's Guide, GC21-7508.

Also included in this appendix is an example containing three complete RPG II programs.

## SAMPLE PROGRAM 1

SAMPL1 loads 100 records into an indexed disk file. The records are created in calculations by means of a program loop. SAMPL1 should be followed by SAMPL2, which prints out the indexed file, verifying that it was properly loaded. Figure B-1 shows the completed specifications sheet for SAMPL1.

## Control Card Specifications

This card must be present in every job. It is the first card in the source deck.

## File Description Specifications

These specifications (Figure B-1) describe the files used in the program. The indexed output file, DISKOUT, will consist of 128 -position records with a 6-position key field starting in the first record position. DISKOUT is a single volume file ( 01 in columns 68-69). A printer output file with a record length of 96 is also defined on the File Description Sheet.

## Input Specifications

The single input file must be further described on the Input Specifications Sheet (Figure B-1).

## Calculation Specifications

The indexed file is loaded by means of a loop in calculations as follows:

- line 01: The result field, COUNT, is set to zero.
- line 02: The result field, RECNBR, is set to zero.
- line 03: REPEAT serves as a label for the loop in calculations.
- line 04: COUNT is incremented by five.
- line 05: RECNBR is incremented by one.
- line 06: If COUNT compares equal to 505 , indicator 02 turns on.
- line 07: If COUNT is not equal to 505 , the line on the Output Sheet (see the Output-Format Sheet in Figure $\mathrm{B}-1$ ) which is identified by an $E$ in column 15 is written on disk. Thus, COUNT becomes the output key field and RECNBR becomes a 3-position output field containing the record number.
- line 08: The program loops back to the REPEAT label. The calculations in lines 4-7 are repeated until COUNT compares equal to 505 ( 100 records have been written on the indexed file).
- line 09: When the end-of-file card is read (LR indicator turns on), one is subtracted from RECNBR to restore the field to a value of 100 (the number of records which have been loaded). RECNBR is then used in an output message on the printer (see the Output-Format Sheet in Figure B-1).


Figure B-1. Specifications for SAMPL1 (Part 1 of 3)


Figure B-1. Specifications for SAMPL1 (Part 2 of 3)


Figure B-1. Specifications for SAMPLI (Part 3 of 3)

## Output-Format Specifications

The output files, PRINTER and DISKOUT, are described in detail on the Output-Format Sheet. Three total output
| lines are printed after end-of-file has occurred on \$SOURCE. The printer skips to line 04 before printing the first line and double-spaces after printing each of the first two lines. The RECNBR field, which now contains a value of 100 , is inserted into the first output line in positions 29-31. After printing the last output line, the printer skips to line 01 of the following page.

The disk record to be written by exception output in calculations is also described on the Output-Format Sheet.

## SAMPLE PROGRAM 2

Sample Program 1 (SAMPL1) must be executed before Sample Program 2 (SAMPL2). SAMPL2 reads the indexed file created by SAMPL1 and prints out fields from each record read. Thus, SAMPL2 verifies that SAMPL1 loaded the indexed file properly. The program specifications for SAMPL2 are shown in Figure B-2.

## Control Card Specifications

This card must be present in every job. It is the first card in the source deck.

## File Description Specifications

These specifications describe the files used by SAMPL2 for input and output of data.

The indexed file created by SAMPL1 is named DISKIN in this program. It is defined with an $E$ in column 17 so that the program will not end until end-of-file of the disk input file. Note that a different block length is given than was specified when the file was created.

A printer file, PRINTER, is described for the printed output of SAMPL2. Since an overflow indicator is specified for the file, later operations can be conditioned on overflow (see the Output-Format Sheet in Figure B-2).

## Input Specifications

The fields of interest in DISKIN are described in detail on the Input Sheet. A character zero in position one of the input records will turn on record identifying indicator 01.

## Calculation Specifications

The field named COUNT is incremented by one on each program cycle to keep a running total of the records which have been read from DISKIN and printed out on PRINTER.

## Output-Format Specifications

Three different output lines are described for the printer file, PRINTER.

The first printer line is a heading line which will be printed on line 4 of the first output page (conditioned by 1P) and each succeeding page (conditioned by OF in an OR relationship). The printer will double-space ( 2 in column 18) after the heading line is printed. Thus, each output page will have a heading consisting of three constant fields and a page field. Because the PAGE reserved word has been used, pages will automatically be numbered sequentially.

For each record read from DISKIN (indicator 01 is on), a detail line consisting of three fields from each input record is written. These fields are reformatted so that the output line ends in position 25.

The printer triple-spaces ( 3 in column 17) before the total line is printed. The total line is printed when end-of-file (LR is on) has occurred on DISKIN. The 3-position COUNT field which was incremented in calculations is followed by a statement in the total line indicating how many records were read and printed from DISKIN. If COUNT is equal to 100, SAMPL1 and SAMPL2 have executed successfully.


Figure B-2. Specifications for SAMPL2 (Part 1 of 2)


Figure B-2. Specifications for SAMPL2 (Part 2 of 2)

## EXAMPLE PROGRAMS

This example contains specifications sheets for three complete RPG II programs: EXMPL1, EXMPL2, and EXMPL3. The programs are designed to be run in sequence and can be run on any IBM System/3 Disk System.

## Example Program 1

EXMPL1 loads master records into an indexed file and creates a consecutive file of transactions. The transaction file will be processed against the master file in EXMPL2. EXMPL2 should follow EXMPL1. Figure B-3 shows the completed specifications sheets for EXMPL1.

## Control Card Specifications

This card must be present in every job. It is the first card in the source deck.

## File Description Specifications

These specifications describe the files in the program. The input card file, CARDIN, is read from the primary MFCU hopper. An E in column 17 indicates that the program will end when the last data record in the input file has been processed. The indexed output file, MASTER, will consist of 26 -position records with a 5 -position key field starting in the second record position. MASTER is a single volume file ( 01 in columns 68-69). A consecutive output file, TRANS, with a 10 -position record length is also specified on the File Description Sheet. TRANS is also a single volume file ( 01 in columns 68-69). A printer output file, PRINTER, with a record length of 78 is also defined on the File Description Sheet.

## Input Specifications

There are two types of records in the input card file, CARDIN : master and transaction. A character M in position 1 of the input records will turn on record identifying indicator 01 , indicating a master record. A character $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, or C in position 1 of the input records will turn on record identifying indicator 02 , indicating a transaction record. No sequence checking will occur for either type of record (AA and AB in columns $15-16$ ).

## Calculation Specifications

The field named TOTMAS is incremented by one when record identifying indicator 01 is on. This maintains a running total of the master records which have been read from CARDIN and transferred to disk. The field TOTTRN is incremented by one when record identifying indicator 02 is on, maintaining a running total of the transaction records which have been read from CARDIN and transferred to disk.

## Output-Format Specifications

Four different output records are described in these specifications: one detail record for the master file (MASTER), one detail record for the transaction file (TRANS), and two total records for the printer file (PRINTER).

The detail records for MASTER are conditioned by record identifying indicator 01. The detail records for TRANS are conditioned by record identifying indicator 02 .

Both total lines for PRINTER are printed when the last record identifying indicator is turned on (LR in columns 23-25). The first total line is for total transactions loaded. The printer skips to line 4 before the printing of the first total line and double spacing occurs before the printing of the second total line. The second total line is for total masters loaded. The printer skips to line 1 of the next page after it is printed.


File Description Specifications


Figure B-3. Specifications for EXMPL1 (Part 1 of 3)



Figure B-3. Specifications for EXMPL1 (Part 2 of 3)


Figure B-3. Specifications for EXMPL1 (Part 3 of 3)

## Example Program 2

EXMPL2 must be preceded by EXMPL1. EXMPL2 reads from the transaction file, TRANS, created by EXMPL1 and accumulates totals for A, B, and C records. EXMPL2 also retrieves matching master records for transaction records and prints an error message if a matching master record is not found. Figure B-4 shows the completed specifications sheets for EXMPL2.

## Control Card Specifications

This card must be present in every job. It is the first card in the source deck.

## File Description Specifications

The input file for EXMPL2, TRANS (the output transaction file for EXMPL1), is read from disk. An E in column 17 indicates that the program will end when the last data record in the input file has been processed. TRANS is a single volume file ( 01 in columns 68-69). The output file, PRINTER, will consist of 72 -position records. An overflow indicator ( OF in columns 33-34) is being used to condition printing of records in the file. The indexed file, MASTER, is described as a chained update file to be processed by keys. It consists of 26 -position records with a 5 -position key field starting in the second record position. It is a single volume file on disk.

## Input Specifications

There are two types of files specified on the Input Sheet: transaction and master. A character $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, or C in position 1 of the input records will turn on record identifying indicator 01,02 , or 03 , indicating a transaction record type $A$, $B$, or $C$ respectively. A character $M$ in position 1 of the update records will turn on record identifying indicator 04, indicating an update record. No sequence checking will occur for either type ( AA and AB in columns 15-16).

## Calculation Specifications

When indicator 01,02 , or 03 is on, two operations will occur:

1. A matching master record is retrieved for a transaction record (lines 01, 02, and 03 on the Calculation Sheet).
2. The AMT field of the transaction cards is added to the appropriate value (VALUEA, VALUEB, or VALUEC) on the master card depending on the type of card (record identifying indicator 01,02 , or 03 ).

If no matching record is found, indicator 10 will be turned on.

## Output-Format Specifications

Eight printer output lines are described in these specifications. Four header lines conditioned by the first page indicator ( 1 P in columns $23-25$ ) or an overflow indicator (OF in columns 23-25) are printed. They will be printed at the top of each page of the listing.

Four detail lines are also printed. A detail line is printed for each transaction record with no matching master record (line 20 on page 04 and lines $01-03$ on page 05 ). For each type of transaction record, $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, or C , the accumulative value is printed (detail lines conditioned by indicators 01,02 , or 03 , and not 10 ). These detail lines are single spaced.

A detail record is written on disk for the indexed update file, MASTER. It is conditioned by two indicators - the record identifying indicator 04 and not 10 which is the record identifying indicator for no matching master record, a match between the master and transaction record.


Figure B-4. Specifications for EXMPL2 (Part 1 of 4)


Figure B-4. Specifications for EXMPL2 (Part 2 of 4)


Figure B-4. Specifications for EXMPL2 (Part 3 of 4)


Figure B-4. Specifications for EXMPL2 (Part 4 of 4)

## Example Program 3

EXMPL3 must be preceded by EXMPL2. EXMPL3 reads from the indexed file, MASTER, and performs the following calculation: value $A+$ value $B$ - value $C$. If the result is negative a message is printed. Figure B-5 shows the completed specifications sheets for EXMPL3.

## Control Card Specifications

This card must be present in every job. It is the first card in the source deck.

## File Description Specifications

The input file for EXMPL3, MASTER, is an indexed single volume file (I in column 32 and 01 in columns 68-69). An E in column 17 indicates that the program will end when the last data record in the input file has been processed. It consists of 26-position records with a 5-position key field starting in the second record positon. A printer output file, PRINTER, with a record length of 78 is also defined on the File Description Sheet.


File Description Specifications


Figure B-5. Specifications for EXMPL3 (Part 1 of 3)

A character M in position one of the input records will turn on record identifying indicator 01 .

## Claculation Specifications

The record identifying indicator 01 conditions all calculations. Values A, B, and C are accumulated (lines 03-05). The calculation, value A plus value $B$ minus value $C$ is performed and accumulated (lines 01,02 , and 06). If the calculation is negative the resulting indicator 22 is set on to condition the printing of a message.

## Output-Format Specifications

In these specifications, four header lines are printed, each conditioned by the first page indicator (1P) or an overflow indicator (OF).

One detail line is printed for each program cycle. One total line is also printed when the last record indicator, LR, is on.



Figure B-5. Specifications for EXMPL3 (Part 2 of 3)



Figure B-5. Specifications for EXMPL3 (Part 3 of 3)

Appendix C. Detailed RPG II Object Program Logic



For each record that is processed, the RPG II object program goes through the same general cycle of operations. After a record is read, there are two different instances in time when calculation operations are performed, and records are written out. These instances in time are called total time and detail time. During total time, all total calculation operations (those conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8 of the Calculation Sheet) and all total output operations (those conditioned by control level indicators) are done. During detail time, all detail calculation operations (those not conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8) and all detail output operations are done. Total time includes steps 18 and 19 of the RPG II object program cycie; detail time includes steps 26 and 3 of the cycle.

Total calculations are performed before the information on the record selected for processing is made available. Detail calculations are performed after the information on the selected record is made available. The following discussion describes this concept in more detail.

Whenever a record is read, a check is made to determine if information in a control field (when one has been specified) is different from the control field information on the previous record. A change in the control field information indicates that all records from a particular control group have been read, and a new group is starting. When all records from a group have been read (indicated by control level indicators being turned on), operations may be done using information accumulated from all records in that group. At this time, all calculations conditioned by control level indicators in columns $7-8$ are done. Total output operations are performed immediately after all total calculation operations are completed. Remember that information on the record read at the beginning of the program cycle is not used in these operations; only information from records in the previous control group is used.

Detail calculations (all calculations not conditioned by control level indicators in columns 7-8) occur after the information on the selected record has been made available. Detail calculations are used to calculate values needed each time a record is processed. They are also used to calculate totals for the current control group (if control fields are specified). Immediately after detail calculation operations are completed, detail output operations are performed.

The specific steps taken in the program cycle are shown in Figure $\mathrm{C}-1$. The item numbers in the following description refer to the numbers in the figure. A program cycle begins with step 3 and continues through step 25 .

1. All data files to be used by the RPG II object program are opened; that is, they are prepared to be processed by the object program. Pre-execution time tables and arrays are loaded before the first program cycle.
2. The object program performs all output conditioned by the 1 P indicator. This output is performed only once per job and does not fall within the program cycle (steps 3 through 25 ).
3. The object program performs all specified heading and detail output operations whose conditions are satisfied. This includes specifications that are conditioned by the overflow indicator if the overflow routine has been fetched.
4. The object program performs a test to determine if the overflow line was encountered during detail calculations in the previous cycle or when heading and detail records were written in the current cycle. If it was, the overflow indicator turns on. Otherwise, the indicator turns off, unless the overflow routine was fetched in step 3.
5. The object program tests the halt indicators. If the halt indicators are off, the program branches to step 6.

5A. The execution of the program is stopped once for each halt indicator that is on. The operator selects one of three options: continue, controlled cancel, or immediate cancel. See Appendix $A$ for an explanation of operator options.

5B. If the operator desires to continue the job, the program returns to step 5 to test for other halt indicators. If the operator selects one of the cancel options, a branch is taken to step 34 .
6. All record identifying indicators and indicators 1 P , L1-L9, and H1-H9 are turned off.
7. The program tests to see if the LR indicator is on. If it is, the program branches to step 26.
8. The program reads (and translates, if necessary), the next input record. At the beginning of processing, one record from each input file (except forced files and demand files) is read. If the file has look-ahead fields, it is read only on the first cycle. After that, records with look-ahead fields are identified only.
9. The program performs a test to determine if the record is an end-of-file record. If an end-of-file condition has occurred, the program branches to step 11.
10. If an end of file has not occurred, the program performs a test to determine if the input records are in the sequence specified for them on the Input Sheet. If the sequence is incorrect, the program branches to step 32. The program also branches to step 32 if non-sequential input records are specified and the record cannot be identified.
11. If end-of-job conditions have been met, a branch is taken to step 26. All files for which an $E$ has been specified in column 17 of the File Description Sheet must be at end of file.
12. When multiple input files are used, it is necessary to select the next record to process. A branch to step 27 is made.
13. If there is only one input file, no record selection is needed. A test is made to determine if sequence checking has been requested. If so, a branch is taken to step 30.
14. The record identifying indicator specified for the current record type turns on. Data from the current record type is not available for processing until step 24.
15. If the record contains control fields, the object program performs a test to determine if a control break has occurred (the contents of the control field are not equal to the contents of a previously stored field). If a control break has not occurred or control fields are not specified, the program branches to step 17.
16. If a control break has occurred, the control level indicator reflecting the condition is turned on. All lower level indicators are also turned on.
17. If this is the first program cycle, the program bypasses all total calculation and output operations and branches to step 20.
18. All calculations conditions by control level indicators (columns 7-8 of calculation specifications) are performed and resulting indicators are turned on or off as specified. If the LR indicator is on, calculations
conditioned by LR are done after other total calculations. File translation, if specified, is done for exception output, chain, and read operations. Fetch overflow is performed if it is required by exception output. If the overflow line has been reached because of exception output, the overflow indicator is turned on.
19. All total output that is not conditioned by an overflow indicator is performed. The program performs a test to determine if an overflow condition has occurred. If an overflow condition has occurred at any time during this cycle, the overflow indicator turns on. If the LR indicator is on, output conditioned by LR is done after other total output. File translation, if specified, is done for total output. Fetch overflow is performed if required.
20. The program performs a test to determine if the last record indicator (LR) is on. If the indicator is on, the program branches to step 37.
21. The program performs a test to determine if any overflow indicators are on. If no overflow indicators are on, the program branches to step 23.
22. All output operations conditioned by a positive (no $N$ preceding the indicator) overflow indicator are performed. File translation, if specified, is done for overflow output.
23. The MR indicator turns on if this is a multifile job and the record to be processed is a matching record. Otherwise, the MR indicator turns off.
24. Field indicators are turned on or off as specified. Data from the last record read and from specified look ahead fields is made available for processing.
25. Any calculations not conditioned by control level indicators (columns 7-8 of the calculation specifications) are performed, and resulting indicators are turned on or off as specified. File translation, if specified, is done for exception output, chain, and read operations. Fetch overflow is performed if it is required by exception output. If the overflow line has been reached because of exception output, the overflow indicator is turned on. Processing continues with step 3.
26. The last record indicator (LR) and ail control ievel indicators (L1-L9) are turned on and processing continues with step 18.
27. If a file has been forced, the next record in that file is selected for processing and a branch is taken to step 14.
28. If a record with no matching fields is found in a normal input file which is not at end of file, it is selected.
29. When matching fields are specified, the normal file with the highest priority matching record field is selected. If two or more files have the equal and highest priority matching record fields, the highest priority file of those is selected. (The primary file has the highest file priority, the first specified secondary file is next, and so forth.)
30. The match field value is compared to the match field value of the last record. If it is in sequence, the record is accepted and processing continues with step 14. If the record is out of sequence, processing goes to step 31.
31. The execution of the program is stopped because a file with matching fields is out of sequence. The operator's option, indicated in step 33, is to bypass (read the next record from the same file) or cancel the job.
32. The execution of the program is stopped because of a record type sequence error or an unidentified record.
33. Step 33 tests the operator's decision either to bypass the record which causes the error condition (branch to step 4) or to cancel the job.
34. If the operator elects to terminate the job by means of a controlled cancel, steps 35 through 39 are performed. If the operator selects an immediate cancel, the job is terminated.
35. All operations conditioned by the LR indicator are done.
36. Same as 35.
37. The program writes out any tables or arrays for which a To Filename is specified on the Extension Sheet. Output tables or arrays are translated, if necessary.
38. All files used by the program are closed (final termination functions are done).
39. End of job occurs.

The RPG II language can handle British sterling data. The use of sterling data, however, must be indicated to the RPG II compiler. This requires special Control Card specifications, Input specifications, and Output-Format specifications.

System/3 can process pence data only. Input data, however, may be in pounds, shillings, pence, and pence decimals. RPG II automatically converts the sterling amounts in the input field into pence so that processing can be done. All records are punched or printed in pence unless otherwise indicated by certain specifications.

Since sterling requires the use of special entries in three different types of specifications, each type will be considered separately. A column by column description is used. However, only those columns affected by the use of sterling are described. Those that are not described have the same entries as described in the main sections.

CONTROL CARD SPECIFICATIONS (COLUMNS 17-20)
Entry Explanation
$0 \quad$ Records are only printed, not punched.
1 Indicates IBM format.
2 Indicates BSI format.

| Sterling Amount: $\mathcal{X}: 15$ : 10.5 (one decimal position, unsigned) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% | $\begin{aligned} & \bar{Y} \\ & \overline{0} \\ & \bar{y} \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  | 흘 $\ddot{\ddot{0}}$ む |  |
| IBM/IBM | 0 | 15 | - | 5 |
| IBM/BSI | 0 | 15 | $\xi$ | 5 |
| BSI/BSI | 0 | E | $\xi$ | 5 |
| BSI/IBM | 0 | E | - | 5 |

Figure D-1. Sterling Formats for Punched Output Records

Use columns 17.20 to indicate the format in which the data is recorded. Two forms are available, IBM or BSI. These two formats allow variations in the number of record positions used for shilling and pence fields. As you read about entries in columns 17-20, refer to Figure D-1 which shows sterling data in various formats.

## Column 17 (Input Shilling Field)

IBM Two columns are used in the shilling field. The field may contain a number from 00-19.

BSI One column is used in the shilling field. Because this one column shilling field may contain a maximum value of 19 , there must be a way of representing a two digit number in a one column field. The following characters are used to do this:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
0-9 & 0-9 \text { shillings. } \\
\& & 10 \text { shillings. } \\
\text { A-I } & 11-19 \text { shillings. }
\end{array}
$$

## Column 18 (Input Pence Field)

IBM One column is used in the pence field. The following punches are used to punch pence data into the card:

| 0.9 | $0-9$ pence. |
| :--- | :--- |
| - (minus) | 10 pence. |
| $\&$ | 11 pence. |

BSI One column is used in the pence field. The following are used to punch pence data in the BSI format:

| $0-9$ | $0-9$ pence. |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\&$ | 10 pence. |
| $-($ minus $)$ | 11 pence. |

## Column 19 (Output Shilling Field)

See Column 17 for details on formats.

## Column 20 (Output Pence Field)

See Column 18 for details on formats.

When using sterling, remember:

1. It is possible to combine the two formats (see Figure D-1). For example, the shilling field may be in IBM format and the pence field in BSI format.
2. Sterling fields written on the printer are not in IBM or BSI format. Instead they are always in print format which consists of two shilling positions and two pence positions in addition to a maximum of three decimal positions and nine pound positions.

## INPUT SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 1-43

See Chapter 7 for information concerning columns 1-43.

## Columns $44-51$ (Field Location)

Columns $44-51$ are used to indicate the location of the sterling field on the card. Entries in these columns are the same for fields containing sterling data as for fields not containing sterling data. Keep in mind, however, that the total length of any sterling field before and after conversion to pence must not be greater than 15 characters. (The RPG II compiler converts all fields to pence.) See Columns 44-51 in Chapter 7 for correct entries.

The field length includes pounds, shillings, pence, and decimal positions. The field length must be large enough to include at least one pounds position, but no more than nine. The number of positions in the shilling and pence fields is determined by the type of format used (see Columns 17-20 in Chapter 3).

## Column 52 (Decimal Positions)

Use column 52 to indicate the number of decimal positions in the pence field. The maximum number of positions is three. Therefore, you may enter any number from 0 to 3 in this column.

## Columns 53-58 (Field Name)

Use columns 53-58 to name your sterling field. Remember that the same name cannot be used for both a sterling field and a decimal field. See Columns 53-58 in Chapter 7 for rules on forming field names.

## Columns 59-62

Columns 59-62 may not be used with sterling fields. Leave them blank.

## Columns 63-70

See Chapter 7 for information concerning columns 63-70.

## Columns 71-74 (Sterling Sign Position)

Use columns 71-74 to indicate the position of the sign in the sterling field. Normally, when there are decimal positions, the sign is in the righmost decimal position of the pence field (see Example 1). The sign of the field is found in the rightmost character of the pounds field, however, when there are no decimal positions (see Example 2).

The sign need not appear in these standard positions. In fact, the sign does not even need to be within the field. However, the sign position, wherever it is, must not only contain a zone entry but also a valid digit entry to ensure that the sign position will be recognized.

Enter an $S$ in column 74 when the sign is in the standard position. However, when the sign is not in the standard position, enter the number of the record position (1-4096) in which the sign is found. The number entered must end in column 74.

Example 1: Figure D-2, insert A shows that the correct position of the sign when decimals are used is in the rightmost decimal position of the pence field. Notice that the minus sign combined with a 5 (the number in the last decimal position) punched out as an $N$.

Example 2: Figure D-2, insert B shows that the correct position of the sign, when decimals are not used, is in the rightmost pound position. Notice that the minus sign, combined with a 1 (number in the rightmost pound position), punches out as a $I$.

| (A) | Sterling Amount:-£211:3:11.75 (two decimal positions) |  |  |  | Sterling Amount: - £ 301:0:9 <br> (B) (no decimal positions) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| W | $\begin{aligned} & \overline{\Psi 4} \\ & \text { n } \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{n}{\omega} \\ & \stackrel{E}{\dot{E}} \\ & \stackrel{\Delta}{0} \end{aligned}$ | 菏 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \overline{0} \\ & \stackrel{0}{0} \\ & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{0} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\stackrel{n}{\omega}$ $\stackrel{\sim}{E}$ $\stackrel{\circ}{\circ}$ 0 |
| IBM/IBM | 211 | 03 | $\xi$ | 7N | IBM/IBM | 30 J | 00 | 9 |  |
| IBM/BSI | 211 | 03 | - | 7N | IBM/BSI | 30J | 00 | 9 |  |
| BSI/BSI | 211 | 3 | - | 7N | BSI/BSI | 30 J | 0 | 9 |  |
| BSI/IBM | 211 | 3 | $\xi$ | 7N | BSI/IBM | 301 | 0 | 9 |  |

Figure D-2. Sterling Amounts in All Available Formats

## OUTPUT SPECIFICATIONS

Columns 1-37
See Chapter 9 for information on columns 1-37.

## Column 38 (Edit Codes)

The RPG II compiler automatically causes zero suppression of the leftmost digits of the shilling and pence fields. However, if you wish the pounds field to be zero suppressed you must specify editing. A $Z$ in column 38 causes the pound portion of the field named in columns 32-37 to be zero suppressed. It also removes the sign of the field before the field is printed.

Example: After conversion from pence to pounds, shillings, and pence, the field containing a value of 001040201 ( 00104 pounds, 02 shillings, and 01 pence) is printed as 1040201 if zero suppression has been specified. If zero suppresison has not been specified, the field prints out as 0010421.

## Column 39 (Blank After)

See Chapter 9 for further information.

## Columns 40-43 (End Position in Output Record)

Use columns 40-43 to indicate the end position of the field on the output record. The formats (IBM or BSI) which were specified on the control card are not used on printed output. Printed output requires two positions for pence, two positions for shillings, from one to nine positions for pounds, and from zero to three positions for decimals. Keep this in mind so that you are sure to allow enough room on the record for the entire field. See Columns $40-43$ in Chapter 9 for correct specifications. For output devices other than the printer, the length required depends on the format used (see Columns 40-43 in Chapter 3).

## Column 44

Column 44 is not used.

## Columns 45-70 (Constant or Edit Word)

If edit code $Z$ is not used, columns $45-70$ may be used to edit an output field. Each edit word used is composed of three sections or fields: the pounds field, the shillings field, and the pence field. When using edit words, you may use:

1. Floating and fixed pound signs.
2. Zero suppression of the pounds field.
3. CR and minus ( - ) symbols.
4. Asterisk fill.
5. An ampersand to cause a blank in the edit word.
6. Any constant information.

When editing sterling fields, remember:

1. An edit word must be enclosed by single quotes.
2. Two positions must be allowed for the shillings field in every edit word. Two positions must be allowed for the pence field.
3. At least one character should be inserted between the pounds and shillings fields and the shillings and pence fields in order to separate them. Any character except a blank may be used to separate the shillings and pence fields. A comma, however, is permitted within the pounds field and a decimal point is permitted within the pence field.
4. Zeros in the pounds field may be suppressed by putting a zero suppression zero in the edit word. The shillings and pence fields are always zero suppressed automatically.
5. When specifying the floating pound sign, there must be at least one pound field position preceding the shillings field and following the pound sign.
6. Asterisk fill, if desired, must be specified by placing an asterisk in the pounds field. This causes the pounds field to fill with asterisks.

Figure D-3 shows valid examples of editing a sterling field. $f$ denotes the pound sign, $S$ the shilling sign, and $d$ the pence sign. See Columns 45-70 in Chapter 9 for more information on edit words.

## Columns 71-74 (Sterling Sign Position)

For printed output records, column 74 must contain an $S$ if the pence field is to be converted to pounds, shillings, and pence before it is printed. It may not contain a numeric entry. If blank, the field is printed in pence.

For punched card or disk output, the same entries are used as on the input specifications. An $S$ is entered in column 74 when the sign is to appear in the standard position. When the sign is not in the standard position, columns 71.74 must contain the number of the record position $(1-4096)$ in which the sign is to appear.


|  | Column 75 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Unedited Field | Edited Field |
| 00 N0703 | 573 |
| 7551604 | $75516 S 4 \mathrm{~S}$ |
| 67541211.55 | 6,754:12:11.55 |
| 000M0510 | £ 4: 5:10 |
| 061406 | £6:14: 6 |
| 0005 N0604 | ***55: 6: 4 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 0011204 \\ & 0021304 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{lll} £ 1 & 1,3: & 4 C R \\ £ 2 & 13: & 4 \end{array}$ |

Figure D-3. Edit Words for Sterling Fields

| Type of Operation | Function of Operation | Operation Code (columns 28-32) |  |  | - |  |  | - |  |  | (은․․ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arithmetic Operations | Add Factor 2 to Factor 1. | ADD | 0 | 0 | R | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Clear Result Field and add Factor 2. | Z-ADD | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Subtract Factor 2 from Factor 1. | SUB | 0 | 0 | R | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Clear Result Field and subtract Factor 2. | Z-SUB | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Multiply Factor 1 by Factor 2. | MULT | 0 | 0 | R | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Divide Factor 1 by Factor 2. | DIV | 0 | 0 | R | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Move remainder of preceding division to a Result Field. | MVR | 0 | 0 | B | B | R | 0 | 0 | B | 0 |
|  | Sum elements of an array and put sum in Result Field. | XFOOT | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Derive the square root of Factor 2. | SQRT | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | B |
| Move Operation | Move Factor 2 into Result Field, right justified. | MOVE | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | B | B |
|  | Move Factor 2 into Result Field, left justified. | MOVEL | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | B | B |
|  | Move zone from low-order position of Factor 2 to low-order position of Result Field. | MLLZO | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | B | B |
|  | Move zone from high-order position of alphameric Factor 2 to high-order of alphameric Result Field. | MHHZO | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | B | B | B |
|  | Move zone from low-order position of Factor 2 to highorder position of alphameric Result Field. | MLHZO | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | B | B | B |
|  | Move zone from high-order position of alphameric Factor 2 to low-order position of Result Field. | MHLZO | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | 0 | B | B |
| Compare and Zone Testing Operations | Compare Factor 1 to Factor 2. | COMP | 0 | 0 | R | R | B | B | B | B | R |
|  | Identify the zone in the leftmost position of an alphameric Result Field. | TESTZ | 0 | 0 | B | B | R | 0 | B | B | R |
| Binary <br> Field <br> Operations | Set on specified bits. | BITON | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | B | B | B |
|  | Set off specified bits. | BITOF | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | B | B | B |
|  | Test specified bits. | TESTB | 0 | 0 | B | R | R | 0 | B | B | R |
| Setting Indicators | Set one, two, or three specific indicators on. | SETON | 0 | 0 | B | B | B | B | B | B | R |
|  | Set one, two, or three specific indicators off. | SETOF | 0 | 0 | B | B | B | B | B | B | R |
| Branching Within RPG II | Branch to another RPG II calculation specification line. | GOTO | 0 | 0 | B | R | B | B | B | B | $B$ |
|  | Identify the name in Factor 1 as a destination label to which GOTO may branch. | TAG | 0 | B | R | B | B | B | B | B | B |
| Lookup Operations | Table Lookup. | LOKUP | 0 | 0 | R | R | 0 | 0 | 0 | B | R |
|  | Array Lookup. | LOKUP | 0 | 0 | R | R | B | B | B | B | R |
| Subroutine | Beginning of the subroutine. | BEGSR | * | B | R | B | B | B | B | B | B |
|  | End of the subroutine. | ENDSR | * | B | 0 | B | B | B | B | B | B |
|  | Call to execute the subroutine. | EXSR | 0 | 0 | B | R | B | B | B | B | B |
| Program Control | Forcing record to be read next. | FORCE | B | 0 | B | R | B | B | B | B | B |
|  | Forcing output printing. | EXCPT | 0 | 0 | B | B | B | B | B | B | B |
|  | A field is printed on the printer-keyboard and/or data is entered via the printer-keyboard into a field. | DSPLY | 0 | 0 | 0 | R | 0 | B | B | B | B |
|  | A record is read from a demand file | READ | 0 | 0 | B | R | B | B | B | B | ** |
|  | A record is read from a disk file. | CHAIN | 0 | 0 | R | R | B | B | B | B | ** |
| Debug Function | Aid in finding programming errors. | DEBUG | 0 | 0 | 0 | R | 0 | B | B | B | B |

O- Optional
R-Required
B - Blank

* Columns $7-8$ must have an SR entry for all subroutine lines.
** See Columns $54-59$ in chapter 8 for more information.
*** The control level entry can be given for any operation code if it is an AN or OR line (see Columns 7-8, chapter 8).
Table E-1. Operation Codes

| Indicator | Where Specified | Where Used | Turned On |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Table E-2. Summary of Program Indicators (Part 1 of 2)

| Indicator | Where Specified | Where Used | Turned On | Turned Off | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Look-up operation <br> High <br> Low <br> Equal <br> TESTZ operation <br> High <br> Low <br> Equal <br> Chain operation |  |  | if table $>$ Factor 1 . <br> if table<Factor 1 <br> if table = Factor 1 <br> if a $C$ zone or $\bar{\alpha}$ is present if a $D$ zone or minus ( - ) is present <br> Cor D zone is not present <br> By a no record found condition. |  |  |
| 1 P (First Page) | Internal | Output Indicators | At beginning of processing before any input records are read. | Before the first detail record is read. | Note 4 |

Note 1. Turning indicators on or off can also be accomplished by using SETON and SETOF operation codes.
Note 2. All control level indicators (L1-9) are also turned on when LR is turned on.
Note 3. The overflow indicator remains on during the following detail calculations and output cycles.
Note 4. This indicator is used to condition printing of the first page of the report.

Table E-2. Summary of Program Indicators (Part 2 of 2)

| Indicators | File <br> Description Specifications |  | Input Specifications |  |  |  | Calculation Specifications |  |  | Output- <br> Format Specifications |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Overflow <br> Indicator <br> (33-34) | File Conditioning (71-72) | 1 Record Identifying Indicator (19-20) |  | 1 Field Record Relation (63-64) | Field Indicator (65-70) | Control <br> Level <br> Indicator (7-8) | Conditioning Indicator (9-17) | Resulting <br> Indicator <br> (54-59) | Conditioning Indicator (23-31) |
| 01-99 |  |  | X |  | X | X |  | X | X | X |
| H1-H9 |  |  | X |  | X | X |  | X | X | X |
| 1P |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $x^{3}$ |
| MR |  |  |  |  | $x^{2}$ |  |  | X |  | X |
| OA-OG,OV | X |  |  |  |  |  |  | X | X | $\mathrm{x}^{4}$ |
| L0 |  |  |  |  |  |  | X |  |  | $x$ |
| L1-L9 |  |  | X | X | $x^{2}$ |  | X | X | X | X |
| LR |  |  | X |  |  |  | x | X | X | x |
| U1-U8 |  | $x^{5}$ |  |  | X |  |  | X |  | X |

Note: X denotes the indicators that may be used.
1 Not valid on look-ahead fields.
2 When field named is not a match field or a control field.
3 Only for detail or heading lines.
4 Cannot condition an exception line, but may condition fields within the exception record.
5 Not valid for table input files.

Characters grounped by equal zōnes

|  | Character | 96 Column Card Code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GROUP 1 | $\xi$ | B-A-8-2 |
|  | . | B-A-8-2-1 |
|  | $<$ | B-A-8-4 |
|  | 1 | B-A-8-4-1 |
|  | + | B-A-8-4-2 |
|  | 1 | B-A-8-4-2-1 |
| GROUP 2 | $!$ | B-8-2 |
|  | \$ | B-8-2-1 |
|  | * | B-8-4 |
|  | ) | B-8-4-1 |
|  | ; | B-8-4-2 |
|  |  | B-8-4-2-1 |
| GROUP 3 | 1 | A-1 |
|  | , | A-8-2-1 |
|  | \% | A-8-4 |
|  | - | A-8-4-1 |
|  | $>$ | A-8-4-2 |
|  | ? | A-8-4-2-1 |
| GROUP 4 | : | 8-2 |
|  | \# | 8-2-1 |
|  | @ | 8-4 |
|  | , | 8-4-1 |
|  | $=$ | 8-4-2 |
|  | " | 8-4-2-1 |
| GROUP 5 | \& | A-8-2 |
|  | A | B-A-1 |
|  | B | B-A-2 |
|  | C | B-A-2-1 |
|  | D | B-A-4 |
|  | E | B-A-4-1 |
|  | F | B-A-4-2 |
|  | G | B-A-4-2-1 |
|  | H | B-A-8 |
|  | 1 | B-A-8-1 |
| GROUP 6 | ) | B |
|  | \} | B-A |
|  | J | B-1 |
|  | K | B-2 |
|  | L | B-2-1 |
|  | M | B-4 |
|  | N | B-4-1 |
|  | 0 | B-4-2 |
|  | P | B-4-2-1 |
|  | Q | B-8 |
|  | R | B-8-1 |
| GROUP 7 | S | A-2 |
|  | T | A-2-1 |
|  | U | A-4 |
|  | V | A-4-1 |
|  | W | A-4-2 |
|  | X | A-4-2-1 |
|  | Y | A-8 |
|  | Z | A-8-1 |
| GROUP 8 | blank | No punches |
|  | 0 | A |
|  | 1 | 1 |
|  | 2 | 2 |
|  | 3 | 2-1 |
|  | 4 | 4 |
|  | 5 | 41 |
|  | 6 | $4-2$ |
|  | 7 | 4-2-1 |
|  | 8 | 8 |
|  | 9 | $8-1$ |

Characters grouped by equal digits

|  | Character | 96 Column Card Code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GROUP 1 | blank है $j$ 0 0 | No punches A-8-2 <br> B <br> B-A <br> A |
| GROUP 2 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline i \\ & \text { A } \\ & \text { J } \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | A-1 <br> B-A-1 <br> B-1 <br> 1 |
| GROUP 3 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathrm{B} \\ & \mathrm{~K} \\ & \mathrm{~S} \\ & 2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}-2 \\ & \mathrm{~B}-2 \\ & \mathrm{~A}-2 \\ & 2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 4 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{C} \\ & \mathrm{~L} \\ & \mathrm{~T} \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~B}-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~A}-2-1 \\ & 2-1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 5 | $\begin{aligned} & D \\ & M \\ & U \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-4 } \\ & \text { B-4 } \\ & \text { A-4 } \\ & 4 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 6 | $\begin{aligned} & E \\ & N \\ & V \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & B-A-4-1 \\ & B-4-1 \\ & A-4-1 \\ & 4-1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 7 | $\begin{aligned} & F \\ & 0 \\ & W \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & B-A-4-2 \\ & B-4-2 \\ & A-4-2 \\ & 4-2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathrm{G} \\ & \mathrm{P} \\ & \mathrm{X} \\ & 7 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}-4-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~B}-4-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~A}-4-2-1 \\ & 4-2-1 \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 9 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{H} \\ & \mathrm{O} \\ & \mathrm{Y} \\ & 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-8 } \\ & \text { B-8 } \\ & \text { A-8 } \\ & 8 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 10 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 1 \\ & R \\ & Z \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}-8-1 \\ & \mathrm{~B}-8-1 \\ & \mathrm{~A}-8-1 \\ & 8-1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 11 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \& } \\ & 1 \\ & : \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-8-2 } \\ & \text { B-8-2 } \\ & 8-2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 12 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \$ } \\ & \text { \# } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}-8-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~B}-8-2-1 \\ & \mathrm{~A}-8-2-1 \\ & 8-2-1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 13 | $\begin{aligned} & < \\ & \text { * } \\ & \text { \% } \\ & \text { @ } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-8-4 } \\ & \text { B-8-4 } \\ & \text { A-8-4 } \\ & 8-4 \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 14 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & \hline 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { B-A-8-4-1 } \\ & \text { B-8-4-1 } \\ & \text { A-8-4-1 } \\ & 8-4-1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 15 | $\begin{aligned} & + \\ & ; \\ & > \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-8-4-2 } \\ & \text { B-8-4-2 } \\ & \text { A-8-4-2 } \\ & 8-4-2 \end{aligned}$ |
| GROUP 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & ? \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B-A-8-4-2-1 } \\ & \text { B-8-4-2-1 } \\ & \text { A-8-4-2-1 } \\ & 8-4-2-1 \end{aligned}$ |

Table E-4. Character Grouping by Zone and Digit

| Collating Sequence | Character | Hexadecimal Equivalent | Coilating Sequence | Character | Hexadecimai Equivalent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Blank | 40 | 33 | F | C6 |
| 2 | ¢ | 4A | 34 | G | C7 |
| 3 | . | 4B | 35 | H | C8 |
| 4 | < | 4 C | 36 | 1 | C9 |
| 5 | 1 | 4D | 37 | \} | D0 |
| 6 | + | 4E | 38 | J | D1 |
| 7 | 1 | 4F | 39 | K | D2 |
| 8 | \& | 50 | 40 | L | D3 |
| 9 | $!$ | 5A | 41 | M | D4 |
| 10 | \$ | 5B | 42 | N | D5 |
| 11 | * | 5C | 43 | 0 | D6 |
| 12 | 1 | 5D | 44 | P | D7 |
| 13 | ; | 5E | 45 | 0 | D8 |
| 14 | 7 | 5F | 46 | R | D9 |
| 15 | - (minus) | 60 | 47 | S | E2 |
| 16 | 1 | 61 | 48 | T | E3 |
| 17 | , | 6B | 49 | U | E4 |
| 18 | \% | 6C | 50 | V | E5 |
| 19 | _ (underscore) | 6D | 51 | W | E6 |
| 20 | $>$ | 6E | 52 | X | E7 |
| 21 | ? | 6F | 53 | Y | E8 |
| 22 | : | 7A | 54 | Z | E9 |
| 23 | \# | 7B | 55 | 0 | FO |
| 24 | @ | 7C | 56 | 1 | F1 |
| 25 | , | 7D | 57 | 2 | F2 |
| 26 | $=$ | 7E | 58 | 3 | F3 |
| 27 | " | 7F | 59 | 4 | F4 |
| 28 | A | C1 | 60 | 5 | F5 |
| 29 | B | C2 | 61 | 6 | F6 |
| 30 | C | C3 | 62 | 7 | F7 |
| 31 | D | C4 | 63 | 8 | F8 |
| 32 | E | C5 | 64 | 9 | F9 |

Table E-5. Normal Collating Sequence and Hexadecimal Equivalents of Characters

| Edit Code | Commas | Decimal Point | Sign For Negative Balance |  |  | Print Out On Zero Balance * |  |  | Zero <br> Suppress |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | No Sign | CR | - (Minus) | Domestic and United Kingdom | World Trade / | World Trade J |  |
| 1 | Yes | Yes | No Sign |  |  | . 00 or 0 | , 00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| 2 | Yes | Yes | No Sign |  |  | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| 3 |  | Yes | No Sign |  |  | . 00 or 0 | . 00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| 4 |  | Yes | No Sign |  |  | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| A | Yes | Yes |  | CR |  | . 00 or 0 | , 00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| B | Yes | Yes |  | CR |  | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| $c^{\prime}$ |  | Yes |  | CR |  | . 00 or 0 | . 00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| D |  | Yes |  | CR |  | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| J | Yes | Yes |  |  | - | . 00 or 0 | ,00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| K | Yes | Yes |  |  | - | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| L |  | Yes |  |  | - | . 00 or 0 | ,00 or 0 | 0,00 or 0 | Yes |
| M |  | Yes |  |  | - | Blanks | Blanks | Blanks | Yes |
| X** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Y*** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Yes |
| Z |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Yes |

* Zero balances for the World Trade format are written in two ways, depending on the entry made in column 21 of the control card specifications.
** The X code performs no editing.
*** The Y code suppresses the leftmost zero only. The Y code edits a three to six digit field according to the following pattern:
$n n / n$
$n n / n n$
$n n / n n / n$
$n n / n n / n n$
If a data field of six digits is packed on disk and the $Y$ edit code is used with the data field, an error will occur. To solve this problem, move the data field to another field.

Table E-6. Edit Codes

| Record Length | Block Length Computed by RPG II |  | Input/Output Area Allocated by RPG II |  | Number of Records per Block |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| * | Group A | Group B | Group A | Group B | Group A | Group B |
| 32 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 8 | 8 |
| 60 | 240 | 240 | 256 | 512 | 4 | 4 |
| 64 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 4 | 4 |
| 80 | 240 | 240 | 256 | 512 | 3 | 3 |
| 96 | 192 | 192 | 256 | 512 | 2 | 2 |
| 128 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 2 | 2 |
| 256 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 256 | 1 | 1 |
| 512 | 512 | 512 | 512 | 512 | 1 | 1 |

* Files in Group B can require a larger input/output area than files in Group A.

Group A
Consecutive Output Consecutive Input Indexed Input Processed Sequentially Indexed Output

Group B

Consecutive Update Indexed Update Indexed File Processed Randomly Direct File

Note: Results are the same for DISK as well as DISK45.

Table E-7. Block Length and Size of Input/Output Area Computed by RPG II for Disk Files

|  | 11 | 65 | 156 | 247 | 312 | 455 | 637 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 10 | 60 | 132 | 216 | 264 | 396 | 528 |
|  | 9 | 44 | 110 | 176 | 220 | 330 | 440 |
| Key | 8 | 40 | 100 | 150 | 190 | 280 | 370 |
|  | 7 | 36 | 81 | 126 | 153 | 225 | 306 |
|  | 6 | 24 | 64 | 96 | 120 | 184 | 240 |
|  | 5 | 21 | 49 | 77 | 98 | 140 | 189 |
|  |  | 2 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 15 | 20 |
| Number of Records (thousands) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

* The bytes of main storage required for the Core Index is based on one Core Index entry per track of file index entries (single volume files only).

Table E-8. Bytes of Main Storage Required for Core Index


* Record storage area only; index area for indexed file is not included.

Table E-9. File Allocation

This appendix lists the RPG II and BSCA error messages for the IBM System/3 Model 10. For each error message, this appendix includes an explanation of the message, a description of any action the system takes, and suggested responses you can give to restart the system or to avoid the message when the job is run again. For information on other types of messages, see the IBM System/3 Model 10 Disk System Operator's Guide, GC21-7508.

## MESSAGE FORMAT

Each message is preceded by an identification code. This code consists of four parts (Figure F-1):

1. Program identification RG (for RPG II).
2. Message number.
3. Significance code:

W (Warning) - Warning that an abnormal condition exists. Corrective action is required only if condition is unintentional.

T (Terminal) - An error condition exists that rerequires corrective action before the system can continue executing the program.
4. Type of specification containing the error. (This part of the code does not appear in every message.) RPG II error messages are identified by a specification type of $\mathrm{H}, \mathrm{F}, \mathrm{E}, \mathrm{L}, \mathrm{I}, \mathrm{C}$, or O. BSCA messages are identified by a specification type of $T$, for Telecommunications Specifications. (A detailed explanation of the telecommunications specifications used to run BSCA programs is available in the IBM System/3 RPG II Telecommunications Programming Reference Manual, SC21-7507.)


Figure F-1. Message Format

## RG001-NO SOURCE

Code:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG002-INVALID OBJECT OUTPUT ENTRY IN COL 10, ASSUME BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:

User Response:

T-Terminal You did not supply a source program for this job. The job is terminated. You must supply a source program and resubmit the job.

H
The entry in column 10 of your header line is not $\mathrm{C}, \mathrm{D}, \mathrm{P}$, or blank. Blank is assumed and the object program is temporarily written in the object library. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry ( $C, D$, or $P$ ) in column 10 and resubmit the job.

RG003-INVALID LISTING OPTION IN COL 11, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 11 is neither <br> B nor blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. Therefore, a <br> source program listing and the ob- <br> ject program are produced. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in column 11 and <br> resubmit the job. |

## RG004-INVALID OR BLANK STORAGE SIZE TO EXECUTE ENTRY IN COL 12-14, ASSUME SYSTEM SiZE

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | Columns 12-14 are blank or they <br> contain an entry which is greater <br> than 06l. |
| System Action: | The size of your system is assumed. <br> User Response: <br> If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in columns 12-14 <br> and resubmit the job. |

## RG005-INVALID DEBUG CODE IN COL 15, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 15 is neither |
|  | l nor blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. <br> Useí Responsé $:$ |
|  | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in column 15 and <br> resubmit the job. |

RG006--INVALID ENTRY IN COL 16, ASSUME BLANK
Code:
Specification Type:
W-Warning

Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

H
This column is not used; it must be left blank.
Blank is assumed.
To avoid this message the next time the job is run, leave column 16 hlank.

RG008-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 37 AND/OR COLUMNS 52-54. ASSUME BLANKS.

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG009-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 49, ASSUME BLANK
Code: W-Warning

Specification Type: H
Explanation: Column 49 is not used.
System Action: Blank is assumed.
User Response: To avoid this message the next time the job is run, leave column 49 blank.

RG011-INVALID STERLING ENTRY OR ENTRIES
IN COL 17-20, ASSUME NO STERLING
Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: H
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG012-INVALID INVERTED PRINT ENTRY IN COL 21, ASSUME BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

H
The entry in column 21 of your header line is not I, D, J, or blank. Blank is assumed; the job continues. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 21 and resubmit the job.

RG013-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 22-25, ASSUME BLANKS

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | These columns are not used; they <br> must be left blank. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed. <br> User Response: |
|  | To avoid this message the next <br> time the job is run, leave columns <br> $22-25 ~ b l a n k . ~$ |

RG014-INVALID ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 26, ASSUME S
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } \\ \text { Specification Type: } & \text { W-Warning } \\ \text { Explanation: }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l}\text { H } \\ \text { The entry in column 26 of your } \\ \text { header line is neither blank nor S. } \\ \text { The entry is assumed to be S. The }\end{array}\right\}$

RG016-INVALID 1P REPEAT ENTRY IN COL 41, ASSUME 1

Specification Type: H
Explanation: Column 41 of your header line is neither 1 nor blank.
System Action: $\quad 1$ is assumed; the job continues.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 41 and resubmit the job.

RG017-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 42, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | This column is not used; it must be <br> left blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed; the job continues. <br> User Response: |
| To avoid this message the next time <br> the job is run, leave column 42 <br> blank. |  |

RG018-INVALID FILE TRANSLATION ENTRY IN COL 43, ASSUME F

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: H
Explanation: The entry in column 43 of your header line is neither $F$ nor blank.
System Action:
User Response:

RG019-INVALID ZERO SUPPRESS ENTRY IN COL 44, ASSUME 1

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: H
Explanation: The entry in column 44 of your header line is neither 1 nor blank.
System Action: $\quad 1$ is assumed and the job continues.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 44 and resubmit the job.

RG020-INVALID NON-PRINTABLE CHARACTER ENTRY IN COL 45; ASSUME 1

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

W-Warning
H
Column 45 must be blank or 1 .
A blank entry provides a halt on nonprintable characters and a 1 does not.
1 is assumed.
To avoid this message the next time, make the proper entry in column 45 and resubmit the job.

RG021-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 46-47, 50-51, OR 55-74, ASSUME BLANKS

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H |
| Explanation: | These columns are not used; they <br> must be left blank. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed. <br> User Response: <br> To avoid this message the next <br> time this job is run, leave column <br> $46-47,50-51, ~ a n d ~ 55-74 ~ b l a n k . ~$ |
| RG022-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 6 OR SPEC TYPE |  |
| OUT OF SEQUENCE |  |


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | F, E, L, I, C, or O |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 6 must be $F$, E, L, I, C, or O and the specifications must be in the proper sequence. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated and the entire specification line is ignored. |
| User Response: | Check to see which specifications contain an invalid entry in column 6 or are out of the sequence required in the source program. (Valid entries for column 6 are H , F, E, L, I, C, or O, and records must be in that order.) Resubmit the job. |
| RG023-INVALID OR BLANK FILENAME IN COL 7-14 |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | F, I, L, or O |
| Explanation: | No filename was specified in columns 7-14 or the filename specified was invalid. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated and the entire specification line is ignored. |
| User Response: | Check your source specifications to determine which have a missing or invalid filename. Make the proper entry and resubmit the job. |

RG024-FILENAME PREVIOUSLY DEFINED IN COL 7-14

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | This filename is not unique. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated and the en- <br> tire specification line is ignored. |
| User Response: | Assign a unique name to the file. <br> Resubmit the job. |

RG025-INVALID DEVICE NAME IN COL 40-46, ASSUME DISK
Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: F
Explanation: The entry in columns 40-46 is not a valid device name.
System Action: DISK is assumed, but the job is terminated.
User Response: Enter the proper device name in columns 40-46 of the File Description sheet and resubmit the job.

## RG026-INVALID OR BLANK FILE TYPE ENTRY IN COL 15, ASSUME DEFAULT FOR DEVICE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The file type entry in column 15 is not I, O, C, U, or D. |
| System Action: | O is assumed for files assigned to PRINTER, PRINTR2, and CONSOLE; C is assumed for files assigned to MFCU1, or MFCU2; U is assumed for files assigned to DISK and DISK45. The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter the proper file type in column 15 and resubmit the job. |

RG028-FILE DESIGNATION IN COL 16 IS INVALID FOR EITHER FILE TYPE OR DEVICE. ASSUME SECONDARY.

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |

Explanation:

System Action: $\quad$ S is assumed and the job continues.
User Response:

The entry in column 16 is not valid for an input, combined or update file. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 16 and resubmit the job.

RG030-FILE DESIGNATION ENTRY IN COL 16 INVALID FOR OUTPUT OR DISPLAY FILE, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Column 16 must be blank for out- <br> put files and display files (O or D <br> in columin 15). |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. <br> User Response: |
| To avoid this message the next <br> time this job is run, make a blank <br> entry in column 16. |  |

RG032-NO PRIMARY FILE SPECIFIED IN COL 16, ASSUME FIRST SECONDARY FILE AS PRIMARY

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | No primary file was specified (P in <br> column 16) of your file description |
| System Action: | specifications. <br> The first secondary file is assumed <br> to be the primary file. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in column 16 and <br> resubmit the job. |

RG033-NO PRIMARY OR SECONDARY FILE SPECIFIED IN COL 16 OR NO FILE DESCRIPTION SPEC FOUND

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | No primary or secondary file was <br> specified (P or S in column 16 of <br> the file description specifications) |
|  | or no file description specifications <br> were supplied. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Supply file description specifications <br> User Response: |
|  | or define an input file and resubmit <br> the job. |

RG034-MULTIPLE PRIMARY FILES DEFINED IN COL 16, ASSUME SECONDARY

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | More than one primary file (P in <br> column 16) was defined in your <br> file description specifications. |
| System Action: | All primary files except the first <br> one are assumed to be secondary. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry (S in column 16). <br> Resubmit the job. |

RG036-INVALID END OF FILE ENTRY IN COL 17, ASSUME E FOR INPUT FILE TYPE WITHOUT RANDOM PROCESSING

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation: The entry in column 17 of your file description specifications is neither $E$ nor blank.
System Action: $\quad \mathrm{E}$ is assumed for input files not processed randomly; blank is assumed for all other files.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper end-of-file entry in column 17. Resubmit the job.

RG037-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 19, ASSUME F
Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

The entry in column 19 of your file description specifications is not F. $F$ is assumed.
To avoid this message the next time this job is run, enter $F$ in column 19.

RG038-END OF FILE ENTRY IN COL 17 INVALID FOR FILE TYPE

| Code: | W-Warning | Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | F | Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Column 17 must be blank for output, demand, table, and display files. | Explanation: | The entry in columns $20-23$ is neither equal to nor a multiple of the record length specified in |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |  | columns 24-27. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next time this job is run, leave column 17 blank. | System Action: <br> User Response: | The record length is assumed. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper block length a multiple of the record length and resubmit |
| RG039-INVALID SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 18, ASSUME PREVIOUS ENTRY |  |  | the job. |
|  |  |  |  |
| Code: | W-Warning | RG043-DUAL I/O ENTRY IN COL 32 INVALID FOR |  |
| Specification Type: | F | TYPE OF FILE OR MODE OF PROCESSING, ASSUME |  |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 18 is not A , D, or blank. | BLANK |  |
| System Action: | The entry in column 18 from the previous specification line is as- | Code: <br> Specification Type: | $\begin{aligned} & \text { W-Warning } \\ & \text { F } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | sumed. | Explanation: | Dual I/O (1-9 in column 32) can- |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 18. |  | not be specified for combined, demand, table, and update files, or for any file processed randomly. Neither can dual I/O be specified |
| RG040--ENTRY IN COL 18 INVALID FOR TYPE OF |  |  | if shared I/O has been specified |
| FILE OR MODE OF PROCESSING, ASSUME BLANK |  |  | (column 48 of control card specifications). |
| Code: | W-Warning | System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| Specification Type: | F | User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make |
| Explanation: | Column 18 must be blank for demand files, output files, record address files, display files, and for any files processed randomly. |  | the proper dual I/O entry and resubmit the job. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. | RG044-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 32, ASSUME BLANK |  |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next time |  |  |
|  | this job is run, leave column 18 blank. | Code: | W-Warning |
|  |  | Specification Type: | F |
| RG041-INVALID RECORD LENGTH ENTRY IN COL 24-27, ASSUME DEFAULT FOR DEVICE |  | Explanation: | The entry in column 32 was not |
|  |  | System Action: | $1-9,1, T$, or blank. Blank is assumed. |
| Code: | W-Warning | User Response: | If the assumption was wrong, make the proper entry and resubmit the job. |
| Specification Type: | F |  |  |
| Explanation: | Incorrect record length was specified in columns 24-27. |  |  |
| System Action: | The maximum record length for the device is assumed, except DISK and DISK45 for which 256 is assumed. |  |  |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make the proper record length entry and resubmit the job. |  |  |

RG042-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 20-23, ASSUME RECORD LENGTH

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type:
Explanation:

RG043-DUAL I/O ENTRY IN COL 32 INVALID FOR TYPE OF FILE OR MODE OF PROCESSING, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG044-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 32, ASSUME BLANK

RG045-OVERFLOW INDICATOR IN COL 33-34 PREVIOUSLY ASSIGNED, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The same overflow indicator was <br> assigned to more than one file. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed, but the job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Assign different overflow indicators <br> to each file being described. |

## RG046-INVALID OVERFLOW INDICATOR IN COL

 33-34, ASSUME BLANKCode:
Specification Type:

Explanation: The entry in columns 33-34 was
System Action: Blank is assumed, but the job is
User Response: Enter $\mathrm{OA}-\mathrm{OG}$ or OV in columns

RG047-OVERFLOW INDICATOR IN COL 33-34 INVALID FOR DEVICE, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
not OA-OG, or OV. terminated. 33-34 if you want to specify overflow for this file, if not, leave columns 33-34 blank. Resubmit the job.

W-Warning
T-Terminal
F

The overflow indicator in columns 33-34 was not assigned to a printer file.
Blank is assumed.
To avoid this message the next time this job is run, assign overflow indicators to printer files.

RG048-INVALID OR BLANK EXTENSION CODE ENTRY IN COL 39 FOR TABLE OR RECORD ADDRESS FILE, ASSUME E

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The extension code in column 39 <br> was not E for a table or record <br> address file. |
| System Action: | E is assumed and the job continues. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next time <br> this job is run, enter E in column |
|  | 39. |

RG049-INVALID EXTENSION CODE IN COL 39
Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: F
Explanation: The entry in column 39 is neither L nor blank for output files assigned to the printer.
System Action: L is assumed and the job continues.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the entry in column 39 blank. Resubmit the job.

RG051-EXTENSION CODE ENTRY IN COL 39 INVALID WITH DEVICE OR P, S, C, OR D IN COL 16, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning F Column 39 can only be used with table, record address or printer files. Blank is assumed and the job continues. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 39 and resubmit the job.
RG052-DEVICE IN COL $40-46$ PREVIOUSLY
ASSIGNED TO OUTPUT OR NON-TABLE INPUT FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The device name in columns 40-46 <br> was assigned to more than one out- <br> put or non-table input file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated and the entire <br> specification line is ignored. This <br> condition may cause other errors <br> to be generated. |
| User Response: | Make the device name entry in col- <br> umns 40-46 unique for each output <br> or non-table input file (except those <br> assigned to disk and console). Re- |
|  | submit the job. |

RG053-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 47-53, ASSUME BLANKS.
\(\left.\begin{array}{ll}Code: \& W-Warning <br>
Specification Type: \& F <br>
Explanation: \& These columns are not used; they <br>

must be left blank.\end{array}\right]\)| Blanks are assumed and the job |
| :--- |
| System Action: |
| User Response: |
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|  |
|  |
|  |
| To avoid this message the next |
| time this job is run, leave columns |
| $47-53$ blank. |

RG055-ENTRIES IN COL 71-72 INVALID FOR TABLE FILE, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 71-72 must be left blank <br> for table files, since table files can- |
|  | not be conditioned by U1-U8. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed and the job <br> continues. |
| User Response; | To avoid this message the next <br> time the job is run, leave columns |
|  | $71-72$ blank for table files. |

RG057-INVALID FILE CONDITIONING ENTRIES IN COL 71-72

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |

Specification Type.
Explanation:
Columns 71-72 of your file description specification are not blank nor do they contain one of the external indicators ( $\mathrm{U} 1-\mathrm{U} 8$ ).
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Leave columns 71-72 blank or enter one of the external indicators (U1U8). Resubmit the job.

RG058-INVALID ENTRIES IN COLS 67, 70, AND/OR 73-74, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 67,70, and 73-74 are not <br> used; they must be left blank. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed and the job <br> continues. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when the job <br> is run again, leave columns 67, 70, <br> and 73-74 blank. |

## RG060-INVALID ENTRY IN COLUMN 48, ASSUME BLANK

Code: W-Warning

Specification Type: H
Explanation:
The shared I/O entry in column 48 is neither 1 nor blank.
System Action: Blank is assumed.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 48 and resubmit the job.

| RG061-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 7-10, ASSUME |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| BLANK |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Columns 7-10 are not used; they <br> must be left blank. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed and the job <br> continues. <br> To avoid this message when the job <br> is run again, leave columns 7-10 |
| User Response: | blank. |

RG062-INVALID OR UNDEFINED FROM FILENAME ENTRY IN COL 11-18
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } \\ \text { Specification Type: } \\ \text { Explanation: }\end{array} \begin{array}{l}\text { T-Terminal } \\ \text { E } \\ \text { The From Filename in columns } \\ \text { 11-18 of your extension specifica- } \\ \text { tions is invalid or has not been pre- } \\ \text { viously defined in file description } \\ \text { specifications. (The From File- } \\ \text { name must start in column 11.) }\end{array}\right\}$

## RG064-INVALID OR UNDEFINED TO FILENAME

 IN COL 19-26Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
E
The To Filename in columns 19-26 of your extension specifications is invalid or has not been defined in file description specifications. (The To Filename must start in column 19.)

The job is terminated.
Make the proper To Filename entry in columns 19-26. If columns 1926 already contain a valid entry, check to make sure the filename has been previously defined in your file description specifications. Resubmit the job.

RG065-TYPE OF FILE INVALID OR INCORRECT FOR TO FILENAME ENTRY IN COL 19-26

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: E
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
E

User Resp
The To Filename entry does not refer to an output file, or to a file processed by a record address file. The job is terminated. Be sure the entry in columns 19-26 refers to an output file or to a file processed by a record address file. Resubmit the job.

RG067-INVALID TABLE OR ARRAY NAME IN COL 27-32

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: E
Explanation:
The table or array name in columns 27-32 was not specified properly. A table or array name must start in column 27. A table name must begin with TAB; an array name must not begin with TAB.
System Action: User Response:

Make the proper table or array name entry in columns 27-32 and resubmit the job.

## RG068-INVALID OR MISSING NUMBER OF ENTRIES

 PER RECORD ENTRY IN COL 33-35, ASSUME 08
## Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: E
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

The entry in columns 33-35 is missing on a specification line which has a From Filename in columns 11-18, or it is not a one to three-digit number (1-999). 08 is assumed, but the job is terminated. Define the number of entries per record. To do so, make a numeric entry (1-999) in columns 33-35. Resubmit the job.

## RG070-INVALID OR MISSING NUMBER OF ENTRIES

 PER TABLE OR ARRAY IN COL 36-39, ASSUME 05| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | The entry in columns 36-39 is <br> missing or it is not a one to four- <br> digit number (1-9999). |
| System Action: | 05 is assumed, but the job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Define the maximum number of <br> entries per table or array. To do so, <br> make a numeric entry (1-9999) in <br> columns 36-39. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

RG071-NO. OF ENTRIES PER RECORD IN COL 33-35
EXCEEDS NO. OF ENTRIES PER TABLE/ARRAY IN
COLUMNS $36-39$
Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal <br> E

Number of entries per record specified is greater than the number of entries per table or array specified. The job is terminated. Make the proper entries in columns 33-35 and columns 36-39. The number of entries per record (columns 33-35) can be equal to or less than the number of entries per table or array (columns 36-39). Resubmit the job.

RG072-INVALID OR MISSING LENGTH OF ENTRY IN COL 40-42 OR 52-54, ASSUME 05

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Length of entry specified is missing <br> or is not a o one to three-digit num- <br> ber (1-15 for numeric entries; 1- |
| System Action: | 256 for alphabetic entries). <br> 05 is assumed, but the job is |
| User Response: | terminated. <br> Enter a one to three-digit number <br> in columns 40-42 or 52-54 to <br> define length of table or array <br> entries (1-15 or 1-256). Resubmit <br> the job. |

RG073-LENGTH SPECIFIED FOR EACH TABLE/ARRAY
RECORD IN COL 33-35 AND COL 40-42 OR 52-54 EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Table record length specified (length <br> of entry times number of entries <br> per record) is greater than the record <br> length you specified for the table |
| System Action: | file in file description specifications. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the necessary changes so that <br> the table record length does not <br> exceed the record length in file <br> description specifications. Resubmit <br> the job. |

RG074-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 43 OR 55, ASSUME BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: E
Explanation: The entry in column 43 or column 55 of your extension specifications is not $\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{B}$, or blank.
System Action: Blank is assumed.
User Response: Make the entry in column 43 or column 55 P , B, or blank. Resubmit the job.

## RG075-PACKED OR BINARY VALID ONLY FOR PREEXECUTION TIME TABLE OR ARRAY, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
E
Packed or binary format can only be specified (column 43 or column 55) for pre-execution time tables or arrays.
Blank is assumed.
To avoid this message the next time this job is run, leave column 43 and column 55 blank for compile time tables or arrays and for execution time arrays.

RG076-INVALID DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL 44 OR 56, ASSUME 0

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Decimal position entry in column <br> 44 or column 56 is not a number |
| System Action: | $0-9$ or blank. <br> Zero is assumed, but the job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper decimal position <br> entry (0-9, blank) in columns 44 <br> and 56. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

## RG077-INVALID SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 45 OR 57, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Sequence entry in column 45 or <br> column 57 is not A, D, or blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed, but the job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper sequence entry <br> (A, D, or blank) in column 45 or |
|  | 57 and resubmit the job. |

## RG079-INVALID ALTERNATE TABLE/ARRAY NAME

 IN COL 46-51
## Code:

Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal

E
The table or array name in columns 46-51 was not specified properly.
The table or array name must start in column 46; a table name must begin with TAB.
The job is terminated.
Enter the proper table or array name in columns $46-51$ and resubmit the job.

RG080-ALTERNATE TABLE/ARRAY NAME IN COL 46-51 AND/OR 27-32 MISSING FOR ENTRIES IN COLUMNS 33-45 AND/OR 52-57, ASSUME COL 33-57 AND/OR 46-57 BLANK
Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG082-LENGTH OF TABLE/ARRAY ENTRY IN COL 40-42 OR 52-54 FOR ALPHA FIELDS EXCEEDS 256. ASSUME 256 FOR NON-COMPILE TIME TABLE/ARRAY, OTHERWISE ASSUME 96

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Length of table or array entry specified in columns 40-42 or 52-54 is too large. |
| System Action: | 256 is assumed for non-compile time tables or arrays; 96 is assumed for compile time tables or arrays. The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter 256 or less for the length of table or array entry specifications in columns 40-42 or 52-54. |
| RG083-LENGTH OF TABLE/ARRAY ENTRY IN COL 40-42 OR 52-54 FOR NUMERIC FIELD EXCEEDS 15, ASSUME 15 |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Length of numeric table or array entry specified in columns 40-42 or 52-54 is too large. |
| System Action: | 15 is assumed, but the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter 15 or less for the length of a numeric table or array entry in columns 40-42 and/or 52-54. |

T-Terminal
E
Columns 52-57 contain entries describing an alternating table or array, but no alternating table or array name was specified in columns 46-51 or no table or array name was specified in columns 27-32. The job is terminated. Make a valid table or array name entry in columns 27-32 and in columns $46-51$ if an alternating table or array is described. Resubmit the job. specified 52-54 is too large. is for compile time tables or arrays. The job is terminated. table or array entry specifications in columns 40-42 or 52-54.

## RG083-LENGTH OF TABLE/ARRAY ENTRY IN COL 40-42 OR 52-54 FOR NUMERIC FIELD EXCEEDS 15,

Specification Type: E entry specified in columns 40-42 or $52-54$ is too large. terminated. columns 40-42 and/or 52-54.
RG084-FILE AND RECORD TYPE ENTRIES IN COL
7-42 AND FIELD TYPE ENTRIES IN COL 43-74 ON
SAME LINE, ASSUME 7-42 BLANK

RG085-INVALID, MISSING OR UNDEFINED FILE NAME
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\ \text { Specification Type: } & \text { L, I, C }\end{array}$
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response: Make the proper filename entry.
Also be sure that the filename has been previously defined in file description specifications. Resubmit the job.

## RG086-FILENAME IN COL 7-14 DOES NOT REFER TO PRINTER FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | L |

Explanation:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
Filename in your line counter specifications does not refer to a printer file.
The job is terminated.
Place the proper filename entry in columns 7-14. The filename specified must refer to a printer file. Resubmit the job.

## RG087-FORM LENGTH ENTRY IN COL 15-17 İNVALID

 OR GREATER THAN 112Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: L
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG088-INVALID OR MISSING FL ENTRY IN COL 18-19, ASSUME FL

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | L |

Explanation: Columns 18-19 were left blank or the entry specified is not FL.
System Action: FL is assumed.
User Response: $\quad$ To avoid this message when this job is run again, enter FL in columns 18-19.

RG089-OVERFLOW LINE ENTRY IN COL 20-22
INVALID OR GREATER THAN 112
Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: $\quad$ The job is terminated.
User Response: Columns 20-22 must be a number from 1-112.

RG090-INVALID OR MISSING OL ENTRY IN COL 23-24, ASSUME OL

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: L
Explanation: $\quad$ Columns 23-24 were left blank or the entry specified is not OL.
System Action:
User Response:

OL is assumed.
To avoid the message when this job is run again, enter OL in columns 23-24.

RG091-OVERFLOW LINE IN COL 20-22 EXCEEDS
FORM LENGTH IN COL 15-17, ASSUME FORM LENGTH

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | L |
| Explanation: |  |
| System Action: | Overflow line specified is too large. <br> Form length is assumed, but the <br> job is terminated. <br> Make the overflow line entry (col- <br> umns 20-22) equal to or less than <br> the form length entry (columns <br> 15-17). |
| User Response: |  |

RG093-FILE AND RECORD TYPE ENTRIES IN COL 7-42 AND FIELD TYPE ENTRIES IN COL 43-74 ON SAME LINE, ASSUME 43-74 BLANK

## Code: T-Terminal <br> Specification Type: <br> I

 Explanation:System Action:

User Response:

Field description entries (columns 43-74) are not specified one line lower than file and record identification entries (columns 7-42).
Field type entries (columns 43-74) are assumed to be blank and the job is terminated.
Specify the field type entries (columns 43-74) one line lower than the file and record type entries (columns 7-42). Resubmit the job.

## RG094-FILE AND RECORD TYPE DESCRIPTION MUST PRECEDE THIS SPECIFICATION

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | File and record type entries in col- |
|  | umns 7-42 do not precede the re- |
|  | lated field description entries in |
| columns 43-74. |  |

RG095-AND OR OR LINE OUT OF ORDER
Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I, C
Explanation:

RG096-AND LINE FOLLOWS LINE WITH NO RECORD IDENTIFICATION CODES

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

I
The specification line which precedes your AND line does not contain record identification codes. The job is terminated. Make the proper record identification entries in the line preceding the AND line. Resubmit the job.

RG097-NO FIELDS DESCRIBED FOR THIS OR PREVIOUS RECORD

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | No field description entries were <br> specified for this or the previous <br> record. |
| System Action: | No action is taken. |
| User Response: | Make sure that all fields to be used <br> from input records are described. |

RG098-INVALID SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 15-16, ASSUME ALPHABETIC SEQUENCE ENTRY

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The sequence entry in columns <br> 15-16 is neither a two-digit numbe <br> nor a two-character alphabetic <br> entry. |
| System Action: | A two-character alphabetic entry is <br> assumed. <br> If this assumption was wrong, mak <br> the proper sequence entry and re- <br> submit the job. |
| User Response: |  |
| RG101-NUMERIC SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 15-16 |  |

Code:
Specification Typ
Explanation:

System Action:

User Response:

W-Warning
I
Either the first numeric sequence entry is not 01 or your numeric sequence entries are not in ascending order.
If this is the first numeric sequence entry, 01 is assumed; otherwise, the numeric sequence entry from the previous specification line is assumed. If this assumption was wrong, specify the numeric sequence entries in columns 15-16 in ascending order starting with 01 , and resubmit the job.

RG102-INVALID NUMBER ENTRY IN COL 17 FOR NUMERIC SEQUENCE, ASSUME N
Code:
W-Warning
Specification Type:
I

Explanation:
System Action:
The number entry in column 17 is neither 1 nor N .
N is assumed.
If this assumption was wrong, make the proper number entry in column 17 and resubmit the job.

RG103-INVALID OPTION ENTRY IN COL 18 FOR NUMERIC SEQUENCE, ASSUME O

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The option entry is neither O nor <br> blank. |
| System Action: | O is assumed. <br> User Response: |
| If this assumption was wrong, leave <br> column 18 blank and resubmit the <br> job. |  |

## RG104-NUMBER/OPTION ENTRIES IN COL 17 AND 18 INVALID WITH ALPHAMERIC SEQUENCE ENTRIES

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Columns 17 and 18 must be blank <br> when columns $15-16$ contain an <br> alphabetic sequence entry. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
| Make columns 17 and 18 blank <br> when columns 15-16 contain an <br> alphabetic entry. Resubmit the <br> job. |  |

RG105-NUMBER/OPTION ENTRIES IN COL 17 AND 18 INVALID FOR AND OR OR LINE, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

W-Warning I
Columns 17 and 18 must be blank in an AND or OR line. Blanks are assumed. To avoid the message when this job is run again, leave columns 17 and 18 of an $A N D$ or OR line blank.

RG106-INVALID POSITION ENTRY FOR RECORD ID CODES IN COL 21-24, 28-31, OR 35-38, OR TO POSITION COL 48-51, ASSUME 1

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The position entry for record ID codes or the To position for a field exceeds the record length. |
| System Action: | One is assumed; the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper position entry for record ID codes or To position for a field and resubmit the job. |
| RG107-INVALID NOT ENTRY IN COL 25, 32, OR 39, ASSUME N |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 25,32 , or 39 is not N or blank. |
| System Action: | N is assumed. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, leave column 25,32 , or 39 blank and resubmit the job. |

RG108-INVALID C/Z/D ENTRY IN COL 26, 33, OR 40, ASSUME C

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: I
Explanation: The entry in column 26,33 , or 40 is not $\mathrm{C}, \mathrm{Z}$, or D .
System Action: $\quad \mathrm{C}$ is assumed.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 26,33 , or 40 and resubmit the job.

RG109-INVALID STACKER SELECT ENTRY IN COL 42 OR NOT ALLOWED WITH DEVICE

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Column 42 must be left blank, or <br> contain a number from 1-4. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next time <br> this job is run, leave column 42 <br> blank or enter a number from 1-4. |

RG110-STACKER SELECT ENTRY IN COL 42 INVALID WITH AN AND LINE; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 42 is not blank or 1-4. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | If the assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 42 and resubmit the job. |
| RG111-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 43, ASSUME BLANK |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | , |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 43 is not $P$, B , or blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | If the assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 43 and resubmit the job. |
| RG112-INVALID OR BLANK FROM OR TO ENTRY IN COL 44-51, ASSUME 1 FOR BOTH ENTRIES |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Columns 44-47 and/or 48-51 do not contain an entry from 1 to 4096. |
| System Action: | 1 is assumed for columns 44-47 or columns $48-51$, or for both; but the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper From or To entry in columns 44-47 and/or 48-51 and resubmit the job. |

RG113-FROM ENTRY IN COL 44-47 EXCEEDS TO ENTRY IN COL 48-51, ASSUME TO ENTRY EQUAL TO FROM ENTRY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | From entry specified in columns <br> 44-47 is larger than the To entry <br> specified in columns 48-51. |
| System Action: | To entry is assumed to be equal <br> to the From entry, but the job is |
|  | terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the From entry (columns <br> 44-47) equal to or less than the To <br> entry (columns 48-51). Resubmit |
|  | the job. |

RG114-LENGTH OF NUMERIC FIELD IN COL 44-51 EXCEEDS 15, ASSUME 15

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Length specified in columns 44-51 <br> for numeric field is too large. |
| System Action: | Length of 15 is assumed, but the <br> job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the length (columns 44-51) <br> 15 or less. Resubmit the job. |
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RG115-ALPHAMERIC FIELD SPECIFIED AS PACKED OR BINARY, ASSUME NUMERIC FIELD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Column 43 must be blank for alpha- <br> meric fields. |
| System Action: | The field is assumed to be numeric, <br> but the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Leave column 43 blank for alpha- <br> meric fields or make an entry (0-9) <br> in column 52 for numeric fields, |
|  | and resubmit the job. |

RG116-INVALID DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL 52; ASSUME 0
\(\left.\begin{array}{ll}Code: \& T-Terminal <br>
Specification Type: \& I <br>
Explanation: \& Decimal position entry in column <br>

\& 52 is not 0-9 or blank.\end{array}\right]\)| Zero is assumed, but the job is |
| :--- |
| System Action: |
| User Response: |
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|  |
| Make the proper decimal position |
| entry in column 52 and resubmit |
| the job. |

RG117-DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL 52
INVALID FOR ARRAY; ASSUME BLANK

## Code:

W-Warning
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

I
No decimal position entry can be specified in column 52 for an array. Blank is assumed.
Leave column 52 blank for an array. Decimal positions for arrays must be specified in your extension specifi cations. Resubmit the job.

RG118 FIELD NAME IN COL 53-58 MISSING OR INVALID

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The field name entry in columns |
|  | 53-58 is missing or is not specified <br> properly. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make a valid field name entry <br> starting in column 53. Resubmit <br> the job. |
|  |  |

RG119-INVALID CONTROL LEVEL INDICATOR IN COL 59-60; ASSUME BLANK

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:
I terminated.

The control level entry in columns $59-60$ is neither L1-L9 nor blank. Blank is assumed, but the job is Make the proper control level entry in columns 59-60 and resubmit the job.

RG120-INVALID MATCHING FIELD ENTRY IN COL 61-62; ASSUME M1
Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: I
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:
The matching field entry in columns 61-62 is not M1-M9 or blank. M1 is assumed, but the job is terminated. Make the proper matching fields entry in columns 61-62 and resubmit the job.

RG121-FROM FILE CANNOT HAVE AN E IN COL 17 OF FILE DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATION WHEN TO FILE IS A DEMAND FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | End of file, E in column 17 of the <br> file description specifications, can- <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> not be used for a record address <br> file which is used to process a <br> demand file. |
| System Action: | Job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
|  | Leave column 17 blank and re- <br> submit the job. |

RG 122-FIELD WAS PREVIOUSLY DEFINED WITH
DIFFERENT LENGTH OR DECIMAL POSITIONS,
ASSUME FIRST DEFINITION-OR FIELD IS NOW
DEFINED AS A LOOK AHEAD FIELD

## RG123-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 7-8

Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: C

| Explanation: | The control level entry in columns <br> $7-8$ is not AN, OR, L0-L9, LR, SR, |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | or blank. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper control level entry <br> in columns 7-8 and resubmit the job. |

RG124-INVALID NOT ENTRY IN COL 9, 12, OR 15; ASSUME N

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 9, 12, or 15 is <br> not N or blank. |
| System Action: | N is assumed. <br> If this assumption was wrong, leave <br> Column 9, 12, or 15 blank and re- |
|  | colense <br> submit the job. |

RG125-INVALID FIELD NAME OR CONSTANT FOR FACTOR 1 IN COL 18-27

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The field name or constant in col- <br> umns 18-27 is not specified properly. |
|  | Both must begin in column 18. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper field name or <br> constant entry in columns 18-27. |
|  | Resubmit the job. |

Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
umns $18-27$ is not specified properly. Both must begin in column 18 . The job is terminated. Make the proper field name or Resubmit the job.

RG126-LENGTH OF TABLE/ARRAY EXCEEDS MAXIMUM CORE STORAGE

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

E
The number of entries per table or array (columns 36-39) multiplied by the length of entry (columns 40-42) exceeds maximum storage. Job is terminated.
Reduce the number of entries or the length of the entries.

RG127-ENTRY IN COL 49-51 INVALID WITH NO RESULT FIELD, ASSUME 49-51 BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: C
Explanation:
This calculation specification contains a field length entry (columns 49-51) but no result field entry (columns 43-48).
System Action: Blank in columns 49-51 is assumed.
User Response: If a result field is being described, place the proper entry in columns 43-48 and resubmit the job.

RG128-INVALID OPERATION CODE ENTRY IN COL 28-32

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:
Operation code is not specified properly.
System Action:
User Response:
The job is terminated.
Enter the proper RPG II operation code in columns 28-32, and resubmit the job.

## RG129-FACTOR 2 FIELD NAME IN COL 33-42 EXCEEDS SIX CHARACTERS

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

The field name or label specified in Factor 2 is too large.
The job is terminated.
Make the field name or label in Factor 2 (columns 33-42) six characters or less. Resubmit the job.

RG130-TO FILE MUST BE A LIMITS FILE IF FROM FILE IS A RECORD ADDRESS FILE, OR TO FILE MUST BE A RANDOM ACCESS FILE IF FROM FILE IS AN ADDROUT FILE
Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal

E
The file types specified on the Extension specification are not used properly. Job is terminated.
Make To file a limits file if From
file is a record address file, or make To file a random access file if From file is an ADDROUT file. Resubmit the job.

RG131-FACTOR 2 IN COL 33-42 INVALID

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The field name or constant in col- |
|  | umns 33-42 is not specified proper- <br> ly. Entry must start in column 33. <br> System Action: |
| The job is terminated. |  |
| User Response: | Make the proper field name or <br> constant entry in columns 33-42. <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> Resubmit the job. |

RG132-FACTOR 2 MUST BE A FILENAME

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | For this operation the entry in |
| Factor 2 must be a filename. |  |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper filename entry in <br> Factor 2 (columns 33-42) for this <br> operation. Resubmit the job. |
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RG133-NUMERIC FIELD LENGTH EXCEEDS 15; ASSUME 15

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Length specified in columns 49-51 <br> for numeric field is too large. |
| System Action: | Length of 15 is assumed, but the <br> job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the length (columns 49-51) <br> 15 or iess. Resubmit the job. |
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RG134-ALPHAMERIC FIELD LENGTH EXCEEDS 256; ASSUME 256

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Length specified in columns 49-51 <br> for an alphameric field is too large. |
| System Action: | Length of 256 is assumed, but the <br> job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the length (columns 49-51) <br> 256 or less. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

## RG135-INVALID RESULT FIELD ENTRY IN COL 43-53

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |

Explanation: Th

System Action:
User Response: Make the proper result field entries, and resubmit the job.

RG137-INVALID RESULT FIELD LENGTH IN COL 49-51; ASSUME 15 FOR NUMERIC OR 256 FOR ALPHAMERIC FIELD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The field length entry in columns |
| System Action: | 49-51 is not specified properly. <br> 15 is assumed for numeric fields; <br> 256 is assumed for alphameric |
|  | fields. The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter 15 or less in columns 49-51 <br> for numeric fields, 256 or less for <br> alphameric fields. Resubmit the <br> job. |
|  |  |

$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\text { RG138-DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL } 52 \\ \text { INVALID WITH NO FIELD LENGTH ENTRY IN COL } \\ \text { 49-51; ASSUME BLANK }\end{array}\right] \begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\ \text { Specification Type: } & \text { C } \\ \text { Explanation: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Column } 52 \text { must be blank when } \\ \text { columns 49-51 are blank. }\end{array} \\ \text { System Action: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Blank in column } 52 \text { is assumed, but } \\ \text { the job is terminated. }\end{array} \\ \text { User Response: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Leave column } 52 \text { (decimal position) } \\ \text { blank when columns 49-51 (field } \\ \text { length) are blank. Resubmit the } \\ \text { job. }\end{array}\end{array}$

RG139-INVALID DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL 52; ASSUME 0

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The decimal position entry is not a number from 0 to 9 or blank. |
| System Action: | Zero is assumed, but the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper decimal position entry ( $0-9$ or blank) in column 52 and resubmit the job. |
| RG140-INVALID HALF ADJUST ENTRY IN COL 53; ASSUME H |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The half adjust entry in column 53 is neither H nor blank. |
| System Action: | H is assumed. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, leave column 53 blank and resubmit the job. |
| RG141-DEBUG CALCULATION OPERATION USED, BUT DEBUG OPTION NOT SPECIFIED IN THE CONTROL CARD |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The DEBUG operation code was used in your calculation specifications, but you had not specified the DEBUG option (1 in column 15 ) in your control card specifications. |
| System Action: | DEBUG operations are not executed. |
| User Response: | Specify the DEBUG option (1 in column 15) in your control card specifications if you have DEBUG statements to be executed, and resubmit the job. |

RG142-FILE AND RECORD IDENTIFICATION ENTRIES IN COL 7-31 AND FIELD DESCRIPTION ENTRIES IN COL 32-74 ON SAME LINE

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation: Your field description entries in columns 23-74 are not specified one line lower than the file and record identification entries in columns 7-31.
System Action: Blanks are assumed for columns 7-31 and the job is terminated.
User Response:

RG143-INVALID LINE TYPE ENTRY IN COL 15

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## RG144-AND OR OR LINE NOT PRECEDED BY RECORD IDENTIFICATION

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
0
An AND or OR line is not preceded by record identification entries in columns 15-31. The job is terminated. Make sure that record identification entries in columns $15-31$ precede any AND or OR lines. Resubmit the job.

RG145-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 17-22 FOR AND LINE, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Columns 17-22 of an AND line <br> contain space/skip entries; they <br> should be blank. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed. <br> To avoid this message when the jo <br> is run again, remove all space/skip <br> entries (columns 17-22) from an |
| User Response: | AND line. | MISSING ON FIRST OUTPUT SPECIFICATION


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Either columns 7-14 contain an in- <br> valid filename or no line type entry <br> was specified in column 15 of the |
| System Action: | specification line. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Check to make sure the proper <br> filename entry is made in columns |
| 7-14 and that the proper line type <br> entry is made in column 15. Re- <br> submit the job. |  |

RG147-INVALID NOT ENTRY IN COL 23, 26, OR 29; ASSUME N

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |

Explanation:

|  | is neither N nor blank. |
| :--- | :--- |
| System Action: | N is assumed. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make |
|  | the proper entry in column 23, 26, |
|  | or 29 and resubmit the job. |

## RG148-INVALID FIELD NAME IN COL 32-37

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The field name entry in columns |
|  | 32-37 is not specified properly or <br> was not defined previously in input |
|  | or calculation specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Mser Response: <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> starting in column 32 and resubmit <br> the job. |

RG149-INVALID OR MISSING CONSTANT
Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: O
Explanation:
Svstem Action:
User Response:

The constant in columns 45-70 is not specified properly.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper entry in columns 45-70 and resubmit the job.

RG150-INVALID BLANK AFTER ENTRY IN COL 39; ASSUME BLANK
Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: O
Explanation:
The blank after entry in column 39 is neither B nor blank.
System Action: Blank is assumed, but the job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper entry in column 39 and resubmit the job.

RG151-MISSING OR INCORRECTLY SPECIFIED END POSITION IN COL 40-43; ASSUME END POSITION 1

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: O
Explanation: The end positions entry in columns $40-43$ is either missing or is not specified properly.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper numeric entry in columns 40-43; the entry must end in column 43. Resubmit the job.

RG152-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 44; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 44 is not $P$, |
| System Action: | B, or blank. |
| Blank is assumed. |  |
|  | If the assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in column 44 and <br> resubmit the job. |

RG153-END POSITION IN COL 40-43 INVALID FOR *PRINT; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | End position may not be specified for *PRINT. |
| System Action: | No action taken. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next time the job is run, remove the end position (columns 40-43) for the *PRINT. |
| RG154-ENTRIES IN COL 7-22 INVALID FOR A FIELD |  |
| DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATION, ASSUME BLANK |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | The file and record identification entries in columns $7-22$ are not specified one line above the first related field description entries. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Place your file and record identification entries (columns 7-22) one line above the field description entries (columns 32-74). Resubmit the job. |

RG155-INVALID STERLING SIGN POSITION ENTRY IN COL 71-74; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I or O |
| Explanation: | Columns 71.74 must contain an S <br> or a valid record position. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed and job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the entry in columns 71.74 <br> and resubmit the job. |

RG158-TABLE NAME INVALID FOR A FIELD NAME
ENTRY IN COL 53-58

## Code:

Specification Type:
T-Terminal

Explanation:
The field name entry in columns 53-58 refers to a table.
System Action:
User Response:

The job is terminated.
Place the proper field name entry in columns 53-58; the entry must not be a table name. Resubmit the job.

RG159-MISSING RECORD IDENTIFYING INDICATOR IN COL 19-20

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG160-FILE NAMED IN COL 7-14 NOT SPECIFIED AS AN INPUT, COMBINED, UPDATE-PRIMARY, SECONDARY, DEMAND, OR CHAINED FILE

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG161-AND OR OR LINE INVALID WITH LOOK AHEAD RECORDS OR RLABL

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I, C
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

> W-Warning
> I
> No record identifying indicator is specified in columns 19-20.
> No action taken.
> Check your input specifications to determine whether or not a record identifying indicator should be entered in columns 19-20. If so, make the proper entry and resubmit the job.

I
The file named in columns 7-14 was not previously defined in file description specifications as an input, combined, or update file with a designation of primary, secondary, demand, or chained. The job is terminated.
Make sure the file named in columns $7-14$ is properly defined in file description specifications. Resubmit the job.

An AND or OR line was used with look ahead fields or RLABL. The job is terminated.
Make sure that AND or OR lines are not specified for look ahead fields (** in columns 19-20) or for RLABL. Resubmit the job.

RG162-RECORD IDENTIFYING INDICATOR IN COL 19-20 INVALID FOR AN AND LINE

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | A record identifying indicator is in columns 19-20 of an AND line. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message next time this job is run, leave columns 19-20 of the AND line blank. |
| RG163-ENTRIES IN COL 17-18 AND 21-42 INVALID FOR LOOK AHEAD RECORD ENTRIES IN 59-74 INVALID FOR LOOK AHEAD FIELD |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Columns 17-18 and 21-42 must be blank for look ahead records, columns 59-74 must be blank for look ahead fields. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Leave columns 17-18 and 21-42 blank for look ahead records; leave columns 59-74 blank for look ahead fields. Resubmit the job. |
| RG164-STACKER SELECT ENTRY IN COL 42 |  |
| INVALID FOR DEVICE SPECIFIED; ASSUME BLANK |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Column 42 must be blank for a printer, console, disk, or SPECIAL file. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | Remove the entry from column 42. |
| RG166-PLUS OR MINUS INDICATOR IN COL 65-68 |  |
| INVALID FOR ALPHAMERIC FIELD |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | A Plus or Minus indicator in columns 65-68 cannot be used to test an alphameric field. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed; the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Use Plus or Minus indicators only to test numeric fields. An alphameric field can only be tested for a blank condition (entry in columns 69-70). Resubmit the job. |

## RG167-RECORD ID POSITION 21-38 OR TO ENTRY IN COL 48-51 EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH, ASSUME RECORD LENGTH

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Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action: Record length is assumed; the job
is terminated.
User Response: Make the field location entries
(columns 21-38 and 48-51) equal
to or less than the record length
specified on file description speci-
fications. Resubmit the job.
```


## RG168-FIELD NAME IN COL 53-58 IS A RESERVED WORD OTHER THAN PAGE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |

Specification Type: I
Explanation: The field name entry in columns $53-58$ is a reserved word other than PAGE.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper field name entry in columns 53-58 (PAGE is the only RPG II reserved word that can be entered in these columns). Resubmit the job.

RG169-CONTROL OR MATCHING FIELDS INVALID FOR ARRAY OR TRAILER RECORD

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make sure no control or matching fields are specified for array or trailer records. Resubmit the job.

RG170-MATCHING OR CONTROL FIELDS INVALID WITH DEMAND OR CHAIN FILES

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Matching or control fields cannot <br> be specified for demand or chain |
|  | files. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make sure that matching or control <br> fields are not specified for demand <br> or chain files. Resubmit the job. |

RG171-LOOK AHEAD RECORDS INVALID WITH DEMAND FILES, CHAIN FILES, FILES CONTAINING SPREAD CARDS, OR WITH THIS DEVICE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Look ahead records cannot be <br> specified for demand files, or <br> chained files, files containing spread |
| cards or with this device. |  |

## RG172-INCORRECT SEQUENCE OF INPUT SPECIFICATIONS

## Code:

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal <br> I

All records from one input, update, or combined files are not specified consecutively.
The job is terminated. Specify all records from one input, update, or combined file consecutively before starting to describe records from a different file.

## RG173-NO FIELDS SPECIFIED FOR LOOK AHEAD RECORD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | A look ahead record is specified <br> (** in columns 19-20), but no look <br> ahead fields are defined (columns |
|  | 53-58). |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
|  | Make the proper look ahead field <br> specifications in columns 53-58 <br> for a look ahead record. Resubmit |
|  | the job. |

## RG175-STERLING ENTRY IN COL 71-74, BUT OMITTED FROM HEADER CARD

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I
Explanation:
Sterling specified here, but header card (columns 17-20) does not indicate sterling to be used.
System Action: Blank is assumed and job is terminated.
User Response: If this assumption is not correct, modify the header card and resubmit the job.

## RG176-SIGN POSITION ENTERED IN COL 71-74 EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH

Code: T

Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T

Number entered in columns 71-74 must not exceed the record length. Job is terminated. Correct the entry in columns 71-74 and resubmit the job.

RG177-DECIMAL POSITION ENTRY IN COL 52
BLANK OR GREATER THAN 3 FOR STERLING FIELD

Code: T
Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

Column 52 must be $0-3$ for a sterling field. Job is terminated. Make a proper entry in column 52 and resubmit the job.

RG178--STERLING OR BINARY INVALID WITH CONTROL OR MATCHING FIELDS
Code:
Specification Typ
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
I
Binary or sterling fields have been used as control or matching fields. The job is terminated.
Do not specify a binary or sterling field as a control or matching field.

RG179-SIGN POSITION ENTRY, OTHER THAN STANDARD, IN COL 71-74 INVALID FOR STERLING ARRAYS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The sign of sterling array elements |
|  | must be in the standard position. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the sign position entry and <br> resubmit the job. |

## RG180-ARRAY LENGTH EXCEEDS LENGTH <br> SPECIFIED IN COL 36-42 IN EXTENSION SPECIFICATIONS OR NOT A MULTIPLE OF THE ENTRY LENGTH IN COL 40-42 IN EXTENSION SPECIFICATIONS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The array length either exceeds the <br> length specified in columns 36-42 <br> of your extension specifications, or |
|  | is not a multiple of the length entry <br> in columns 40-42 of the extension <br> specification, or both. |
|  | The job is terminated. |
| System Action: | Make the array length equal to or <br> less than the length specified in <br> columns 36-42 of extension speci- <br> fications. The length must also be |
|  | a multiple of the length of an array <br> element (columns 40-42 of exten- <br> sion specifications). Resubmit the |
|  | job. |

RG184-ALL of the Valid match levels were NOT REFERENCED IN LAST RECORD GROUP

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The same number of match levels <br> are not specified to all record types <br> in a file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Make sure that all record types in a <br> file either have no match levels or <br> have the same number of match <br> levels specified. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |
| RG186-MATCH OR CONTROL FIELDS WITHOUT |  |


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | All match or control fields without <br> field record relation entries (columns <br> 63-64) do not precede those fields <br> that do have field record relation <br> entries. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Place all match or control fields <br> without field record relation entries <br> before those match or control fields |
| with field record relation entries. |  |
| Resubmit the job. |  |

## RG187-MATCH AND CONTROL FIELDS WITH FIELD RECORD RELATION ENTRIES MUST BE GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE FIELD RECORD RELATION INDICATOR. ASSUME NEW GROUP OF MATCH FIELDS

## Code:

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:

User Response:

T-Terminal
I
When field record relation is used, all match and control fields assigned the same indicator (columns 63-64) must be grouped together.
A new group is assumed, but the job is terminated.
Group all match and control fields with the same field record relation indicator together. Resubmit the job.

## RGiôô-FIELD RECORD RELATIUÑ İNDICATOK USED IMPROPERLY WITH MATCH OR CONTROL FIELDS

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## RG189-INVALID SEQUENCE FOR CALCULATION SPECIFICATIONS OR SR NOT SPECIFIED IN COLUMNS 7-8 WITH BEGSR OR ENDSR

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## RG190-INVALID SEQUENCE FOR BEGSR AND ENDSR OPERATION CODES

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Àction:
User Response:

## RG191-A SUBROUTINE MUST NOT CALL ITSELF

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

C

T-Terminal
Calculation specifications are not specified in this order: detail, total, and subroutines. The job is terminated.
Place calculation specifications in this order: detail, total, and subroutines. Resubmit the job.

BEGSR operation code does not precede ENDSR operation code. The job is terminated. Place the BEGSR specification before the ENDSR specification in a subroutine. Resubmit the job.

An EXSR specification within a subroutine must not call the subroutine it is in.
The job is terminated. If you wish to branch to another point within the same subroutine use a GOTO and TAG operation. Resubmit the job.

## RG192-BRANCHING BETWEEN SUBROUTINE AND

 OTHER CALCULATIONS INVALID| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Branching (GOTO and TAG) can <br> only occur within a subroutine. <br> You cannot branch into a subroutine <br> or out of a subroutine. |
|  | The job is terminated. <br> System Action: <br> Usen using subroutines, make sure <br> branching between a subroutine and <br> other calculations is not specified. |
|  | Make the necessary changes and <br> resubmit the job. |
|  |  |
| RG193-BRANCHING BETWEEN DETAIL, TOTAL |  |

## RG195-LENGTH OF SEARCH WORD NOT EQUAL TO LENGTH OF ELEMENT IN TABLE OR ARRAY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Length of search word (Factor 1) <br> is not equal to length of element in <br> table or array being searched. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the length of the search word <br> (Factor 1) equal to the length of |
|  | the element in the table or array <br> being searched. Resubmit the job. |

## RG196-FACTOR 2 OR RESULT FIELD INVALID FOR LOKUP OPERATION

Code:

T-Terminal

Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:
C
Either Factor 2 or Result Field is invalid for this LOKUP operation.
The job is terminated. Specify LOKUP operation with table or array name in Factor 2 or in Result Field. Resubmit the job.

## RG197-SEARCH TABLE HAS MORE ENTRIES THAN ITS RELATED TABLE

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: ..... C
Explanation:

The search table (Factor 2) con-

System Action:
User Response:
tains more entries than its related table.
No action taken.
To avoid this message the next time this job is run, make the number of entries in the table being searched (Factor 2) equal or less than the number of entries in the related table (result field).

RG198-INDICATOR ENTERED IN COL 54-57 INVALID WITH LOKUP ON AN UNSEQUENCED TABLE

| Code: | T-Terminal <br> SSecification Type: <br> C |
| :--- | :--- |
| You must not specify a search for |  | FOR LOKUP OPERATION


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | You must not specify a search for <br> both high and low in the same |
| System Action: | LOKUP operation. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify the LOKUP for either high <br> or low, but not both. Resubmit <br> the job. |

RG200-RESULTING INDICATORS IN COL 54-59 REQUIRED OR NOT ALLOWED FOR OPERATION SPECIFIED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |

Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal

The resulting indicator entry in columns $54-59$ is not specified properly.
The job is terminated.
Check to determine whether resulting indicators are required for this operation. If so, make the proper entries (01-09, H1-H9, L1-L9, LR, OA-OG, OV, or KA-KN, KP, KQ), resubmit the job.

RG201-HALF ADJUST ENTRY IN COL 53 FOR DIVISION OPERATION FOLLOWED BY A MVR OPERATION: ASSUME NO HALF ADJUST

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | When an MVR operation follows a |
|  | DIV operation, the DIV operation <br> must not be half adjusted. |
| System Action: | No half adjusting is done. <br> User Response: |
|  | To avoid this message the next <br> time this job is run, leave column |
|  | 53 (Half Adjust) blank. |

## RG202-MVR OPERATION CODE DOES NOT FOLLOW DIV OPERATION

## Code: <br> T-Terminal <br> Specification Type: <br> C

Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG204-HALF ADJUST ENTRY IN COL 53 INVALID FOR OPERATION OR NUMBER OF DECIMAL POSITIONS SPECIFIED; ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
The MVR operation must immediately follow a DIV operation. The job is terminated. Place an MVR operation immediately after a DIV operation or remove the MVR operation and resubmit the job.

C
Half adjusting (H in column 53) cannot be done for this operation or half adjusting is invalid for the number of decimal positions specified.
Column 53 is assumed to be blank; therefore no half adjusting is done. To avoid this message the next time the job is run, leave column 53 blank for this operation.

RG205-COMP, TESTZ, OR MVR INVALID FOR AN ARRAY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | COMP, TESTZ, and MVR must not <br> be specified for an array. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Delete any COMP, TESTZ and <br> MVR operations specified for an <br> array. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

RG206-INVALID USE OF COMP OR LOKUP

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | COMP or LOKUP operation speci- <br> fied improperly. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
|  | Make sure that Factor 1 and Factor <br> 2 of a COMP operation are both <br> alphameric or both numeric. Make <br> sure the search word and the table <br> or array to be searched are both <br> alphameric or both numeric. Re- <br> submit the job. |

RG207-FIELD TYPE, ALPHAMERIC OR NUMERIC, INVALID FOR OPERATION SPECIFIED

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
This operation requires a different field type (alphameric or numeric).
The job is terminated.
Make the proper field type entry (alphameric or numeric) and resubmit the job.

RG208-FORCE OPERATION INVALID AT TOTAL TIME

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

C
FORCE operation must be specified at detail time only.
The job is terminated.
Specify the FORCE operation at detail time and resubmit the job.

RG209-FILE TYPE INVALID FOR USE WITH THIS OPERATION CODE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG211-DEBUG SPECIFIED FOR MORE THAN ONE OUTPUT FILE

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Place the same filename in Factor 2 for all DEBUG operations and resubmit the job.

## RG212-EXCPT OPERATION CODE SPECIFIED BUT NO EXCPT OUTPUT RECORDS SPECIFIED

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
C
The EXCPT operation code is used but no EXCPT records are specified ( E in column 15 of the output specifications). No action taken. To avoid this message, either delete the EXCPT operation code or specify the proper exception records in output specifications.

## RG213-EXSR DOES NOT REFERENCE A BEGSR NAME

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | The label in Factor 2 of an EXSR operation is not the same as the label in Factor 1 of a BEGSR operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the label in Factor 2 of the EXSR operation the same as the label in Factor 1 of a BEGSR operation. Resubmit the job. |
| RG214-GOTO BRANCHES TO A BEGSR NAME |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The label in Factor 2 of a GOTO operation must be the same as the label in Factor 1 of a TAG operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the label in Factor 2 of a GOTO operation the same as the label in Factor 1 of a TAG operation. Resubmit the job. |
| RG215-FACTOR 1 ENTRY IN COL 18-27 MISSING |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | No entry specified in Factor 1 for this operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper entry in Factor 1 and resubmit the job. |
| RG216-FACTOR 1 ENTRY IN COL 18-27 INVALID FOR THIS OPERATION |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | An entry must not be specified in Factor 1 for this operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make Factor 1 blank for this operation and resubmit the job. |

RG215-FACTOR 1 ENTRY IN COL 18-27 MISSING

RG216-FACTOR 1 ENTRY IN COL 18-27 INVALID FOR THIS OPERATION

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal

An entry must not be specified in Factor 1 for this operation. The job is terminated. tion and resubmit the job.

RG217-FACTOR 2 ENTRY IN COL 33-42 MISSING

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |

Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
No entry specified in Factor 2 for this operation.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper entry in Factor 2 and resubmit the job.

## RG218-FACTOR 2 ENTRY IN COL 33-42 INVALID FOR THIS OPERATION

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation: An entry must not be specified in Factor 2 for this operation.
System Action:
User Response: Make Factor 2 blank for this operation, and resubmit the job.

RG219-RESULT FIELD ENTRY IN COL 43-48
MISSING

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation: No entry specified in the Result Field for this operation.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper entry in the Result Field for this operation and resubmit the job.

## RG220-RESULT FIELD ENTRY IN COL 43-48 INVALID FOR THIS OPERATION

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
C
An entry must not be specified in Result Field for this operation. The job is terminated. Make the Result Field blank for this operation and resubmit the job.

RG221-RESUULT FIELD LENGTH MAY NOT BE LARGE ENOUGH
Code:
Specification Typ
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
C
The result field specified may not be large enough to hold the largest possible result obtained in the calculation operations specified. No action taken.
Check to make sure the result field specified is large enough. If it is not, make it larger and resubmit the job.

RG223-SUBROUTINE SPECIFICATIONS ARE THE ONLY CALCULATION SPECIFICATIONS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Subroutine specifications do not <br> follow detail and total calculations. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Place detail and total calculations <br> before subroutine operations. Re- <br> submit the job. |

RG224-A ZERO CONSTANT INVALID AS DIVISOR
IN COL 33-42
Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG225-CONDITIONING INDICATORS IN COL 9-17 INVALID WITH TAG, BEGSR, ENDSR, OR RLABL OPERATION

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Conditioning indicators must not <br> be specified in columns 9-17 for <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> TAG, BEGSR, ENDSR, or RLABL <br> operations. |
| Sysiteini Actioñ: | Thie jūt is teriminated. <br> User Response: <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> BEGSR columns 9-17 blank for TAG, <br> tions. Resubmit the job. |

RG226-A RESERVED WORD OTHER THAN PAGE INVALID

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C, I, O |
| Explanation: | No reserved word other than PAGE <br> can be specified as a result field. <br> CONTD is a reserved word, for |
| System Action: | compatibility with other systems. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make sure no reserved word other <br> than PAGE is specified in columns <br> 43-48 as the result field. Resubmit |
|  | the job. |

## RG227-RESULT FIELD IN COL 43-48 IS A LOOK AHEAD FIELD OR CONSTANT

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

## RG228-INVALID INDEX

## Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: C
Explanation: Array index not specified properly. Index field name must contain a valid combination of characters. Index constant of field value must be a positive number which does nôt exceed the number of elements in the array and have zero decimal positions.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper array index entry and resubmit the job.

RG229-INDEXING INVALID FOR TABLES OR FIELDS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Indexing must be specified for arrays only. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Remove specifications for indexing tables or fields. Resubmit the job. |

## RG231-GOTO DOES NOT BRANCH TO A TAG

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The label in Factor 2 of this GOTO operation is not the same as the label in Factor 1 of a TAG or ENDSR operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the label in Factor 2 of the GOTO operation the same as the label in Factor 1 of a TAG or ENDSR operation. Resubmit the job. |
| RG232-THIS NAME WAS PREVIOUSLY USED ON A TAG, BEGSR, OR ENDSR |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The label in Factor 1 was previously specified in another TAG, BEGSR, or ENDSR operation. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the label in Factor 1 of each TAG, BEGSR, and ENDSR operation unique. Resubmit the job. |
| RG233-CONFIGURATION, COLUMN 15, CONTAINS |  |
| AN ENTRY OTHER THAN P, S, M, OR BLANK. IF |  |
| CONTROL/TRIBUTARY, COLUMN 17, IS BLANK, |  |
| ASSUME SWITCHED NETWORK; IF COLUMN 17 IS |  |
| NOT BLANK, ASSUME MULTIPOINT NETWORK |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The configuration entry in column 15 of your telecommunications specifications is not $\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{S}, \mathrm{M}$ or blank. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper entry (P, S, M, or blank) in column 15 and resubmit the job. |

RG234-TRANSMITTER/RECEIVER, COLUMN 16, DOES NOT CONTAIN T OR R

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T
The type of station entry in column 16 is neither $T$ nor $R$. The job is terminated. Enter T (for a transmitter station) or $\mathbf{R}$ (for a receiver station) and resubmit the job.

RG235-CONTROL/TRIBUTARY, COLUMN 17, CONTAINS A CHARACTER OTHER THAN T OR BLANK. IF THIS IS A SWITCHED OR POINT-TO-POINT NETWORK, COLUMN 15, ASSUME BLANK; IF MULTIPOINT, ASSUME T

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The type of control entry in column 17 is neither T nor blank. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed if this is a switched network or a point-to-point leased line; T is assumed if this is a multipoint leased line. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when this job is run again, enter $T$ in column 17 for tributary on multipoint network. Leave column 17 blank if switched line or point-to-point line is used. |


| RG236-ASCII/EBCDIC, COLUMN 18, IS NOT U, A, E, |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| OR BLANK. ASSUME EBCDIC |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The type of code entry in column |
|  | 18 is not U or A for ASCII, or E or <br> blank for EBCDIC. |
|  | EBCDIC is assumed. <br> System Action: <br> User Response: |
|  | If the assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry and resubmit the <br> job. |

RG237-TRANSPARENT FEATURE, COLUMN 19, IS NOT Y, N, OR BLANK. ASSUME NO TRANSPARENCY

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | $\mathbf{T}$ |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 19 is not Y <br> for transparency or N or blank |
|  | for no transparency. |
| System Action: | No transparency is assumed. <br> User Response: <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> If the assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry and resubmit the <br> job. |

RG238-AUTOCALL/AUTOANSWER, COLUMN 20, IS
NOT E, S, M, A, B, OR BLANK. COLUMNS 21-31 WILL BE IGNORED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 20 is not E, |
| System Action: | S, M, A, B, or blank. <br> Entries in columns 21-31 are ig- <br> nored; the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper entry in column <br> 20 and resubmit the job. |

RG239-ENTRY FOR DIAL NUMBER, COLUMNS 21-31, IS NOT VALID FOR THE AUTOCALL/AUTOANSWER ENTRY IN COLUMN 20

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

## T

The entry in columns 21-31 is not valid for the entry in column 20. The job is terminated.
Enter dial number in columns 21-31 if the entry in column 20 is E ; enter symbolic name in columns $21-31$ if the entry in column 20 is S. Resubmit the job.

RG240-IDENTIFICATION TYPE FOR THIS STATION, COLUMN 32, IS NOT S, E, OR BLANK. COLUMNS 33-39 WILL NOT BE CHECKED

Code:
W-Warning
Specification Type:
T
Explanation:
System Action:

User Response:

RG241-IDENTIFICATION FOR THIS STATION, COLUMNS 33-39 CONTAINS AN INVALID ENTRY FOR THE ID TYPE INDICATED IN COLUMN 32

## Code:

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG242-IDENTIFICATION TYPE FOR THE REMOTE STATION. COLUMN 40, IS NOT S, E, OR BLANK. COLUMNS 41-47 WILL NOT BE CHECKED

Specification Type: T
Explanation:
System Action: Columns 41-47 will not be checked for an entry.
User Response: Make the identification entry in column 40 (S, E, or blank) that properly describes the remote station. Resubmit the job.

RG243-IDENTIFICATION FOR REMOTE STATION, COLUMNS 41-47, CONTAINS AN INVALID ENTRY FOR THE ID TYPE GIVEN IN COLUMN 40
\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Specification Type: } & \text { T } \\
\text { Explanation: }\end{array}
$$ \quad \begin{array}{l}The identification entry specified <br>
for a remote station in columns <br>
41-47 is invalid for the identifica- <br>

tion type (column 40).\end{array}\right]\)| No action taken. |
| :--- |
| Be sure the entry in columns 41-47 |
| is valid for the identification type |
| (S, E, or blank) specified in column |
| User Response: |
|  |
| 40. Resubmit the job. |

RG245-ITB, COLUMN 52, IS NOT I OR BLANK ASSUME I

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 52 is neither |
|  | I nor blank. |
| System Action: | I is assumed. |
| User Response: | If the assumption was wrong, leave <br> column 52 blank and resubmit the |
|  | job. |

RG246-PERMANENT ERROR INDICATOR, COLUMNS
53-54, IS INVALID

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The indicator specified in columns |
|  | 53-54 is not 01-99, L1-L9, LR, <br> or H1-H9. |
| System Action: | The indicator is ignored and the <br> job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper entry in columns <br> $53-54$ and resubmit the job. |

RG247-WAIT TIME, COLUMNS 55-57, IS INVALID. ASSUME SYSTEM CONVENTION FOR TIMEOUT, 180 SECONDS

Code
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: System convention for timeout,

User Response:

RG248-RECORD AVAILABLE INDICATOR, COLUMNS 58-59, IS INVALID

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: T
Explanation: The record available indicator specified in columns $58-59$ is not 01-99, L1-L9, LR, or H1-H9.
System Action: The indicator is ignored and the job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper entry in columns 58-59 and resubmit the job.

RG249-LAST FILE PROCESSED, COLUMN 60, IS NOT L OR BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal

T
The last record processed entry in column 60 is not $L$ or blank. The job is terminated.
Enter L in column 60 if the BSC input file must be processed last; blank if not. Resubmit the job.

RG250-POLLING CHARACTERS, COLUMNS 61-62, CONTAIN AN INVALID CHARACTER FOR THE CODE TYPE ENTRY IN COLUMN 18

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The polling characters specified in <br> columns $61-62$ are invalid, or are <br> missing on a line configuration |
|  | that requires them. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper entry in columns <br> 61-62. (A list of the valid polling |
| characters is included in the IBM |  |
| System/3 RPG II Telecommunica- |  |
| tions Reference Manal, SC21- |  |
| 7507.) Resubmit the job. |  |

## RG251-ADDRESSING CHARACTERS, COLUMNS 63-64, ARE INVALID FOR THE CODE TYPE ENTRY IN COLUMN 18. THE ENTRY IS IGNORED

Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal

## T

The addressing characters in columns 63-64 are invalid for the code type specified in column 18 , or are missing on a line configuration that requires them.

User Response:

The job is terminated.
Make the proper entry in columns 63-64. (A list of the valid addressing characters is included in the IBM System/3 RPG II Telecommunications Reference Manual, SC21-7507.) Resubmit the job.

RG253-INVALID REMOTE DEVICE SPECIFIED, COLUMNS 65-70

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The entry in columns $65-70$ is not <br> a valid remote terminal. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify a valid remote terminal <br> and resubmit the job. |

RG254-REMOTE DEVICE SPECIFIED WHEN REMOTE TERMINAL IS BLANK OR INVALID; ASSUME COLUMNS 65-70 BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | A remote device cannot be specified if a remote terminal is not specified. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed for columns 65-70. |
| User Response: | If this assumption is wrong, specify a valid remote terminal and resubmit the job. |
| RG256-STACKER SELECT ENTRY IN COL 16 |  |
| INVALID FOR OUTPUT DEVICE; ASSUME BLANK |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | Printer, console, disk and SPECIAL files cannot have a stacker selection entry. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | Leave column 16 blank. |

RG252-IF BSCA IS SPECIFIED, ONLY TWELVE FILES ARE ALLOWED IN THE PROGRAM

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T
Your program should not use more than twelve files when BSCA is used. The job is terminated. Do not use more than twelve files.

RG257-INVALID STACKER SELECT ENTRY IN COL 16; ASSUME DEFAULT STACKER

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Column 16 was not a blank, a <br> number from 1-4 for MFCU or a |
| System Action: | 1 or 2 for 1442. <br> On MFCU assume stacker 1 for <br> file entered in primary hopper; <br> assume stacker 4 for file entered <br> in secondary hopper. On 1442 <br> assume stacker 1. |
| User Response: | If the assumption is wrong, correct <br> column 16 and resubmit the job. |

RG258-SPACE AND/OR SKIP ENTRIES IN COL 17-22 INVALID FOR DEVICE, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The space and/or skip entries in <br> columns 17-22 are invalid for the <br> device. |
| Svstem Action: | Blank is assumed for invalid space <br> and/or skip entries. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when the job <br> is run again, leave columns 17-22 <br> blank for all devices except the <br> console and the printer. |

RG259-INVALID SKIP ENTRIES IN COL 19-22 OR GREATER THAN THE FORM LENGTH SPECIFIED, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The skip entries in columns 19-22 <br> are not specified properly or they <br> exceed the form length in your |
|  | line counter specifications. |
| System Action: | Blanks are assumed. <br> User Response: |
|  | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper skip entries and resub- <br> mit the job. |

RG260-INVALID SPACE ENTRIES IN COL 17-18; ASSUME SPACE 1 AFTER OR BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | The space entries in columns 17-18 are not a number from 0 to 3 or blank. |
| System Action: | If space and skip before entries are invalid and the skip after entry is blank, a space after of 1 is assumed. When skip and space before entries are valid but space after is not, space after is assumed blank. |
| User Response: | If the assumption was wrong, make the proper space entries in columns 17-18 and resubmit the job. |

## RG261-FETCH OVERFLOW ENTRY IN COL 16 INVALID FOR DEVICE; ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:

User Response:

W-Warning
0
The fetch overflow entry specified in column 16 is invalid for the device.
Blank is assumed; therefore, no fetch overflow is done.
To avoid the message when the job is run again, specify fetch overflow for printer files only.

## RG262-OVERFLOW INDICATOR INVALID FOR AN EXCPT RECORD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | An overflow indicator must not be <br> specified for an exception record |
| System Action: | (E in column 15). |
| The job is terminated. |  |

T-Terminal

An overflow indicator must not be specified for an exception record ( E in column 15)

Remove overflow indicators from exception output lines. Resubmit the job.

RG263-FETCH OVERFLOW INVALID WITH OVER FLOW INDICATOR ENTERED IN COL 23-31; ASSUME NO FETCH

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | An overflow indicator and fetch <br> overflow (F in column 16) must <br> not be specified on the same out- <br> put line. <br> Blank in column 16 is assumed; <br> therefore, no fetch overflow is <br> done. |
| System Action: | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper fetch overflow specifica- <br> tion and resubmit the job. |
| User Response: |  |

## RG264-OVERFLOW INDICATOR USED IS NOT ASSIGNED TO THIS FILE

\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Specification Type: } & \text { O } \\
\text { Explanation: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { The overflow indicator specified } \\
\text { was not assigned to this file in your }\end{array}
$$ <br>

file description specifications.\end{array}\right\}\)| The job is terminated. |
| :--- |
| System Action: | | Assign the overflow indicator to this |
| :--- |
| file in file description specifications. |
| Resubmit the job. |

## RG265-1P INDICATOR INVALID WITH TOTAL OR EXCPT RECORDS

Code: W-Warning

Specification Type:

## 0

First page ( 1 P ) indicator must not be specified for total or exception records.
System Action:
User Response:

No action taken.
To avoid this message when this job is run again, specify the $1 P$ indicator with heading and detail records only.

RG266-FETCH OVERFLOW INVALID WITH 1P INDICATOR, ASSUME NO FETCH OVERFLOW
Code: W-Warning

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
0
A fetch overflow line ( F in column 16) must not be conditioned by the 1 P indicator. No fetch overflow is assumed. To avoid this message when this job is run again, remove the $1 P$ indicator from lines in which fetch overflow is specified; or if the assumption was wrong, remove the 1 P indicator.

RG267-1P INDICATOR INVALID FOR A COMBINED FILE

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: 0
Explanation: The $1 P$ indicator must not be specified for records in a combined file.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Specify the 1P indicator to condition records in an output file only.

RG268-SPECIFIED OR IMPLIED SPACE BEFORE OF ZERO IS INVALID FOR CONSOLE FILE. ASSUME SPACE BEFORE OF ONE

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: 0
Explanation: The console forces one space before printing. A zero or blank entry in space before will be defaulted to one.
System Action: Space before of one is assumed.
User Response: To avoid this message specify at least one for Space Before.

## RG269-INVALID INDICATORS USED IN AN AND RELATIONSHIP WITH 1P

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: 0
Explanation: Only external indicators (U1-U8) can be specified in an AND relationship with the $1 P$ indicator.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response:

Specify the 1P indicator in an AND relationship with external indicators only. Resubmit the job.

RG270-END POSITION ENTRY IN COL 40-43 FOR CONSTANT, EDIT WORD, FIELD, OR ARRAY EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\ \text { Specification Type: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { O } \\ \text { Explanation: }\end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l}\text { The end position entry in columns } \\ \text { 40-43 exceeds the records length } \\ \text { specified in your file description }\end{array} \\ \text { specifications. }\end{array}\right\}$

RG271-LENGTH OF ARRAY, ARRAY ELEMENT, OR FIELD EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Length specified for array, array <br> element, or field exceeds the record <br> length specified in your file descrip- <br> tion specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Make the proper entry; it must be |
| equal to or less than the record |  |
| eqse | length or increase the record length <br> entry to handle the length. Re- <br> submit the job. |

RG272-END POSITION ENTRY IN COL 40-43 FOR CONSTANT, EDIT WORD, FIELD, OR ARRAY TOO LOW

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The end position entry in columns <br> 40-43 is too small to allow the <br> first field, array, or array element <br> to be written, printed, or punched <br> in its entirety. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the end position entry large <br> enough for the field, array, or <br> array element to be written, |
|  | printed, or punched. Resubmit <br> the job. |

RG273-OUTPUT INDICATORS IN COL 23-31 MISSING OR ALL NEGATIVE

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
0
No output indicators are specified in columns 23-31 or all those indicators specified are negative. Output may not be written when desired.
No action taken.
To avoid this message when this job is run again, specify at least one positive indicator to condition output records to ensure that output is written only when desired.

## RG274-OUTPUT INDICATORS MISSING FOR AN AND OR OR LINE

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | No conditioning indicators were <br> specified in columns 23-31 or an |
|  | AND or OR line. |
| System Action: | No action taken. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when this <br> job is run again, place the proper <br> conditioning indicators in columns |
|  | 23-31 of the AND or OR line. |
|  | Resubmit the job. |

## RG276-INVALID EDIT CODE IN COL 38

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## T-Terminal

0
The edit code specified in column 38 is not one of the following: 1-4, A-D, J-M, X, Y, Z, or blank. The job is terminated. Make the proper edit code entry in column 38 and resubmit the job.

RG277-INVALID EDIT WORD SIZE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The number of replaceable characters in this edit word (columns 45-70) exceed the length of the field to be edited. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the number of replaceable characters in the edit word equal to or less than the length of the field to be edited. Resubmit the job. |
| RG278-EDIT CODES INVALID WITH FIELDS OTHER THAN UNPACKED NUMERIC FIELDS OR CONSTANTS OTHER THAN * OR \$ |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | T |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | Edit codes cannot be specified with edit words or with constants other than $\$$ or ${ }^{*}$ or with fields other than unpacked numeric fields. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper edit code entry and resubmit the job. |
| RG279-CONSTANTS IN COL 45-70 INVALID FOR X, Y, AND Z EDIT CODES |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | Edit codes $\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y}$, and $Z$ must not be specified for edit words with ' $\$$ ' or '*' in columns 45-47. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Use either edit codes or edit words, but not both. Resubmit the job. |
| RG280-INVALID FIELD LENGTH FOR Y EDIT CODE |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | Field edited by Y edit code is not from 3 to 6 characters long. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the field to be edited by $Y$ edit code 3 to 6 characters long or change the edit code. Resubmit the job. |

## RG281-DECIMAL POSITIONS INVALID FOR FIELD EDITED BY Y CODE

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Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:
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RG282-NAME OF FIELD TO BE EDITED, BY CODE SPECIFIED IN COL 38, MISSING

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response: $\quad$ Specify the name of the field to be
0
An edit code is specified in column 38 , but the name of the field to be edited is not entered in columns 32-37. edited in columns 32-37 and resubmit the job.

RG283-INVALID FILE TYPE FOR OUTPUT RECORD

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
Uséi Responiné:

## T-Terminal

## 0

The file specified in columns 7-14 of your output specifications is not a combined file, update file, output file, or a file associated with ADD. The job is terminated.
Make sure the file specified in output specifications is a combined file, update file, output file, or a file associated with ADD. Resubmit the job.

RG285-T OR E ENTRY IN COL 15 INVALID FOR COMBINED FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O <br> Explanation: |
|  | Column 15 does not contain an H <br> or D for a combined file. Combined <br> files cannot be written or stacker <br> selected at total exception time. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Correct column 15 and resubmit <br> User Response: |
| the job. |  |

RG287-OPERATION IN COL 40 INVALID FOR DEVICE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | * (asterisk) in column 40 invalid |
|  | for device. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
|  | Remove <br> mit the job. |

RG288-BLANK AFTER ENTRY IN COL 39 INVALID WITH RESERVED WORD OTHER THAN PAGE; ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
0
Column 39 contains a B entry with a reserved word other than PAGE. Blank is assumed.
Leave column 39 blank and resubmit the job.

RG289 - *PRINT PRECEDES ALL FIELD NAMES AND CONSTANTS

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

T-Terminal
0
*PRINT must be specified after all fields and constants are to be printed.
The job is terminated. Correct the position of the *PRINT and resubmit the job.

RG290-*PLACE PRECEDES ALL FIELD NAMES AND CONSTANTS

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
0
When *PLACE is used, it must be specified after fields which are to be placed in different location. The job is terminated. Specify the fields to be moved before you specify *PLACE and resubmit the job.

RG291-INVALID ENTRIES IN COL 38, 39, OR 44-74
FOR OUTPUT OPERATION, ASSUME BLANKS

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: Blanks are assumed; the job is terminated.
User Response: Leave columns 38, 39, and 44-74 blank for *PRINT and *PLACE. Resubmit the job.

RG292-TOO MANY AND/OR LINES
Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I or 0
Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the number of AND/OR lines specified 20 or less. Resubmit the job.

## RG293-BLANK AFTER SPECIFIED FOR A CONSTANT

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Blank after should not be specified <br> for a constant since constants will <br> be blanked out whenever they are |
| used. |  |

## RG297-STERLING SPECIFIED FOR FIELD WITH MORE THAN THREE DECIMAL POSITIONS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Sterling fields have a maximum of <br> three decimal positions. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the statement and resub- <br> mit the job. |

RG298-STERLING SIGN POSITION IN COL 71-74 EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH

Code:
Specification Type
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
0
Number entered in columns 71-74 must not exceed record length. The job is terminated. Correct the entry in columns 71-74 and resubmit the job.

RG300-VALUE OF ARRAY INDEX EXCEEDS NUMBER OF ARRAY ELEMENTS

| Code: | T-Terminal <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: |
| :--- | :--- |
| O <br> The array index specified exceeds <br> the number of elements in the <br> array. |  |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify the proper array index <br> value; the index must not exceed <br> the number of array elements <br> specified for the array in column <br> 36-39 of your extension specifica- <br> tions. Resubmit the job. |

RG302-BLANK AFTER ENTRY IN COL 39 INVALID FOR LOOK AHEAD FIELD; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | o |
| Explanation: | Column 39 must be blank for a |
| look ahead field. |  |$\quad$| Blank is assumed. |
| :--- |
| System Action: |
| User Response: | | To avoid this message the next time |
| :--- |
| the job is run, leave column 39 |
| blank for look ahead field. |

RG304-INVALID INDICATOR OR IMPROPER USE OF A VALID INDICATOR

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I, C, or O |
| Explanation: | The indicator specified is invalid |
|  | or used improperly. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | If the indicator is invalid, make the |
|  | proper indicator entry (only indi- |
|  | cators 01-99, H1-H9, L1-L9, |
|  | LR, U1-U8, OA-OG, OV, KA- |
|  | KN, KP, KQ can be assigned). If |
|  | the indicator has been used improp- |
|  | erly, see the restrictions concerning |
|  | proper use of indicators under |
|  | Operation Codes, Setting Indica- |
|  | tors. Resubmit the job. |

## RG305-INDICATOR ASSIGNED BUT NOT USED TO CONDITION OPERATIONS

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I, C, or O |
| Explanation: | The indicator was assigned but was <br> not used to condition an operation. |
| System Action: | No action taken. |
| User Response: | Determine whether the indicator <br> assigned is needed to condition any |
|  | operation. If not, remove this in- <br> dicator to avoid this message the <br> next time this job is run. |
|  |  |

## RG306-INDICATOR USED TO CONDITION OPERATIONS BUT NOT ASSIGNED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I, C, or O <br> Explanation: |
| All indicators except LR, MR, 1P, <br> and L0 must be assigned before <br> they can be used to condition |  |
| System Action: | operations. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make sure the indicator is assigned <br> before it is used to condition <br> operations. Resubmit the job. |

RG307-FILE NAME DEFINED BUT NEVER USED. SPECIFICATION IS DROPPED.

Code:
W-Warning
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## RG308-SEQUENCING INVALID FOR FILE WITH NO MATCH FIELD, ASSUME COLUMN 18 ON FILE DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATION BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Sequence checking specified in <br> column 18 for a file with no match <br> fields. |
| System Action: | Assume column 18 is blank. <br> User Response: |
| Leave column 18 blank for files <br> with no match fields. |  |
| RG309-SEQUENCE ENTRY IN COL 18 INVALID OR |  |
| BLANK FOR FILES WITH MATCH FIELDS SPECIFIED, |  |
| ASSUME FIRST VALID SEQUENCE OR A |  |

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:

User Response:

W-Warning
F
No sequence entry or an invalid sequence entry is specified in column 18 for a file with match fields. For a primary file, $\mathbf{A}$ is assumed. If no valid sequence entry is specified for a secondary file, the primary sequence value is assumed. If this assumption was wrong, make the proper sequence entry (A or D) in column 18 and resubmit the job.

RG310-EXTENSION CODE SPECIFIED IN COL 39 ON FILE DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATION FOR THIS FILE, BUT EXTENSION SPECIFICATION MISSING

| Code: |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | T-Terminal <br> An extension code is specified (E <br> in column 39) in your file descrip- <br> tion specifications, but no exten- <br> sion specifications were supplied. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> You must either supply the proper <br> extension specifications or delete <br> the E for column 39 of your file <br> description specifications if no <br> extension specifications are required <br> for this program. Resubmit the job. |
|  | RG311-AN EXTENSION OR LINE COUNTER |
| SPECIFICATION WAS PROVIDED FOR THIS FILE |  |
| BUT AN EXTENSION CODE WAS NOT ENTERED IN |  |
| COL 39 ON THE FILE DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATION |  |

RG312-STACKER SELECT NOT VALID WITH DUAL I/O; ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I, O |
| Explanation: | Stacker select must not be specified <br> for input or output files with dual |
|  | I/O areas. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message on the next <br> run, remove the dual I/O specifica- |
|  | tion. |

RG313 - *PRINT SPECIFIED MORE THAN ONCE FOR A RECORD
\(\left.\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { W-Warning } \\
\text { Specification Type: } \\
\text { Explanation: }\end{array} \\
\text { O } \\
\text { *PRINT may be used only once for } \\
\text { each record. }\end{array}
$$\right] \begin{array}{l}Extra *PRINT specifications are <br>
ignored. <br>
To avoid this message on the next <br>
run, remove the extra *PRINT <br>

statements.\end{array}\right]\)| User Response: |
| :--- | :--- |

RG315-FIELD NAME USED BUT NEVER DEFINED OR TABLE NAME OR ARRAY ELEMENT USED AS AN ARRAY INDEX

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Specification Type: } & \text { C or O }
\end{array}
$$

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
(1) The field name is used in calculation or output operations but was not defined, or (2) a table name or array element is used as an array index.
The job is terminated.
(1) Be sure the field is defined before it is used in calculation or output operations, or (2) be sure that the array index is not a table name or array element. Resubmit the job.

RG316-INVALID DEFINITION FOR RESERVED WORD; ASSUME VALID DEFINITION

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I or C |
| Explanation: | The field named by one of the RPG <br> II reserved words is not specified |
| according to the predefined format. |  |

RG317-NUMBER OF DECIMAL POSITIONS SPECIFIED EXCEEDS FIELD LENGTH

Code:<br>T

Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:
I, C, or O
The number of decimal positions specified exceeds the field length.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper decimal position entry, it can be equal to or less than the field length. Resubmit the job.

RG318-MISSING A RECORD CONDITIONED BY 1P AND FORMS POSITIONING SPECIFIED ON CONTROL CARD

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action: No action taken.
User Response:

W-Warning
H and O
Repetitive 1P output for forms positioning is specified in your control card specifications but $1 \mathbf{P}$ is not used to condition an output record.

Use 1 P to condition the proper output record to avoid this message the next time this job is run.

RG319-NO DATA FOR ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE, OR FILE TRANSLATION

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: H
Explanation: Alternate collating sequence or file translation is specified in your header line, but no alternate collating sequence table or file translation table was supplied. The job is terminated.
System Action:
User Response: Provide the proper tables for alter- nate collating sequence or file translation or delete the specifications. Resubmit the job.

RG320-INVALID ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE DATA RECORD

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: Not applicable.
Explanation: Columns 1-6 in your alternate collating sequence data records do not contain ALTSEQ.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Check your alternate collating sequence data records to make sure the data is specified properly; each record must contain ALTSEQ in columns 1-6. Resubmit the job.

## RG321-INVALID, UNDEFINED, OR TABLE FILENAME ON FILE TRANSLATION DATA RECORD

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the entry in columns 1-8 of each file translation data record a filename previously defined in file description specifications or the characters *FILES $\$ \mathbf{\$}$ ( $\$=$ blank). The entry must not be a table filename. Resubmit the job.

## RG322-ALTERNATE COLLATING SEQUENCE OR FILE TRANSLATION DATA INVALID

Code:
Specification Typ
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG324-TOTAL LENGTH OF ALL CONTROL OR ALL MATCHING FIELDS EXCEEDS 144 CHARACTERS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | The total length of all control or <br> all matching fields is too large. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the total length of all match- <br> ing fields (M1-M9) or all control |
|  | fields (L1-L9) equal to or less than <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> 144. Resubmit the job. |

RG325-ALL INPUT, UPDATE, AND COMBINED FILES CONDITIONED BY EXTERNAL INDICATORS
Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## W-Warning

I
When all input, update, and combined files are conditioned by external indicators (U1-U8), be sure all indicators are not off. If they are all off, the job will not be done. No action taken.
When all input, update, or combined files are conditioned by external indicators, be sure all indicators are not off.

## RG326-COMPILE-TIME TABLES SPECIFIED NO DATA FOUND

\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { Code: } \\
\text { Specification Type: } \\
\text { Explanation: }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Not applicable } \\
\text { Compile time table specified (From } \\
\text { filename in columns 11-18 of ex- } \\
\text { tension specifications blank), but } \\
\text { no table input records were sup- } \\
\text { plied after the source program. }\end{array}
$$ <br>

The job is terminated.\end{array}\right\}\)| For compile time tables, supply |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| User Response: | the table input records immediate- <br> ly after the source program. Re- <br> submit the job. |
| RG327-SPLIT CONTROL FIELDS SPECIFIED MAY |  |

## RG328--STERLING FIELD SPECIFIED AS PACKED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | I or O |
| Explanation: | Data in a sterling field cannot be packed. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the specification and resubmit the job. |
| RG329-PACKED OR DEVICE | BINARY DATA NOT VALID FOR |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | I or O |
| Explanation: | Packed or binary data should be specified only for disk, BSCA, and 1442 files. |
| System Action: | Data errors may occur if program is executed. |
| User Response: | Specify packed oi binany data fói disk, BSCA, and 1442 files only. Resubmit the job. |

## RG330-ALPHAMERIC FIELD SPECIFIED AS

 PACKED OR BINARY| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Packed data cannot be specified <br> for alphameric fields. <br> The job is terminated. |
| System Action: | Specify packed data for numeric <br> fields only. Resubmit the job. |
| User Response: |  |
| RG331-NO INPUT SPECIFICATIONS FOUND |  |

RG332-SEQUENCE ERROR FOUND IN COMPILE TIME TABLE/ARRAY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | Not applicable <br> Explanation: |
|  | Compile time table or array is not <br> in the sequence specified in col- <br> umns 45 to 57. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: <br> Make sure the data is in the se- <br> quence specified (A or D) in column <br> 45 or 57. Resubmit the job. |

RG333-TABLE/ARRAY FULL OR NO TABLE/
ARRAYS FOR FOLLOWING DATA

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
Not applicable
Either too much data is supplied for the table or array or no table or array is defined for the data supplied. No more data is accepted for tables or arrays.
Make sure the data supplied does not exceed the maximum table size or that a table or array is defined for the data you supply. Resubmit the job.

RG334-SHORT TABLE

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | Not applicable <br> Explanation: |
|  | The number of entries supplied is <br> less than the maximum number of <br> entries the table can contain. |
| System Action: | The remaining entries are filled <br> with blanks or zeros. |
| User Response: | None required. |

## RG335-EDIT WORD SPECIFIED WITH OTHER THAN UNPACKED NUMERIC FIELDS

Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type: O
Explanation: Edit words are allowed only with unpacked numeric fields.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response:
Specify edit words for unpacked
numeric fields only. Resubmit the job.

## RG337-INVALID SEQUENCE FOR EXIT AND RLABL OP CODES

Code: T
Specification Type: C
Explanation

System Action:
User Response:

RG338-SUBR SHOULD BE USED WITH EXIT OP CODE

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: C
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

The entry specified in Factor 2 of an EXIT operation does not start with SUBR. The job is terminated. Make sure the subroutine name in Factor 2 starts with SUBR. Resubmit the job.

RG339-AN OUTPUT REFERENCE IS REQUIRED FOR EACH COMBINED OR UPDATE FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The proper output specifications <br> have not been specified for the <br> combined or update file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify the proper output specifi- <br> cations for the combined or update <br> file. A table output specification <br> will meet the requirements for a <br> combined file. Resubmit the job. |

RG340-CONTROL/TRIBUTARY, COLUMN 17, CONTAINS A BLANK FOR A MULTIPOINT LINE. ASSUME T
Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG341-CONTROL/TRIBUTARY, COLUMN 17, CONTAINS A T FOR A SWITCHED OR A POINT TO POINT NETWORK. ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Column 17 contains a T for a <br> point-to-point network (P in col- <br> umn 15). |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. <br> User Response: |
| To avoid this message when this <br> job is run again, leave column 17 <br> blank, or change the configuration <br> entry in column 15. |  |

## RG342-TRANSPARENT MODE IS SPECIFIED, COLUMN 19, WHEN ASCII CONTROL CHARACTERS, COLUMN 18, ARE TO BE USED

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal

Specification Type: T
Explanation: The transparent mode cannot be specified on an adapter using ASCII data link characters.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper entry in column 19 and resubmit the job.

RG343-AUTOCALL/AUTOANSWER, COLUMN 20, IS NOT BLANK FOR NON-SWITCHED NETWORK

Code: $\quad \mathrm{T}$-Terminal
Specification Type: T
Explanation: Column 20 contains an entry for a network that is not switched.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Leave column 20 blank for a network that is not switched. Resubmit the job.

RG344-SYMBOL FOR DIAL NUMBER, COLUMNS 21-31, IS AN ARRAY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |

Specification Type:
An array name was used as the dial number.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Enter the table element or field name to be used as the dial number in columns 21-31. If you want to use an array element as the dial number, you must use calculation specifications to move the contents of the array element into the field you specify in columns 21-31. Resubmit the job.

RG345-FIELD OR TABLE HOLD AREA FOR THE DIAL NUMBER WAS NOT DEFINED AS NUMERIC

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | The field or table hold area for the dial number specified in columns 21-31 was not defined as numeric. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Define the field or table hold area for the dial number specified in columns 21-31 as numeric. Resubmit the job. |
| RG346-COLUMN 32 IS NOT BLANK FOR A NONSWITCHED NETWORK |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Column 32 was not left blank for a non-switched network. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Leave column 32 blank for a nonswitched network and resubmit the job. |
| RG347-IDENTIFICATION FOR THIS STATION, COLUMNS 33-39, CONTAINS AN ARRAY |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | An array name was used as the station identification. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter the table element or field name to be used as the station identification in columns 33-39. If you want to use an array element as the station identification, you must use calculation specifications to move the contents of the array element into the field you specify in columns 33-39. Resubmit the job. |

RG348-COLUMN 40 IS NOT BLANK FOR A NONSWITCHED NETWORK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Column 40 was not left blank for <br> a non-switched network. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
| Leave column 40 blank for a non- <br> switched network and resubmit <br> the job. |  |

RG349-IDENTIFICATION FOR THE REMOTE STATION, COLUMNS 41-47, CONTAINS AN ARRAY

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG350-RECORD AVAILABLE INDICATOR IS
PRESENT ON TRANSMIT FILE, OR IN A PROGRAM
WITH ONLY 1 BSCA FILE. INDICATOR IS DROPPED
Code:
Specification Type:

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## W-Warning

T
A record available indicator was specified for a transmit file or in a program which has only one BSCA file.
The indicator is ignored.
Remove the record available indicator or define the other BSCA file if a transmit interspersed with a receive program is desired. Resubmit the job.

T-Terminal
T
An array name was used as the remote station identification. The job is terminated. Enter the table element or field name to be used as the remote station identification in columns 41-47. If you want to use an array element as the remote station identification, you must use calculation specifications to move the contents of the array element into the field you specify in columns 41-47. Resubmit the job.

RG351-LAST FILE PROCESSED, COLUMN 60, IS NOT BLANK ON A TRANSMIT FILE OR A PRIMARY INPUT FILE. THE ENTRY IS IGNORED

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | L was entered in column 60 for a <br> transmit file or for a primary input |
| file. |  |
| System Action: | The entry is ignored. |
| User Response: | Remove the L from column 60 if <br> the file is a transmit file. If it is a <br> primary input file, remove the L or <br> change the file designation to <br> secondary. Resubmit the job. |

RG352-POLLING CHARACTERS WERE GIVEN ON OTHER THAN A TRANSMIT FILE ON A MULTIPOINT NETWORK. THE ENTRY IS IGNORED

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Polling characters are specified in columns 61-62 for a file other than a transmit file on a multipoint network. |
| System Action: | The entry in columns $61-62$ is ignored. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when this job is run again, remove the entry from columns 61-62. |
| RG353-THERE IS AN ENTRY IN THE ADDRESSING CHARACTERS, COLUMNS 63-64, ON A FILE THAT IS NOT A MULTIPOINT RECEIVER FILE. THE ENTRY IS IGNORED |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Addressing characters are specified in columns 63-64 for a file that is not a multipoint receiver file. |
| System Action: | The entry in columns 63-64 is ignored. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when this job is run again, remove the entry from columns 63-64. |

RG354-CORRESPONDING FILE DESCRIPTION SPEC FILE IS NOT A BSC FILE

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make a BSC device entry for this file on the File Description sheet. Resubmit the job.

## RG355-A CONVERSATIONAL FILE WAS DEFINED WHEN NO CONVERSATIONAL FILE IS ALLOWED

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: T
Explanation: A conversational file is not allowed with 2770/2780.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Correct the telecommunications specification and resubmit the job.

## RG356-PACKED FIELD OR BINARY FIELD SPECIFIED IN A FILE WITHOUT THE TRANSPARENT FEATURE

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
T
A packed or binary field was specified for a file that does not have the transparent feature. The job is terminated. Be sure packed or binary fields are only specified for files with the transparent feature. Resubmit the job.
RG357-THE FILE CORRESPONDING TO THIS
TRANSMITTER SPECIFICATION IS NOT A COMBINED
OR AN OUTPUT FILE ON THE FILE DESCRIPTION
SPECIFICATION
\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Specification Type: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { T }\end{array} \\
\text { Explanation: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { The transmitter file was not de- } \\
\text { fined as a combined or output file }\end{array} \\
\text { System Action: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { on the File Description sheet. }\end{array}
$$ <br>

The job is terminated.\end{array}\right\}\)| Define the transmitter file as a com- |
| :--- |
| bined file or an output file on the |
| File Description sheet. Resubmit |
| the job. |

RG358-CORRESPONDING FILE DESCRIPTION SPEC FILE IS NOT DEFINED AS A COMBINED OR AN INPUT FILE FOR THIS RECEIVE FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T <br> Explanation: |
| The receive file was not defined on <br> the File Description sheet as a com- |  |
| System Action: | bined file or as an input file. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Define the receive file as a combined <br> file or as an input file on the File |
|  | Description sheet. Resubmit the <br> job. |

RG359-BLOCKED RECORD DEFINED FOR A FILE
WITH CONVERSATIONAL RESPONSES. ASSUME NO
BLOCKING

## Code:

W-Warning
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action: No blocking is assumed.
User Response: $\quad$ To avoid this message when this job is run again, remove the blocked records specification.

RG360-THERE IS NO TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPEC FOR A FILE DEFINED AS A BSCA FILE ON THE FILE DESCRIPTION SPECS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |

Explanation: No telecommunications specifications were supplied for a file that was described as a BSCA file on the File Description sheet.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Supply the proper telecommunications specifications and resubmit the job.

## RG361-LOOK AHEAD FIELDS SPECIFIED FOR BSC

 FILE| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |

Specination Type:
Explanation: Look ahead fields are not allowed for a BSC file.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Remove the look ahead specification for BSC file and resubmit the job.

RG362-MATCHING FIELDS DEFINED ON A TRANSMIT FILE WITH CONVERSATIONAL RESPONSE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Matching fields are not allowed for <br> a transmit file with conversational |
| System Action: | responses. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Remove the matching fields <br> definition for transmit file with <br> conversational responses. |

RG363-MATCHING FIELDS DEFINED FOR A FILE DESIGNATED TO BE THE LAST FILE PROCESSED IN COLUMN 60 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPEC

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Matching fields were defined for a <br> file designated as the last file to be <br> processed (L in column 60). |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Remove the matching fields <br> definition if the file was the last <br> one to be processed, or remove the |
|  | Lentry in column 60. Resubmit <br> the job. |

## RG364-FOR A TRANSMIT THEN RECEIVE BSCA PROGRAM, IF END-OF-FILE IS SPECIFIED FOR ANY INPUT FILE, E IS ASSUMED IN COLUMN 17 OF THE BSCA INPUT FILE

Code:
Specification Typ
Explanation:
System Action:

User Response:
W-Warning
T
E was entered in column 17 of some input files, but not for the BSCA file which has an $L$ in column 60 of the Telecommunications sheet. System Action: $\quad$ EBCDIC is assumed if end of file
( E in column 17 of the File Description sheet) is specified for any input file the program uses.
If the assumption was wrong, remove the L from column 60 or make the proper end of file entry on the Input sheet. Resubmit the job.

RG365-ITB IS SPECIFIED ON A FILE WITHOUT BLOCKED RECORDS. ITB IS DROPPED

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Intermediate block check (ITB) was <br> specified for a file which does not <br> have blocked records. |
| System Action: | The intermediate block check <br> specification (I in column 52) is <br> ignored. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when this <br> job is run again, remove the I from <br> column 52 Or define blocked |
|  | records. Resubmit the job. |

RG366-AUTOCALL/AUTOANSWER, COLUMN 20, IS BLANK FOR A SWITCHED NETWORK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Column 20 was left blank for a <br> switched network. |
| System Action: The job is terminated. <br> Mser Response: <br> or B) in column 20 for a switched <br> network. <br> RG367-A TRANSMIT WITH CONVERSATIONAL  |  |
| RESPONSE FILE IS USED WITH FORCE OR READ OP <br> CODE OR AS A PRIMARY FILE |  |

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal

Specification Type: T
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG368-THE FIELD OR TABLE HOLD AREA USED FOR A STATION IDENTIFICATION, COLUMNS 33-39 OR COLUMNS 41-47, IS MORE THAN FIFTEEN CHARACTERS IN LENGTH, OR DIAL NUMBER IS MORE THAN TWELVE DIGITS

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
T
Either the field or table hold area used for a station identification (columns 33-39 or 41-47) contains more than 15 characters, or the dial number (columns 21-31) contains more than 12 digits. The job is terminated. Be sure that the field or table hold area used for a station identification is numeric and from 2 to 15 charac. ters long. If you specify a dial number, be sure it is not more than 12 characters long. Resubmit the job.

## RG369-WARNING: ONLY ONE I/O AREA WAS SPECIFIED ON A NON-CONVERSATIONAL FILE. THROUGHPUT MAY BE SLOW

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Because only one I/O area is speci- <br> fied for a non-conversational file, <br> processing time is likely to be slow. |
| System Action: | No action taken. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message when the job <br> is run again, specify dual I/O areas <br> if the program size permits. |
|  |  |

RG370-THE LINE CONFIGURATION AND LINE CONTROL ENTRIES, COLUMN 15 OR 17-47, ARE NOT THE SAME ON EACH TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPEC

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The line configuration and line con- <br> trol entries (column 15 or 17-47) |
|  | are not the same for each BSC file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the same entries in columns <br> 15 and 17-47 for each BSC file in |
|  | the program. Resubmit the job. |

RG371-WARNING: THE STATION IDENTIFICATION, COLUMNS 33-39 OR 41-47, HAS BEEN DEFINED AS ONLY ONE CHARACTER IN LENGTH. THE CHARACTER WILL BE DUPLICATED SO A TWO CHARACTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE USED

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | The station identification entry <br> (columns 33-39 or 41-47) was |
|  | specified as a 1-character field. <br> The character is duplicated to pro- |
|  | The action: <br> vide a two-character identification <br> field. |
|  | If the assumption was wrong, specify <br> a station identification which is at <br> least 2 characters, but no more than |
|  | 12 character long. Resubmit the <br> job. |
|  |  |

RG372-A B IN COLUMN 37 OF THE CONTROL CARD IS AN INVALID ENTRY IN A BSCA PROGRAM

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: H
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

A B entry must not be specified in column 37 of the control card specifications for a BSCA program. The job is terminated.
Remove the $B$ entry from column 37 of the control card specifications and resubmit the job.

RG373-THE SAME FILENAME WAS GIVEN ON TWO TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPECS

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
T
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
A BSCA file must not have multiple definitions.
The job is terminated.
Specify a unique filename on each Telecommunications sheet used in this program. Resubmit the job.

RG374-ENTRY IN COL 16 INVALID

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG375-ID IN COL 75-80 OF CONTROL CARD MUST NOT BE BLANK WHEN C IS SPECIFIED IN COL 10, ASSUME BLANK IN COL 10

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
H
A $C$ is specified in column 10 of your control card specifications, but no program identification is specified in columns 75-80. Column 10 is assumed to be blank. When $C$ is specified in column 10 of your control card specification, place the proper program name in columns 75-80. Resubmit the job.

RG376-INVALID NAME IN COLS 75-80 OF CONTROL CARD, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | H <br> Explanation: |
| The entry in columns 75-80 of <br> your header line is neither a valid <br> RPG program name nor blanks. |  |
| User Response: | Blanks are assumed. <br> If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper program name entry and <br> resubmit the job. |
|  |  |
| RG377-RAF, COLUMN 31, IS NOT ALLOWED ON A |  |

RG378-NO LINE COUNTER SPECIFICATION FOR THIS BSCA FILE, ASSUME PAGE SIZE-66, OVERFLOW LINE-60

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |
| Explanation: | Entries must be specified if the <br> page size and overflow line differ <br> from assumed values. |
| System Action: | Page size of 66 is assumed; overflow <br> line of 60 is assumed. |
| User Response: | Verify that page size of 66 is <br> correct for this job. |

RG379-MULTI-POINT INVALID WITH 2770 OR 2780

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
T
Column 15 must be $\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{S}$, or blank. The job is terminated.
Correct column 15 and resubmit the job.

RG380-2770 AND 2780 CANNOT BE SPECIFIED IN THE SAME PROGRAM

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | T |

Explanation: Both 2770 and 2780 have been specified in the same job. The job is terminated. Specify either 2770 or 2780 but not both.

## RG381-INVALID DEVICE SPECIFIED FOR THE REMOTE TERMINAL USED

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: T
Explanation: Device specified in columns 65-70 is not a valid remote device.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Specify a valid device for the remote terminal used.

## RG382-INVALID REMOTE DEVICE FOR FILE TYPE SPECIFIED

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: T

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response: $\begin{aligned} & \text { Specify a valid remote device for } \\ & \text { the type of operation being per- }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { User Response: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Specify a valid remote device for } \\ \text { the type of operation being per- }\end{array}\end{array}$ formed and resubmit the job.

RG383-ITB AND TRANSPARENCY SPECIFIED FOR 2770. ITB IS DROPPED

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: T
Explanation: When 2770 is specified, specify either ITB (column 52) or transparency (column 19) but not both.
System Action:
User Response:
An output device was specified for an input file or an input device was specified for an output file.

Blank is assumed for column 52 (ITB)
Verify that the assumption is correct for this job.

RG388-FACTOR 1 MUST BE EITHER A FIELD NAME OR A LITERAL WHEN USED WITH DEBUG OPERATION
Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

T-Terminal

Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make Factor 1 either a field name or a literal and resubmit the job.

RG389-L0-L9 INDICATOR SPECIFIED IN AN OR RELATIONSHIP WITH LR

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | An L0-L9 indicator should not be <br> specified in an OR relationship <br> with an LR indicator. |
| Operations specified in this relation |  |
| Ship will be done twice at LR time. |  |
| User Response: | Do not specify an L0-L9 indicator <br> in an OR relationship with an <br> LR indicator unless you want <br> the specified operations to be done <br> twice. Resubmit the job if neces- <br> sary. |
| RG390-SEQUENCE CHECKING IS NOT PERFORMED |  |


| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | Sequence must be specified if high <br> or low LOKUP is to be done; |
|  | however, no sequence checking is <br> done at input time. |
|  | A sequenced array is assumed. <br> System Action: |
| User Response the array is in ascending |  |
|  | or descending sequence. |

## RG391-A FIELD WITH A LENGTH GREATER THAN 8 CHARACTERS CANNOT BE USED IN FACTOR 1 WITH DEBUG OPERATION

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The length of a Factor 1 field <br> cannot be greater than eight <br> characters when a DEBUG opera- |
|  | tion is specified. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Limit the length of the Factor 1 <br> field to eight characters. Resubmit |
|  | the job. |

## RG392-LAST ENTRY IN ONE OR MORE COMPILE TIME TABLE/ARRAYS WAS BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG394-'ADD' IN COL 16-18 NOT ALLOWED ON AND/OR LINES, ASSUME BLANK

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: Blank is assumed, but the job is terminated.
User Response: $\quad$ Remove the ADD entry from columns 16-18 of the AND/OR line and resubmit the job.

RG397-FILE DESCRIBED AS ‘ADD' TYPE FILE, EACH OUTPUT LINE MUST HAVE 'ADD' IN COL 16-18. ASSUME ‘ADD'

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | The ADD function (A in colum 66) was specified in the file de tion specifications for this file ADD was not specified in colu 16-18 of the Output sheet for record type output line to be written. |
| System Action: | ADD in columns 16-18 is assu |
| User Response: | To avoid this message the next this job is run, remove the $A$ f column 66 of the file descripti specifications or specify ADD columns 16-18 of the output fications for each record type put line to be written. | WRONG ENTRY, ASSUME BLANK


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 54-59 contain an entry <br> for a file which was not assigned to <br> a SPECIAL device (SPECIAL in col- <br> umns 40-46). <br> Blank is assumed, but the job is <br> terminated. |
| System Action: | Leave columns 54-59 blank for file <br> not assigned to a SPECIAL device. <br> Resubmit the job. |
| User Response: |  |
| RG399-INVALID ENTRY IN COLS 54-59 |  |

RG400-INVALID MODE OF PROCESSING ENTRY IN COLUMN 28

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 28 is not R, |
| System Action: | L, or blank. <br> R is assumed for valid file type or <br> mode of processing; the job is <br> terminated. |
| User Response: | Make proper mode of processing <br> entry in column 28 and resubmit <br> the job. |

## RG401-ONLY ONE TABLE/ARRAY PER FILENAME

 ALLOWED FOR THIS DEVICECode: T-Terminal

Specification Type: E
Explanation: Only one table or array can be specified per file (except for a card file).
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Specify only one table or array per file (except for card files) and resubmit the job.

RG403-INVALID LENGTH OF KEY FIELD IN COLUMN 29-30, ASSUME 03

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type: F
Explanation: The length of key field entry in columns $29-30$ is not specified properly. The entry must be 29 or less for unpacked keys, 8 for packed keys.
System Action: $\quad 03$ is assumed, but the job is terminated.
User Response: Make the length of key field entry in columns 29-30 a valid key length. Resubmit the job.

RG404-INVALID RECORD ADDRESS TYPE ENTRY IN COLUMN 31, ASSUME A

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The entry in column 31 is not A, |
| System Action: | I, or blank. |
| As assumed; the job is terminated. |  |
| User Response: | Make the proper record address <br> type entry in column 31 and re- <br> submit the job. |

RG405-INVALID KEY START LOCATION ENTRY IN COLUMNS 35-38, ASSUME 1

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 35-38 do not contain a <br> number from 1-4096 for an in- <br> dexed file. |
| System Action: | 1 is assumed; the job is terminated. <br> Mser Response: <br> Make the proper key start location <br> entry in columns 35-38 and re- <br> submit the job. |

RG406-INVALID CORE INDEX ENTRY IN COLS 60-65, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 60-65 do not contain a <br> number from 6-9999 for an indexed |
|  | file processed randomly. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper core index entry in col- <br> umns 60-65 and resubmit the job. |
|  | ums |

RG407-INVALID FILE ADDITION OR UNORDERED ENTRY IN COLUMN 66, ASSUME A

| Code: | T-Terminal <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: |
| :--- | :--- |
| F <br> The file addition or unordered load <br> entry in column 66 is not A, U, or <br> blank. |  |
| System Action: | A is assumed; the job is terminated. <br> Make the proper file addition or <br> unordered load entry in column 66 <br> and resubmit the job. |
| User Response: |  |

RG409-ENTRY OF K MADE IN COLUMN 31 FOR RECORD ADDRESS TYPE, ASSUME A

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | An entry of $K$ is not allowed in |
| column 31 for record address type. |  |
| System Action: | A is assumed. <br> User Response: |
|  | If this assumption was wrong, make <br> the proper entry in column 31 and <br> resubmit the job. |

## RG410-EXTENSION SPECIFICATION SHEET BLANK

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Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: Not applicable
Explanation: An E was specified in column 39 of a File Description sheet, but no Extension specifications were entered.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: You must supply the proper extension specifications and resubmit the job.
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## RG411-RESERVED COLUMNS 71-74 ARE NOT BLANK

Code: W-Warning
Specification Type: T
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
Columns 71-74 on the Telecommunications Specifications are reserved and should be blank. Blanks are assumed. Leave columns blank.

RG450-BUFOFF SPECIFIED ON AN OUTPUT FILE

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
F
System/3 cannot create tapes with a block prefix.
BUFOFF entry is ignored; job is terminated. Remove BUFOFF and resubmit the job.

RG451-CONTINUATION (K IN COL 53) SPECIFIED FOR FILE OTHER THAN A TAPE FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: <br> Explanation: | F <br> Continuation is only allowed on <br> tape files. |
| System Action: | Continuation is ignored; job is <br> terminated. <br> Remove the continuation (K in <br> column 53) and resubmit the job. |
| User Response: |  <br> RG452-ENTRY IN COL 54-59 OF A CONTINUATION |
| CARD IS NOT VALID |  |

RG453-CONTINUATION ENTRY IN COL 54-59 IS REPEATED FOR A FILE, SECOND ENTRY IGNORED

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Each of the continuation entries <br> ASCII and BUFOFF may appear <br> only once for any one file. |
| System Action: | The second usage of the entry is <br> ignored. <br> To avoid this message on the next <br> run remove the repeated continua- <br> tion entry. |
| User Response: | T-Terminal |
| RG454-INVALID BUFFER OFFSET SPECIFIED ON |  |
| COL 60-65 | F |
| Code: | The buffer offset must have a value <br> between 0 and 99. |
| Specification Type: |  |

RG455-COLUMNS 7-52 AND 66-72 ARE NOT BLANK FOR A CONTINUATION LINE, ASSUME BLANK.

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | If continuation is specified, these columns must be blank. |
| System Action: | Entries in columns 7-52 and 66-72 are ignored. |
| User Response: | If this assumption is incorrect, remove the continuation entries and resubmit the job. |
| RG456-RECORD LENGTH SPECIFIED FOR A TAPE FILE IS LESS THAN 18 |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | The minimum recoriosize allowed on tape files is 18 characters. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the record length to 18 or greater and resubmit the job. |

RG457-ENTRIES IN COL 53 AND/OR 70 NOT BLANK FOR NONTAPE FILE, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:

User Response:

RG458-BUFOFF SPECIFIED IN COL 54-59 FOR A NONASCII TAPE FILE, ASSUME ASCII

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:

User Response:

W-Warning
F
The BUFOFF entry is valid only on files that are ASCII files.
An ASCII file with BUFOFF is assumed.
If this assumption is wrong, remove BUFOFF from columns 54-59 and resubmit the job.

RG459-COLUMNS 60-65 ARE NOT BLANK WHEN ASCII IS ENTERED IN COL 54-59

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | If ASCII is specified, no entry is <br> allowed in columns $60-65$. |
| System Action: | The entry in columns $60-65$ is <br> ignored. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message on the next <br> run, leave columns $60-65$ blank. |
|  |  |

## RG460-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 53

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Valid entries are K, or blank. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Correct the entry in columns 53 and <br> resubmit the job. |

## RG461-INVALID ENTRY IN COL 70, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Valid entries are R, U, or N . |
| System Action: | Tape rewind information specified at job execution time assumed. |
| User Response: | Verify that the execution time rewind information will be adequate. If not, correct column 70 and resubmit the job. |
| RG462-CONTINUATION, K IN COL 53, INVALID FOR MAIN FILE DESCRIPTION LINE. ASSUME BLANK. |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | W-Warning |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | K is valid only on a continuation file description specification. |
| System Action: | Blank is assumed. |
| User Response: | To avoid this message on the next run, leave column 53 blank. |
| RG500-FROM NAME INVALID OR MISSING FROM RA FILE |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specificaton Type: | E |
| Explanation: | The From Filename entry in columns 11-18 is missing or not specified properly for an RA file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter the proper record address filename in columns 11-18 and resubmit the job. |

## RG502-FROM FILENAME IS A MULTI DEFINED RA FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |

Specification Type: E
Explanation: The entry in columns 19-26 is not the name of the file being processed by the RA file named in columns 11-18.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper entry in columns 19-26 and resubmit the job.

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

## RG504-TO FILENAME IS INCORRECT FILE TYPE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | The filename specified in columns |
|  | 19-26 is not an input, output, or <br> update file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make sure the file named in columns <br> 19-26 is an input, output, or update |
|  | file. Resubmit the job. |

RG510-LENGTH GIVEN FOR BINARY FIELD IS NOT 2 OR 4, ASSUME 2

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I, O
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response: $\quad$ Make the length of the binary field either 2 or 4 bytes. Resubmit the job.

RG511-PACKED LENGTH GREATER THAN 8 FOR A FIELD, TABLE, OR ARRAY

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | I, O <br> The length specified for a packed <br> field, table, or array is greater than |
| 8. |  |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Specify a length of 8 or less for a <br> packed field, table, or array. Re- <br> submit the job. |
|  |  |
| RG516-MORE THAN 7 AN/OR LINES SPECIFIED |  |

## RG517-AN/OR LINES OUT OF ORDER

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The line immediately following a <br> line with an operation code is an |
| System Action: | AN/OR line. <br> The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Remove the AN/OR entry in col- <br> umns 7-8 from the first line in an |
|  | AN/OR group and resubmit the job. |

RG518-NO INDICATORS GIVEN WITH AND/OR LINES

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | At least one indicator should be <br> given in an AN or OR line. |
|  | Warning is issued. |
| System Action: | Correct or remove the specifications <br> to eliminate the warning error. |
| User Response: |  |

RG519-COLUMNS 18-59 ARE INVALID WITH AN/OR LINES OR OP CODE IS MISSING WITH INDICATORS PRESENT, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

RG520-THIS LINE IS NOT AN AN/OR LINE AND PREVIOUS LINE HAS NO OP CODE; OR THIS LINE HAS NO INDICATORS AND NO OP CODE
Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
C
Only the last line of a group of AN/OR lines can have entries in columns 18-59 or indicators are specified in columns 7-17, but no operation is specified in columns 28-32.
The job is terminated. Make sure that entries are made only in columns $18-59$ of the last line of a group of AN/OR lines or make the proper operation code entry in columns 28-32 Resubmit the job.

## C

This line is not an AN/OR line and previous line has no operation code specified.
The job is terminated. If this line should be an AN/OR line, enter an AN/OR entry in columns 7-8; if this line should have had an operation code (an operation code must be entered in the last line of a group of AN/OR lines), make the proper operation code entry in columns 28-32. Resubmit the job.

## RG521-MINUS INDICATOR IS NOT ALLOWED FOR TEST BIT OPERATION OF ONLY 1 BIT

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
C
Columns 56-57 (Minus) must be blank when only one bit is specified for a TESTB operation.
Blank is assumed.
To avoid the message the next time this job is run, leave columns 56-57 blank.

## RG522-ALL THREE RESULTING INDICATORS ARE

 THE SAME| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Usually the same indicator is <br> used for only one or two of the <br> conditions. |
| System Action: | The indicator specified will be <br> set on each time the calculation is <br> executed. |
| User Response: | Make sure the proper resulting <br> indicator entries have been made <br> in columns 54-59. If the entries |
|  | were incorrect, resubmit the job. |

RG523-A NEGATIVE FACTOR FOR THE SQUARE ROOT OPERATION IS NOT ALLOWED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: |  |
| Explanation: | The entry specified in Factor 2 of a SQRT operation is negative. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the entry in Factor 2 of a SQRT operation a positive value. Resubmit the job. |
| RG524-WHOLE ARRAYS ARE NOT ALLOWED AS FACTOR 1 WITH DISPLAY OR CHAIN OP CODE |  |
|  |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The entry in Factor 1 of a DSPLY or CHAIN operation cannot be a whole array. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter the array name and index in Factor 1 of a DSPLY or CHAIN operation. Resubmit the job. |

RG525-OPERATION CODE IS INVALID FOR DEVICE TYPE OR MODE OF PROCESSING

## Code: <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: <br> System Action: <br> User Response:

T-Terminal

C
The CHAIN operation can only be specified for disk files processed randomly.
The job is terminated. Make sure that CHAIN is only specified for disk files processed randomly.

RG540-FILE TYPE ENTRY IS U OR C FOR A CONSOLE, ASSUME I

Code:
Specification Type: F
Explanation:
System Action: $\quad$ The file is assumed to be an input file.
User Response: If this assumption was wrong, make the proper entry in column 15 and resubmit the job.

## RG541-FILE DESIGNATION IS INVALID FOR ADDROUT FILE, ASSUME R

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG543-LENGTH OF KEY COL 29-30, OR LENGTH OF KEY AND KEY START LOCATION GREATER THAN RECORD LENGTH

## Code: T-Terminal

Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: Key field length of 03 is assumed; key field starting location of O 1 is assumed. The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the proper key field length (columns 29-30) and key field starting location (columns 35-38) entries. Resubmit the job.

RG544-LENGTH OF RA OR KEY FIELD, COLS 29-30 BLANK OR INVALID, ASSUME 03

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 29-30 are blank or the <br> entry specified is invalid for files <br> that contain limits or for ADDROUT |
| System Action: | files. |
| 03 is assumed; the job is terminated. |  |
| User Response: | Make the entry in columns 29-30 <br> a number from 1 to 29 for files that <br> contain limits and for ADDROUT <br> files. Resubmit the job. |

RG548-FILE ADDITION IS INVALID FOR FILE OR DEVICE, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F, O |
| Explanation: | File addition (A in column 66) can <br> be specified for sequential and in- <br> dexed output files on disk only. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper file addition entry <br> in column 66 and resubmit the job. |

## RG549-KEY FIELD START LOCATION IS BLANK OR EXCEEDS RECORD LENGTH

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Columns 35-38 are blank or the <br> entry specified exceeds the record <br> length in your file description |
|  | specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Make the key field starting location <br> User Response: |
|  | entry (1-4096) in columns 35-38 <br> equal to or less than the record <br> length. Resubmit the job. |

## RG550-NO MORE THAN 20 FILE DESCRIPTION SPECS ALLOWED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | More than 20 file description lines <br> were specified. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify a maximumin of 20 file de- <br> scription lines per program. Re- <br> submit the job. |
|  | U |
|  |  |

RG551-RECORD LENGTH MISSING OR INVALID FOR DISK FILE, ASSUME 256

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: F
Explanation: The record length entry in columns 24-27 is missing.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper record length entry in columns 24-27; it can be a number from 1 to 4096. Resub. mit the job.

RG552-FACTOR 1 AND RESULT FIELD MUST NOT BOTH BE BLANK WITH DSPLY OP CODE

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
C
Both the Result Field and Factor 1 were left blank on a DSPLY operation.
The job is terminated.
Make the proper entry under Factor 1 or the Result Field for the DSPLY operation and resubmit the job.

## RG553-CORE INDEX IS INVALID FOR DEVICE TYPE OR MODE OF PROCESSING

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal
Specification Type: F
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response: Make the proper core index entry in columns 60-65 and resubmit the job.

RG554-ADD SPECIFIED ON THE FILE DESCRIPTION SPEC BUT ADD NOT REFERENCED ON OUTPUT

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | Not applicable <br> Column 66 contains an A, but <br> Explanation: |
|  | record addition ADD in columns <br> $16-18$ is not specified in your out- <br> put specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Place ADD in columns 16-18 of <br> your output specifications when |
|  | A is specified in column 66 of file <br> description. Resubmit the job. |

RG555-NO ADD SPECIFIED ON FILE DESCRIPTION

| Code: | T-Terminal <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Not applicable <br> ADD is specified in columns 16-18 <br> of your output specifications, but <br> the add function was not specified <br> in file description specifications <br> (column 66) for this file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: <br>  <br> Place A in column 66 of your file <br> description specifications when |
|  | ADD is specified in columns 16-18 <br> of the output specifications. Re- <br> submit the job. |

## RG557-MASK FOR BIT OPERATION IS NOT 0-7

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The mask specified for the bit opera- <br> tion is not $0-7$. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> User Response: |
| Specify bits $0-7$ as the mask for <br> the bit operation and resubmit the <br> job. |  |

## RG558-INVALID USE OF RESULTING INDICATORS WITH THIS OP CODE. ASSUME INVALID RESULTING INDICATORS BLANK

Code:
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## W-Warning

C
Columns 56-59 must be blank for the CHAIN operation; columns 54-57 must be blank for the READ operation. Blank is assumed. To avoid this message the next time this job is run, leave columns 56-59 blank for the CHAIN operation, or leave columns 54-57 blank for the READ operation.

RG560-MODE OF PROCESSING (COL 28) GIVEN BUT NOT ALLOWED, ASSUME BLANK

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal F
The mode of processing entry specified in column 28 is invalid. The job is terminated. An entry is allowed only for limits or random processing of disk files. Place the proper entry in column 66 and resubmit the job.

RG561-KEY FIELD START LOCATION (COLS 35-38) GIVEN BUT NOT ALLOWED, ASSUME BLANK

## Code:

T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Place the proper entry in columns 35-38 of file description specifications for indexed files only. Resubmit the job.

RG562-FILE TYPE FOR FROM FILENAME AND/OR TO FILENAME INVALID WITH TABLE/ARRAY
\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Code: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { T-Terminal } \\
\text { Specification Type: } \\
\text { Explanation: }\end{array} \\
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Not applicable } \\
\text { The From Filename and/or the } \\
\text { To Filename specified is invalid. }\end{array} \\
\text { User Response: } & \begin{array}{l}\text { The job is terminated. } \\
\text { Make sure the From Filename speci- } \\
\text { fied in columns 11-18 of extension } \\
\text { specifications is an input file and } \\
\text { that the To Filename in columns }\end{array}
$$ <br>
19-26 is an output file. Resubmit <br>

the job.\end{array}\right]\)|  |
| :--- | :--- |
| RG565-COLUMN 31 |

## RG566-INVALID USE OF DEVICE AS FROM FILENAME

## Code: <br> Specification Type: <br> T-Terminal <br> E

Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

The file named in columns 11-18 of extension specifications is not assigned to the disk, MFCU, or console
The job is terminated.
Place the proper From Filename entry in columns 11-18 and resubmit the job.

RG567-TABLE RECORD SIZE GREATER THAN FROM FILENAME DEVICE RECORD SIZE

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: E
Explanation: Table or array record length specified exceeds the maximum record allowed for the device.
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the table or array record length equal to or less than the maximum record length for the device. Resubmit the job.

RG568-LENGTH OF KEY FIELD OR RA LENGTH COLS 29-30 GIVEN BUT NOW ALLOWED, ASSUME BLANK

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | Length of key field or RA length <br> specified in columns 29-30 is in- |
|  | valid for this file type. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Leave columns 29-30 blank, and <br> resubmit the job. |

RG569-ENTRY OF I COL 32 NOT GIVEN FOR AN INDEXED FILE, ASSUME I

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The entry specified in column 32 |
|  | for an indexed file is not I. |
| System Action: | I is assumed, the job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Enter I in column 32 for an indexed |
|  | file and resubmit the job. |

## RG570-LOOK AHEAD WITH NUMERIC SEQUENCE OR LOOK AHEAD FOLLOWS A NUMERIC RECORD

## Code:

T-Terminal
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

I
A look ahead record type (** in columns 19-20) cannot be specified on the same line as a numeric sequence entry in columns $15-16$. The job is terminated. Specify look ahead record types (** in columns 19-20) on the same line with an aiphabetic entry in columns 15-16. Resubmit the job.

RG571-MORE THAN ONE LOOK AHEAD RECORD IN A FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Look ahead is specified more than <br> once for this file. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make only one look ahead specifi- <br> cation for a file. Resubmit the <br> job. |

RG572-LOOK AHEAD CANNOT BE THE ONLY RECORD IN A FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Look ahead records specified do <br> not follow other file or record <br> type specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify look ahead records follow- <br> ing other file or record type speci- <br> fications. Resubmit the job. |

## RG573-MULTI RA FILES DEFINED

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | More than one record address file <br> is defined in this program. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify only one record address <br> file per program. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

## RG574-EXTERNAL INDICATOR COLS 71-72 NOT THE SAME AS RA FILES

| Code: | T--Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | The record address file and the file <br> it is used to process are not con- |
|  | ditioned by the same external in- <br> dicator. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> When external indicators are used, |
| User Response: | specify the same external indicator <br> for both the record address file and <br> the file it is used to process. Re |
| submit the job. |  |

RG575-NO INPUT SPECIFICATIONS FOUND FOR THIS FILE

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | Not applicable |

Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

RG576-COMPILE TIME TABLE DATA FOUND. COMPILE TIME TABLE OR ARRAY NOT SPECIFIED IN EXTENSION

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | No extension specifications were <br> supplied for compile time table. |
| System Action: | Table data is not processed. |
| User Response: | Supply the proper extension speci- <br> fications and resubmit the job. |
|  |  |

RG577-ONLY ONE FILE ASSOCIATED WITH RA FILE IS ALLOWED IN A PROGRAM

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

## RG578-RA FILE OR A FILE ASSOCIATED WITH RA FILE IS REQUIRED BUT NOT DEFINED

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action: User Response:

## F, E

More than one record address file or more than one file associated with a record address file is defined in this program. The job is terminated. Specify only one record address file per program or associate only one file with a record address file.
\(\left.\begin{array}{ll}RG578-RA FILE OR A FILE ASSOCIATED WITH RA <br>

FILE IS REQUIRED BUT NOT DEFINED\end{array}\right]\)| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | F |
| Explanation: | A record address file or a file asso- <br> ciated with the RA file is required |
|  | for this job, but was not defined. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. <br> Supply the proper record address <br> Unesponse: |
|  | file or file associated with an RA <br> file. Resubmit the job. |

RG579-FIRST 1P LINE NOT FOR PRINTER, ASSUME COL 41 IN CONTROL CARD BLANK

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | 0 |
| Explanation: | Forms alignment is requested but the first 1 P line is not specified for a printer file. |
| System Action: | Column 41 of the control card specifications is assumed to be blank; therefore, no forms alignment is done. |
| User Response: | For forms alignment, specify the first 1 P line for a printer file. |
| RG580-REFERENCED A MATCH LEVEL WHICH IS |  |
| NOT VALID, OR DEFINED A LEVEL MORE THAN |  |
| ONCE |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal |
| Specification Type: | 1 |
| Explanation: | Either an invalid match level is used or a match level is defined more than once. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Be sure that each record group contains the same match levels, and that each match level is defined only once. Resubmit the job. |

RG581-MISSING OR INVALID AN/OR ENTRY IN COL 7-8

Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

C
An AN/OR entry in columns 7-8 is missing or the entry specified is not AN or OR. The job is terminated. Make the proper AN/OR entry in column 7-8 and resubmit the job.

RG582-THE RELATIVE RECORD NUMBER FOR THE CHAIN OPERATION MUST BE NUMERIC WITH 0 DECIMAL

Code:
Specification Type: Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

W-Warning
C
The relative record number specified for a CHAIN operation is not a numeric field with zero decimal positions.
The decimal positions are ignored. To avoid this message the next time this job is run, make the relative record number for a CHAIN operation a numeric field with zero decimal positions.

## RG583-BINARY LENGTH SPECIFIED GREATER THAN 9, ASSUME 9

Code: $\quad$ T-Terminal

Specification Type: I
Explanation: The binary length specified is greater than 9 .
System Action: The job is terminated.
User Response: Make the binary length entry 9 or less and resubmit the job.

## RG584-THIS MATCH LEVEL WAS REFERENCED PRFVIOUSLY IN THIS RECORD GROUP

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | A match level was referenced more <br> than once within one record group |
| System Action: The job is terminated. <br> Use sure that each match level is <br> referenced only once within a <br> record group. Resubmit the job. <br>   <br> RG585-DISPLAY, CHAIN, OR DEMAND FILE  <br> SPECIFIED, BUT APPROPRIATE OPERATION CODE  <br> NOT FOUND IN CALCULATION SPECIFICATIONS  |  |


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | Display, chain, or demand files are <br> specified but the appropriate opera- <br> tion codes are not specified in cal- <br> culation specifications. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Specify the appropriate operation <br> code and resubmit the job. |


| RG586-MORE THAN ALLOWABLE TABLE/ARRAY NAMES USED IN THE PROGRAM |  | RG589-RESULT FIELD MUST BE A ONE-POSITION ALPHAMERIC FIELD IF FACTOR 2 IS A FIELD |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | NAME, IT MUST BE A ONE-POSITION ALPHAMERIC |  |
| Code: | T-Terminal | FIELD |  |
| Specification Type: | E |  |  |
| Explanation: | More than 60 table and/or array names defined in this program. | Code: | T-Terminal |
|  |  | Specification Type: | C |
| System Action: User Response: | The job is terminated. Make the number of table and/or array names used in a program 60 or less. Resubmit the job. | Explanation: | The Result Field is not a one-byte alphameric field for TESTB, BITON, and BITOF, or Factor 2 is a field name but is not a one-byte alphameric entry. |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| RG587-IF FACTOR 1 OR FACTOR 2 IS A WHOLE ARRAY, RESULT FIELD MUST BE WHOLE ARRAY |  | User Response: | Make the Result Field a one-byte alphameric field for TESTB, BITON, or BITOF. If Factor 2 contains a field name, make it a one-byte alphameric field. Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Specification Type: | C |  |  |
| Explanation: | The entry in Factor 1 or Factor 2 is a whole array, but the Result Field does not refer to a whole array. |  |  |
| System Action:User Response: | The job is terminated. | RG590-WHENEVER HIGH IS USED IN A MOVE ZONE |  |
|  | When the entry in Factor 1 or | OPERATION, IT MUST REFERENCE AN ALPHAMERIC FIELD |  |
|  | Factor 2 is a whole array, place an array name in the Result Field. |  |  |  |
|  | Resubmit the job. | Code: | T-Terminal |
|  |  | Specification Type: | C |
|  |  | Explanation: | The high portion of a move zone |
| RG588-TESTB, BITON, AND BITOF MAY NOT REFERENCE AN ENTIRE ARRAY |  | instruction does not reference an alphameric field. |  |
|  |  | System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| Code: <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: | T-Terminal | User Response: | Make the high portion of a move zone instruction reference an alphameric field and resubmit the job. |
|  | C |  |  |
|  | An entire array must not be referenced in a TESTB, BITON, or BITOF operation. |  |  |
| System Action: User Response: | The job is terminated. | RG591-LENGTH OF FIELD IN FACTOR 1 NOT EQUAL |  |
|  | When using arrays with TESTB, BITON, or BITOF operations, specify array elements not the whole array. Resubmit the job. | TO KEY LENGTH OF FILE SPECIFIED IN FACTOR 2 |  |
|  |  | Code: | T-Terminal |
|  |  | Specification Type: | C |
|  |  | Explanation: | The length of the field in Factor 1 of a CHAIN operation is not equal to the key field length specified in Factor 2. |
|  |  | System Action: <br> User Response: | The job is terminated. <br> For a CHAIN operation, make the length of the chaining field (Factor <br> 1) equal to the length of the key field (Factor 2). Resubmit the job. |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

RG592-FOR SEQUENTIALLY PROCESSED UPDATE FILE-T ENTRY IN COL 15 IS INVALID OR LO-L9 INDICATOR USED WITH E IN COL 15

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | Total output cannot be specified <br> for update files processed sequen <br> tially. |
| System Action: The job is terminated. <br> User Response: <br> Remove the T or E entry from <br> column 15 and resubmit the job.  <br> RG593-TABLE/ARRAY NAME MISSING FOR 'TO'  <br> AND/OR 'FROM' FILENAME  |  | AND/OR 'FROM' FILENAME


| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | No table name was specified in |
|  | umns 27-32 for a table load op |
|  | tion (From Filename in colum |
|  | 11-18) or for a table output op <br> tion (To Filename in columns |
|  | 26). |
|  |  |
| System Action: | No action taken. |
| User Response: | To avoid the message when thi |
|  | is run again, specify the proper |
|  | table name in columns 27-32. |
|  |  |
| RG594-TO FILENAME MAY NOT BE USED WITH |  |
| EXECUTION TIME TABLE/ARRAY |  |


| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | An array output operation (To <br> Filename in columns 19-26) must <br> not be specified for execution time <br> arrays. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Remove the To Filename entry in <br> columns 19-26 for execution time |
|  | arrays. Resubmit the job. |

RG595-COLS 27-32 AND 46-51 MUST BE BOTH TABLE OR BOTH ARRAY NAMES

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | For alternating tables, columns |
|  | $27-32$ and 46-51 do not both con- <br> tain table names; or columns 27-32 <br> and 46-51 do not both contain |
|  | array names for alternating arrays. <br>  <br> System Action: <br> User Response: |
|  | The job is terminated. <br> For alternating tables or arrays, <br> specify either table names or array <br> names in both columns $27-32$ and <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  |

RG596-INDICATORS MAY NOT BE USED WITH *PLACE
Code:
T-Terminal
Specification Type:
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:
0
*PLACE is conditioned automatically by the same indicators which condition the line or lines to be repeated.
The job is terminated.
Remove the conditioning indicators
from the *PLACE statement and resubmit the job.

## RG597-END POSITION SPECIFIED FOR *PLACE LESS THAN TWICE THAT OF HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY SPECIFIED FIELD END POSITION

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | O |
| Explanation: | The end position specified for <br> *PLACE is lower than end position |
|  | specified for the preceding field. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper end position entry <br> for *PLACE, and resubmit the job. |
|  | fre |

## RG598-ALPHA TABLE/ARRAY SPECIFIED AS PACKED, ASSUME NUMERIC

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :---: | :---: |
| Specification Type: | E |
| Explanation: | An alphameric table or array was specified as packed. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| Úsei Respounse: | Speccify the table oui añay às |

## RG599-LENGTH OF ELEMENT FOR BINARY TABLE/ ARRAY NOT SPECIFIED AS 4 OR 9, DEFAULT TO 4 IF LENGTH SPECIFIED IS LESS THAN 4, OTHERWISE DEFAULT TO 9

| Code: <br> Specification Type: <br> Explanation: | T-Terminal <br> The binary length was not specified |
| :--- | :--- |
| System Action: | as 4 or 9. |
| The job is terminated. <br> User Response: <br> Make the proper binary length <br> entry and resubmit the job. |  |
|  |  |
| RG621-TRAILER RECORD OVERLAPS HEADER |  |

## RG622-NO TRAILER FIELDS FOR SPREAD CARD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | No trailer fields are specified for <br> the spread card. |
| System Action: | The job is terminated. |
| User Response: | Make the proper trailer field entries <br> for the spread card (TR in columns |
|  | 19-20). Resubmit the job. |

RG623-ENTRIES IN COLUMNS 7-18 AND 21-74
INVALID FOR TR SPECIFICATION, ASSUME NO TR

RG624-TR SPECIFICATION OUT OF ORDER

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG625-FACTOR 1 MUST BE NUMERIC FOR CHAIN OPERATION WHEN FACTOR 2 FILENAME HAS PACKED KEYS

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | C |
| Explanation: | The entry specified in Factor 1 of |
|  | a CHAIN operation is not numeric <br> even though the file named in |
|  | Factor 2 has packed keys. <br> System Action: |
| The job is terminated. |  |
| User Response: | Make the entry in Factor 1 of a <br> CHAIN operation numeric when |
|  | the file named in Factor 2 has <br> packed keys. Resubmit the job. |

## RG626-MORE THAN 255 TR SPECIFICATIONS GIVEN

Code: T-Terminal
Specification Type: I
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG628-INVALID FILE TYPE FOR SPREAD CARD

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |

Spection Type
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

More than 255 valid TR lines are specified in this program. The job is terminated. Make the number of valid TR lines in this program 255 or less. Resubmit the job.

| Code: | T-Terminal |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | Entries specified in columns 7-18 <br> and 21-74 of a TR line. |
| System Action: | Columns 19-20 are assumed blank; <br> no spread cards are accepted. The <br> job is terminated. |
| User Response: | If spread cards are to be used, leave <br> columns 7-18 and 21-74 blank for |
|  | the TR line (TR in columns 19-20). <br> Resubmit the job. |



RG631-FACTOR 1 MUST HAVE SAME LENGTH WHEN PACKED AS LENGTH OF PACKED KEYS FOR FACTOR 2 FILENAME
Code:
Specification Ty
Explanation:

System Action:
User Response:

RG634-STERLING INVALID FOR SPREAD CARD

## Code:

Specification Type:
Explanation:
System Action:
User Response:

T-Terminal
T-Terminal
C
The entry in Factor 1 of a CHAIN operation is not the same length when packed as the record keys in the file named in Factor 2.
The job is terminated. Make sure the entry in Factor 1 of a CHAIN operation is the same length when packed as the record key in file named in Factor 2. Resubmit the job.

I
Sterling cannot be specified for spread card.
The job is terminated.
Remove the sterling specification and resubmit the job.

RG799-ERROR FILE FULL

## Code: W-Warning

Specification Type: Not applicable
Explanation: Too many errors were made in this program.
System Action: No action taken.
User Response: $\quad$ To avoid this message when this job is run again, correct the errors already diagnosed in this program.

RG999-PROGRAM EXCEEDS CORE IN COL 12-14 OF HEADER CARD

Code:
W-Warning
Specification Type: H
Explanation:
The program requires more core storage for execution than specified in columns 12-14 of the control card specifications.
System Action: No action taken.
User Response: To avoid this message when this job is run again, make the proper entry in columns 12-14.

RG635-NUMERIC SEQUENCE CHECKING SPECIFIED FOR A SPREAD RECORD, BUT N NOT SPECIFIED FOR NUMBER, ASSUME N

| Code: | W-Warning |
| :--- | :--- |
| Specification Type: | I |
| Explanation: | An N entry was not made in col- <br> umn 17 even though sequence <br> checking was specified (numeric <br> entry in columns 15-16). |
|  | N is assumed. |
| System Action: | To avoid this message when this <br> User Response: |
|  | job run again, enter N in column |
|  |  |

## Appendix G. Special Device Support

RPG II permits the use of special input/output devices. This is done by providing a link to a user-written routine that performs data transfer for the special device. Control cannot be transferred from one user assembler subroutine to another.

The following file description specifications apply to files on SPECIAL devices (asterisks denote special entries for this feature; see Figure G-1).

## Columns Entry

7-14 Valid RPG II filename.
15 I, O, U, or C.

16 P, S, D, or blank.

17 Blank or E.

18 Blank, A, or D.

20-23 Block length.
24-27 Record length.
28-31 Must be blank.

32 Blank or 1-9 (dual I/O areas are allowed).
33-39 Must be blank.
*40-46 The word SPECIAL.

Columns Entry
47-53 Must be blank.
*54-59 SUBRxx; $x$ can be any alphabetic character (this is the name of the user-written routine that performs data transfer).

60-70 Must be blank.

71-72 Blank or U1-U8.

73-74 Must be blank.

The following can be used with SPECIAL files:
FORCE operation code.
READ operation code.
File translation.
*PLACE on output.

The following cannot be used with SPECIAL files:

CHAIN operation code.
Stacker select.
Spacing and skipping.
*PRINT.
*(asterisk) in column 40 on Output-Format Sheet to print constants on cards.

Care must be taken when using Dual Programming Feature with a special device. If SPECIAL for the same device is used in both levels, it is the programmer's responsibility to see that the device is ready.

SPECIAL files can only be processed consecutively.
The IBM System/3 Disk System Basic Assembler Program Reference Manual, SC21-7509, describes the operation codes passed to data management and the completion codes passed back by data management.


Figure G-1. File Description Entries for Special Device Support

Linkage from RPG II to an Assembler language subroutine is accomplished through the EXIT and RLABL RPG II operations. Control cannot be transferred from one user assembler subroutine to another user assembler subroutine. All EXIT and SPECIAL subroutines will be a part of the root segment and will not be put into overlays. Information on coding assembler subroutines for EXIT and RLABL is contained in IBM System/3 Disk System Basic Assembler Program Reference Manual, SC21-7509.

## EXIT Operation

The EXIT operation code is used to designate a point in the RPG II calculation specifications at which control is to be passed to a previously assembled, external subroutine. The rules for use of the EXIT operation in RPG II calculation specifications are as follows:

## 1. Operation EXIT.

2. Factor 1 blank.
3. Factor 2 contains the name of the subroutine to which control is to be passed. The name must consist of 5 or 6 characters, the first 4 of which are SUBR. The remaining characters must be alphabetic (subroutine names containing numeric characters are reserved for IBM-written subroutines).
4. Result Field blank.
5. Resulting Indicators blank.

The EXIT operation can be conditioned by Control Level entries (columns 7-8) and Indicator entries (columns 9-17). If not conditioned by control level entries, the EXIT operation occurs at detail calculation time.

## RLABL Specification

Through the RLABL operation, a field, table, or array defined in the RPG II program can be referenced by the subroutine to which the EXIT operation gives control. The rules for use of RLABL in RPG II calculation specifications are as follows:

## 1. Operation RLABL.

2. Result Field contains field, table, or array name.
3. Field Length contains the length of the field (optional).
4. Decimal Positions contains the decimal indication (optional).

The RLABL specifications must immediately follow the EXIT specifications for the subroutine which references the RPG II field. A name defined by a TAG, BEGSR, or ENDSR specification cannot be used in an RLABL specification.

## Referencing Indicators

An assembler subroutine may reference indicators in the RPG II program to which it is linked. This is done by entering INxx in the Result Field of an RLABL specification. The xx represents the indicator to be referenced. For example, if MR is to be tested, INMR must be entered in the Result Field of the RLABL specification.

## Coding Examples

Figure $\mathrm{H}-1$ shows an example of the linkage when the subroutine refers to a field, table, or array defined in the RPG II program. Figure $\mathrm{H}-2$ shows an example of the linkage when the subroutine references indicators defined in the RPG II program.


Field, Table, or Array Name
Figure H-1. Field, Table, or Array Entry


Figure H -2. Indicator Entry

This appendix contains a brief column-by-column description of each of the RPG II specification sheets. It is intended as a quick reference by programmers who are acquainted with RPG II for the IBM System/3 Disk System. For a complete description of each entry, refer to the applicable section of this manual. For a complete description of telecommunications entries see IBM System/3 RPG II Telecommunication Programming Reference Manual, SC21-7507.

## INFORMATION COMN:ON TO ALL FORMS

RPG II source cards should be in ascending numeric sequence by columns 1 through 5 . Cards that are out of sequence are flagged. Adjacent cards with duplicate sequence numbers are not flagged.

## Columns 1.2 (Page)

Arrange the specifications sheets in the following order and number them in ascending sequence:

1. Control Card and File Description.
2. Extension and Line Counter.
3. Telecommunications.
4. Input.
5. Calculation.
6. Output-Format.

## Columns 3-5 (Line)

The first two digits of the line number are pre-printed. Use the unnumbered lines on the sheet for additional specifications or, along with column 5, to insert a line between two other completed lines. For example, line 025 would be inserted between lines 02 and 03 .

## Column 6 (Form Type)

This column contains a pre-printed code (H, F, E, L, T, I, C, or 0 ) which must be punched into all RPG II specifications cards.

## Column 7 (Comments)

Enter an asterisk in each line used as a comment line. The control card specification line (line 01) cannot be used as a comment line.

## Columns 75-80 (Program Identification)

Insert any valid characters in columns 75-80 of the control card to identify the program. This name is used in a program directory which contains the location of your program on disk. If these columns are left blank, RPGOBJ is assumed. Columns $75-80$ on all other specifications cards can contain any entries.

## CONTROL CARD SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-9 (Core Size to Compile)

Leave these positions blank.

## Column 10 (Object Output)

Entry $\quad$ Object Program is:
Blank - Written temporarily in object library.
D $\quad-\quad$ Written temporarily in object library.
C - Written permanently in object library.
P - Punched into cards.

## Column 11 (Listing Options)

Leave this position blank.

## Columns 12-14 (Core Size to Execute)

Column 12
Blank, $0 \quad-\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { No additional 256-byte increments are } \\ & \text { needed. }\end{aligned}$
Q $\quad-\quad$ One additional 256-byte increment is needed.

H $\quad-\quad$ Two additional 256-byte increments are needed.

T $\quad-\quad$ Three additional 256-byte increments are needed.

Columns 13-14

Blank - Core size available for execution is same as core size used for compilation.
| 01-61 - Core size available for execution if different from core size used for compilation. Entry is the number of $K$ ( $1 \mathrm{~K}=1,024$ bytes) available.

## Column 15 (Debug)

Blank - DEBUG operation not used.
1 - DEBUG operation used.

## Column 19 (Output Shillings)

| Blank | - | Sterling not used. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | - | Output shilling field is printed only. |
| 1 | - | IBM format. |
| 2 | - | BSI format. |

## Column 20 (Output Pence)

Blank - Sterling not used.
$0 \quad-\quad$ Output pence field is printed only.
1 - IBM format.
$2-\quad$ BSI format.

## Column 21 (Inverted Print)

Blank - Domestic format.
I - World Trade format.

J - World Trade format (leading zero remains for zero balances).

D $\quad-\quad$ United Kingdom format.

## Columns 22-25

Leave these positions blank.

## Column 26 (Alternate Collating Sequence)

Blank - Normal collating sequence used.
S - Alternate collating sequence used.

Columns 27-36

Leave these positions blank.

Column 37 (Inquiry)

Blank - Program not interruptable.
B $\quad-\quad$ Program recognizes inquiry requests.
I $\quad-\quad$ Inquiry program.

## Columns 38-40

Leave these positions blank.

## Column 41 (1P Forms Position)

Blank - First 1P line printed only once.
1 - First 1P line can be printed repeatedly to allow forms positioning.

## Column 42

Leave this position blank.

## Column 43 (File Translation)

Blank - No file translation needed.
F - Input, output, update, or combined files are to be translated.

## Column 44 (Punch MFCU Zeros)

Blank - Leading zeros are removed.
1 - Leading zeros are used (applies to MFCU only).

## | Column 45 (Nonprint Characters)

Blank Program halts if an unprintable character is encountered.

1 - No halt for unprintable character.

## Columns 46-47

Leave these positions blank.

## Column 48 (Shared I/O)

Blank - All disk files use a separate input/output area.
1 - All disk files share a single input/output area.

## Columns 49-74

Leave these positions blank.

## FILE DESCRIPTION SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-14 (Filename)

Enter a name for each file. The filename can be from one to eight characters long, must begin in column 7, and must be a valid RPG II name (see Definition of Terms in Chapter 1).

## Column 15 (File Type)

I $\quad-\quad$ Input
$0 \quad-\quad$ Output
U $\quad-\quad$ Update
C $\quad-\quad$ Combined
D $\quad-\quad$ Display

Column 16 (File Designation)
P - Primary
S - Secondary
C $\quad-\quad$ Chained
R - Record Address
T - Table or Array
D - Demand
Leave blank for display files and all output files except chained output files.

## Column 17 (End of File)

E $\quad-\quad$ All records from the file must be processed before the program can end.

Blank - The program can end whether or not all records from this file have been processed.

If column 17 is blank or $E$ for all files, all records from every file must be processed before the program can end. An $E$ can only be specified here if column 15 contains $I, U$, or $C$ and column 16 contains a $P, S$, or $R$.

## Coiumn 18 (Sequence)

Blank - No sequence checking is to be done.

A - Sequence checking is done. Records are in ascending sequence.

D - Sequence checking is done. Records are in descending sequence.

Sequence checking is required when matching fields are used. Column 18 applies to update and combined files and all input files except table, array, chained, demand, and record address files.

## Column 19 (File Format)

$F$ must be entered.

## Columns 20-23 (Block Length)

Disk: 1-4096 (multiple of record length)
MFCU: 1.96

Printer/Keyboard: 1-125
Printer: 1-96, 1-120, or 1-132 (depending on number of print positions)

Tape: 18-4096 (multiple of record length plus the size of the buffer offset)

Block length entry for files other than disk or tape must be equal to record length.

## Columns 24-27 (Record Length)

Disk: 1-4096

MFCU: 1-96

Printer/Keyboard: 1-125
Printer: 1-96, 1-120, or 1-132 (depending on number of print positions)

Tape: 18-4096 (equal to or less than block length)

## Column 28 (Mode of Processing)

Blank - 1. Sequential by key.
2. Consecutive.

L - Sequential within limits.
$\mathrm{R} \quad-\quad$ 1. Random by relative record number.
2. Random by key.
3. By ADDROUT file.
4. Direct file load (random load).

This column must be blank for non-disk files.

Columns 29-30 (Length of Key field or Record Address Field)

Indexed file: Length of record key.
Record Address File Containing Limits: Length of record key.

ADDROUT File: Length of record (always 3).
Maximum length of a record key is 29 characters.

Column 31 (Record Address Type)
A $\quad-\quad$ Indexed file.

P - Indexed file with packed keys.
I $\quad-\quad$ ADDROUT file or processed by ADDROUT file.

Blank - Sequential or direct file.
Column 31 applies to disk files specified as input, update, or chained output files.

Column 32 (File Organization of Additional I/O Area)

| I | - | Indexed organization. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| T | - | ADDROUT file. |
| $1-9$ | - | Sequential or direct file, use two I/O <br> areas for the file. |
| Blank | - | Sequential or direct file, use one I/O <br> area for the file. |

Columns 33-34 (Overflow Indicator)

OA-OG, OV- Overflow indicator used to condition records in the file.

Blank - No overflow indicator is used.

## Columns 35-38 (Key Field Starting Location)

For indexed files, enter the beginning position of the key field in the record.

## Column 39 (Extension Code)

E $\quad$ - The file described on this line is a table file, array file, or record address file further described on extension specifications.
$\mathrm{L} \quad$ - The file described on this line is a printer file further described on line counter specifications.

## Columns 40-46 (Device)

Enter the device code for the input/output unit used by the file specified in columns 7-14, as follows:

| Input/Output Unit | Device Code |
| :--- | :--- |
| IBM 5424 Multi-Function Card | MFCU1 (Primary |
| Unit | Hopper) |
|  | MFCU2 (Secondary |
|  | Hopper) |
| IBM 5203 Printer | PRINTER |

IBM 5203 Printer (Dual Carriage)

IBM 5471 Printer Keyboard
IBM 5444 Disk Storage Drive
IBM 5445 Disk Storage Drive
IBM 3410 Magnetic Tape Unit TAPE
Binary Synchronous
Communications Adapter BSCA
Device not supported by RPG II

SPECIAL

Columns 47-52

Leave these positions blank.

## Column 53

## Labels

Leave this position blank unless using continuation lines.

## Continuation Lines

K $\quad-\quad$ Continuation record specified for tape.

Columns 54-59

Name of Label Exit

Blank - No SPECIAL device used.
SUBRxx - Name of the user-written subroutine which will perform the I/O operation for a SPECIAL device.

## Continuation Line Option

ASCII $\quad-\quad$ ASCII tape file specified.
BUFOFF - Tape input file contains a block prefix (used only if ASCII file specified).

Columns 60-65
Columns 71-72 (File Condition U1-U8)

U1-U8 $\quad-\quad$ File is conditioned by the specified
Core Index

6-9999 - Number of bytes reserved for core index.

Blank - No core index will be built.

## Continuation Line Entry

0-99 - Length of the block prefix in an ASCII tape input file that specifies BUFOFF.

## Column 66 (File Addition/Unordered)

A - New records will be added to the file.
$\mathrm{U} \quad-\quad$ Records are to be loaded into an indexed file in unordered sequence.

This column applies to sequential and indexed disk files.

## Column 67

Leave this position blank.

## Columns 68-69 (Number of Extents)

Blank - Single volume file.

1-50 - Number of volumes that contain the file.

For consecutive processing, if any volumes are off-line during processing, then all volumes must be on removable packs. For sequential or random processing, all volumes must be on line.

## Column 70 (Tape Rewind)

R - Rewind tape at end of file
U $\quad-\quad$ Unload tape at end of file
$\mathrm{N} \quad-\quad$ Leave tape at end of file
external indicator.

Blank - File is not conditioned by an external indicator.

These columns apply to output files and primary and secondary input (except table or array input files), update, and combined files. A record address file may be conditioned by an external indicator if its associated primary or secondary file is conditioned either by the same indicator or by no indicator.

## Columns 73-74

Leave these positions blank.

## EXTENSION SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-10

Leave these positions blank.

## Columns 11-18 (From Filename)

Enter, left justified, the name of the table or array input file loaded at pre-execution time or the name of the record address file defined on the File Description Sheet.

## Columns 19-26 (To Filename)

If the file named in From Filename is a record address file, enter the name of the primary or secondary input or update file containing the data records to be processed. If From Filename is a table or array file, enter the name of the output file to which the table or array is written at end of job. Leave this entry blank if the table or array is not written out.

## Columns 27-32 (Table or Array Name)

Enter the name of a table or array used in the program. If alternating tables or arrays are described, enter the name of the table or array whose entry is first on the input record. Entries are left-justified and must be valid RPG II names (see Definition of Terms in Chapter 1). Table names must begin with TAB; array names must not begin with TAB.

## Columns 33-35 (Number of Entries Per Record)

Enter, right-justified, the number of entries on each table or array input record. These columns must contain an entry for compile and pre-execution time tables and arrays. These columns must be blank for execution time arrays.

## Columns 36-39 (Number of Entries Per Table or Array)

Enter, right-justified, the maximum number of entries in the table or array named in columns $27-32$. For alternating tables or arrays, corresponding items are considered one entry.

## Columns 40-42 (Length of Entry)

Enter, right-justified, the length of each table or array entry. The maximum length is 256 for alphameric entries and 15 for numeric entries. For packed or binary tables and arrays, enter the number of bytes of storage required to represent the data in unpacked format.

Column 43 (Packed or Binary Field)
Blank - Alphameric or unpacked numeric data.
$\mathrm{P} \quad-\quad$ Packed numeric data.
B $\quad-\quad$ Binary numeric data.

## Column 44 (Decimal Positions)

| Blank | - | Alphameric table or array. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0-9$ | - | Number of positions to the right of the <br> decimal. |

## Column 45 (Sequence)

Blank - No particular sequence.
A $\quad-\quad$ Ascending sequence.
D - Descending sequence.
This column describes the sequence of data in a table or array. Column 45 must contain an entry if high or low look-up is to be used.

## Columns 46-57

Use these columns when describing a second table or array entered in alternating format with the table or array named in columns 27-32. These entries have the same significance as the corresponding entries in columns 27-45.

## Columns 58-74 (Comments)

Enter any information you wish to help you understand or remember what you are doing in each specification line.

## LINE COUNTER SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-14 (Filename)

Enter the name of a printer file for which you wish to specify a form size and overflow line.

Columns 15-17 (Line Number - Number of Lines Per Page)
1-112 - Number of lines available for printing on the printer form.

## Columns 18-19 (Form Length)

Enter $F L$ to indicate the previous entry is the form length.

Columns 20-22 (Line Number - Overflow Line)
1-112 - Number of the overflow line.

## Columns 23-24 (Overflow Line)

Enter $O L$ to indicate the previous entry is the overflow line.

Columns 25-74
Leave these positions blank.

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-14 (Filename)

Enter a valid filename for every BSC file your program uses.

## Column 15 (Configuration)

P or blank - Point-to-point, nonswitched network.
M - Multipoint network, where the control station selects the tributary station through polling or addressing. System/3 cannot be the control station.

S - Switched network.

## Column 16 (Type of Station)

T $\quad-\quad$ This station will transmit messages from this file (transmit only or transmit with reception of conversational reply). The file must be designated as an output or combined file on the File Description Sheet and must appear on the Output-Format Sheet.

R - This station will receive messages into this file (receive only or receive with transmittal of conversational reply). The file must be designated as an input or combined file on the File Description Sheet and must appear on the Input Sheet.

## Column 17 (Type of Control)

T - This is a tributary station on a multipoint network. System/3 cannot be the control station and transmit the polling supervisory sequence.

Blank - Polling is not used; non-tributary station.
Column 17 must contain a T if column 15 contains an M (multipoint network).

Column 18 (Type of Code)

| A, U $\quad-\quad$ASCII data link control characters will <br> be used. When ASCII is used, each <br> station must provide file translation <br> when it is required. |  |
| :---: | :--- |
| E or blank - | EBCDIC data link control characters <br> will be used. |

Column 19 (Transparency)
Y - This entry is valid only for EBCDIC. The transparency feature must be installed. The data being transferred may contain data link control characters.

N or blank - The transparency feature is not used. Unpacked numeric or alphameric data will be transmitted and received. The data being transferred may not contain data link control characters.

## Column 20 (Switched)

M - The computer operator makes the connection between stations by dialing the number (manual dial).

E - Autocall is to be used. The dial number is listed in columns 21-31.

S $\quad-\quad$ Autocall is to be used. The entry in columns 21.31 is the symbolic location of the dial number.

A - Autoanswer is used by the called station.

B $\quad-\quad$ Manual answer is used by the called station.

Blank - This is not a switched network.

Columns 21-31 (Dial Number)
Numeric - This is the number to be dialed when column 20 contains an E.

Alphameric -
Columns 21-31 must contain a symbolic name, other than an array name, referencing the location of the dial number when column 20 contains an $S$. If the BSC file is an input file other than a demand or conversational receive file, this name must refer to the first (or only) element of a table.

Column 32 (Location of Identification-This Station)
S - Switched network. This station's identification is located at the position referenced by the symbolic name specified in columns 33-39.

E $\quad-\quad$ Switched network. The entry in columns $33-39$ is this station's identification.

Blank - This is a nonswitched network or a switched network where no ID is desired for this station.

Columns 33-39 (Identification-This Station)
Alphameric - When column 32 contains an E, this entry is the actual identification sequence of this station (from 2 to 15 characters). The station identification must not contain a control character sequence.
When column 32 contains an $S$, this entry is the symbolic name of the location of this station's identification. The symbolic name must not be an array name. If the BSC file is primary or secondary, this symbolic name must refer to the first element of a table.

## Column 40 (Location of Identification-Remote Station)

S - Switched network. The remote station's identification is located at the position referenced by the symbolic name specified in columns 41-47.

E $\quad-\quad$ Switched network. The entry in columns 41-47 is the remote station's identification.

Blank - This is a nonswitched network or a switched network where no ID is desired for the remote station.

## Columns 41-47 (Identification-Remote Station)

Alphameric - When column 40 contains an E, this entry is the actual identification sequence of the remote station (from 2 to 15 characters). A station identification must not contain a control character sequence.
When column 32 contains an $S$, this entry is the symbolic name of the location of the remote station's identification. The symbolic name must not be an array name. If the BSC file is primary or secondary, this symbolic name must refer to the first element of a table.

## Columns 48-51 (Remote Terminal)

Blank - System/3 is not used to communicate with the IBM 2770 Data Communication System or the IBM 2780 Data Transmission Terminal.

2770 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2770. If System/3 is transmitting, the output channel on the IBM 2770 is, by default, output channel 1.

2771 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2770, output channel 1.

2771 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2770, output channel 2.

2773 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2770, output channel 3.

2774 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2770, output channel 4.

2780 - The remote terminal is an IBM 2780.

Column 52 (ITB)

I - Intermediate block check (ITB) is used.

01-99, L1-L9 - A permanent error indicator should be LR, H1-H9 used with every BSC file. If you are using more than one BSC file, each should have a permanent error indicator. BSC input/output operations must be conditioned on all permanent error indicators being off.

## Columns 55-57 (Wait Time)

Numeric - The length of time in seconds, 1-999, that BSC will wait with no messages being sent or received before a permanent error condition occurs.

Blank - The system convention for timeout, 180 seconds, is used.

Columns 58-59 (Record Available Indicator)
01-99, L1-L9, - A record available indicator is used LR, H1-H9 only when System/3 transmits interspersed with receive (no conversational reply) to System/360-System/370. The record available indicator is set on when System/360-System/370 wishes to transmit to System/3.

## Column 60 (Last File)

L - This BSC input file is processed only after all other primary and secondary input files have beeñ processed.

Blank - This BSC input file does not have to be the last input file processed.

## Columns 61-62 (Polling Characters)

Alphameric - The polling identification of this station is needed if this station is part of a multipoint network and the BSC is a receive (input) file.

Blank $\quad-\quad$ This station is not receiving on a multipoint network.

## Columns 65-70 (Remote Device)

Blank - System/3 is not used to communicate with the IBM 2770 Data Communication System or the IBM 2780 Data Transmission Terminal.
1442.1 - The IBM 1442 Card Read Punch (card read) is a remote device used with the IBM 2780 remote terminal.

1442-2 $\quad-\quad$ The IBM 1442 Card Read Punch (card punch) is a remote device used with the IBM 2780 remote terminal.

1443 - The IBM 1443 Printer is a remote device used with the IBM 2780 remote terminal.

0545-3 - The IBM 0545 Card Punch, Model 3, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

0545-4 - The IBM 0545 Card Punch, Model 4, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

2213-1 - The IBM 2213 Printer, Model 1, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

2213-2 - The IBM 2213 Printer, Model 2, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

2502-1 - The IBM 2502 Card Reader, Model 1, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

2502-2 - The IBM 2502 Card Reader, Model 2, is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

5496-1 - The 5496 Data Recorder (card read) is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

5496-2 - The 5496 Data Recorder (card punch) is a remote device used with the IBM 2770 remote terminal.

## INPUT SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-14 (Filename)

Enter a valid RPG II filename for every input, update, and combined file your program uses.

## Columns 15-16 (Sequence)

Enter a 2-digit number to assign a special sequence to record types in a file and to request that the record type sequence be checked by the program. Enter two alphabetic characters to indicate that record type sequence is not checked. Alphabetic characters must be used for a chained file. Within a file, record types with an alphabetic sequence entry must be described before record types with a numeric sequence entry.

## Column 17 (Number)

Blank $\quad-\quad$ Columns $15-16$ contain alphabetic characters (record type sequence is not being checked).

1 - Columns $15-16$ contain numeric characters; only one record of this type is present in each sequenced group.
$\mathrm{N} \quad$ - Columns 15-16 contain numeric characters; one or more records of this type can be present in the sequenced group.

## Column 18 (Option)

Blank - Record type must be present.
0 - Optional. Record type may or may not be present.

Column 18 is used when record types are being sequence checked (columns $15-16$ contain numeric characters).

01-99 - Record identifying indicator.
L1-L9 - Control level indicator used as a record identifying indicator when record type rather than control field signals start of a new control group.

LR - Last record indicator.
H1-H9 $\quad-\quad$ Halt indicator used as a record identifying indicator when checking for a record type that causes an error condition.
** $\quad$ Look-ahead fields.

TR $\quad-\quad$ Spread card.

## Columns 21-41 (Record Identification Codes)

This field is divided into three identical subfields:
Columns 21-27

Columns 28-34
Columns 35-41

An AND relationship exists between these three fields.

## Position

Blank - No record identification code is needed.
1-4096 - Record position of the record identification code.

Not
Blank - Either the record identification code is present in the specified record position, or no record identification code is needed.
$\mathrm{N} \quad-\quad$ Record identification is being used, but the identification code is not present in the specified record position.

| C | - | Entire character. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Z | - | Zone portion of character. |
| D | - | Digit portion of character. |

Remember that many characters have either the same zone or the same digit portion.

## AND and OR Relationships

Enter AND in columns 14-16 on the next line of the Input Sheet if more than three record identification code subfields are needed to identify the record. Enter OR in columns 14-15 if either one of the codes may be present to identify the record. A maximum of 20 AND or OR lines in any combination may be used to describe the record identifying code.

## Column 42 (Stacker Select)

| Blank | $-\quad$Cards automatically fall into a pre- <br> determined stacker. |
| :--- | :--- |
| $1-4$ | $-\quad$Stacker into which the card type is <br> stacked. |

Only cards from input files and combined files can be stacker selected on input. If this column is blank, cards from the primary MFCU hopper are placed in stacker 1 and cards from the secondary hopper are placed in stacker 4.

## Column 43 (Packed or Binary Field)

Blank - Input field in unpacked decimal format.
P - Input field in packed decimal format.
B - Input field in binary format.

## Columns 44-51 (Field Location)

Enter two 1-4 digit numbers to identify the beginning of a field (From) and the end of a field (To) in the input record. These entries are identical for a 1 -position field.

Blank - Alphameric field.
0-9 - The number of decimal positions in the numeric field named in columns 53-58.

This column must contain an entry for numeric fields.

## Columns 53-58 (Field Name)

These columns can contain:

- A valid RPG II field name (see Definition of Terms in Chapter 1) for each field defined in Field Location.

An array name or array element.

- PAGE, PAGE1, or PAGE2 special words.


## Columns 59-60 (Control Level)

L1-L9 - Field described on this line is a control field.

Blank - Field described is not a control field.
These columns must be blank for chained or demand files.

## Columns 61-62 (Matching Fields)

Enter a matching level identifier (M1-M9) to indicate matching fields and sequence checking when you have two or more input, update, or combined files with match fields. When you have just one input, update, or combined file with match fields this entry causes only sequence checking.

## Columns 63-64 (Field Record Relation)

01-99 - Record identifying indicator assigned to a record type.

L1-L9 - Control level indicator previously used.
MR - Matching record indicator.
U1-U8 - External indicator previously set.
H1-H9 - Halt indicator previously used.

The following general rules apply to this entry:

1. All fields without field record relation should be specified before fields with field record relation.
2. All fields with the same field record relation entry should be entered on consecutive lines.
3. Ail parts of a split control field must have the same field record relation entry and must be described on consecutive specification lines.

## Columns 65-70 (Field Indicators)

01-99 - Field indicator.

H1-H9 - Halt indicator (when checking for an error condition in the data).

An indicator used in these columns is turned on if the condition tested for is true. For numeric fields, more than one condition may be tested at a time, but only the indicator which reflects the result of the test is turned on, the others are turned off. If a field is alphameric, an indicator can only be specified in Zero or Blank (columns 69-70).

## Columns 71-74 (Sterling Sign Position)

Blank - Sterling input not being used.
$1-4096$ - Number of the column which contains the sign if the sign is not in normal position.
$S(C o l .74)-\quad$ Sign in normal position.

## CALCULATION SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-8 (Control Level)

| Blank | - | Operation done at detail time. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| L0 | $-\quad$Calculation is performed at total time <br> (always on). |  |
| L1-L9 | $-\quad$Calculation operation is done when the <br> appropriate control break occurs or an <br> indicator is set on. |  |
| LR | $-\quad$Calculation operation is done after the <br> last record has been processed or after <br> LR has been set on. |  |
| SR | $-\quad$Calculation operation is part of a sub- <br> routine. |  |

AN or OR can be entered in these columns to indicate that indicators on the line are in an AND or OR relationship with indicators on the preceding line. A maximum of seven AN, OR, or mixed AN and OR lines are allowed to condition an operation. Entries must be in the order listed.

## Columns 9-17 (Indicators)

Enter one to three indicators. Any indicators except $1 P$ and L0 can be used. Columns 9, 12, and 15 may contain blank or $N$. An AND relationship exists between indicators on a line. Additional lines may be used containing indicators in columns 9-17 which are in an AND or OR relationship with those on the first line by entering AN or OR in columns 7-8.

## Columns 18-27 (Factor 1 ) and Columns 33-42 Factor 2

Factor 1 and Factor 2 may contain the following entries:

1. Name of any field that has been defined.
2. Alphameric or numeric literal.
3. Subroutine, table or array name, or array element.
4. Date field name (UDATE, UMONTH, UDAY, UYEAR).
5. Special name, PAGE, PAGE1, or PAGE2.
6. Label for a TAG, BEGSR, or ENDSR operation (Factor 1) or a label for a GOTO or EXSR operation (Factor 2).
7. Filename for a CHAIN, DEBUG, DSPLY, READ, or FORCE operation (Factor 2).

## Columns 28-32 (Operation)

Enter an operation code, left justified.

## Columns 43-48 (Result Field)

Enter the name of the field, table, array, or array element that holds the result of the operation specified in columns 28-32. If the field named in Result Field has not been defined in extension, input, or previous calculation specifications, it must be defined by making entries in columns 49-52.

## Columns 49-51 (Field Length)

Blank - Field defined elsewhere.
1-256 - Result field length.
Maximum length of a numeric field is 15 digits; maximum length of an alphameric field is 256 characters. Entry must be right justified.

## Column 52 (Decimal Position)

Blank - Alphameric field or numeric field described elsewhere.

0-9 - Number of decimal places in a numeric result field.

## Column 53 (Half Adjust)

Blank - Do not half adjust the Result Field.
H $\quad-\quad$ Half adjust the Result Field.
Half adjust is allowed only with arithmetic operations.

## Columns 54-59 (Resulting Indicators)

Enter any of the following indicators: 01-99, H1-H9, L1L9, LR, OA-OG, and OV. Columns 54-59 are used for four purposes:

1. To test the value of the result field after an arithmetic operation.
2. To check the outcome of a CHAIN, LOKUP, COMP, TESTB, or TESTZ operation.
3. To specify which indicators to SETON or SETOF.
4. To indicate end of file for the READ operation code.

Arithmetic Operations: Enter up to three indicators to be turned on whenever the result is positive (indicator in columns 54-55), negative (indicator in columns 56-57), or zero (indicator in columns 58-59).

Compare Operations: Enter up to three indicators to be turned on whenever Factor 1 is greater than Factor 2 (indicator in columns 54-55), Factor 1 is less than Factor 2 (indicator in columns 56-57), or Factor 1 is equal to Factor 2 (indicator in columns 58-59).

LOKUP Operation: Enter one or two indicators in High, Low, Equal, High and Equal, or Low and Equal. If there is an entry in the High or Low columns, the table name in Factor 2 must be specified as ascending or descending on the Extension Sheet.

TESTB Operation: Resulting indicators have the following meaning for this operation:

- Columns 54-55: An indicator in these columns is turned on if each bit specified in Factor 2 is off in the Result Field.
- Columns 56-57: An indicator in these columns is turned on if two or more bits were tested and of mixed status (some bits on and some bits off).
- Columns 58-59: An indicator in these columns is turned on if each bit specified in Factor 2 is on in the Result Field.

TESTZ Operation: Enter one to three indicators to reflect the zone of the leftmost character in the Result Field, as follows:

- Columns 54-55: Turned on by the zone portion of the characters \& and A-I.
- Columns 56-57: Turned on by the zone portion of the characters $\}$ (bracket), - (minus), and J-R.
- Columns 58-59: Turned on by the zone portion of any character not listed above.

CHAIN Operation: Enter an indicator (optional) in columns 54-55 to be turned on in the case of a record-not-found condition.

SETON and SETOF Operations: Enter up to three indicators in columns 54-59 to be turned on (SETON) or turned off (SETOF).

READ Operation: Enter an indicator in columns 58-59 to be turned on after each read operation if an end-of-file condition is reached. Once end-of-file is reached, a halt occurs after each read operation if no indicator is entered.

## Columns 60-74 (Comments)

Enter any meaningful information you wish to help you understand or remember what you are doing in each specification line.

## OUTPUT-FORMAT SPECIFICATIONS

## Columns 7-14 (Filename)

Enter a valid RPG II filename for each output, combined, and update file used by your program. Each filename need be specified only once, on the first line describing that file.

## Columns 14-16 (AND/OR Relationship)

Enter AND in columns 14-16 or OR in columns 14-15 if output records are in an AND or OR relationship.

## Column 15 (Type)

| H | - | Heading records. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| D | - | Detail records. |
| T | - | Total records. |
| E | - | Extension records. |

## Columns 16-18 (Add a Record)

Enter ADD in these columns if records are added to an input, update, or output disk file. An $A$ must also be coded in column 66 of the File Description sheet for the file to which a record is added.

## Column 16 (Stacker Select/Fetch Overflow)

| Blank | - | Cards automatically fall into certain <br> stackers (primary hopper-stacker 1, <br> secondary hopper-stacker 4). |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1-4$ | - | Indicates the stacker you wish. |
| F | $-\quad$ Fetch overflow. |  |

Only combined or output files can be stacker selected on Output specifications. Stacker selection on output overrides stacker selection on input.

If $F$ is entered, the overflow routine is fetched when overflow occurs, before the usual time in the cycle.

## Columns 17-22 (Space/Skip)

If these columns are blank, single spacing occurs after each line is printed. Spacing and skipping are not allowed on the printer/keyboard.

## Columns 17-18 (Space)

Enter a number ( $0-3$ ) under the appropriate column to indicate the number of lines spaced before or after a line is printed.

| Blank | - | No skipping. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $01-99$ | - | Lines 1-99. |
| A0-A9 | $-\quad$ Lines 100-109. |  |
| B0-B2 | $-\quad$ Lines 110-112. |  |

Enter one of the 2-digit numbers listed above to indicate the next line printed. All line numbers between are bypassed. Enter the number in the Before or After columns, depending on whether you want skipping to occur before or after the line is printed.

## Column 38 (Edit Codes)

Enter an edit code in column 38 when you want to:

1. Suppress leading zeros for a numeric field.
2. Omit a sign from the low order position of a numeric field.
3. Punctuate a numeric field without setting up your own edit word.

A table summarizing the edit codes that can be used is printed above columns 45-70 on the Output-Format Sheet.

## Column 39 (Blank After)

B $\quad-\quad$ Field is reset to blank or zero after writing.

Blank - Field is not reset after writing.
Numeric fields are set to zero and alphameric fields are set to blanks. This column must be blank for look-ahead and update fields. If the field name specified with Blank After is a table name, the element of the table looked up last will be blanked or zeroed.

## Column 40-43 (End Position in Output Record)

Columns 40-43 indicate the location on the output record of the field or constant written. Enter the number of the position occupied by the right-most character of the output field. The End Position entry must not be greater than the record length.

## Printing on Cards

If you want to print fields on cards in other than the positions which correspond to the punch positions, you must:

1. Name the field in cblumns 32-37.
2. Place an * (asterisk) in column 40.
3. Specify an end position for that field in columns 4043. The maximum end position entry is 128 .

## Column 44 (Packed or Binary Field)

Blank - Field is unpacked numeric or alphameric data.
$\mathbf{P} \quad-\quad$ Field is packed decimal numeric data.
B $\quad$ Field is in binary format.
Packed and binary fields can be written on disk, but should not be printed and cannot be punched. Column 44 must be blank with *PLACE fields, *PRINT fields, and asterisk in column 40.

## Columns 45-70 (Constant or Edit Word)

Constant: The following rules apply to constants:

1. Field Name (columns $32-37$ ) must be blank.
2. A constant must be enclosed in apostrophes. Enter the leading apostrophe in column 45.
3. An apostrophe in a constant must be represented by two apostrophes.
4. Up to 24 characters of constant information can be placed in one line. Additional lines may be used, but each line must be treated as a separate line of constants. The end position of each line must appear in columns 40-43.

Edit Word: Enter any edit word to specify editing of numeric fields. Edit words must be enclosed by apostrophes.
Constants are allowed within edit words.

Edit words are not used with edit codes. However, when edit codes 1-4, A-D, and J-M are used, columns 45-47 may contain an * (to denote asterisk fill) or a $\$$ (to denote a floating dollar sign).

## Columns 71-74 (Sterling Sign Position)

Enter in these columns the position in the record that contains the sign of the sterling field. If the sign is in the normal position, enter $S$ in column 74.

## CORE SAVING TECHNIQUES

When your program is too large to fit into the execution core size, you may want to use some core saving techniques to help reduce the program size. Before you can use these techniques effectively, however, you need to understand (1) how the RPG II Compiler creates overlays to make a program fit into the core available for execution and (2) how the compiler determines when a program is too large to fit into the core available for execution. This section will discuss the overlay process and then give you some suggestions for saving core.

## Overlay Process

When your program exceeds the available storage for program execution, the RPG II compiler places some RPG II object program routines on disk. These routines are then called into main storage as they are needed by your program. This is known as the overlay process.

When the overlay process is used, main storage is divided into two main parts: the Root segment and the Overlay area.

The Root segment contains constants and data used more than once during program execution. For this reason, the Root segment always remains in main storage. The Root segment may be used by routines in the Overlay area. The Root segment can call a routine in the Overlay area by using a branch instruction.

The main Overlay area contains the major routines of the RPG II object program. Routines in this area may be called by the Root segment or by other routines in the same main overlay.

Some large programs require that storage be divided into two additional parts: the Secondary Root segment and the Suboverlay area. The Secondary Root segment is used to supplement the Root segment. If the Root segment and the Overlay area fill main storage, the Secondary Root segment is not created. The Suboverlay area, created by the RPG II compiler, contains subroutines and other RPG II code needed to support a routine in the main Overlay area. Figure J-1 shows the location of the main storage areas.


End of Supervisor

Figure J-1. RPG II Storage Map

## Creating the Overlays

In order to create overlays, the compiler must first determine which routines will go into the main Overlay areas and which routines will go into the Suboverlay areas. Then it calculates the size of the largest main Overlay and the size of the largest Suboverlay. These sizes are rounded off upwards in increments of 256 bytes ( 1 sector). The compiler then adds the lengths of the Root segment, the largest main Overlay, and the largest Suboverlay. If the sum is larger than the available storage, your program is too large, and core saving techniques must be used if the program is to be run.

## Special Open/Close

Special Open/Close is used when the overlay requirements for Open and Close exceed the overlay requirements for the rest of the program.

Special Open/Close can be easily identified because overlay \#\$ $\$ 002$ is the first overlay identified in the core usage map (see Figure J2).

The first load will bring in the Root, the Overlay Fetch Routine, the Overlay Fetch Area, and a special transfer vector to call the Open overlay. Open is completely selfcontained and does not need any of the non-overlay code. When Open is complete, Overlay 1 is loaded. Overlay 1 consists of all code that is identified as non-overlay and was not loaded during the first load. The program then executes as a normal overlay program until Close is needed. At this time, Close is brought into core starting at the Overlay Fetch Area and using as much core as is needed.

The Overlay Fetch Area size for the rest of the program can be found by subtracting the start of the Overlay Fetch Area from the lowest start address of the non-overlay code that was not included in the first load. For example, if Input Mainline starts at 1762,1762 minus 1462 equals $x^{\prime} 300$ 'the Overlay Fetch Area size.

## Saving Core

When the compiler finds that your program is too large, an error message is written. You can reduce the storage needed for your program either by using some general core saving techniques or by reducing the size of the overlays.

## General Core Saving Techniques

Some of the techniques you can use are:

1. Divide your program into separate tasks, creating a separate program for each task. For example, suppose you want to update a file and print a listing of the updated file. You can save main storage by updating the file with one program and printing the listing with another program.
2. Eliminate unreferenced fields. These unreferenced fields are identified on the RPG II listing. By eliminating these fields, you can eliminate the storage area that is required to hold the data and the instructions that store the data in them.
3. Eliminate unreferenced indicators. Eliminating unreferenced indicators can eliminate the instructions required to set the indicators on and off.
4. Eliminate unnecessary conditioning indicators. Two possible forms of unnecessary indicator tests are:
a. If only one type of input record is to be processed, the indicator associated with that record will always be on except during the first detail output time. It is, therefore, not necessary for any calculation to be conditioned with this indicator.
b. When two subsequent operations on the same result field are conditioned on opposite indicator conditions, one of the conditions is not necessary. For instance, the N09 conditioning is not required in this example:

| N09 | Z-ADD | FLD | FLDB |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 09 | Z-ADD | FLDC | FLDB |

Note: This technique may not work for certain operations if the same field is used as the result field and as factor 1 or factor 2.
5. Reuse calculation work areas and temporary hold areas. Once the data stored in these areas is used for the last time in a given cycle, the area is available. Reusing these areas can eliminate the need for two or more additional areas to be defined.

Note: Be sure you do not mix alphameric and numeric fields.
6. Reuse input field name areas. In some instances, two or more input files may have fields that always contain identical information. These fields can be given the same field name in order to use the same core storage area.

Another way to reuse input field areas is to use the same names for fields in two files. This can be done only if both fields have the same attributes (length, alphameric/numeric, packed binary) and each field is only used in the cycle in which the record is processed. Both files cannot be used during the same cycle.
7. Reduce calculation work area sizes. Be sure that no work area has been defined as larger than it needs to be. This may cause a warning that the result field may not be large enough, but if you know that the largest possible number will fit into the areas specified, you may continue.
8. Include the necessary intervening blanks when describing alphameric fields and constants for output. This will make the fields adjacent. The output optimization phase will move all adjacent fields and constants with one instruction instead of using one instruction to move each line.

Not Optimized
5 'DAILY'
17 'TRANSACTION' 26 'REGISTER'

## 26 'REGISTER'

9. Design files to contain record lengths that are an even multiple of 256 bytes or that will divide into 256 bytes an even number of times.
10. Design files so that match fields and control fields are assigned the same position within all record types.
11. Do not designate a field as numeric unless the field is to be used in a numeric operation in the program. This can save on the amount of storage required to store the field and can allow the input and output fields transfer routine to be optimized.
12. Use only one type of file organization in a program (indexed, direct, or sequential). Also, use the same method of processing where possible. This can reduce the disk data management core requirements. Some unit record data management can also be eliminated by transferring unit record files to disk.
13. Use the shared input/output access method (SIAM) to process disk files. This will reduce the storage required even on programs with only one disk file.

Note: Using SIAM may decrease program throughput.
14. Group calculation statements together that are conditioned by the same indicators. When a large number of indicators are required, try to use GOTO or EXSR to reduce the number of indicator tests required on each statement.
15. When using TESTB, BITON, or BITOF, use the actual bit pattern in factor 2.
16. Do not use half adjust unless absolutely necessary.
17. Try to use either factor 1 or factor 2 as the result field whenever possible.
18. Try to use numeric fields of the same length and with the same number of decimal positions. If the fields cannot be the same length, try to have the number of decimal positions the same. (see Appendix K. for an example.)
19. Do not sequence check your records unless absolutely necessary.
20. Use OR lines rather than multiple record lines because OR lines require less code.
21. Specify the fields in a record in ascending order by record position.
22. Do not use halt indicators unless absolutely necessary.

## Reduce the Overlay Size

To reduce the size of the overlay, you can reduce the size of the Root segment or the Overlay areas. First, however, you must identify the contents of the Root segment and the largest overlays in main storage. Then you can determine if the contents of these areas can be reduced to fit into the core available for execution.

The contents of the Root segment, main Overlay area, and Suboverlay area can be found by using the program listing.

Two sections of the program listing are used to determine the contents of the main Overlay and Suboverlay areas. The section shown in Figure J-3 tells the:

1. Overlay name
2. Number of sectors in the overlay
3. Start address of the overlay

The start address separates main overlays and suboverlays. Two start addresses appear in the Start Address column. The lower address (1A97) identifies a main overlay; the higher address (1C97) identifies a suboverlay.

The Text Sectors column indicates the largest overlays. In Figure J-3, overlays 002 and 005 are the largest suboverlays; overlays 007 and 008 are the largest main overlays.

Relate the name given in the Overlay Name column shown in Figure J-3 to the Core Usage of RPG II Code section shown in Figure J-4. The Name and Title columns in this section identify the routines or subroutines in the overlay.

Note: If overlay 001 does not appear in the Overlay Name column, a special Open/Close overlay construction has taken place. When this occurs, overlay 001 is not treated as an overlay, but remains in main storage.

After identifying the Root segment and the largest main overlays and suboverlays, you can determine whether they contain routines that can be manipulated to reduce the overlay size. The following routines can be controlled:

1. Input Records
2. Detail Calculations
3. Total Calculations
4. Detail Output
5. Total Output

Following are some core saving techniques that can be used for these routines. These techniques may not necessarily work for all programs.

Input Records: One or more of the input or update files can be processed as a demand or chained file, using the READ or CHAIN operation code. With a demand or chained file, the instructions to read the file can be moved into the Total or Detail Calculations routine.

Note: Total calculations will not be done on the first cycle.


Figure J-2. RPG II Usage Map

Detail or Total Calculations: Üse the following techniques:

1. Use subroutine calculations. In some instances this may increase, rather than decrease, the storage required due to the nature of the existing calculation routines.

However, it may reduce the overall core storage requirements.

Note: If one subroutine calls another subroutine, both subroutines must be in core at the same time.
2. Eliminate exception output if possible. This will move the logic for those output operations to either Total or Detail Output routines.
3. Eliminate read and/or chain operations by using matching records and processing consecutively. This will move the logic to Input Records routine.
4. Move part of the detail calculation logic to total calculations (or total calculation logic to detail calculations).

Note: Total calculations will not be done on the first cycle.

Detail or Total Output: Use the following techniques:

1. Use exception output. This will move part of the output logic to Detail or Total Calculation routines.
2. Do some of the output at total (or detail) output time. This moves logic to the Total (or Detail) Output routine.
3. Do not specify blank after for fields. Instead, clear them at the beginning of detail or total calculations.


Figure J-3. Overlay Identification Area


Figure J-4. RPG II Usage Map

## PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT TECHNIQUES

Some relatively simple program changes may make significant improvements in your program's performance. However, these performance techniques will not improve performance in all programs. Therefore, study these techniques and determine if you think they will improve your program's performance before you use them. The five performance improvement techniques are:

1. Unblock all randomly processed indexed files. Blocking gains nothing since each record has its own index entry with the direct address of the record.
2. Block all sequentially processed indexed files.
3. Use the core index. For a minimum cost in main storage this allows the system to read the single track of indexes it needs rather than reading the entire index to look for an entry.
4. Double buffer unit record files.
5. Reduce or eliminate blocking of consecutive files and double the buffer instead. For example, instead of using a block of 1600 bytes with 80 byte records, use a block of 800 bytes and double buffer.

This appendix contains the number of bytes of object code generated for RPG II operation codes. When used in conjunction with Appendix $J$, this information will help you determine the amount of core that may be saved by using certain coding practices.

For example, consider this core saving technique:
Try to use numeric fields of the same length and with the same number of decimal positions. If the fields cannot be the same length, try to have the number of decimal positions the same.

If the decimal position of Factor 1, Factor 2, and the Result Field are all different, an ADD operation will generate 27 bytes.

However, if all the fields were defined as having the same number of decimal positions, the same ADD operation would generate only 15 bytes.

Uniformity of fields will not only save core for ADD and SUB, but for most of the other arithmetic operations as well.


The following abbreviations and symbols are used in discussing bytes used by calculation operations.

| F1 | - Factor 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| F2 | - Factor 2 |
| RF | - Result Field |
| L1 | - Total length of Factor 1 |
| L2 | - Total length of Factor 2 |
| LR | - Total length of Result Field |
| D1 | - Number of decimal positions in Factor 1 |
| D2 | - Number of decimal positions in Factor 2 |
| DR | - Number of decimal positions in Result |
|  | Field |
| H/A | - Half adjust |
| $=$ | - equal |
| $\neq$ | - not equal |
| - | - minus |
| $>$ | - greater than |
| $<$ | - less than |
| + | - plus |

Operation ..... Bytes
SETON (each indicator set on) ..... 3
SETOF (each indicator set off) ..... 3
BITON ..... 4
BITOF ..... 4
TESTB
test bit off ..... 10
test bit mixed ..... 17
test bit on ..... 10
test bit off and mixed ..... 23
test bit off and on ..... 23
test bit mixed and on ..... 23
test bit off, mixed, and on ..... 29
SUB
$\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}$ ..... 6
$\mathrm{F} 1 \neq \mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}$ ..... 15
$\mathrm{F} 1 \neq \mathrm{RF}$ and $\quad \mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}$ ..... 23
$\mathrm{F} 1 \neq \mathrm{RF}$ and $\quad \mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A}$ ..... 27
All other combinations ..... 31
All other combinations $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A}$ ..... 39
Z-SUB
$\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}$ ..... 14
$\mathrm{D} 2 \neq \mathrm{DR}$ ..... 18
$\mathrm{D} 2 \neq \mathrm{DR} \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A}$ ..... 22

Operation
Bytes

## ADD

$\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 6$
$\mathrm{F} 2=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 6$
$\mathrm{F} 1 \neq \mathrm{F} 2 \neq \mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 15$
$\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 2>\mathrm{DR} \quad 14$
$\mathrm{F} 2=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1>\mathrm{DR} \quad 14$
$\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 2>\mathrm{DR} \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A} \quad 18$
$\mathrm{F} 2=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1>\mathrm{DR} \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A} \quad 18$
$\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 2<\mathrm{DRH} / \mathrm{A} \quad 18$
$\mathrm{F} 2=\mathrm{RF}$ and $\mathrm{D} 1<\mathrm{DR} \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A} \quad 18$
D1 = D2 2 DR 23
All other combinations 27
All other combinations H/A 35
Z-ADD
$\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 6$
$\mathrm{D} 2>\mathrm{DR} \quad 14$
D2 $>$ DR H/A 18
$\mathrm{D} 2<\mathrm{DR} \quad 18$
COMP
F 1 and F 2 are numeric and $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2 \quad 10$
F 1 and F 2 are numeric and $\mathrm{D} 1 \neq \mathrm{D} 2 \quad 18$
F 1 and F 2 are alphameric and $\mathrm{L} 1=\mathrm{L} 2 \quad 6$
F1 and F2 are alphameric and F 1 is a field22

F 1 and F 2 are alphameric and F1 is a table 26
alternate collating sequence 10 (add these bytes to the appropriate compare operation listed previously)
TESTZ
RF is a field $\quad 9$
RF is a table 20
MULT 23
with H/A 27
DIV
D1 - D2 = DR 23
D1-D2 $=$ DR 27
$\mathrm{D} 1-\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}+1 \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A} \quad 31$
D1-D2 $\neq \mathrm{DR}+1 \mathrm{H} / \mathrm{A} \quad 35$
MVR
$\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 5$
$\mathrm{D} 2 \neq \mathrm{DR} \quad 9$
XFOOT
$\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR} \quad 9$
$\mathrm{D} 2 \neq \mathrm{DR} \quad 13$
FORCE 13
with UPSI indicator 20

| Operation |  | Bytes | Operation | Bytes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CHAIN |  | 16 | READ | 29 |
| with UPSI indicator |  | 22 | with UPSI indicator | 35 |
| when Factor 1 has a variable index |  | 27 | with EOF indicator without BSCA | 41 |
| when key is not packed |  | 30 | when EOF indicator not given and no |  |
| when key is a record number |  | 24 | BSCA | 47 |
| when key is packed |  | 28 | when EOF indicator not given and | 48 |
| when record-not-found indicator given |  | 28 | BSCA | 54 |
| when record-not-found indicator not |  |  | LOKUP | 15 |
| given |  | 32 | when Factor 1 is a table | 21 |
|  |  |  | when Factor 1 has a variable index | 26 |
| MOVE, MOVE, MHHZO, MHLZO, MLHZO, MLLZO | See the following table. |  | with each resulting indicator | 27 |
|  | The number of | ytes speci- |  |  |
|  | fied includes al | rray con- |  |  |


Operation ..... Bytes
DSPLY
(for factor 1) ..... 40
with variable index ..... 51
with integer index ..... 46
with alphameric field ..... 73
with numeric field ..... 74
(for result field) ..... 10
with variable index ..... 27
with integer index ..... 16
with alphameric field ..... 58
with numeric field ..... 93
Conditioning indicators
(does not apply to CHAIN, FORCE,
LOKUP, and READ)each indicator3
each AND type ..... 3
Resulting indicators ..... 5
(does not apply to CHAIN, FORCE, LOKUP,and READ)with each resulting indicator3

Array control code (initialization and processing) is generated for all calculations except DSPLY, LOKUP, CHAIN, READ, and FORCE.
Operation ..... Bytes
Array initialization
F1 or F2 an array ..... 6
F1 or F2 a table ..... 4
F1 or F2 an array and tag ..... 11
Array processing
F1, F2, RF are arrays ..... 30
F1-RF, F2-RF arrays ..... 22
F 2 and RF are arrays ..... 16

Suppose, for example, that a SUB operation code was specified and has the following conditions:

1. $\mathrm{F} 1=\mathrm{RF}$
2. $\mathrm{D} 1=\mathrm{D} 2=\mathrm{DR}$
3. $\mathrm{F} 1, \mathrm{RF}=$ full array
4. $\quad \mathrm{F} 2=$ table

The length of object code generated would be as follows:

Array initialization

| F1 array | 6 bytes |
| :--- | :--- |
| F2 table | 4 bytes |
| RF array | 6 bytes |
| SUB | 6 bytes |
| Array processing |  |
| F1-RF array | 22 bytes |

Thus, the total bytes of code generated for a SUB operation code is 44 bytes.

## IN-LINE INQUIRY SUBROUTINE (SUBR95)

You can use SUBR95 to perfrom inquiry-type functions without doing a roll-out/roll-in (see Control Card Specifications, Inquiry for a discussion of roll-out/roll-in). You can check at any point in your calculations to determine if an inquiry request has been made.

To use SUBR95, you must call it by specifying the linkage shown in Figure K-1 wherever you want to acknowledge an inquiry request. The indicator specified in columns 45-46 can be any RPG II indicator. For a detailed discussion of this linkage, see Appendix H.

When SUBR95 is called, it will check to see if the operator has made an inquiry request. If he has, the indicator specified will be set on; if he has not, the indicator specified will be set off.

Note: If your system does not support inquiry, the first call to SUBR 95 will only activate the inquiry function. A second call to SUBR95 must be made in order to check for an inquiry request.


Figure K-1. Linkage for SUBR95
\& (ampersand), use in edit word 240
\$ (fixed or floating dollar sign) 240, 236

* (asterisk, star)
asterisk fill (asterisk protection) 240, 242
(see also edit words)
comment line 10
printing on cards (Output sheet, col 40) 237
packed or binary field restriction 239
** (look-ahead fields) 114
** (end record, alternate collating sequence table) 16
*PLACE special word 228
(see also fieldname, output)
conditioning *PLACE fields 231
end position in output record 237
example 232
overlapping *PLACE fields 231
packed or binary field restriction 239
*PRINT special word 231
(see also fieldname, output)
example 234
packed or binary field restriction 239
/* end of file delimiter 16

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alphameric
characters (definition) 2
fields (definition) 2
moving alphameric fields (MOVE) 180
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(see also collating sequence)
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[^1]:    (B)

[^2]:    * The character $\}$ is a negative zero. It is printed for the 64 character set, but not for the 48 character set.
    ** Zero balances for the World Trade format are printed or punched in two ways, depending on the entry made in column 21 of the control card specifications. Two decimal positions are used for illustration.

