

AN ABL SOFTWARE ENVIRONMENT  
FOR A MINI-COMPUTER

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ABSTRACT  
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The development of a software environment supporting ABL (an Alternative Based Language) as an important tool within the software development process is described.

This ABL philosophy was originally developed by Dr. W. Jaworski at Concordia University [HINT81, JAW081].

The ABL approach places an emphasis on structured design techniques, modularization, and a step-wise refinement methodology. This work presents the design and implementation of an interactive editor and an interactive interpreter for this concept.

The application of this methodology and the software environment is illustrated through the design of a computer-based automatic dialing system.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

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"To learn to dissociate our reasoning from underlying computational models, and to get rid of our operational models, and to get rid of our operational thinking habits, that is what I regard as computing science's major task" [DIJK79].

Scope and Purpose. Software design and the ensuing programming effort have traditionally been carried out in environments distinct from one another.

There has been a decided lack of complete formal notations for the specification of a design. Conventional flowcharts become too unwieldy for a non-trivial system; decision tables often do not give the reader a global appreciation of the problem at hand.

On the other hand, there is an overabundance of programming languages currently in existence. Indeed, there has been a proliferation of new languages, versions, supersets, and special-purpose languages, such that committees charged with maintaining programming standards have been unable to keep up [ACMB1].

It is the frequent lack of communication between the design phase and the programming/implementation phase that calls for the need of a complete software environment.

This environment must support the Software Development Process.

The Software Development Process should be considered a continuum, and not just a series of discrete events. The consensus at the National Bureau of Standards Programming Environment Workshop [ACMB1] was that "most participants viewed software development as a series of refinements of objects from the general requirement specification to the concrete realization of the program. The important research lies with discovering the transformations and increasingly automating application of the transformation".

Responding to these needs, this thesis has defined and implemented a software environment in order to satisfy the following objectives:

- 1) To promote structured techniques and modularization throughout the software development process. This allows maximum benefit of using the step-wise refinement methodology.
- 2) To escape from the conventional, sequential approach to software development, and to promote programming by logical segments.
- 3) To develop an operational, "user friendly" system



on a mini-computer; that demands little technical skill and no conventional programming expertise to understand and use.

- 4) To provide a software tool that maintains the components of a system (or program) separately from the flow connecting those components.

Basis of a Software Environment. A Software Environment can be defined as "the methods, techniques and tools which are used during the development of a software system" [ACMB1]. Figure 1 is a model of a typical software environment.

The diagram illustrates how the user (designer, programmer or end-user) interfaces primarily with those software tools and programs available to him/her. These tools communicate with the database management system.

The database management system (DBMS), regardless of its level of sophistication, is meant to support high-level data- and file- manipulation commands, which in turn use primitives available in the supervisor. At this stage, commands become implementation dependent.

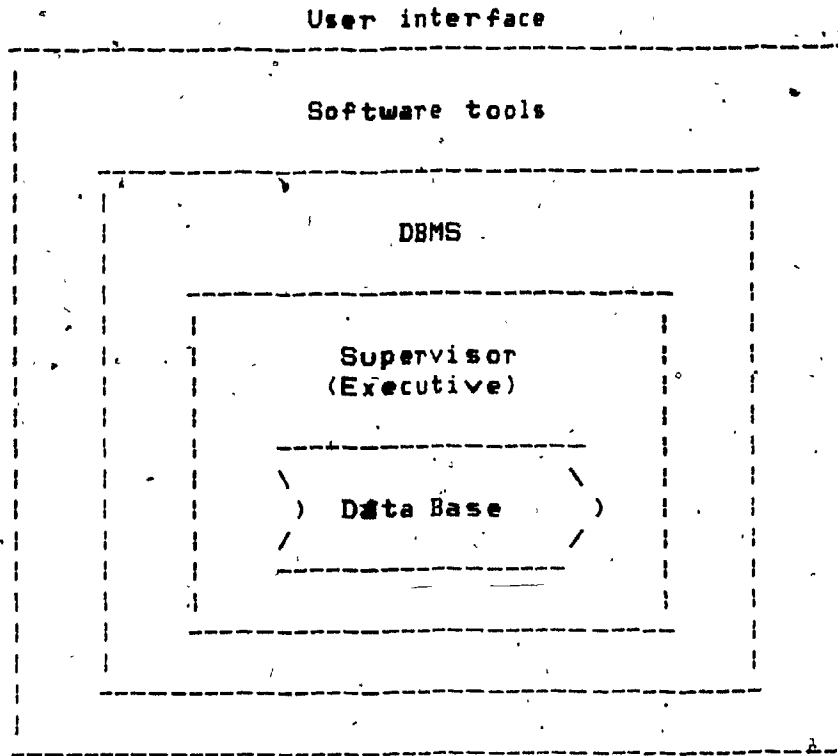


Figure 1: Model of a Software Environment

The supervisor itself may perform actual operations on the data in the database, along with device control instructions in the machine language.

This approach, although complex, allows for very high-level commands to be invoked by the user, and the underlying levels to remain transparent to that user.

The Selection of ABL. In accordance with the stated objectives, it was endeavoured to find a new software tool with an appropriate approach.

A design / programming concept known as ABL (an Alternative Based Language), developed by Dr. W. Jaworski, and currently undergoing research at Concordia University, [HINT81, HORV82, JAWO81, LEBE82a, LIN82, MOR81], was selected and further developed to serve as the kernel for the software environment.

It must be emphasized that the intention here was not to invent another programming language. It was to define a software environment, in order to provide automated assistance at each stage of the software development life cycle. This is intended to increase the potential of each computer professional to improve both the quality and the quantity of software produced.

## II. THE SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Much research has been done in enumerating the steps of the software development process, their boundaries and interactions [BOEH78, MILL79, OSTE80, PETE78].

The steps are listed in Figure 2, showing the sequence of events and their principal feedback loops.

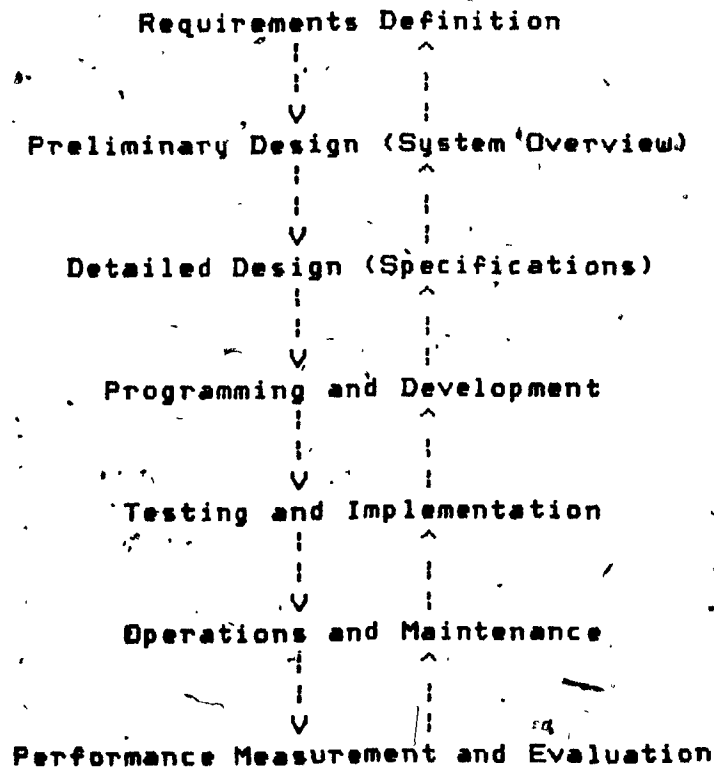


Figure 2. The Stages of Software Development.

This figure illustrates software development as a sequential process, each step being reviewed and approved prior to proceeding to the next level.

Each of these seven steps is explained below:

Requirements Definition. The very first step in problem solving is to succinctly define the problem. That is, to establish the problem requirements and objectives, and form a mental model of the system. There is usually little written material at this stage, and what exists is presented in the form of a narrative. The functional and performance characteristics of the system are described, but should avoid the suggestion of a possible algorithm or solution to the problem.

An overall cost-justification based on a first approximation of time and dollar estimates is typically done at this stage, as well.

Preliminary Design. The formulation of plausible strategies to satisfy the system requirements are developed now. This step is performed at a very high level of abstraction, for later decomposition of the problem into distinct modules including all their interactions. In addition, the initial database requirements and structures are determined.

The software environment reports can be used as an

integral part of the System Overview document, to represent control flows in addition to overall data flows. This document is in non-technical terms, and can be easily reviewed by the prospective user for errors and omissions. The designer/analyst should not advance to the next step until the user gives approval to the System Overview.

The general software requirements, indicating the possible types of software tools needed in the upcoming stages of the project, are also determined at this stage.

Detailed Design. Refinement at this level is accomplished through analysis of each module, changing the orientation from problem comprehension to that of software construction planning. Contraction / expansion in the level of abstraction must be facilitated by the software tool and general flow can be confirmed using module "walk-through" and prototyping techniques.

Complex problems are then decomposed into modules, which are groups of actions to be executed in discrete sections and under mutually exclusive conditions.

Once these modules have been defined, they are synthesized into a detailed specifications document, for further approval by the end user prior to proceeding to the software production step. This decision will also be based upon the estimates of the magnitude of the programming

and implementation effort involved in the project.

One other task must be accomplished at this point - to prepare a validation test plan for comparison of future test results with recently defined system objectives and specifications. These should be on a high level, testing both assertions and boundary conditions within modules.

Programming and Development. Each module and each instruction within the module must eventually be broken down into something that the host computer can operate on. This programming and development function consists of successive stages of refinement of earlier models until the final (lowest) level is reached. It is here that actions, previously written as natural language descriptions, must be translated into executable code in the appropriate implementation language.

As a result of this approach, the programmer should not have to make assumptions based upon imperfect information: the higher levels of abstraction, if complete, contain all necessary analysis and design criteria.

Implicit in the completion of this phase is the assumption that all modules have been fully implemented and debugged, that standards have been followed, and that the accompanying documentation and user manuals are complete.

Testing and Implementation. The nature of the testing phase is to ensure that the "finished product" corresponds to the system's original functional and performance characteristics, and the specifications. These tests must be performed on a module level, as well as on the system level. The latter ensures that the integration between modules is correct.

The objective of "bug-free" software is an elusive one, but one that must be pursued. There are many methods of determining the robustness, reliability and completeness of software, but they must all adhere to this philosophy: "Testing is the process of executing a program with the intent of finding errors" [MYER80].

Software Quality Assurance Committees have been established with the mandate of producing standards, recommending development and testing tools and methodologies, improving documentation quality, and developing implementation strategies [GUST82].

The multiplicity of testing and verification tools in a software environment facilitate the Quality Assurance Inspector's job.

The implementation strategy must include budgets for user training, initial system loading and startup, system configuration and conversion, and a parallel run.



Operations and Maintenance. The most important ingredient for the long-term success of a software project is good documentation. The users should be supplied with a copy of the System Overview, and the appropriate sections of the detailed specifications, according to need. These, of course, were produced with the aid of the software environment.

These documents will give operators and users a global appreciation of the system's capabilities and its boundaries, as well as details of individual application modules.

The software environment can also be used as a documentation tool to describe actual operation sequences and conditions. Conventionally, these procedures have been written in either unstructured natural language, or perhaps using decision tables. These can be replaced by prototypes, which offer the advantage of being able to test (simulate) these operating procedures prior to implementation, and then use one of the software environment printouts as both documentation and operations manual.

Maintenance can be thought of as accommodating functional changes to the system (major or minor), the need for which may be initiated internally or externally.

Internal impetus would include bugs and other weak-

nesses, or a change in the user's (management's) needs. External factors would include legal or governmental considerations, or the opportunity to implement a new technology.

It is imperative that the software environment encourage the maintenance of systems, thereby allowing the software to keep up with the dynamics of its surrounding environment.

Performance Measurement and Evaluation. The performance of an operational system may be measured by a number of methods, and must be compared to the performance characteristics called for in the requirement definition phase.

A prototype lends itself to the simulation of a given environment, so that an estimate of a performance metric may be arrived at prior to the determination of the actual figure in an operational system.

A post-implementation evaluation of an existing system is crucial to the quality of feedback given to the software people who worked on the project. This may also unearth suggestions that could be added onto the maintenance schedule now, or be incorporated into future phases of the project.

### III. ABL- AN ALTERNATIVE BASED LANGUAGE

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The ease and efficiency of software modifiability is maximized through localization of the effect of changes to that software.

This concept is referred to as "information hiding", the "virtual machine concept", or "data abstraction" [BELABO, PARN79]. Dijkstra remarks that "there is ... an abstraction involved in naming an operation and using it on account of what it does, while completely disregarding how it works" [DIJK72].

In ABL the abstract machine and the abstract program have been patterned after these concepts.

The Abstract Program, Abstract Machine. In ABL, the abstract machine is defined as a set of actions, represented by a set of operations and a set of data objects. These are established to abstract both the operations (actions) and their data elements (data objects).

Here, the ABL user need not distinguish between "real" instructions and data types actually available in the implementation language and on the host machine from

those that he has defined in his abstract machine. Furthermore, the system designer may invent new software instructions and develop new data types, without regard to those that are previously hardware or programming language implemented.

Another strong feature of this aspect of ABL is that the transformation from abstract machine to hardware machine need not be done in a single step. A step-by-step refinement process will break down a large problem into a set of smaller ones, and, indeed, aid in the determination of the appropriate subsets toward the eventual solution. This again helps in the machine transportability, or "mobility", by remaining essentially independent from the implementation level until the lowest level of abstraction.

The abstract program in ABL is defined as a set of interconnected alternatives, or steps. An abstract program describes the current level of abstraction of the program modelling process. Successive refinements of the program model will eventually result in the program model being equivalent to the program [LEBE82b].

Within each abstract program, the set of interconnected steps define the program flow.

Steps are constructed out of alternatives. These alternatives consist of groups of actions, which are

sequences of instructions, each with one entry and one exit. These actions are to be executed in discrete sections, and under mutually exclusive conditions.

These alternatives are "guarded" by specific conditions giving us the opportunity to choose between alternatives, depending upon the instantaneous values in the state vector.

These conditions may be thought of as a special case of an action, with only a Boolean value returned, that of "TRUE" or "FALSE".

With the actions "executing" the available instructions from the abstract machine, and the conditions controlling the execution of these actions, we have a viable software tool.

Backus-Naur Form of ABL. The most widely accepted formal notation to describe the syntax of programming languages and software tools is Backus-Naur Form (BNF) [JENS74, KORF74].

Figure 3 uses BNF to define ABL and its components.

NOTE: The following five symbols are Meta-symbols belonging to the BNF formalism, and are not symbols of ABL.

- ::= denotes "IS DEFINED AS"
- | denotes 'OR' condition between symbols on either side of the | sign.
- ( ) Denotes possible repetition of the enclosed symbol(s) zero or more times.
- [ ] Denotes possible repetition of the enclosed symbol(s) one or more times.
- (BLANK) Delimiter, to separate different objects.

<ABL> ::= { <ABSTRACT MACHINE> } { <ABSTRACT PROGRAM> }

<ABSTRACT MACHINE> ::= <MACHINE SECTION> <PREDICATE SECTION>  
 <ACTION SECTION> <DATA OBJECT SECTION>

<MACHINE SECTION> ::= <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>  
 <MACHINE DESCRIPTION>

<MACHINE IDENTIFIER> ::= <IDENTIFIER>

<IDENTIFIER> ::= [ <CHARACTER> ]

<MACHINE DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>

<DESCRIPTION LINE> ::= [ <CHARACTER> ]

<CHARACTER> ::= <CHAR> | <DIGIT> | <SPECIAL CHARACTER>

<CHAR> ::= A | B | C | ... | Z

<SPECIAL CHARACTER> ::= \*\* SEE NOTE 1

<PREDICATE SECTION> ::= <PREDICATE LIST>  
 <COMPOUND PREDICATE LIST>

<PREDICATE LIST> ::= { <PREDICATE> }

<PREDICATE> ::= <PREDICATE NUMBER> <PREDICATE DESCRIPTION>  
 <ARGUMENT LIST> <EXECUTABLE CODE> <QUANTUM>

<PREDICATE NUMBER> ::= <NUMBER>

<NUMBER> ::= [ <DIGIT> ]

<DIGIT> ::= 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9

<PREDICATE DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>

<ARGUMENT LIST> ::= <INPUT ARGUMENT LIST>  
 <OUTPUT ARGUMENT LIST>

<INPUT ARGUMENT LIST> ::= { <ARGUMENT> }

<OUTPUT ARGUMENT LIST> ::= { <ARGUMENT> }

<ARGUMENT> ::= <DATA OBJECT NUMBER>

<EXECUTABLE CODE> ::= { <IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE STATEMENT> }

<IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE STATEMENT> ::= \*\* SEE NOTE 2

<QUANTUM> ::= <ESTIMATED EXECUTION>  
 <ESTIMATED EXECUTION> ::= <NUMBER>  
 <COMPOUND PREDICATE LIST> ::= { <COMPOUND PREDICATE> }  
 <COMPOUND PREDICATE> ::= <PREDICATE>  
                           <ABSTRACT PROGRAM IDENTIFIER>  
                           <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>  
 <ABSTRACT PROGRAM IDENTIFIER> ::= <PROGRAM IDENTIFIER>  
 <ACTION SECTION> ::= <ACTION LIST> <COMPOUND ACTION LIST>  
 <ACTION LIST> ::= { <ACTION> }  
 <ACTION> ::= <ACTION NUMBER> <ACTION DESCRIPTION>  
                   <ARGUMENT LIST> <EXECUTABLE CODE> <QUANTUM>  
 <ACTION NUMBER> ::= <NUMBER>  
 <ACTION DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>  
 <COMPOUND ACTION LIST> ::= { <COMPOUND ACTION> }  
 <COMPOUND ACTION> ::= <ACTION> <ABSTRACT PROGRAM IDENTIFIER>  
                           <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>  
 <DATA OBJECT SECTION> ::= { <DATA OBJECT NUMBER>  
                                   <DATA OBJECT DESCRIPTION> }  
 <DATA OBJECT NUMBER> ::= <NUMBER>  
 <DATA OBJECT DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>  
 <ABSTRACT PROGRAM> ::= <PROGRAM SECTION> <PROGRAM BODY>  
 <PROGRAM SECTION> ::= <PROGRAM IDENTIFIER>  
                           <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>  
                           <PROGRAM DESCRIPTION>  
 <PROGRAM IDENTIFIER> ::= <IDENTIFIER>  
 <PROGRAM DESCRIPTION> ::= { <DESCRIPTION LINE> }  
 <PROGRAM BODY> ::= [ <CLUSTER> ]  
 <CLUSTER> ::= <CLUSTER IDENTIFIER> <CLUSTER DESCRIPTION>  
                   <ACTION LIST> { <ALTERNATIVE> }

<CLUSTER IDENTIFIER> ::= <CLUSTER NUMBER> . 0  
 <CLUSTER NUMBER> ::= <NUMBER>  
 <CLUSTER DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>  
 <ALTERNATIVE> ::= <ALTERNATIVE IDENTIFIER>  
                   <ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTION>  
                   <ARGUMENT LIST> <ALTERNATIVE VECTOR>  
 <ALTERNATIVE IDENTIFIER> ::= <CLUSTER NUMBER>  
                                   <ALTERNATIVE NUMBER>  
 <ALTERNATIVE NUMBER> ::= <DIGIT>  
 <ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTION> ::= <DESCRIPTION LINE>  
 <ALTERNATIVE VECTOR> ::= <PRECONDITION LIST>  
                           <ACTION SEQUENCING LIST>  
                           <POSTCONDITION LIST>  
                           <NEXT STEP> <EXCEPTION STEP>  
 <PRECONDITION LIST> ::= <CONDITION LIST>  
 <CONDITION LIST> ::= { <PREDICATE NUMBER> <PREDICATE VALUE> }  
 <PREDICATE VALUE> ::= Y | N  
 <ACTION SEQUENCING LIST> ::=  
                           { <ACTION NUMBER> <ACTION SEQUENCE NUMBER> }  
 <ACTION SEQUENCE NUMBER> ::= <NUMBER>  
 <POSTCONDITION LIST> ::= <CONDITION LIST>  
 <NEXT STEP> ::= <CLUSTER NUMBER>  
 <EXCEPTION STEP> ::= <CLUSTER NUMBER>

**\*\* NOTE 1:** SPECIAL CHARACTERS ARE DEFINED BY THE IMPLEMENTATION CHARACTER SET.

**\*\* NOTE 2:** THE IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE STATEMENTS ARE DEFINED BY THE IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE BNF.

Figure 3. Backus-Naur Form of ABL.



The ABL Process. In order to actually develop software using ABL, a methodology has been developed whereby all components and their inter-relationships may be determined in a logical, step-wise fashion.

Software development using ABL is composed of problem design and decomposition, followed by coding in the implementation language, of a multitude of small linear segments of code [BELK76, FANC76].

In order to illustrate this ABL Process, a sample problem of the functional design of a simple portable electronic calculator is used (Figure 4). Here, the calculator operands are entered in postfix fashion from a keypad, and results are shown on an LED display. This straightforward example could easily be extended to the design of a full-fledged multi-function calculator; this abstract program would form one of the building blocks at a lower level of abstraction.

In our opinion, this is a very flexible method needed to design, build, execute and test the logic of the calculator before a single printed circuit board is constructed.

The ABL Process to produce the design and solution of a given project is enumerated in these guidelines:

- 1.0 Name the project and perform a primary investigation.
- 2.0 Define the project boundaries.
- 3.0 Divide the project into a set of discrete named modules, or abstract programs  $\{P_j\}$ .  
(Program O1 in the example)
- 4.0 For each  $P_j$ , define the set of sub-tasks within the module, called steps or clusters  $\{C_j\}$ .  
(labelled C1, C2, C3)
- 5.0 For each  $C_j$ , define the set of alternatives  $\{AL_j\}$  within the cluster.  
(columns 1-9 in the example. The downward arrows 'V' indicate belonging of an alternative to a particular cluster. Note also the cluster and alternative descriptions at the top).
- 6.0 For each  $AL_j$ ,
  - 6.1 Define the set of data input objects  $\{DI_j\}$ .  
These are the data elements used in evaluating the preconditions and the data elements referenced in the actions.  
(the asterisks \* for  $DI_1$  and  $DI_2$  indicate input references to relevant data objects).
  - 6.2 Define the set of preconditions  $\{PR_j\}$ .  
These are similar to Dijkstra's "guard", in that all alternatives of the current cluster have their preconditions evaluated, and only the one

alternative whose guard is true (or empty) proceeds to the action execution stage. Each of these preconditions are equivalent to a logical 'IF' statement, or each may be a compound predicate. These represent a more complex evaluation of the current state, but still return a single Boolean function. To avoid any non-determinism, only one precondition may be true. (The precondition entries are labelled P1 to P7. They indicate the Boolean values "guarding" the alternative:

Y = Yes (True)  
N = No (False)  
- = Don't Care )

6.3 Define the set of actions to be executed (ACJ). An action may be simple or compound. A simple action is a sequence of one or more statements, i.e., code segments with one entry and one exit. A compound action invokes the next lower level of abstraction by transferring control to another abstract program and associated abstract machine. This is the equivalent of a sub-module or sub-routine, each starting the ABL process again. (The actions are labelled A1 to A10. The action

entries indicate the sequence of appropriate actions to be executed.)

6.4 Define the set of postconditions  $\{PO_j\}$ .

Similar in form to preconditions, they enable validity checks to be done after all the actions of the alternative are completed. This is important when proving programs, and to add criteria of certainty during the execution of a program. These are most commonly used to test boundary conditions.

(The postconditions are labelled S11 and S12).

6.5 Define the set of data output objects  $\{DO_j\}$ .

These are the data elements modified by the actions in the given alternative.

(The asterisks \* for fields labelled D1, D2, D3 indicate modification of relevant data objects.)

6.6 Define the Next Step indicator  $N_j$ .

If all relevant postconditions in the alternative are satisfied, then control is transferred to the cluster number indicated by  $N_j$ .

If  $N_j=0$ , then we terminate the current abstract program, resume the next higher level of abstraction by transferring control back to the invoking abstract program, reinstating its state vector, and continuing execution from the

subsequent action.

(The Next Step vector is labelled 'NEXT').

6.7 Define the Exception Step indicator  $E_j$ .

If any of the postconditions in the alternative are not satisfied, then control is transferred to the cluster number indicated by  $E_j$ . This is commonly an error or other extraordinary situation. If  $E_j=0$ , then we terminate the current abstract program, as described in 6.6.

(The Exception Step vector is labelled 'EXCP').

The chronology of building ABL programs is sufficiently flexible, so that the sequence of six steps listed above need not necessarily correspond to the formation of an ABL module.

The example in Figure 4 is not meant to be an exhaustive solution of the fictitious calculator problem; it only attempts to illustrate the form of ABL by means of a simple example.

The above ABL Process has been defined using structured conventional techniques. This ABL Process is also shown in a simple ABL abstract program in Figure 5.

The reader can see a distinct difference between the conventional form and the ABL form.

MACHINE: CA PORTABLE ELECTRONIC CALCULATOR MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 BASIC-POSTFIX CALCULATOR WITH +, -, \*, /, = OPERANDS

- CLUSTER 1.0 INITIALIZE ON POWER-UP OR CLEAR
  - 1.1 (1) INITIALIZE PROCEDURE
- CLUSTER 2.0 DETERMINE CHARACTER ENTERED AND DECODE
  - 2.1 (2) NUMERIC ENTERED
  - 2.2 (3) '+' OPERAND ENTERED
  - 2.3 (4) '-' OPERAND ENTERED
  - 2.4 (5) '\*' OPERAND ENTERED
  - 2.5 (6) '/' OPERAND ENTERED, NON-ZERO BUFFER
  - 2.6 (7) '/' OPERAND ENTERED, BUT DIVISION BY ZERO
  - 2.7 (8) '=' OPERAND ENTERED
- CLUSTER 3.0 ERROR CONDITION
  - 3.1 (9) PRINT ERROR MESSAGE

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES

C1 V . . . . . INITIALIZE ON POWER-UP OR CLEAR  
 C2 V V V V V V V DETERMINE CHARACTER ENTERED AND DECODE  
 C3 V . . . . . ERROR CONDITION

DATA INPUTS

D2 \* \* \* \* \* BUFFER  
 D1 \* \* \* \* \* ACCUMULATOR

PRECONDITIONS

P1 - Y - - - - - CHAR = 0..9  
 P2 - - Y - - - - - CHAR = '+'  
 P3 - - - Y - - - - - CHAR = "-"  
 P4 - - - - Y - - - - - CHAR = "\*"  
 P5 - - - - - Y Y - - - - - CHAR = "/"  
 P6 - - - - - N Y - - - - - BUFFER = 0  
 P7 - - - - - - Y - - - - - CHAR = "="

ACTIONS

A1 1 . . . . . ACCUMULATOR = 0 01  
 A2 2 . 2 2 2 2 . . . CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L.E.D. DISPLAY 02  
 A3 3 2 3 3 3 3 . . . ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD 13  
 A4 . 1 . . . . . PLACE DIGIT OR DECIMAL POINT INTO BUFFER 13 02  
 A5 . . 1 . . . . . ADD CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR 12 01  
 A6 . . . 1 . . . . . SUBTRACT CONTENTS OF BUFFER FROM ACCUMULATOR 12 01  
 A7 . . . . 1 . . . . . MULTIPLY CONTENTS OF BUFFER TIMES ACCUMULATOR 12 01  
 A8 . . . . . 1 . . . . . DIVIDE CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR 12 01  
 A9 . . . . . 1 . . . . . PRINT CONTENTS OF ACCUMULATOR 01  
 A10 . . . . . 1 . . . . . PRINT ERROR MESSAGE

POSTCONDITIONS

S11 - N - - - - - BUFFER VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW)  
 S12 - - N N N N - - - - - ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW)

DATA OUTPUTS

D1 \* \* \* \* \* ACCUMULATOR  
 D2 \* \* \* \* \* BUFFER  
 D3 \* \* \* \* \* CHARACTER INPUT FROM KEYPAD

NEXT 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 1 1

EXCP 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 0

Figure 4. The ABL Process- Calculator Example

MACHINE: PR THE ABL PROCESS - ABSTRACT MACHINE													
PROGRAM: 01 THE ABL PROCESS- GUIDELINES IN ABL FORM													
CLUSTER	1.0	NAME THE PROJECT AND PERFORM A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION											
	1.1	(1) NAME THE PROJECT AND PERFORM A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION											
CLUSTER	2.0	DEFINE THE PROJECT BOUNDARIES											
	2.1	(2) DEFINE THE PROJECT BOUNDARIES											
CLUSTER	3.0	DIVIDE THE PROJECT INTO DISCRETE MODULES (ABSTRACT PROGRAMS)											
	3.1	(3) DIVIDE THE PROJECT INTO DISCRETE MODULES (ABSTRACT PROGRAMS)											
CLUSTER	4.0	FOR EACH ABSTRACT PROGRAM, DEFINE THE STEPS (CLUSTERS)											
	4.1	(4) FOR EACH ABSTRACT PROGRAM, DEFINE THE STEPS (CLUSTERS)											
CLUSTER	5.0	FOR EACH CLUSTER, DEFINE THE ALTERNATIVES WITHIN THE CLUSTER											
	5.1	(5) FOR EACH CLUSTER, DEFINE THE ALTERNATIVES WITHIN THE CLUSTER											
CLUSTER	6.0	FOR EACH ALTERNATIVE, DEFINE THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS:											
	6.1	(6) DEFINE THE DATA INPUT OBJECTS											
	6.2	(7) DEFINE THE PRECONDITIONS TO BE EVALUATED											
	6.3	(8) DEFINE THE ACTIONS TO BE EXECUTED											
	6.4	(9) DEFINE THE POSTCONDITIONS TO BE EVALUATED											
	6.5	(10) DEFINE THE DATA OUTPUT OBJECTS											
	6.6	(11) DETERMINE THE NEXT STEP AND THE EXCEPTION STEP											
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V												NAME THE PROJECT AND PERFORM A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION
C2		V											DEFINE THE PROJECT BOUNDARIES
C3			V										DIVIDE THE PROJECT INTO DISCRETE MODULES (ABSTRACT PROGRAMS)
C4				V									FOR EACH ABSTRACT PROGRAM, DEFINE THE STEPS (CLUSTERS)
C5					V								FOR EACH CLUSTER, DEFINE THE ALTERNATIVES WITHIN THE CLUSTER
C6						V	V	V	V	V	V	V	FOR EACH ALTERNATIVE, DEFINE THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS:
PRECONDITIONS													
P1	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	-	N	ANY MORE DATA INPUT OBJECTS ?
P2	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	N	ANY MORE PRECONDITIONS ?
P3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	N	ANY MORE ACTIONS ?
P4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	N	ANY MORE POSTCONDITIONS ?
P5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	N	ANY MORE DATA OUTPUT OBJECTS ?
ACTIONS													
A1	1												NAME THE PROJECT
A2	2												PERFORM A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION
A3	1												DEFINE THE PROJECT BOUNDARIES
A4	1												DIVIDE THE PROJECT INTO DISCRETE MODULES (ABSTRACT PROGRAMS)
A5	1												DIVIDE THE ABSTRACT PROGRAMS INTO STEPS (CLUSTERS)
A6	1												DIVIDE THE CLUSTERS INTO ALTERNATIVES
A7	1												DEFINE THE DATA INPUT OBJECTS
A8	1												DEFINE THE PRECONDITIONS
A9	1												DEFINE THE ACTIONS
A10	1												DEFINE THE POSTCONDITIONS
A11	1											1	DEFINE THE DATA OUTPUT OBJECTS
A12	1												1 DETERMINE THE NEXT STEP
A13	2												2 DETERMINE THE EXCEPTION STEP
POSTCONDITIONS													
S11	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	AFTER PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION: CONTINUE THE PROJECT ?
S12	-	Y	Y	Y	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	IS THIS STEP COMPLETE ?
S13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	ANY FURTHER PROJECTS ?
NEXT	2	3	4	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	1
EXCP	0	2	3	4	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	0

Figure 5. The ABL Process in ABL Form

ABL Templates. Templates are defined in order to provide an unalterable framework for the addition of abstract machines and programs. This is consistent with the statement that "templates reinforce the view that a program is a hierarchical composition of syntactic objects, rather than a sequence of characters" [TEITB1].

These templates can serve as building blocks for program development, and also as an alternative method of formally describing the structure of ABL.

There are two templates in ABL:

Figure 6a contains the abstract machine template;

Figure 6b contains the abstract program template.



- M. 0 <ABSTRACT MACHINE TEMPLATE>
- M. 1 <MACHINE IDENTIFIER> <MACHINE DESCRIPTION>
- M. 2 <PREDICATE NUMBER> <PREDICATE DESCRIPTION>  
<INPUT ARGUMENT LIST> <OUTPUT ARGUMENT LIST>  
<EXECUTABLE CODE> <QUANTUM>
- M. 3 <COMPOUND PREDICATE NUMBER>  
<COMPOUND PREDICATE DESCRIPTION>  
<PROGRAM IDENTIFIER> <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>
- M. 4 <ACTION NUMBER> <ACTION DESCRIPTION>  
<INPUT ARGUMENT LIST> <OUTPUT ARGUMENT LIST>  
<EXECUTABLE CODE> <QUANTUM>
- M. 5 <COMPOUND ACTION NUMBER>  
<COMPOUND ACTION DESCRIPTION>  
<PROGRAM IDENTIFIER> <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>
- M. 6 <DATA OBJECT NUMBER> <DATA OBJECT DESCRIPTION>

Figure 6a. ABL Abstract Machine Template.

- P. 0 <ABSTRACT PROGRAM TEMPLATE>
- P. 1 <PROGRAM IDENTIFIER> <MACHINE IDENTIFIER>  
<PROGRAM DESCRIPTION>
- P. 2 <CLUSTER NUMBER> <CLUSTER DESCRIPTION>  
<ACTION LIST>
- P. 3 <ALTERNATIVE NUMBER> <ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTION>  
<INPUT ARGUMENT LIST> <OUTPUT ARGUMENT LIST>  
<PRECONDITION LIST> <ACTION LIST>  
<POSTCONDITION LIST>  
<NEXT STEP> <EXCEPTION STEP>

Figure 6b. ABL Abstract Program Template.

Characteristics and Principles of ABL. There exists a number of basic principles to be applied in order to ensure the quality of software tools and environments. Some focus on intangible properties such as "be easily understood" [FREEBO], and others have been developed with the intention of collecting software metrics, such as "structuredness" or "efficiency" [BOEH78].

ABL stresses the use of structured techniques and modularization in its design. This approach allows the software engineering process to proceed in a natural, systematic way. It is also critical to the validity of many of the following properties, all of which were design goals of ABL.

The self-documenting aspect of ABL is maximized by allowing as much use of natural language descriptors as is necessary, and by also permitting unlimited levels of refinement.

ABL is an interactive computer system that is designed to be visually appealing to the user (using aesthetically pleasing CRT displays and legible printouts).

This human engineering consideration is succinctly stated by Mitchell, "An (interactive system) can be thought of as a small, closed society of man and system with mutual feedback" [MITC79].

A "user friendly" system must match the capabilities of

the computer automaton to the needs of the human component by recognizing certain traits of human psychology. Criteria such as flexibility, the use of full names for descriptors, on-line help for clarifications, unambiguous responses and error messages, satisfactory response time, and general simplicity [GOOD81] are all attempted by ABL.

A likely result of this approach is that "users of a flexible interface will perceive their system to be more benevolent than will users of a rigid, unadaptable interface" [WALT73]. This is a critical factor in the user acceptance and therefore the long-term success of a software tool.

The conventional programming methodology provides very little experience in software design and an abundance of coding skill. The low level of complexity, simplicity of decomposition of the design problem and the apparent ease of operation of the ABL tool can result in reduced demands in program design expertise.

The need for ease of program modifiability recognizes "the evolutionary nature of software, namely that programs are not static objects but undergo continuous modification to cope with the everchanging environment. That is, in addition to dynamic execution on a machine, programs display dynamics of their own evolution and growth while execution is at rest" [BELA80]. In order to accomplish

this. ABL has a powerful software update facility (to be shown later), which may be used in a static fashion (just the editor), or dynamically, (through the interactive interpreter) during simulation, testing, or execution.

#### IV. ABL AS A TOOL IN THE SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Applicability to the Seven Development Stages. ABL, as a complete software tool, has utility at every stage in the software development process- from conception and definition through to implementation and maintenance.

In the problem definition and requirements stage, Analytical Modelling and Dynamic Environment Simulation [REIF79] is facilitated in ABL by virtue of its prototyping capabilities and ease of use. This is important for the time / dollar estimates being developed.

In the preliminary design stage, refinement of prototyping into a more detailed level of modularization is done with the aid of ABL. The outputs are to be included in the System Overview document.

The detailed design stage continues the refinement of models and modules with ABL. Use of ABL as a data description language, by listing data elements and their inter-relationships would be done at this stage, as well.

In the programming and development stage, use of post-conditions provide testing and debugging aids. The subsequent inclusion of the 'quantum' fields as defined in the BNF would facilitate the analysis of timing characteristics.

Simulation, flow tracing, breakpoint setting, dynamic program modification, error trapping, dynamic variable assignment and execution monitoring have been implemented in the ABL interactive interpreter, providing a powerful means of dynamic software development and testing. These techniques may be applied at any level of the hierarchy, so that high-or medium-levels of refinement of a problem may be "walked-through" and documented before proceeding to the next lower level. It also means that modules can be developed and tested separately, and interfaced at a common higher level later on.

By virtue of its structured approach, ABL is also very supportive of machine independence, or "migration" [MCIN78]. The implementation language(s) and host machine(s) need not be committed to until many steps into the refinement process, so that transportability from one machine or one language to another can be achieved easily.

For testing and implementation, ABL lends itself to powerful testing and analysis tools, both static and dynamic.

In the static category, there exist syntax analyzers and other error scans for unreferenced elements, and noncorrespondance of data types [OSTEBO]. Control-flow graphs may be used for loop optimization and complexity measurement [MCCA76]. Data-flow analysis indicates relationships between variables, specifically the dependence between variables (to indicate side-effects, etc.), and the mutually exclusive or independent variables, to aid in the partitioning of modules. Symbolic execution, deriving symbolic expressions for outputs in terms of inputs, are the extensions of these data-flow diagrams [CLAR76, CLAR80].

The combinatorial nature of these techniques is non-trivial, and is beyond the scope of this work.

Operations and maintenance are facilitated by the modular, structured programming techniques employed by ABL, and by the natural, self-documenting approach.

Performance evaluation in ABL is primarily accomplished by measuring efficiency of execution. Each ABL primitive construct (predicate, action) has an estimated execution figure associated with it. The sum of execution times (quantum) for different program models may be compared in order to determine the most efficient structure.

Features of the ABL Software tool. The ABL on-line development process is unlike conventional programming techniques, in that it need not be done in a sequential fashion.

Even when simulating the execution of a program, pitfalls such as unsatisfied references are designed to indicate to the programmer immediately, who will then have the choice of suspending execution, or merely "plugging in" a value and resuming execution.

Thus, the programmer can monitor the program through his "window" into the computer. During flow tracing, as control passes outside the confines of the window, or upon entering or exiting another level of abstraction, the display can be automatically redrawn to accommodate the new environment [TEIT81].

With this powerful development tool, reverse execution of a program as a debugging method becomes feasible as well. This is accomplished by maintaining a history of data objects that have been modified (and their values), and successively restoring these values and the associated control flow step-by-step, thereby giving the illusion of the program executing backwards [WILC76].

Control Flow diagrams in ABL are defined by the precondition and postcondition sections and the Next and Exception Step vectors.



Data Flow diagrams are defined by the input and output data objects associated with the actions.

A consideration for future development is to add an action section to each cluster.

This would mean defining an action or series of actions to affect all alternatives within the cluster. A prime case is to implement semaphores for concurrent processing in this section, to inhibit the execution of the cluster if it were a critical process. Schema such as the Communication Port (CP) [MADSO] have already been designed, and could be used as the synchronization primitives here.

The constructs of ABL have all been designed to facilitate software updating and modification in the design, implementation and maintenance phases of a software project.

Many display formats are available in ABL to show all relevant conditions, actions and relationships within each alternative of the module. These will be shown in the Software Environment Chapter.

A natural language description of each component of the module (clusters, alternatives, predicates, actions, etc.) provide self-documentation.

The table or "Vertical" format of ABL tends to force a clear problem statement of the abstract program, and shows

which elements of the abstract machine are referenced.

This form augments the neatness, compactness, and readability of the program.

A consideration for limiting the complexity of a particular module could be such that the table size not be greater than one page in length or width. As a rule of thumb, anything larger should be segmented into a more manageable table size.

The Comput format of ABL gives a conventional or "Horizontal" representation of ABL. This resembles the 'case' construct found in many conventional programming languages.

## V. THE SOFTWARE ENVIRONMENT FOR ABL

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Implementation: The Host System. The ABL Software Environment was implemented on a Tyme System 80 / 160 minicomputer.

The system configuration consists of:

### Hardware:

- Data General Nova 4 central processor, with 256K bytes of main memory.
- Control Data 9762 Storage Module Disk Drives, with 130 megabytes of random access storage.
- Printronix P600 Matrix Printer/Plotter, with OCR-A font.
- Cybernex XL-87H Video Terminals, with twin intensities and full cursor addressing.

### Software:

- MICOS Release 11.2 Operating System
- EXTENSIVE BASIC Language (Interpretive, with ISAM)
- Tyme Systems Utility programs and program development macros.

This system allows for powerful interactive access, and facilitates "user-friendly" programming.

The ABL system requires approximately .5 mbytes of disk storage for programs, documentation, and workfiles.

The Tyme utilities provide for the user's choice of language (English or French) by terminal, by keeping screen layouts, report masks and all messages stored in utility files. Though the ABL software environment is written in English only, it could quickly and easily become bilingual.

Description of Implemented System. The ABL Software Environment consists of two main modules: the editors and the interactive interpreter. The six functions implemented to support these modules are:

- 1) ABL Program Editor
- 2) ABL Program Listings
- 3) ABL Machine Editor
- 4) ABL Machine Listings
- 5) ABL Program and Machine Library
- 6) ABL Interactive Interpreter

These functions are shown in the ABL Environment System Diagram in Figure 7.

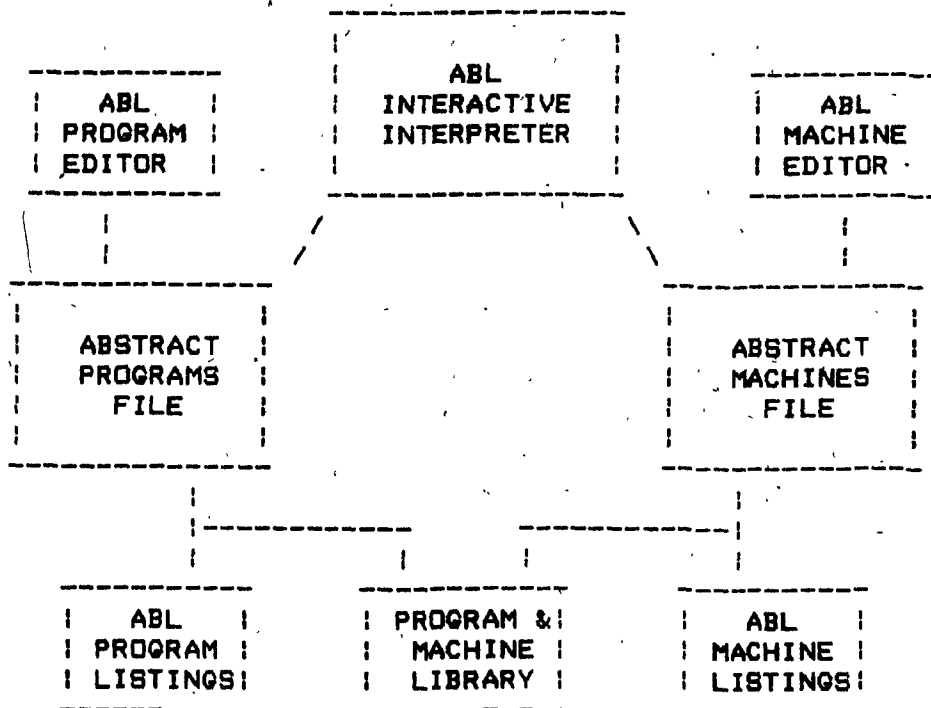


Figure 7. ABL Environment System Diagram

The ABL Program Editor allows the entry, modification or deletion of abstract programs from the master program library.

A hard-copy of these programs may currently be obtained in three formats:

- i) the Vertical Transform, which is the most complete listing available. An example has already been presented in Figure 4, the Calculator example.
- ii) the Comput form, which is shown in Figure 8, using the same electronic calculator example as in Figure 4. A Comput may be thought of as a "building block" of a module. It is equivalent to a cluster, in that it is composed of a collection of alternatives, selected by a "guard". The computes are labelled 0, 1, 2, and 3 in the example.
- iii) the Compact forms of the ABL programs. Figure 9a shows the compact abstract program of alternatives, a "shorthand" method of defining each alternative and its contents. Figure 9b, the Compact Abstract Program Table, is the internal representation of the abstract program in the form of a two-dimensional matrix, as maintained by the ABL software environment.

The ABL Machine Editor allows the entry, modification or deletion of abstract machines. These comprise predicates (pre- and postconditions), actions and data objects.

The hard-copy listing of the portable electronic calculator machine is shown in Figure 10.

A general listing of all machines and all programs that may be run on those machines is shown on the Program and Machine Library Listing (Figure 11).

MACHINE: CA PORTABLE ELECTRONIC CALCULATOR MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 BASIC POSTFIX CALCULATOR WITH +, -, \*, /, = OPERANDS

0 : ENTRY - EXIT POINT

1 : COMPUT INITIALIZE ON POWER-UP OR CLEAR

```
[ ] ACCUMULATOR = 0
    CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L. E. D. DISPLAY
    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
    [ ] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 0
```

2 : COMPUT DETERMINE CHARACTER ENTERED AND DECODE

```
[ CHAR = 0..9
  CHAR = '+'
  CHAR = '-'
  CHAR = "*"
  CHAR = "/"
  BUFFER = 0
  CHAR = "=" ]
```

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[Y, -, ., /, =, =] : PLACE DIGIT OR DECIMAL POINT INTO BUFFER
                    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
                    [ BUFFER VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) ]
                    [N] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 3
```

```
[-, Y, -, -, -, -] : ADD CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR
                    CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L. E. D. DISPLAY
                    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
                    [ ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) ]
                    [N] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 3
```

```
[-, -, Y, -, -, -] : SUBTRACT CONTENTS OF BUFFER FROM ACCUMULATOR
                    CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L. E. D. DISPLAY
                    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
                    [ ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) ]
                    [N] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 3
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[-, -, -, Y, -, -, -] : MULTIPLY CONTENTS OF BUFFER TIMES ACCUMULATOR
                    CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L. E. D. DISPLAY
                    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
                    [ ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) ]
                    [N] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 3
```

```
[-, -, -, -, Y, N, -] : DIVIDE CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR
                    CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L. E. D. DISPLAY
                    ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD
                    [ ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) ]
                    [N] ---> 2 EXCEPTION ---> 3
```

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[-, -, -, -, Y, Y, -] : [ ] ---> 3 EXCEPTION ---> 3
[-, -, -, -, -, Y] : PRINT CONTENTS OF ACCUMULATOR
                    [ ] ---> 1 EXCEPTION ---> 3
```

3 : COMPUT ERROR CONDITION

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[ ] PRINT ERROR MESSAGE
    [ ] ---> 1 EXCEPTION ---> 0
```

MACHINE: CA PORTABLE ELECTRONIC CALCULATOR MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 BASIC POSTFIX CALCULATOR WITH +,-,\*,/,= OPERANDS

COMPACT ABSTRACT PROGRAM OF ALTERNATIVES

ALTERNATIVE FORMAT IS: (HORIZONTALLY)  
 CLUSTER (ALTERNATIVE) / PRECONDITIONS / ACTIONS / POSTCONDITIONS / NEXT STEP / EXCEPTION STEP

1. 1/0/1, 2. 3/0/2/0	1 INITIALIZE PROCEDURE
2. 1/1/4, 3/-11/2/3	2 NUMERIC ENTERED
2. 2/2/5, 2. 3/-12/2/3	3 '+' OPERAND ENTERED
2. 3/3/6, 2. 3/-12/2/3	4 '-' OPERAND ENTERED
2. 4/4/7, 2. 3/-12/2/3	5 '*' OPERAND ENTERED
2. 5/5, -6/8, 2. 3/-12/2/3	6 '/' OPERAND ENTERED, NON-ZERO BUFFER
2. 6/5, 6/0/0/3/3	7 '/' OPERAND ENTERED, BUT DIVISION BY ZERO
2. 7/7/9/0/1/3	8 '=' OPERAND ENTERED
3. 1/0/10/0/1/0	9 PRINT ERROR MESSAGE

Figure 9a. ABL Compact Abstract Program of Alternatives Listing

COMPACT ABSTRACT PROGRAM TABLE

TABLE FORMAT IS: (HORIZONTALLY)  
 CLUSTER (ALTERNATIVE) / PRECONDITIONS / 0 / ACTIONS / 0 / POSTCONDITIONS / 0 / NEXT STEP / EXCEPTION STEP

11	0	1	2	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	1	0	4	3	0	-11	0	2	3	0	0	0	0
22	2	0	5	2	3	0	-12	0	2	3	0	0	0
23	3	0	6	2	3	0	-12	0	2	3	0	0	0
24	4	0	7	2	3	0	-12	0	2	3	0	0	0
25	5	-6	0	8	2	3	0	-12	0	2	3	0	0
26	5	6	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	7	0	9	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	0	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Figure 9b. ABL Compact Abstract Program Table Listing

CA PORTABLE ELECTRONIC CALCULATOR MACHINE

PREDICATES

1 CHAR = 0.9 CODE: IF CH# < 9	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
2 CHAR = '+' CODE: IF CH# = '+'	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
3 CHAR = '-' CODE: IF CH# = '-'	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
4 CHAR = '*' CODE: IF CH# = '*'	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
5 CHAR = '/' CODE: IF CH# = '/'	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
6 BUFFER = 0 CODE: IF BUF = 0	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
7 CHAR = '=' CODE: IF CH# = '='	TIME (MSEC): 10	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	OUTPUTS:
11 BUFFER VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) CODE: IF BUF > 999999.99	TIME (MSEC): 18	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 2	OUTPUTS:
12 ACCUMULATOR VALUE > 999999.99 (OVERFLOW) CODE: IF ACC > 999999.99	TIME (MSEC): 18	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 1	OUTPUTS:

ACTIONS

1 ACCUMULATOR = 0 CODE: LET ACC=0	TIME (MSEC): 8	DATA OBJECT INPUTS:	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
2 CLEAR INPUT BUFFER & L.E.D. DISPLAY CODE: LET BUF=0	TIME (MSEC): 8	DATA OBJECT INPUTS:	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 2
3 ACCEPT NEXT CHAR FROM KEYPAD CODE: ACC 10, CH#	TIME (MSEC): 20	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS:
4 PLACE DIGIT OR DECIMAL POINT INTO BUFFER CODE: CH# CH# BUF	TIME (MSEC): 18	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 3	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 2
5 ADD CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR CODE: LET ACC=ACC+BUF	TIME (MSEC): 15	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 2	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
6 SUBTRACT CONTENTS OF BUFFER FROM ACCUMULATOR CODE: LET ACC=ACC-BUF	TIME (MSEC): 15	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 2	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
7 MULTIPLY CONTENTS OF BUFFER TIMES ACCUMULATOR CODE: LET ACC=ACC*BUF	TIME (MSEC): 25	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 2	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
8 DIVIDE CONTENTS OF BUFFER INTO ACCUMULATOR CODE: LET ACC=ACC/BUF	TIME (MSEC): 25	DATA OBJECT INPUTS: 2	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
9 PRINT CONTENTS OF ACCUMULATOR CODE: PRT ACC	TIME (MSEC): 40	DATA OBJECT INPUTS:	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS: 1
10 PRINT ERROR MESSAGE CODE: PRT "ERROR- OVER/UNDER FLOW"	TIME (MSEC): 40	DATA OBJECT INPUTS:	PROGRAM/MACHINE: / OUTPUTS:

DATA OBJECTS

- 1 ACCUMULATOR
- 2 BUFFER
- 3 CHARACTER INPUT FROM KEYPAD

Figure 10. ABL Machine Listing



ABL MASTER LIBRARY OF MACHINES AND PROGRAMS

MACHINE: CA PORTABLE ELECTRONIC CALCULATOR MACHINE

PROGRAM 01  
BASIC POSTFIX CALCULATOR WITH +, -, \*, /, = OPERANDS

MACHINE: DA AUTOMATIC DIALER MACHINE- MINI-COMPUTER & SD-192 EPABX PHONE

PROGRAM 01  
AUTO-DIALER DESIGN EXAMPLE (LEVEL 00)

PROGRAM 02  
AUTO-DIALER MODULE- GET-NEXT-PATIENT SUB-PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

MACHINE: ED ABL INTERPRETER EDIT MACHINE

PROGRAM 01  
ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EDIT PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

MACHINE: EX ABL PROGRAM EXECUTION MACHINE

PROGRAM 01  
ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

MACHINE: IN ABL EXECUTIVE INTERPRETER MACHINE

PROGRAM 00  
ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTIVE (LEVEL 00)  
THIS PROGRAM IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF ABSTRACTION OF THE  
ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER.

MACHINE: PA ABL SET PARAMETERS MACHINE

PROGRAM 01  
ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- PARAMETERS PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

6 MACHINES AND 7 PROGRAMS PRINTED

The ABL Interactive Interpreter. At the heart of the ABL software environment is the interactive interpreter. This major program allows for the on-line design, development, simulation and testing of modules on an interactive basis.

In order to accommodate these needs, the interpretive route was selected, as opposed to compilation. This allows the user to be imprecise about certain bindings over control- or data-flows, and to use those bindings that become available when the objects are actually referenced. This flexibility is best achieved through interpretation [MITC79].

The ABL interpreter was itself designed using the software environment, and the basic control flow is shown in the following Vertical Transforms:

Level 00.01	Executive (main) Program	- Figure 12a.
Level 01.01	Edit Module	- Figure 12b.
Level 01.02	Monitor Parameters Module	- Figure 12c.
Level 01.03	Execute Module	- Figure 12d.

The Executive selects the program to be operated upon, and determines the subsequent module to be run, according to the user selection.

The edit module allows creation or modification of a complete alternative, and its components and descriptions.

The monitor parameters module sets or clears traces and breakpoints for any alternative. This allows user control of the detail of tracing and speed of execution [TEIT81].

There is also an option to dump the trace to the

printer. The execute module actually "runs" the program by stepping through the alternatives, evaluating predicates, and parsing and executing actions in the implementation language.

This Interactive Interpreter, like all the components in the ABL software environment, have been implemented using the EXTENSIVE BASIC language. The BASIC listing of the interpreter, with appropriate file layouts, may be found in the Appendix.

MACHINE: IN ABL EXECUTIVE INTERPRETER MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 00 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTIVE (LEVEL.00).  
 THIS PROGRAM IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF ABSTRACTION OF THE  
 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER.

- CLUSTER 1.0 DISPLAY SCREEN, GET MACHINE CODE
  - 1.1 (1) DISPLAY SCREEN, GET MACHINE CODE
- CLUSTER 2.0 GET PROGRAM CODE, VERIFY THAT IT EXISTS
  - 2.1 (2) GET PROGRAM CODE, VERIFY THAT IT EXISTS
- CLUSTER 3.0 DETERMINE DESIRED SUB-PROGRAM OR QUIT (END)
  - 3.1 (3) EDIT SUB-PROGRAM
  - 3.2 (4) SET PARAMETERS SUB-PROGRAM
  - 3.3 (5) EXECUTE SUB-PROGRAM
  - 3.4 (6) QUIT (END) INTERPRETER
  - 3.5 (7) INVALID CHOICE OF OPTIONS
- CLUSTER 4.0 LOAD PROGRAM, DISPLAY IT
  - 4.1 (8) LOAD PROGRAM, DISPLAY IT
- CLUSTER 5.0 PRINT QUESTION, ASK USER FOR CHOICE
  - 5.1 (9) PRINT QUESTION, ASK USER FOR CHOICE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	DISPLAY SCREEN, GET MACHINE CODE
C2	V	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	GET PROGRAM CODE, VERIFY THAT IT EXISTS
C3	.	V	V	V	V	V	.	.	.	DETERMINE DESIRED SUB-PROGRAM OR QUIT (END)
C4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	V	.	LOAD PROGRAM, DISPLAY IT
C5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	V	PRINT QUESTION, ASK USER FOR CHOICE

PRECONDITIONS

P1	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	N	-	'E'DIT ENTERED ?
P2	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	N	-	SET 'P'ARAMETERS ENTERED ?
P3	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	N	-	E'X'ECUTE PROGRAM ENTERED ?
P4	-	-	-	-	-	Y	N	-	-	'Q'UIT ENTERED ?

ACTIONS

A1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	DISPLAY INTERACTIVE SCREEN
A2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	GET MACHINE CODE FROM USER
A3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	SEE IF MACHINE CODE EXISTS
A4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	GET PROGRAM CODE FROM USER
A5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	SEE IF MACHINE/PROGRAM EXISTS
A9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	** CALL EDIT PROGRAM (01/ED) **
A10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	** CALL MONITOR PARAMETERS PROGRAM (01/PA) **
A11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	** CALL EXECUTE PROGRAM (01/EX) **
A6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	LOAD EXISTING PROGRAM
A7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	PRINT PROGRAM DESCRIPTION AND ALTERNATIVES
A8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	PRINT "EDIT, SET PARAMETERS, EXECUTE OR QUIT ? (EPXQ)"
A12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	GET RESPONSE FROM USER

POSTCONDITIONS

S11	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DOES MACHINE CODE EXIST ?
S12	-	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DOES MACHINE/PROGRAM CODE EXIST ?

NEXT 2 4 5 5 5 0 5 5 3

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Figure 12a. Executive Interpreter Program

MACHINE: ED ABL INTERPRETER EDIT MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EDIT PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

CLUSTER 1.0 GET ALTERNATIVE # FROM USER  
 1.1 (1) GET ALTERNATIVE # FROM USER  
 CLUSTER 2.0 PREPARE FOR INPUT OF ONE COLUMN (ALTERNATIVE)  
 2.1 (2) PREPARE FOR INPUT OF ONE COLUMN (ALTERNATIVE)  
 CLUSTER 3.0 ENTER THE FIVE DIFFERENT TYPES  
 3.1 (3) ENTER PRECONDITIONS  
 3.2 (4) ENTER ACTIONS  
 3.3 (5) ENTER POSTCONDITIONS  
 3.4 (6) ENTER NEXT STEP NUMBER  
 3.5 (7) ENTER EXCEPTION STEP NUMBER  
 3.6 (8) END OF INPUT OF THE ALTERNATIVE  
 CLUSTER 4.0 CHANGE (INCREMENT) TO NEXT INPUT TYPE  
 4.1 (9) CHANGE (INCREMENT) TO NEXT INPUT TYPE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	GET ALTERNATIVE # FROM USER
C2	.	V	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	PREPARE FOR INPUT OF ONE COLUMN (ALTERNATIVE)
C3	.	.	V	V	V	V	V	V	.	ENTER THE FIVE DIFFERENT TYPES
C4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	V	CHANGE (INCREMENT) TO NEXT INPUT TYPE

PRECONDITIONS

P1	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	INPUT TYPE = 1 ? (PRECONDITIONS)
P2	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	-	INPUT TYPE = 2 ? (ACTIONS)
P3	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	-	INPUT TYPE = 3 ? (POSTCONDITIONS)
P4	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	-	INPUT TYPE = 4 ? (NEXT STEP #)
P5	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	-	INPUT TYPE = 5 ? (EXCEPTION STEP #)
P6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	-	INPUT TYPE = 6 ? (END OF INPUT)

ACTIONS

A1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	PRINT "ENTER ALTERNATIVE #"
A2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	GET ALTERNATIVE #
A3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	DETERMINE CORRESPONDING COLUMN NUMBER, IN TABLE & ON SCREEN
A4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	START INPUT OF ALTERNATIVE
A5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	INPUT ROW = 1
A6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	INPUT TYPE = 1
A7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	STORE PRECONDITION ENTERED
A12	2	2	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	INCREMENT INPUT ROW # (ROW # = ROW # + 1)
A8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	STORE ACTION
A9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	STORE POSTCONDITION
A10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	STORE NEXT STEP #
A14	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	INCREMENT INPUT TYPE (TYPE = TYPE + 1)
A11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	STORE EXCEPTION STEP #
A13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	SAVE ALTERNATIVE

POSTCONDITIONS

S11	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DOES ALTERNATIVE EXIST ?
S12	-	-	N	N	N	N	N	-	-	END OF INPUT TYPE ? (' ' ENTERED, ADVANCE TO NEXT TYPE)

NEXT 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 0 3

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Figure 12b. Edit Program

MACHINE: PA ABL SET PARAMETERS MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- PARAMETERS PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

CLUSTER 1.0 INITIALIZE, ASK USER FOR CHOICE  
 1.1 (1) INITIALIZE, ASK USER FOR CHOICE

CLUSTER 2.0 INPUT QUESTION RESPONSE  
 2.1 (2) SET TRACE  
 2.2 (3) SET BREAKPOINT  
 2.3 (4) CLEAR TRACE  
 2.4 (5) CLEAR BREAKPOINT  
 2.5 (6) QUIT (END)  
 2.6 (7) INVALID RESPONSE TO QUESTION

CLUSTER 3.0 SET TRACE  
 3.1 (8) SET TRACE

CLUSTER 4.0 SET BREAKPOINT  
 4.1 (9) SET, BREAKPOINT

CLUSTER 5.0 CLEAR TRACE  
 5.1 (10) CLEAR TRACE

CLUSTER 6.0 CLEAR BREAKPOINT  
 6.1 (11) CLEAR BREAKPOINT

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V											INITIALIZE, ASK USER FOR CHOICE
C2		V	V	V	V	V	V					INPUT QUESTION RESPONSE
C3								V				SET TRACE
C4									V			SET BREAKPOINT
C5										V		CLEAR TRACE
C6											V	CLEAR BREAKPOINT

PRECONDITIONS

P1	-	Y	-	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	SET 'T'RACE ON ?
P2	-	-	Y	-	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	SET 'B'REAKPOINT ON ?
P3	-	-	-	Y	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	'C'LEAR TRACE ?
P4	-	-	-	-	Y	-	N	-	-	-	-	C'L'EAR BREAKPOINT ?
P5	-	-	-	-	-	Y	N	-	-	-	-	'E'ND OF SETTING PARAMETERS ?

ACTIONS

A1	1											INITIALIZE FOR SET PARAMETERS ROUTINE
A2	2											PRINT "SET OR CLEAR TRACE OR BREAKPOINT ? (T/B/C/L/E)
A3	3											GET RESPONSE FROM USER
A4		1	1	1	1							ENTER ALTERNATIVE #
A5							1					SET TRACE FOR SPECIFIED ALTERNATIVE
A6							2					PRINT "T" IN ALTERNATIVE COLUMN ON SCREEN
A7								1				SET BREAKPOINT FOR SPECIFIED ALTERNATIVE
A8								2				PRINT "B" IN ALTERNATIVE COLUMN ON SCREEN
A9									1			CLEAR TRACE FOR SPECIFIED ALTERNATIVE
A10										2		ERASE "T" FROM ALTERNATIVE COLUMN ON SCREEN
A11											1	CLEAR BREAKPOINT FOR SPECIFIED ALTERNATIVE
A12											2	ERASE "B" FROM ALTERNATIVE COLUMN ON SCREEN

POSTCONDITIONS

S11	-	Y	Y	Y	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	DOES ALTERNATIVE NUMBER EXIST ?
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NEXT 2 3 4 5 6 0 1 1 1 1 1

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MACHINE: EX ABL PROGRAM EXECUTION MACHINE  
PROGRAM: 01 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

CLUSTER 1.0 INITIALIZE, START EXECUTION AT CLUSTER # 1  
1.1 (1) INITIALIZE, START EXECUTION AT CLUSTER # 1

CLUSTER 2.0 EVALUATE PRECONDITIONS FOR ALL ALTERNATIVES IN THE CLUSTER  
2.1 (2) EVALUATE PREDICATES FOR ALL ALTERNATIVES IN THE CLUSTER

CLUSTER 3.0 FETCH NEXT ACTION  
3.1 (3) FETCH NEXT ACTION

CLUSTER 4.0 EXECUTE REGULAR OR COMPOUND ACTION  
4.1 (4) EXECUTE COMPOUND ACTION  
4.2 (5) EXECUTE REGULAR ACTION

CLUSTER 5.0 EVALUATE POSTCONDITIONS  
5.1 (6) EVALUATE POSTCONDITIONS

CLUSTER 6.0 IF POSTCONDITIONS ARE SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER=NEXT STEP  
6.1 (7) IF POSTCONDITIONS ARE SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER = NEXT STEP

CLUSTER 7.0 IF POSTCONDITIONS NOT SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER=EXCEPTION STEP  
7.1 (8) IF POSTCONDITIONS NOT SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER=EXCEPTION STEP

CLUSTER 8.0 NO ALTERNATIVES SELECTED IN CLUSTER, TRAP ERROR  
8.1 (9) NO ALTERNATIVES SELECTED IN CLUSTER, TRAP ERROR

Figure 124. continues ...

MACHINE: EX ABL PROGRAM EXECUTION MACHINE  
 PROGRAM: 01 ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V									INITIALIZE, START EXECUTION AT CLUSTER # 1
C2	V									EVALUATE PRECONDITIONS FOR ALL ALTERNATIVES IN THE CLUSTER
C3		V								FETCH NEXT ACTION
C4			V	V						EXECUTE REGULAR OR COMPOUND ACTION
C5					V					EVALUATE POSTCONDITIONS
C6						V				IF POSTCONDITIONS ARE SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER=NEXT STEP
C7							V			IF POSTCONDITIONS NOT SATISFIED, NEXT CLUSTER=EXCEPTION STEP
C8								V		NO ALTERNATIVES SELECTED IN CLUSTER, TRAP ERROR

PRECONDITIONS

P1 - - - Y N - - - IS ACTION A COMPOUND ACTION ?

ACTIONS

A1	1									CURRENT CLUSTER # = 1
A2	1									FOR ALL ALTERNATIVES IN CLUSTER, EVALUATE PRECONDITIONS
A3	2									IF IN TRACE MODE, PRINT PREDICATE # AND INPUT/OUTPUT VALUES
A4	3									SELECT THE ALTERNATIVE WITH ALL PRECONDITIONS SATISFIED
A5	4									CURRENT ACTION # = 1
A6	1									FETCH NEXT ACTION
A7	1									STORE (PUSH) STATE VECTOR ONTO STACK
A8	2									RECORD CALLING MACHINE/PROGRAM, ALTERNATIVE #
A9	3									TRANSFER CONTROL TO SUB-MODULE
A10	4									RETURN FROM SUB-MODULE, RESTORE (POP) STATE VECTOR
A13	5	3								IF TRACE MODE, PRINT ACTION & VARIABLES & VALUES
A14	6	4								INCREMENT ACTION # (ACTION # = ACTION # + 1)
A11	1									PARSE TO DECODE OP-CODE IN IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE
A12	2									PARSE OPERANDS & EXECUTE ACTION IN IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE
A15	1									EVALUATE POSTCONDITIONS FOR THE ALTERNATIVE
A16			1							CURRENT CLUSTER = NEXT STEP #
A18			2	2						IF BREAKPOINT, PAUSE FOR USER INTERACTION
A17			1							CURRENT CLUSTER = EXCEPTION STEP #
A19			1							PRINT ERROR MESSAGE, WAIT FOR USER, ALLOW CORRECTIVE ACTION

POSTCONDITIONS

S11 - Y - - - - - DOES ONE ALTERNATIVE HAVE ALL ITS PREDICATES SATISFIED ?  
 S12 - - Y - - - - - ANY MORE ACTIONS LEFT IN THIS ALTERNATIVE ?  
 S13 - - - - - Y - - - ARE ALL POSTCONDITIONS SATISFIED FOR THIS ALTERNATIVE ?  
 S14 - - - - - N N - IS NEW CURRENT CLUSTER # = 0 ? (END-OF-MODULE ?)  
 S15 - - - - - - Y DOES USER WISH TO RESUME EXECUTION ?

NEXT 2 3 4 3 3 6 2 2 2

EXCP 2 8 5 3 3 7 0 0 0

Figure 12d. Execute Program



Figure 13 is a photograph of the Video Screen while the interactive interpreter is executing the electronic calculator program.

In the photograph, the upper section shows descriptions of the program, current cluster and alternative. Due to screen limitations of 80 columns, there is a maximum of 20 alternatives per module. Above each alternative, a "T" or "B" code indicates that a trace or breakpoint has been set for that alternative. The codes "P", "A", "S", "N", and "E" in the body of the alternatives section correspond to precondition, action, postcondition, next step, and exception step, respectively. A pre- or postcondition followed by a minus sign (-) indicates a 'N'o value.

The current state in the photograph is the very beginning of execution of the electronic calculator program. The current alternative is 1.1, as indicated by the alternative description, and the arrows indicating column one. There were no preconditions to be evaluated, and the first action to be executed is number one. At the bottom of the screen, we can see the natural language description of the action (ACCUMULATOR=0), followed by the action number\* (1). Below this, is the corresponding executable code in the implementation language (LET ACC=0, in BASIC), and a partial state vector of all data objects affected by this action (VALUES: ACC = 0).

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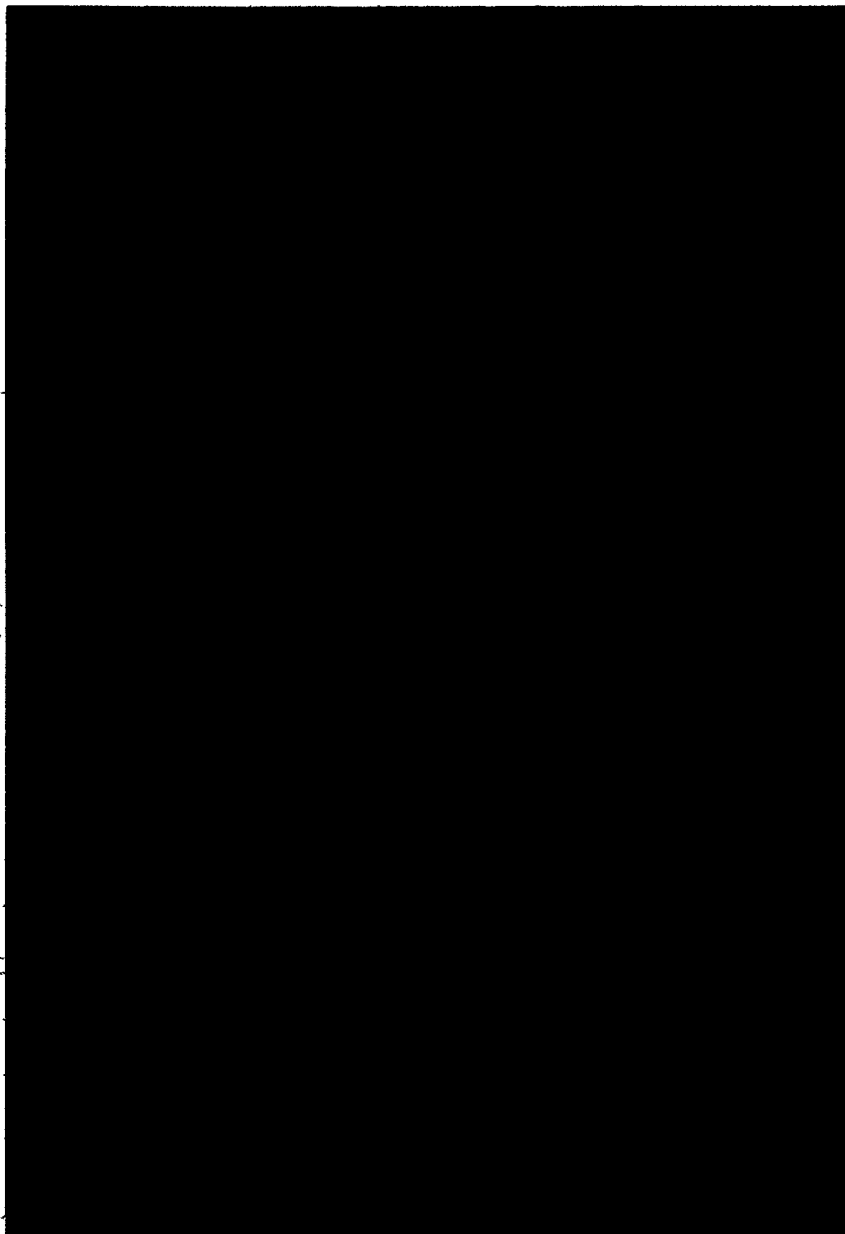


Figure 13. ABL Interactive Interpreter Screen

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## VI. APPLICATION: A MINI-COMPUTER BASED AUTOMATIC DIALING SYSTEM

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"An Office Information System (OIS) is made up of a collection of highly interactive autonomous tasks that execute in parallel, ..., including forms, document preparation, and management, communication and decision-making aids" [ELLIBO].

The Existing Environment. The application chosen to illustrate the ABL software environment is found in a medical office, such as a doctor's or dentist's office.

These offices keep patient history files on cards, forms, notes, memorized, and using other informal and quasi-formal methods of information storage.

Each office maintains an appointment book for scheduled visits during each working day. In the case of many dentists, as an example, appointments are frequently booked six months in advance; i.e. as the patient completes the current visit, an appointment is immediately made for the next six-month checkup.

Therefore, one of the duties of the office receptionist is to remind the patient and confirm the scheduled appoint-

ment, about a week to ten days in advance.

This confirmation process has benefit to the patient as a reminder mechanism, and also to the medical professional, to determine case loads well in advance for better planning. Any negatively confirmed appointments can be rescheduled, and the ensuing gaps can be filled with emergency or other short-notice work.

In order to perform these confirmation telephone calls, the receptionist must:

- 1) consult the appointment book for a given day of the following week, to retrieve relevant patient names.
- 2) "pull" relevant patient file cards with name, phone number, and last visit information on it.
- 3) call these patients. This includes delays such as busy lines, no answer, wrong numbers, etc., during which time the phone line is tied up.
- 4) record the confirmation in the appointment book as successful or unsuccessful.
- 5) refile all the patient cards and pull them out again next week, or keep several piles of cards in anticipation of next week's appointments.
- 6) after the visit is complete, record treatment, observations and the next appointment date and time, and refile the patient history cards.

Problem Definition. The design problem to be dealt with is to automate steps 1 through 5, above. Step 6, an ABL representation of therapeutic strategies, is currently being developed [WILL82].

The appointment confirmation module would be one of many in a complete medical office information system, and assumes the existence of the patient master file, and an automated "appointment book".

Other modules in the total system could include billing of work performed, collections, governmental (medicare) reporting, supplies inventory, and productivity analysis of personnel and equipment.

The objectives of automating these tasks are:

- i) to eliminate much of the lost time in dialing, etc.
- ii) to provide exception reports of unconfirmed appointments to the office manager or practitioner, so that action can be taken to prevent "no-shows"
- iii) to maintain a central, up-to-date patient database, so that inquiries to a patients' medical or dental record can be handled quickly and easily. These inquiries can be from governments, insurance companies, other health-care professionals interested in knowing about past treatments, and pharmacists checking for possible dangerous conflicts in prescription medicines.

Specification of the Automatic Dialing System. The basic steps involved in the automated confirmation system are similar to the manual system described above, but with no paper-shuffling and far less effort.

- 1) To initiate the process, first set up the list of patients to be called. This is done by specifying the following parameters:

STARTING DATE/TIME                    (eg. Monday, 09:00)  
ENDING DATE/TIME                    (eg. Tuesday, 17:00)  
UP TO n PHONE CALLS                (eg. 100 calls)

The system will then form the auto-dialer queue.

- 2) The computer will automatically dial the next number in the queue. If a connection is made, the appropriate patient information will appear on the Video Screen next to the telephone, and the receptionist will speak, and record the result of the conversation on the terminal. If it is an unsuccessful connection, then the call is placed into the retry queue, for a later attempt. Figure 14a is the detailed specification of this process. Figure 14b is a sub-program at the next lower level of abstraction. Its purpose is to select the next patient to be called.

MACHINE: DA AUTOMATIC DIALER MACHINE- MINI-COMPUTER & SD-192 EPABX PHONE  
 PROGRAM: 01 AUTO-DIALER DESIGN EXAMPLE (LEVEL 00)

- CLUSTER 1.0 SYSTEM STARTUP
  - 1.1 (1) SYSTEM STARTUP
- CLUSTER 2.0 SELECT OFFICE OR HOME PHONE NUMBER
  - 2.1 (2) PREFERENCE IS TO CALL PATIENT'S OFFICE NUMBER
  - 2.2 (3) PREFERENCE IS TO CALL PATIENT'S HOME NUMBER
- CLUSTER 3.0 DETERMINE THE STATUS OF THE TELEPHONE AFTER AUTO-DIALING
  - 3.1 (4) LINE IS BUSY
  - 3.2 (5) THERE IS NO ANSWER
  - 3.3 (6) A CONNECTION HAS BEEN MADE (SOMEONE ANSWERS THE PHONE)
- CLUSTER 4.0 RECORD THE RESULT OF THE CONVERSATION
  - 4.1 (7) SUCCESSFUL CONFIRMATION OF THE APPOINTMENT
  - 4.2 (8) PATIENT WAS NOT REACHED, CONSIDERED AS 'NO ANSWER'
  - 4.3 (9) OTHER CHANGE IN THE PATIENT'S FILE IS NEEDED
- CLUSTER 5.0 NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL
  - 5.1 (10) BOTH QUEUES ARE EMPTY, ALL COMPLETE
  - 5.2 (11) RETRY QUEUE IS NOT EMPTY, PRINT IT FOR LATER REFERENCE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V											SYSTEM STARTUP
C2		V	V									SELECT OFFICE OR HOME PHONE NUMBER
C3				V	V	V						DETERMINE THE STATUS OF THE TELEPHONE AFTER AUTO-DIALING
C4							V	V	V			RECORD THE RESULT OF THE CONVERSATION
C5										V	V	NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	PRECONDITIONS
P4	-	Y	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	SHOULD WE CALL THE PATIENT'S OFFICE PHONE NUMBER ?
P5	-	-	-	Y	N	N	-	-	-	-	-	IS THE LINE BUSY ?
P6	-	-	-	N	Y	N	-	-	-	-	-	IS THERE NO ANSWER (6 RINGS) ?
P7	-	-	-	N	N	Y	-	-	-	-	-	IS THERE A CONNECTION (SOMEONE AT OTHER END PICKS UP PHONE)?
P8	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	N	N	-	-	HAVE WE HAD A SUCCESSFUL CONFIRMATION OF THE APPOINTMENT ?
P9	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	N	-	-	-	WAS THE PATIENT HIMSELF CONTACTED ?
P10	-	-	-	-	-	-	N	N	Y	-	-	ARE THERE OTHER CHANGES IN THE PATIENT FILE NEEDED ?
P2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	Y	-	IS AUTO DIALER QUEUE EMPTY ?
P3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Y	N	-	IS RETRY QUEUE EMPTY ?

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	ACTIONS
A1	1											INITIALIZE, STARTUP, ETC.
A2	2			3	3		3	3	3			** GET-NEXT-PATIENT SUB-PROGRAM (02/DA) **
A5	1											SELECT OFFICE PHONE NUMBER TO CALL
A7		2	2									DIAL TELEPHONE NUMBER THROUGH EPABX PHONE SYSTEM
A6			1									SELECT HOME PHONE NUMBER TO CALL
A8				1								LAST RETRY TYPE = BUSY
A10				2	2		2					INCREMENT THE NUMBER OF RETRIES AND INSERT INTO RETRY QUEUE
A9					1			1				LAST RETRY TYPE = NO ANSWER
A12						1						RECEPTIONIST TALKS TO PATIENT (OR OTHER PERSON)
A13							1					RECORD DATE & TIME OF CONFIRMATION
A14								2	2			WRITE BACK THE UPDATED PATIENT RECORD
A15										1		CHANGE THE APPROPRIATE DATA IN THE PATIENT'S RECORD
A3									1	2		PRINT "COMPLETED" ON SCREEN
A4											1	PRINT CONTENTS OF RETRY QUEUE ON PRINTER FOR LATER REFERENCE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	POSTCONDITIONS
S11	Y	-	-	Y	Y	-	Y	Y	Y	-	-	ARE THERE ANY MORE PATIENTS TO CALL ?

NEXT 2 3 3 2 2 4 2 2 2 0 0

EXCP 5 3 3 5 5 4 5 5 5 0 0

Figure 14a. Automatic Dialing System for Appointment Confirmations

MACHINE: DA AUTOMATIC DIALER MACHINE- MINI-COMPUTER & SD-192 EPABX PHONE  
 PROGRAM: 02 AUTO-DIALER MODULE- GET-NEXT-PATIENT SUB-PROGRAM (LEVEL 01)

- CLUSTER 1.0 GET NEXT ELEMENT IN RETRY QUEUE
  - 1.1 ( 1) GET NEXT ELEMENT IN RETRY QUEUE
- CLUSTER 2.0 GET THE CURRENT REAL TIME
  - 2.1 ( 2) GET THE CURRENT REAL TIME
- CLUSTER 3.0 GET THE NEXT ELEMENT IN THE AUTO-DIALER QUEUE
  - 3.1 ( 3) GET THE NEXT ELEMENT IN THE AUTO-DIALER QUEUE
- CLUSTER 4.0 TEST FOR ELIQUIBLILITY OF RETRY
  - 4.1 ( 4) LAST RETRY WAS BUSY- ELIQUIBLE AGAIN
  - 4.2 ( 5) LAST RETRY WAS NO ANSWER- ELIQUIBLE
  - 4.3 ( 6) INSUFFICIENT TIME HAS ELAPSED- INELIQUIBLE FOR RETRY
- CLUSTER 5.0 CHOOSE THIS PATIENT FROM AUTO-DIALER QUEUE
  - 5.1 ( 7) CHOOSE THIS PATIENT
- CLUSTER 6.0 NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL
  - 6.1 ( 8) NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	CLUSTERS / ALTERNATIVES
C1	V								GET NEXT ELEMENT IN RETRY QUEUE
C2		V							GET THE CURRENT REAL TIME
C3			V						GET THE NEXT ELEMENT IN THE AUTO-DIALER QUEUE
C4				V	V	V			TEST FOR ELIQUIBLILITY OF RETRY
C5							V		CHOOSE THIS PATIENT FROM AUTO-DIALER QUEUE
C6								V	NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL

PRECONDITIONS

P20	-	-	-	Y	N	N	-	-	IF THE LAST RETRY WAS BUSY- HAS 5 MINUTES ELAPSED ?
P21	-	-	-	N	Y	N	-	-	IF THE LAST RETRY WAS NO ANSWER- HAS 1 HOUR ELAPSED ?

ACTIONS

A20	1								FOLLOW THE RETRY QUEUE POINTER TO THE NEXT NODE
A21		1							GET THE CURRENT REAL TIME
A24			1						FOLLOW THE AUTO-DIALER QUEUE POINTER TO THE NEXT NODE
A22				1	1	1			CHOOSE THIS PATIENT TO CALL NEXT
A23				2	2	2			READ PATIENT MASTER RECORD
A25							1		NO MORE PATIENTS TO CALL

POSTCONDITIONS

S3	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	IS RETRY QUEUE EMPTY ?
S2	-	-	N	-	-	-	-	-	IS AUTO DIALER QUEUE EMPTY ?

NEXT 2 4 5 0 0 1 0 0

EXCP 3 4 6 0 0 1 0 0



Host System for Implementation. This automatic dialing system necessitates the use of three different electronic devices to implement the design.

The host mini-computer system described in Part V has sufficient storage to handle the patient files for a medium-to-large sized medical office.

Through an RS232C interface, the appropriate control signals and data (phone number) are sent to an automatic dialer, such as the Racal-Vadic VAB11 Multimode Automatic Calling Unit (ACU) [RACAB1], which will return the status of the connection, successful or otherwise.

This ACU must be interfaced with the telephone equipment itself. Since the recent Canadian Radio and Television Commission ruling, the "interconnect" phone system market has flourished. One such system which is very adaptable to this type of interface is the Siemens SD-192 Electronic Private Automatic Branch Exchange (EPABX) [SIEM7B].

It must be emphasized that whatever hardware is used, the software design is completely machine transportable, one of the major features of the ABL approach.

## VII. CONCLUSION

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Summary and Conclusion. In evaluating how well the implemented software environment meets its original objectives, it has been shown that modularization and structured techniques are strongly encouraged, along with a design method that is more suited towards the human approach, and not constrained by the implementation-dependent sequential method.

The ABL tool, at the center of the environment, is highly communicative with its users, and therefore, the label of "user friendly" applies.

The software environment does furnish the facility to segregate the control-flows from the data-flows. It provides powerful dynamic and static testing and analysis tools, and lends general clarity by breaking down difficult problems into their individual components.

The last stage in the software development process described within is to measure the performance and evaluate the software environment.

The field of software metrics is still in its infancy,

as so many of the properties are difficult to quantify. It has been seen that the efficiency, modifiability, transportability, and quality of documentation are all enhanced by the software environment, however intangible these characteristics may be. This has proven effective in improving the performance of the software design and programming examples included herein.

The performance of the ABL interactive interpreter was not measured formally. The degradation during execution was certainly acceptable, considering that the abstract programs are interpreted into BASIC, which is itself interpreted.

In conclusion, ABL is a useful and important tool in the software development process, in a minicomputer environment.

Future Research. Future developments to the software environment could include further testing aids mentioned earlier, such as symbolic execution analysis, data-flow analysis and reverse execution of programs.

The ability to accommodate concurrent processing has been designed into the software environment, along with the possibility of parallel execution. A prime location for this parallelism would be in the evaluation of preconditions for

all alternatives in a cluster, particularly since many of the precondition resultants are considered in more than one alternative.

This would call for the design of a specialized host machine architecture, one that could still be implemented on a mini-computer.

Observations. The intent of this thesis was to develop a software design tool along with an application that would have relevance and utility in a practical environment.

The ABL software environment and the design example of the automatic dialing system are currently under study at Tyne Systems Ltd., for possible application in industry.

The foundation for the ABL software environment was initially developed as far back as 1970 [JAW070].

Only now, in 1983, is ABL at the point of serious consideration by industry, now that the project has reached fruition.

This ABL development experience has shown that any software tool development is a long process.

It is hoped that these developments will encourage more research into the methods of augmenting automated design

tools, in keeping with the applicable software environments.

This can lead to advancements in both the quality and quantity of designs and programs developed by software professionals.

APPENDIX

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"ABLA-06A" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- PREPARE SCREEN

0010 REM "ABLA-06A" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- PREPARE SCREEN

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0100 SHORT V  
0110 LET V=0  
1000 GOSUB 9000  
1010 OPEN FILE (1,5), "ABLMACHI"  
1020 OPEN FILE (2,6), "DUMMY"  
1030 OPEN FILE (3,5), "ABLM18R"  
1090 CHAIN "ABLA-06B".V

DATA FOR CRT SETUP

6990 DATA 19,0, "\*\*\* ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER \*\*\*"

7005 DATA 0,1, "PROGRAM MACHINE"  
7010 DATA 2,2, "1"  
7015 DATA 3,3, "2"  
7025 DATA 4,4, "CLUSTER 0"  
7030 DATA 0,5, "ALTERNATIVE:"  
7045 DATA 1,7, "1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20"  
7995 DATA 99  
9000 ON ERROR GOTO 9020  
9002 DIM X1, Y1, Zs(80)  
9004 INHIBIT  
9006 PRINT CRT(1), CRT(4),  
9008 READ X1  
9010 IF X1=99 THEN GOTO 9020  
9012 READ Y1, Zs  
9014 IF X1=0 THEN LET X1=1-X1-LEN(Zs)  
9016 PRINT PC(X1, Y1), Zs,  
9018 GOTO 9008

9050 ON ERROR STOP  
9022 PRINT CRT(3),  
9024 ALLOW  
9026 RETURN

TOTAL # LINES OF TEXT = 37

TOTAL # CHARACTERS OF TEXT = 983

TOTAL # CHARACTERS IN 'REM' = 272

# LINES PRINTED = 37

"ABLA-06B" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

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--- CONSTANTS ---

0030 LET R=30  
0035 LET C=20  
0099

--- LOCAL VARIABLES ---

C9 CURRENT CLUSTER NUMBER  
R,C MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ROWS, COLUMNS IN T TABLE  
T COMPACTED ABSTRACT PROGRAM TABLE (SEE FILE LAYOUT ABLTXXYY)  
I,J LOOP CONTROL  
D DISPLACEMENT IN T TABLE (USED TO TRANSFER TO & FROM M7 IN FILE)  
P POSITION IN T TABLE (COLUMN NUMBER) (0..C-1)  
T1 TYPE OF INPUT (1=PRECONDITION 2=ACTION)  
T1# TYPE OF INPUT CODES (P/A/S/N/E)  
B1# BREAKPOINT VECTOR (Y/N)  
B2# TRACE VECTOR (Y/N)  
V =0 COMING FROM SCREEN PHASE; =1 COMING FROM EXECUTE PHASE

--- FILE VARIABLES ---

0124 DIM T1\$(5), B1\$(20), B2\$(20), B3\$(1)  
0150 SHORT V,C9,T(R-1,C-1),S  
0160 LONG I,J,D,P,T1  
0200 LET T1\$="PASNE"  
0299  
0320 DIM M\$(4),M1\$(94),M2\$(2),M3\$(60),M5\$(70),M6\$(4)  
0320 SHORT M1,M2(10),M3,M4(9),M5(10),M7(9,19)  
0510 LET M5\$=" ",M5\$  
0520 LET M3\$=" ",M3\$  
0900 GOSUB 9500  
0920 SCOM V  
0930 IF V THEN COM V,B1\$,B2\$,B3\$,S  
0940 IF V THEN IF B3\$="Y" THEN CLOSE FILE (15)  
0950 IF V THEN GOTO 1400

"ABLA-068" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

\*\*\* MAIN PROGRAM \*\*\*

```

0999 PRINT CRT(2)
1000 ON ERROR STOP
1004 ON ERROR GOTO 100B
1005 CLOSE FILE (3)
1006 CLOSE FILE (6)
1008 ON ERROR STOP
1009
1010 LET X1=9
1015 LET X2=1
1020 LET X3=2
1030 GOSUB 9540
1040 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 1050,2050,1030,1030
1045 IF Z1>C2 THEN GOTO 1030
1050 LET M3=(3,4)-Z3
1099
1100 ON ERROR STOP
1110 LET X1=21
1130 GOSUB 9540
1140 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 1130,1000,1160,1130
1190 LET M5=(1,2)-Z5
1160 LET M8=M5*(1,2), " "
1165 LET M1=0
1170 ON ERROR GOTO 1100
1175 SEARCH INDEX (1,Z1,M8,M1 GIVING M1,M2)
1180 ON ERROR STOP
1190 PRINT PC(21,1),M5(1,3),M1*(1,55)
1199
1200 LET Z8="ABLP",M5*(1,4)
1210 ON ERROR GOTO 1000
1220 OPEN FILE (5,3)Z8
1230 LET Z9(1,4)="ABLT"
1240 OPEN FILE (6,5)Z2,Z9
1260 ON ERROR STOP
1299
1300 LET M29=""
1310 FOR M3=1 TO Z
1330 ON ERROR GOTO 1370
1340 SEARCH INDEX (5,6),M2,M3 GIVING M3
1360 PRINT PC(1,M3+1),M3," ",M3;
1370 ON ERROR STOP
1380 NEXT M3
1399
1400 FOR Z=1 TO 3
1410 READ FILE (6,Z),M5,M5,M6,M7
1420 LET D=(Z-1)*10
1430 FOR I=0 TO 9
1440 FOR J=0 TO C-1
1450 LET Y((I+D),J)=M7(I,J)
1460 NEXT J
1470 NEXT I
1480 NEXT Z

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GET PROGRAM NUMBER

GET MACHINE NUMBER

SEE IF PROGRAM ALREADY EXISTS

PROGRAM EXISTS, PRINT FIRST TWO LINES OF DESCRIPTION

READ IN STORED COMPACTED TABLE INTO Y



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```
1500 IF V THEN GOTO 2000
1510 LET B1$="N", B1$
1520 LET B2$="N", B2$
1530 LET S=0
1540 GOSUB 6000

2000 LET Z=103
2010 GOSUB 9800
2030 ON -Z THEN GOTO 3000, 7000, 2500, 2100, 2050
2050 CHAIN "TYU-810"

2099
2100 FOR Z=1 TO 3
2110 LET M5(I)=Z
2120 LET D=(Z-1)*10
2130 FOR I=0 TO 9
2140 FOR J=0 TO C-1
2150 LET M7(I,J)=T(I+D, J)
2160 NEXT J
2170 NEXT I
2180 WRITE FILE (6, Z), M5, M6, M7
2190 NEXT Z
2200 GOTO 1000

2299
2300 LET Z=125
2310 GOSUB 9800
2320 LET B3$="N"
2330 ON -Z THEN GOTO 2550, 2600
2350 LET B3$=Y
2360 OPEN FILE (15, 1), "9SYD"
2600 CHAIN "ABLA-06C", B1$, B2$, B3$, S
```

SAVE PROGRAM

TRACE OUTPUT TO PRINTER ? [Y/N] ^YN  
--- CHAIN TO E'X'ECUTE MODULE ---

"ABLA-06B" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM. SET PARAMETERS

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2998 ----- EDIT MODULE -----
2999 GET CLUSTER NUMBER
3000 ON ERROR STOP
3010 LET X1=13
3015 LET X2=4
3020 LET X3=2
3030 GOSUB 9620
3040 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 3030,2000,3030,3100
3050 LET M3,C9=Z
3060 ON ERROR GOTO 3000
3070 SEARCH INDEX (5,6), "A ",M3 GIVING M3$,M4
3080 ON ERROR STOP
3090 GOTO 3115

3099 GENERATE NEXT CLUSTER NUMBER
3100 LET M3(2)=M3(2)+1
3110 LET C9,M3=M3(2)
3115 PRINT PC(13,4),
3117 PRINT USING "##. #",M3;
3119
3120 LET X1=19
3130 LET X3=60
3140 GOSUB 9540
3150 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 3140,3170,3170,3140
3160 LET M3=Z$
3170 ON ERROR GOTO 3180
3175 DELETE INDEX (5,6), "A ",M3
3180 ON ERROR STOP
3190 INSERT INDEX (5,6), "A ",M3 USING M3$,M4
3200 PRINT PC(19,4),M3;
3499
3500 LET X1=13
3510 LET X2=3
3520 LET X3=4
3530 GOSUB 9600
3540 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 3530,3000,3530,3530
3550 LET Y9,Z3=1
3560 GOSUB 9720
3565 IF Y9=0 THEN GOTO 3500
3570 IF INT(Z/10)>C9 THEN GOTO 3500
3575 IF INT(Z/10)=Z/10 THEN GOTO 3500
3580 LET M3=Z
3590 FOR I=0 TO 9
3592 LET M4(I)=0
3594 NEXT I
3600 ON ERROR GOTO 3620
3610 SEARCH INDEX (5,6), "B ",M3 GIVING M3$,M4
3620 ON ERROR STOP
3625 PRINT PC(13,5),
3627 PRINT USING "##. #",M3/10;
3699
3700 LET X1=19

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GET CLUSTER DESCRIPTION

GET ALTERNATIVE NUMBER

GET ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTION

"ABLA-06B" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

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3710 LET X3=60
3730 GOSUB 9340
3740 ON Z2 THEN GOTO 3730,3500,3760,3730
3750 LET M3=Z8
3760 PRINT PC(19,5);M3;
3900 ON ERROR GOTO 3920
3910 DELETE INDEX (5,6);"B",M3
3920 ON ERROR STOP
3930 INSERT INDEX (5,6);"B",M3 USING M3;M4
3998
3999
4000 FOR P=0 TO M3(3)
4020 IF T(0,P)=0 THEN GOTO 4120
4040 IF T(0,P)=M3 THEN GOTO 4200
4060 IF T(0,P)>M3 THEN GOTO 4100
4080 NEXT P
4100 GOSUB 5000
4120 LET M3(3)=M3(3)+1
4150 LET T(0,P)=M3
4160 CHANGE M3/10 TO Z8 USING "#.#"
4170 PRINT PC(P*4,8);Z8;
4199
4200 LET X1=P*4
4220 LET X2=9
4240 LET X3=3
4300 FOR I=1 TO R-1
4320 ON T1 THEN GOSUB 9610,9620,9610,9620,9620
4340 ON Z2+1 THEN GOTO 4390,4320,4345,4345,4350
4345 LET Z=T(1,P)
4350 IF Z=0 THEN IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 4500
4355 LET T(1,P)=Z
4360 CHANGE Z TO Z8 USING "##-"
4370 LET Z8(1,1)=T18(T1,T1)
4380 PRINT PC(X1,X2);Z8;
4385 IF T1=5 THEN GOTO 4700
4390 IF Z2=2 THEN GOTO 4700
4400 LET X2=X2+1
4410 IF X2=22 THEN LET X2=9
4415 IF T1=4 THEN GOTO 4340
4420 GOTO 4680
4500 IF T1>4 THEN GOTO 4320
4520 LET T(1,P)=Z
4540 LET T1=T1+1
4680 NEXT I
4700 GOTO 3500
4999
5000 FOR J=M3(3) TO P+1 STEP -1
5020 LET T1=1
5040 LET X1=J*4
5060 LET X2=8

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--- GET ONE ALTERNATIVE (ONE COMPLETE COLUMN) ---  
 SCAN ALTERNATIVE NUMBERS, DETERMINE P (COLUMN IN T TABLE)

INPUT COLUMN P (ALTERNATIVE)

SHIFT T TABLE ONE COLUMN TO THE RIGHT TO INSERT AN ALTERNATIVE

"ABLA-06B" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

```

3100 FOR I=0 TO R-1
3120 LET T(I,J)=T(I,J-1)
3130 IF X2=22 THEN GOTO 5190
3135 IF T1>5 THEN GOTO 5190
3140 IF T(I,J)=0 THEN IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 5180
3150 CHANGE T(I,J) TO Z$ USING "##--"
3155 LET Z$(I,J)=T1*(T1,T1)
3160 IF I=0 THEN CHANGE T(I,J)/10 TO Z$ USING "0.#"
3165 PRINT PC(X1, X2)/Z$
3170 LET X2=X2+1
3175 IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 5190
3180 LET T1=T1+1
3190 NEXT J
3200 IF X2=22 THEN GOTO 5250
3210 FOR Z=X2 TO 22
3220 PRINT PC(X1, Z) " "
3230 NEXT Z
3250 NEXT J
3299
3300 FOR I=0 TO R-1
3310 LET T(I,P)=0
3320 NEXT I
3350 LET Z=P+4
3360 FOR I=8 TO 22
3370 PRINT PC(Z, I) " "
3380 NEXT I
3390 RETURN
3999
4000 FOR J=0 TO M5(3)-1
4020 LET T1=I
4040 LET X1=J+4
4060 LET X2=8
4100 FOR I=0 TO R-1
4120 IF X2=22 THEN GOTO 6260
4130 IF T1>5 THEN GOTO 6260
4140 IF T(I,J)=0 THEN IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 6240
4160 CHANGE T(I,J) TO Z$ USING "##--"
4180 LET Z$(I,J)=T1*(T1,T1)
4185 IF I=0 THEN CHANGE T(I,J)/10 TO Z$ USING "0.#"
4190 PRINT PC(X1, X2)/Z$
4200 LET X2=X2+1
4220 IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 6260
4240 LET T1=T1+1
4260 NEXT I
4280 NEXT J
4290 RETURN
    
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ZERO OUT INSERTED COLUMN

PRINT EXISTING ALTERNATIVES

"ABLA-068" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

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7000 LET Z=104
7020 GOSUB 9800
7040 ON -Z THEN GOTO 7100,7200,7300,7400,2000
7099 SET TRACE
7100 GOSUB 7500
7110 LET S2$(P,P)="Y"
7120 PRINT PC(P#4-4,6); "Y";
7150 GOTO 7000
7199 CLEAR TRACE
7200 GOSUB 7500
7210 LET S2$(P,P)="N"
7220 PRINT PC(P#4-4,6); "N";
7250 GOTO 7000
7299 SET BREAKPOINT
7300 GOSUB 7500
7310 LET S1$(P,P)="Y"
7320 PRINT PC(P#4-2,6); "Y";
7350 GOTO 7000
7399 CLEAR BREAKPOINT
7400 GOSUB 7500
7410 LET S1$(P,P)="N"
7420 PRINT PC(P#4-2,6); "N";
7450 GOTO 7000
7499 SET ALTERNATIVE NUMBER TO SET PARAMETER
7500 PRINT PC(2,23); "ENTER ALTERNATIVE NUMBER";
7510 LET X1=30
7520 LET X2=23
7525 LET X3=4
7530 GOSUB 9600
7540 ON Z THEN GOTO 7530,7530,7530,7530
7550 LET Y9,Z3=1
7540 GOSUB 9720
7570 IF Y9=0 THEN GOTO 7530
7599 DETERMINE P (COLUMN IN T TABLE)
7600 LET P=0
7610 FOR I=0 TO M5(3)-1
7620 IF T(O,I)=Z THEN LET P=I+1
7630 NEXT I
7640 IF P=0 THEN GOTO 7530
7670 PRINT PC(O,23); CRT(5); CRT(6);
7680 RETURN

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"ABLA-06B" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- LOAD & EDIT PROGRAM, SET PARAMETERS

TOTAL # LINES OF TEXT = 309

TOTAL # CHARACTERS OF TEXT = 7837

TOTAL # CHARACTERS IN 'REM' = 1993

# LINES PRINTED = 309

"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

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--- CONSTANTS ---

0030 LET R=30  
0035 LET C=20

--- LOCAL VARIABLES ---

0100 A1,A2,A3 COLUMN # FOR ALTERNATIVES  
0101 C9 CURRENT CLUSTER NUMBER  
0102 R,C MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ROWS, COLUMNS IN T TABLE  
0104 T COMPACTED ABSTRACT PROGRAM TABLE (SEE FILE LAYOUT\_ABLTXXYY)  
0107 P,P1,L,L1 CHARACTER POINTERS IN P\$  
0108 P\$ INSTRUCTION TO PARSE IN HOST LANGUAGE  
0109 CB\$ INSTRUCTION MNEMONICS IN HOST LANGUAGE  
0110 P POSITION IN T TABLE (COLUMN NUMBER) (0..C-1)  
0111 P9 PREDICATE VALUE 0=FALSE, 1=TRUE  
0113 T9,T9% VALUE OF SECOND VARIABLE IN EXPRESSION  
0114 W LENGTH OF ALPHA VARIABLE  
0115 W\$ CURRENT VARIABLE NAME  
0116 W1,W2 SUBSCRIPT IN ARRAYS OF VARIABLES V\$,V3\$  
0119 B\$ BLANKS  
0120 B1% BREAKPOINT VECTOR (Y/N)  
0122 B2% TRACE VECTOR (Y/N)  
0123 B3% PRINT FLAG FOR TRACE  
0125 S STACK POINTER (FOR COMPOUND ACTIONS)

0140 ON ERROR GOTO 8790

0150 DIM B\$(40),CB\$(40\*4),P\$(30),T\$(5),T9\$(30),W\$(3),Z\$(128),Z2\$(5)  
0160 SHORT A1,A2,A3,C9,L,L1,P,P1,P9,S,(R-1,C-1),V,W,W1,W2,R2,T1,Y9(1),Z3,Z4  
0170 LONG I,J,T9,X,X1,X2,Z

0200 LET CB\$(1,80)=""ACC\CHG\CHN\CLF\CLD\COM\DAT\DIM\DLX\DO (FOR\FUN\GOS\GOT\IF \INX\LET\LOW\NXT\ONB\ "  
0210 LET CB\$(91,160)=""DNO\DNR\ONS\OPF\PRF\PRT\RD \RDF\RET\SCF\SFX\SHI\SLF\SNX\SRX\WRF\ \ \ \ \ \ "  
0220 LET B\$=""B\$

--- FILE VARIABLES ---

0300 DIM M1\$(94),M5\$(70),M6\$(4)  
0320 SHORT M2(10),M5(10),M7(9,19)  
0330 DIM V\$(60),V2\$(372),V5\$(120),V8\$(4),V9\$(23),B1\$(20),B2\$(20),B3\$(1)  
0340 SHORT V1(19),V2(19),V8(1)  
0350 LONG V3(39)  
0400 LET V2\$=""V2\$  
0410 LET B\$=""B\$  
0420 LET V5\$=""V5\$  
0900 DIM B1\$,B2\$,B3\$,S

"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

\*\*\* MAIN PROGRAM \*\*\*

0998  
 1000 IF S=0 THEN GOSUB 2000  
 1020 IF 8 THEN GOSUB 6500  
 1050 IF 8 THEN GOTO 1020  
 1500 LET V=-1  
 1920 CHAIN "ABLA-06B", V, B1\$, B2\$, B3\$, S

1999 COMMENCE EXECUTION AT CLUSTER NUMBER 1  
 2000 GOSUB 2900  
 2020 LET C9=1  
 2099 DETERMINE ALTERNATIVES BELONGING TO CURRENT CLUSTER

2100 LET A1, A2, A3=-1  
 2110 IF C9=0 THEN RETURN  
 2120 FOR I=0 TO M5(C)-1  
 2130 IF INT((O, I)/10)>C9 THEN GOTO 2160  
 2140 IF A1=-1 THEN LET A1=I  
 2150 LET A2=I  
 2160 NEXT I  
 2170 IF A1=-1 THEN GOTO 2285

EVALUATE PRECONDITIONS TO SELECT AN ALTERNATIVE

2199 FOR J=A1 TO A2  
 2210 LET R2=J  
 2220 GOSUB 7000  
 2240 IF P9=0 THEN GOTO 2270  
 2250 LET A3=J  
 2260 LET J=100  
 2270 NEXT J  
 2280 IF A3<-1 THEN GOTO 2400

NO ALTERNATIVES SATISFIED IN CLUSTER. EXECUTION SUSPENDED.

2285 LET A3=0  
 2290 GOSUB 2900  
 2295 RETURN

FETCH FIRST ACTION

2399 FOR I=1 TO R-1  
 2400 IF T(I, A3) THEN GOTO 2450  
 2420 LET R2=I+1  
 2430 LET I=100  
 2499 NEXT I

ANY MORE ACTIONS ?

2500 IF T(R2, A3)=0 THEN GOTO 2700  
 2590 SEARCH INDEX (1, 2), M5(1, 2), "B", T(R2, A3) GIVING M19, M2  
 2560 LET P9=M19(51, 90)  
 2570 IF B25(A3+1, A3-1)=-N THEN GOTO 2600  
 2580 PRINT PC(1, 21); M19(1, 60); PC(1, 22); P9;  
 2590 IF B38=-Y THEN PRINT FILE (15), "EXECUTING ACTION" M19  
 2599 IS ACTION REGULAR OR COMPOUND ?  
 2600 IF M19(91, 94)>C " " THEN GOTO 6000  
 2620 GOTO 3000



"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER - EXECUTE MODULE

EVALUATE POSTCONDITIONS

2699  
 2700 LET J=3  
 2710 LET R2=R2+1  
 2720 GOSUB 7000  
 2749  
 2750 IF P9=1 THEN LET C9=T(R2+1,A3)  
 2760 IF P9=0 THEN LET C9=T(R2+2,A3)  
 2799  
 2800 IF B18(A3+1,A3+1)="N" THEN GOTD 2100  
 BREAKPOINT ENCOUNTERED. 'RETURN' TO CONTINUE. 'TO STOP.

2810 LET Z=120  
 2815 GOSUB 9800  
 2820 ON -Z THEN GOTD 2100,1500  
 2899  
 READ IN STORED COMPACTED TABLE INTO T

2900 FOR I=1 TO 3  
 2910 READ FILE (4,Z),M5,M3,M6,M7  
 2920 LET X=(Z-1)\*10  
 2930 FOR I=0 TO 9  
 2940 FOR J=0 TO C-1  
 LET T(I+X,J)=M7(I,J)  
 2960 NEXT J  
 2970 NEXT I  
 2980 NEXT Z  
 2990 RETURN

\*\*\* END OF MAIN PROGRAM \*\*\*

2995

"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

---REGULAR ACTION---  
PARSE ACTION OP-CODE IN HOST LANGUAGE

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2998
2999
3000 LET L=(STR(CB$,P$(1,3))+3)/4
3020 ON L THEN GOTO 3200,3350,3800,3500,3320,3800,3800,3800,3300,3340
3030 ON L-10 THEN GOTO 3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800
3040 ON L-20 THEN GOTO 3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800,3800
3050 ON L-30 THEN GOTO 5400,3800,5000,5300,5300,5100
3060 GOTO 3800
3199
3200 LET P=STR(P$,",",")
3210 CHANGE P$(4,P-1) TO W
3220 ACCEPT (W),Z$
3230 LET W=P$(P+1)
3240 IF W=" " THEN GOTO 3810
3250 IF STR(W$,",")=0 THEN GOTO 3300
3260 GOSUB 8000
3270 LET V2$(V1(W1),V2(W1))=Z$,B$
3280 GOTO 3900
3300 GOSUB 8200
3310 CHANGE Z$ TO V5(W1)
3320 GOTO 3900
3339
3340 DO P$(4)
3345 GOTO 3900
3349
3350 LET P=STR(P$,",",")
3360 LET W=P$(P-4)
3370 IF W=" " THEN GOTO 3810
3380 IF STR(W$,",") THEN GOTO 3450
3390 GOSUB 8200
3400 LET W2=W1
3405 LET W=P$(P+1)
3410 GOSUB 8000
3420 LET P$(P,P)=" "
3430 LET Z$=P$(STR(P$,",")+1)
3440 CHANGE V5(W2) TO V2$(V1(W1),V2(W1)) USING Z$
3445 GOTO 3900
3450 GOSUB 8000
3460 LET W2=W1
3465 LET W=P$(P+1)
3470 GOSUB 8200
3480 CHANGE V2$(V1(W2),V2(W2)) TO V5(W1)
3490 GOTO 3900
3499
3500 CHANGE P$(4) TO X
3505 IF X<7 THEN GOTO 3820

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3507 IF X>14 THEN GOTO 3820  
 3510 CLOSE FILE (X)  
 3515 GOTO 3900

'CLOSE'

3519  
 3520 FOR X=7 TO 14  
 3525 CLOSE FILE (X)  
 3530 NEXT X  
 3540 GOTO 3900

'OPENFILE'

3549 LET P=STR(P\$,"")  
 3550 CHANGE P\$(4,P-1) TO X  
 3560 IF X<7 THEN GOTO 3820  
 3565 IF X>14 THEN GOTO 3820  
 3570 LET P\$(P,P)=" "  
 3575 LET P1=STR(P\$,"")  
 3580 CHANGE P\$(P+1,P1-1) TO Z  
 3590 OPEN FILE (X,Z),P\$(P1+1)  
 3595 GOTO 3900

'PRINTFILE'

3649  
 3650 LET P1=STR(P\$,"")+1  
 3660 CHANGE P\$(4,P1-2) TO X  
 3699

'PRINT'

3700 LET P=STR(P\$,"C34>")  
 3705 IF P THEN GOTO 3760  
 3709 IF P\$(1,3)="PRT" THEN LET P1=5  
 3710 LET W\$=P\$(P1)  
 3720 IF STR(W\$,"\$") THEN GOTO 3740  
 3725 GOSUB 8200  
 3730 PRINT PC(40,23),W\$,"J";V5(W1);  
 3732 IF P\$(1,3)="PRF" THEN PRINT FILE (X),W\$,C = ",V5(W1)  
 3735 GOTO 3900

3740 GOSUB 8000  
 3745 PRINT PC(40,23),W\$,"J";V2\$(V1(W1),V2(W1));  
 3747 IF P\$(1,3)="PRF" THEN PRINT FILE (X),W\$,C = ",V2\$(V1(W1),V2(W1))  
 3750 GOTO 3900

3760 LET P\$(P,P)=" "  
 3770 LET P1=STR(P\$,"C34>")  
 3780 PRINT PC(10,23),P\$(P+1,P1-1);  
 3785 IF P\$(1,3)="PRF" THEN PRINT FILE (X),P\$(P+1,P1-1)  
 3790 GOTO 3900

ACTION'S HOST OP CODE INVALID OR NOT IMPLEMENTED - ACTION IGN

3800 LET Z=115  
 3805 GOTO 3880

VARIABLE MISSING ACCORDING TO HOST LANGUAGE SYNTAX - ACTION

3810 LET Z=116



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4210 LET V5(W1)=V5(W2)+T9  
4215 GOTO 3900

4220 LET V5(W1)=V5(W2)+T9  
4225 GOTO 3900

4230 LET V5(W1)=V5(W2)-T9  
4235 GOTO 3900

4240 LET V5(W1)=V5(W2)+T9  
4245 GOTO 3900

4250 LET V5(W1)=V5(W2)/T9  
4255 GOTO 3900

4260 LET V2\*(V1(W1),V2(W1))=V2\*(V1(W2),V2(W2)),Z\$  
4265 GOTO 3900

4999 'SLOTFILE'

5000 CHANGE P\$(4) TO X  
5010 SLOT FILE (X)  
5020 GOTO 3900

5049 'SCRATCHFILE'

5050 CHANGE P\$(4) TO X  
5060 SCRATCH FILE (X)  
5070 GOTO 3900

5099 'READFILE', 'WRITEFILE'

5100 LET P=STR(P\$,"")  
5105 LET P\$(P,P)=P  
5110 LET P1=STR(P\$,"")  
5120 CHANGE P\$(4,P-1) TO X  
5122 IF X<7 THEN GOTO 3820  
5123 IF X>14 THEN GOTO 3820  
5125 CHANGE P\$(P+1,P1-1) TO L1  
5127 IF P\$(1,3)="WRF" THEN GOTO 5170  
5130 READ FILE (X),Z\$(1,L1)  
5140 LET P\$=P\$(P1+1)  
5150 GOSUB 5800  
5160 GOTO 3900

5170 LET P\$=P\$(P1+1)  
5175 GOSUB 5900  
5180 WRITE FILE (X),Z\$(1,L1)  
5190 GOTO 3900

5299 'INSERTINDEX', 'DELETEINDEX', 'SEARCHINDEX', 'SEARCHNEXT'

5300 LET P=STR(P\$,"")  
5310 LET P\$(P,P)=P  
5315 LET P1=STR(P\$,"")  
5320 LET P\$(P1,P1)=P

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5325 CHANGE P$(4,P-1) TO X
5330 CHANGE P$(P+1,P-1) TO X1
5335 LET P=STR(P$,",")
5340 CHANGE P$(P+1,P-1) TO L1
5345 LET W=P$
5350 LET P=P$(P+1)
5355 IF W$>C"SNX" THEN GOSUB 5900
5360 IF W$="SRX" THEN SEARCH INDEX (X,X1),Z$(1,L1)
5370 IF W$="INX" THEN INSERT INDEX (X,X1),Z$(1,L1)
5380 IF W$="DLX" THEN DELETE INDEX (X,X1),Z$(1,L1)
5385 IF W$="SNX" THEN SEARCH NEXT (X,X1),Z$(1,L1)
5387 IF W$="SNX" THEN GOSUB 5800
5390 GOTO 3900
    
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'SEARCHFIRST'

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5399
5400 LET P=STR(P$,",")
5405 LET P$(P,P)=""
5410 LET P1=STR(P$,",")
5420 CHANGE P$(4,P-1) TO X
5422 IF X<7 THEN GOTO 3820
5423 IF X>14 THEN GOTO 3820
5425 CHANGE P$(P+1,P-1) TO L1
5440 LET P=P$(P+1)
5450 GOSUB 5900
5460 SEARCH FIRST (X),Z$(1,L1)
5470 GOTO 3900
    
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TRANSFER Z\$ INTO VARIABLES FOR READS

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5799 LET P9=0
5800 LET P9=0
5810 GOTO 5905
    
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TRANSFER VARIABLES INTO Z\$ FOR WRITES

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5899 LET P9=1
5905 LET X=1
5910 FOR I=1 TO STR(P$,",")/4+1
5915 LET W=P$(I+4-3)
5920 IF STR(W$,",") THEN GOTO 5950
5925 GOSUB 8200
5930 IF P9=0 THEN MOVE Z$(X,X+7) TO V5(W1)
5932 IF P9 THEN MOVE V5(W1) TO Z$(X,X+7)
5935 LET X=X+B
5940 GOTO 5970
5950 GOSUB 8000
5955 LET W=V2(W1)-V1(W1)
5960 IF P9=0 THEN MOVE Z$(X,X+W) TO V2*(V1(W1),V2(W1))
5962 IF P9 THEN MOVE V2*(V1(W1),V2(W1)) TO Z$(X,X+W)
5965 LET X=X+W+1
5970 IF X>L1 THEN LET I=100
5980 NEXT I
5990 RETURN
    
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"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

---COMPOUND ACTION---  
STORE STATE VECTOR, TRANSFER CONTROL TO SUB-PROGRAM

PUSH TWO RECORDS ONTO CONTROL STACK

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5998
5999
6000 LET V8$=M5$(1,4)
6010 LET V8=A3
6020 LET V8(1)=R2+1
6030 OPEN FILE (0,512), "ABLSTACK"
6049
6090 LET S=S+1
6060 WRITE FILE (0,S),V8,V1,V2$,V2
6070 LET S=S+1
6080 WRITE FILE (0,S),V5$,V5,V8$,V8,B1$,B2$,B3$
6090 CLOSE FILE (0)
6100 CLOSE FILE (3)
6110 CLOSE FILE (6)
6120 LET Z9="ABLP",M19(93,94),M19(91,92)
6130 OPEN FILE (5,5),Z9
6140 LET Z8(1,4)="ABLT"
6150 OPEN FILE (6,512),Z8
6155 LET Z9="ENTERING NEXT LOWER LEVEL OF ABSTRACTION- POR/MACH ",M19(91,92),"/",M19(93,94)
6160 PRINT PC(0,23),Z9;
6165 IF R39="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15),SKP(2)
6167 IF R39="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (13),Z9
6180 GOSUB 2900
6190 GOSUB 6200
6195 GOTO 2020

6199 PRINT EXISTING ALTERNATIVES
6200 FOR J=0 TO M5(3)-1
6210 LET T1=J
6220 LET X1=J*4
6230 LET X2=8
6240 FOR I=0 TO R-1
6250 IF X2-22 THEN GOTO 6350
6260 IF T1>5 THEN GOTO 6350
6270 IF T(I,J)=0 THEN IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 6340
6280 CHANGE T(I,J) TO Z9 USING "##"
6290 LET Z8(1,1)=T1$(T1,T1)
6300 IF I=0 THEN CHANGE T(I,J)/10 TO Z8 USING "##"
6310 PRINT PC(X1,X2),Z8;
6320 LET X2=X2+1
6330 IF T1<4 THEN GOTO 6350
6340 LET T1=T1+1
6350 NEXT J
6360 NEXT I
6400 PRINT PC(0,6);TAB(75);
6410 FOR I=0 TO 20,
6420 IF B2$(I,1)="Y" THEN PRINT PC(I*4-4,6);"T";
6430 IF B1$(I,1)="Y" THEN PRINT PC(I*4-2,6);"B";
6440 NEXT I
6480 RETURN

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RESTORE STATE VECTOR, TRANSFER CONTROL BACK TO CALLING PROGRAM

6499

"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

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6500 OPEN FILE (0,512), "ABLSTACK"
6509
6510 READ FILE (0,9), V5$, V5, VB$, VB, V9$, B1$, B2$, B3$
6520 LET S=S-1
6530 READ FILE (0,9), V$, V1, V2$, V2
6540 LET S=S-1
6550 CLOSE FILE (0)
6560 LET A3=VB
6570 LET R2=VB(1)
6600 CLOSE FILE (5)
6610 CLOSE FILE (6)
6620 LET Z$="ABLP", VB$
6630 OPEN FILE (5,5), Z$
6640 LET Z$(1,4)="ABLT"
6650 OPEN FILE (6,512), Z$
6700 LET Z$="RESUMING NEXT HIGHER LEVEL OF ABSTRACTION- PGM/MACH ", VB$(3,4), "/". VB$(1,2)
6710 PRINT PC(0,23), Z$;
6720 IF B3$="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15), SKP(2)
6730 IF B3$="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15), Z$
6750 GOSUB 2900
6760 GOSUB 6200
6770 GOTO 2500

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"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

EVALUATE PREDICATES (PRE ↑ POST CONDITIONS)

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6999 LET P9=1
7000 FOR I=R2 TO R-1
7010 IF T(I,J)=0 THEN GOTO 7790
7049
7050 SEARCH INDEX (I,2),M5(I,2), "A",T(I,J) GIVING M1,M2
7060 LET P8=M1*(61,90)
7070 IF B2$(J+1,J+1)="N" THEN GOTO 7080
7075 PRINT PC(I,2);M1(I,60);PC(I,22);P8;
7077 IF B3="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15), "EVALUATING PREDICATE", M1$
7080 IF P8(I,3)>C-IF = THEN GOTO 7700
7090 IF P8(4,6)>C=EOF THEN GOTO 7100
7092 CHANGE P$(8,8) TO X
7094 ON EOF(X)+1 THEN GOTO 7780,7800
7100 IF STR(P$(4,6),"*") THEN GOTO 7400
7109

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FIND VALUE OF NUMERIC VARIABLE

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7110 LET L=(STR(V5$,P$(4,6))-1)/3
7120 IF L<0 THEN GOTO 7710
7130 IF P$(9,9)="A" THEN IF P$(9,9)="C"="Z" THEN GOTO 7450
7140 CHANGE P$(9) TO T9
7145 GOTO 7200
7150 LET L1=STR(V5$,P$(9,11))
7160 IF L1=0 THEN GOTO 7710
7170 LET T9=V5$((L1-1)/3)
7200 IF B2$(J+1,J+1)="N" THEN GOTO 7300
7210 PRINT PC(35,22);V5(L);P$(7,8);T9;
7220 IF B3="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15), "NUMERIC VALUES", V5(L), P$(7,8), T9
7300 ON STR("=>>< ><C="),P$(7,8))+1 THEN GOTO 7720,7310,7320,7330,7340,7350,7360
7310 IF V5(L)=T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7315 GOTO 7780
7320 IF V5(L)>C<T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7325 GOTO 7780
7330 IF V5(L)>T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7335 GOTO 7780
7340 IF V5(L)<T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7345 GOTO 7780
7350 IF V5(L)=>T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7355 GOTO 7780
7360 IF V5(L)=<T9 THEN GOTO 7800
7365 GOTO 7780
7399

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FIND VALUE OF ALPHA VARIABLE

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7400 LET L=(STR(V5$,P$(4,6))-1)/3
7410 IF L<0 THEN GOTO 7710
7420 IF P$(9,9)="C34" THEN GOTO 7500
7430 LET L1=(STR(V5$,P$(9,11))-1)/3
7440 IF L1<0 THEN GOTO 7710
7450 LET T9=V2$(V1(L1),V2(L1))
7460 GOTO 7550
7500 LET T9=PS(10,STR(P$(11), "<34>")-1)
7550 IF B2$(J+1,J+1)="N" THEN GOTO 7600
7570 PRINT PC(35,22);V2$(V1(L),V2(L));P$(7,8);V2(L);P$(7,8);V2$(V1(L),V2(L));
7580 IF B3="Y" THEN PRINT FILE (15), "ALPHA VALUES", V2$(V1(L),V2(L));P$(7,8);V2$(V1(L),V2(L));

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"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

7600 ON STR(=" >< ><=" , P\$(7,8)) + 1 THEN GOTO 7720, 7610, 7620, 7610, 7620, 7630, 7640, 7650, 7660  
7610 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) = T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800

7615 GOTO 7780  
7620 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) > T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800  
7625 GOTO 7780

7630 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) < T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800  
7635 GOTO 7780  
7640 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) < T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800  
7645 GOTO 7780

7650 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) = T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800  
7655 GOTO 7780  
7660 IF V2\$(V1(L1), V2(L1)) = T9\$ THEN GOTO 7800  
7665 GOTO 7780

INVALID PREDICATE - CANNOT BE EVALUATED

7700 LET Z=111  
7705 GOTO 7770

VARIABLE HAS NOT BEEN GIVEN A VALUE. PREDICATE NOT EVALUATE

7710 LET Z=112  
7715 GOTO 7770

INVALID OPERAND- PREDICATE NOT EVALUATED

7720 LET Z=113  
7770 GOSUB 9800  
7780 LET P9=0

7790 LET R2=1  
7795 LET I=100  
7800 NEXT I  
7850 RETURN

P N = A B L A - 0 6 C    S A V E D    U N D E R    A B L A - 0 6 C    M A R    2 1 ,    8 2    1 4 :    3 7    P A G E    1 3

"ABLA-06C" ABL INTERACTIVE INTERPRETER- EXECUTE MODULE

FIND THE ALPHANUMERIC LOCAL VARIABLE

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7999 IF W8=" " THEN RETURN
8010 LET W1=(STR(V8,W8)-1)/3
8020 IF W1>0 THEN RETURN
8030 LET X=(STR(V8," ")-1)/3
8060 LET V1(X)=1
8070 IF X THEN LET V1(X)=V2(X-1)+1
8080 LET V2(X)=V1(X)+W-1
8090 LET V3(X+3+1,X+3+3)=W8
8100 GOTO 8010

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FIND THE NUMERIC LOCAL VARIABLE

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8199
8200 IF W8=" " THEN RETURN
8210 LET W1=(STR(V8,W8)-1)/3
8220 IF W1>0 THEN RETURN
8250 LET X=(STR(V8," ")-1)/3
8260 LET V8(X+3+1,X+3+3)=W8
8270 GOTO 8210

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8790 ON ERROR STOP
8792 LET Y9(0)=ERS(1)
8794 LET Y9(1)=ERS(0)
8796 ON ERROR GOTO 8790
8798 IF Y9=3210 THEN GOTO 3810
8800 IF Y9=3440 THEN GOTO 3900
8805 IF Y9=3480 THEN GOTO 3900
8810 IF Y9=3525 THEN IF Y9(1)=18 THEN GOTO 3530
8820 IF Y9=3590 THEN GOTO 3900
8875 IF Y9=9838 THEN GOTO 9842
8880 PRINT PC(0;23) " UNEXPECTED ERROR ",Y9(1) " AT C7> ",Y9;PC(0;20);
8900 STOP

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TOTAL # LINES OF TEXT = 514  
TOTAL # CHARACTERS OF TEXT = 14529  
TOTAL # CHARACTERS IN 'REM' = 2559  
# LINES PRINTED = 514

FILE LAYOUT FOR: ABLHACHI PROJECT - A B PAGE 1  
 AS OF MAR 21.82 AT 14:38  
 DESCRIPTION: ABL ABSTRACT MACHINE TABLE  
 FORMAT CODE:  
 MEMO:  
 POINTS TO: 256

TYPE: I  
 SHARED: Y  
 DYNAMIC: Y  
 CATALOG: 300  
 RECORD SIZE: 122  
 U D SIZE: 116  
 VOLUME ID: 0  
 OPTIMIZE FACTOR: 0%  
 TOTAL NO RECORDS: 400  
 ACTIVE NO RECORDS: 145  
 FILE SIZE (BLOCKS): 104  
 PREPARED BY: MK  
 DATE PREPARED: OCT 12,81  
 REVISION NO: 00  
 REVISED BY:  
 DATE REVISED:

FIELDS

FIELD DESCRIPTION	POS	SIZE	NAME/MASK	C	R	P
1 MACHINE NUMBER	1	2A	M# (1,2)	0		
2 SECTION CODE (1)	3	1A	M# (3,3)	0		
3 BUCKET	4	1A	M# (4,4)	0		
4 ELEMENT NUMBER	5	1S	M1	0		
USER DATA						
5 DESCRIPTION	7	60A	M1\$(1,60)	0		
6 CORRESPONDING EXECUTABLE CODE	67	30A	M1\$(61,90)	0		
7 PROGRAM IDENTIFIER (COMPOUND ACTIONS)(2)	97	2A	M1\$(91,92)	0		
8 MACHINE IDENTIFIER (COMPOUND ACTIONS)(2)	99	2A	M1\$(93,94)	0		
9 ESTIMATED EXECUTION TIME (MILLISECONDS)	101	1S	M2	0		
10 INPUT ARGUMENTS	103	5S	M2 (1-5)	0		
11 OUTPUT ARGUMENTS	113	5S	M2 (6-10)	0		

NOTES

(1) SECTION CODE NUMBER PURPOSE

(BLANK) 0 MACHINE DESCRIPTION  
 A 1 - N PREDICATE DESCRIPTION  
 B 1 - N ACTION DESCRIPTION  
 C 1 - N DATA OBJECT DESCRIPTION

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FILE LAYOUT FOR: ABLHLIBR PROJECT - A B  
AS OF MAR 21.82 AT 14:38 PAGE 3

DESCRIPTION: ABL MASTER LIBRARY OF MACHINES & PROGRAMS

FORMAT CODE:

POINTS TO: 256

TYPE: I  
SHARED: Y  
DYNAMIC: Y  
CATALOG: 315  
RECORD SIZE: 4  
UD SIZE:

VOLUME ID: 0  
OPTIMIZE FACTOR: 0X  
TOTAL NO RECORDS: 100  
ACTIVE NO RECORDS: 13  
FILE SIZE (BLOCKS): 6

PREPARED BY: MK  
DATE PREPARED: OCT 22, 81  
REVISION NO: 00  
REVISED BY:  
DATE REVISED:

FIELDS

* FIELD DESCRIPTION	POS	SIZE	NAME/MASK	C	R	P
1 MACHINE NUMBER	1	2A	MB\$(1,2)	0		
2 PROGRAM NUMBER	3	2A	MB\$(3,4)	0		

FILE LAYOUT FOR: ABLPXXYY PROJECT - A B PAGE 4

AS OF MAR 21, 82 AT 14:38  
DESCRIPTION: ABL ABSTRACT PROGRAM  
FORMAT CODE: XX=MACHINE YY=PROGRAM  
POINTS TO: 256

TYPE: 1 VOLUME ID: 0 PREPARED BY: MK  
SHARED: Y OPTIMIZE FACTOR: 0X DATE PREPARED: OCT 12, 81  
DYNAMIC: Y TOTAL NO RECORDS: 200 REVISION NO: 00  
CATALOG: 309 ACTIVE NO RECORDS: 0 REVISED BY:  
RECORD SIZE: 84 FILE SIZE (BLOCKS): 0 DATE REVISED:  
U D SIZE: 80

FIELDS

#	FIELD DESCRIPTION	POS	SIZE	NAME/MASK	C	R	P
1	SECTION CODE (1)	1	1A	M2(1,1)	0		
2	BUCKET	2	1A	M2(2,2)	0		
3	ELEMENT NUMBER	3	1S	M3	0		
4	DESCRIPTION	5	60A	M3(1,60)	0		
5	INPUT ARGUMENTS	65	5S	M4 (0-4)	0		
6	OUTPUT ARGUMENTS	75	5S	M4 (5-9)	0		

USER DATA

NOTES

(1)	SECTION CODE	A	NUMBER	PURPOSE
	BLANK	1	N	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
A		1	N	CLUSTER DESCRIPTION
B		1	N	ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTION

FILE LAYOUT FOR: ABLSTACK PROJECT-A B PAGE 5  
AS OF MAR 21, 82 AT 14:38

DESCRIPTION: ABL CONTROL STACK FOR EXECUTION  
FORMAT CODE: 01  
MEMO: RECORD. 01

POINTS TO:

TYPE: R  
SHARED: N  
DYNAMIC: N  
CATALOG: 300  
RECORD SIZE: 512  
U D SIZE:

VOLUME ID: 0  
OPTIMIZE FACTOR: 20  
ACTIVE NO RECORDS: 0  
FILE SIZE (BLOCKS): 0

PREPARED BY: MK  
DATE PREPARED: JAN 04, 82  
REVISION NO: 00  
REVISED BY:  
DATE REVISED:

FIELDS

* FIELD DESCRIPTION	PDS SIZE	NAME/MASK	C	R	P
1 VARIABLE NAMES FOR ALPHA VARS. 20 * 3A	1 60A	V\$ (1.60)			0
2 START POSITION FOR ALPHA VARS. 20 * 1S	61 20S	V1 (0-19)			0
3 ALPHA VARIABLES	101 372A	V2*(1.372)			0
4 END POSITION FOR ALPHA VARS. 20 * 1S	473 20S	V2 (0-19)			0



FILE LAYOUT FOR: ABLSTACK PROJECT-AB PAGE 6  
 AS OF MAR 21:52 AT 14:38

DESCRIPTION: ABL CONTROL STACK FOR EXECUTION -02  
 FORMAT CODE: 02  
 MEMO: RECORD 02

POINTS TO:

TYPE: R  
 SHARED: N  
 DYNAMIC: N  
 CATALOG: 305  
 RECORD SIZE: 512  
 U D SIZE:

VOLUME ID: 0  
 OPTIMIZE FACTOR: 0%  
 TOTAL NO RECORDS: 20  
 ACTIVE NO RECORDS: 0  
 FILE SIZE (BLOCKS): 0

PREPARED BY: PK  
 DATE PREPARED: JAN 04, 82  
 REVISION NO: 00  
 REVISED BY:  
 DATE REVISED:

----- FIELDS -----

#	FIELD DESCRIPTION	POS	SIZE	NAME/MASK	C	R	P
1	VARIABLE NAMES FOR NUMERIC VARS. 40 # 3A	1	120A	V5\$(1,120)	0		
2	NUMERIC VARIABLES	121	40L	V5 (0-39)	0		
3	CALLING MACHINE / PROGRAM	441	4A	V8\$(1,4)	0		
4	CALLING ALTERNATIVE (COLUMN) NUMBER	445	1S	VB	0		
5	CALLING ACTION (ROW) NUMBER	447	1S	VB (1)	0		
6	BUCKET - V9\$(1,23)	449	23A	V9\$(1,23)	0		
7	BREAKPOINT VECTOR - B1\$(1,20)	472	20A	V9\$(24,43)	0		
8	TRACE VECTOR - B2\$(1,20)	492	20A	V9\$(44,63)	0		
9	PRINT TRACE ON PRINTER ? (Y/N) B3\$(1,1)	512	1A	V9\$(64,64)	0		

FILE CATALOG FOR: ABLTXXYY PROJECT-AB  
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 FORMAT CODE: XX-MACHINE YY-PROGRAM  
 POINTS TO: ABLPXXYY

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 DATE REVISED:

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1	RECORD MARK (-255)	1	1S	M5	0		
2	RECORD NUMBER (1/2/3)	3	1S	M5 (1)	0		
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4	TOTAL NUMBER OF ALTERNATIVES	7	1S	M5 (3)	0		
5	TOTAL NUMBER OF PRECONDITIONS (2)	9	1S	M5 (4)	0		
6	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIONS (2)	11	1S	M5 (5)	0		
7	TOTAL NUMBER OF POSTCONDITIONS (2)	13	1S	M5 (6)	0		
8	TOTAL NUMBER OF DATA OBJECTS (2)	15	1S	M5 (7)	0		
9	BUCKET	17	3S	M5 (8-10)	0		
10	MACHINE NUMBER	23	2A	M5(1,2)	0		
11	PROGRAM NUMBER	25	2A	M5(3,4)	0		
12	BUCKET	27	66A	M5(5,70)	0		
13	BUCKET	93	5F	M6 (0-4)	0		
14	COMPACTED MATRIX (1)	113	200S	M7 (0-199)	0		

NOTES

(1) THE 30 ROW X 20 COLUMN COMPACTED MATRIX IS SPLIT INTO THREE RECORDS.  
 THE FIRST RECORD HAS THE FIRST THIRD OF THE CONTROL FLOW TABLE.  
 THE SECOND RECORD HAS THE SECOND THIRD OF THE CONTROL FLOW TABLE.  
 THE THIRD RECORD HAS THE LAST THIRD OF THE CONTROL FLOW TABLE.

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THE VARIABLE M7 IS ACTUALLY DIMENSIONED AS SHORT M7(9,19).

THE STRUCTURE OF THE TABLE IS, FOR EACH COLUMN,

- CLUSTER (ALTERNATIVE) NUMBER (1..1..99.9) (MULTIPLIED X 10)
- PRECONDITIONS (-P OR +P, P= PREDICATE NUMBER)
- 0
- ACTIONS (1..A, A= ACTION NUMBER)
- 0
- POSTCONDITIONS (-P OR +P, P= PREDICATE NUMBER)
- 0
- NEXT STEP NUMBER (0.. HIGHEST CLUSTER NUMBER)
- EXCEPTION STEP NUMBER (0.. HIGHEST CLUSTER NUMBER)

NOTE THAT THE TABLE IS ALWAYS SORTED IN ORDER OF CLUSTER (ALTERNATIVE) NUMBER.

EQ. 11 12 21 31 32 33 41 51

(2) FOR FUTURE USE.

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ANNEX . I

ABL TABLES TO SUPPORT THE  
LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IN THE  
CHAPTER . 3

4. ANAL-ROUTINE MODELING

MODELING # OR THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM

THIS TABLE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW IN THE MODELING STAGE OF THE SYSTEM. MODELING HAS 40 ACTION PROCEDURES AND 44 PREDICATES. THESE ACTIONS ARE GROUPED INTO FUNCTIONS AND SUBFUNCTIONS AND FORM THE HIERARCHICALLY INTERRELATED BUILDING BLOCKS OF THE WHOLE SYSTEM. THE PREDICATES ACT AS CRITERIA FOR A PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION. THEY DEFINE THE CONSTRAINTS THE ACTIONS IN THE PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION MUST OBEY. UNLESS THESE CRITERIA ARE SATISFIED, THAT PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION IS NOT ADEQUATELY ASSUMED TO MEET ITS PURPOSE.

ONCE ALL THE ACTIONS ARE DESIGNED, THESE SAME ACTIONS WILL BE OPERATIONALLY SEQUENCED AND INTERFACED IN THE NEXT TABLE CALLED #SYSTALL

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1.=== ORGANIZE THE BODY OF THE SYSTEM < 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2 >
1.1==DECENTRALIZED PROCESSING IS NEEDED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.2==SET UP RANDOM ACCESS DATA-BASE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.3==MODULARIZE SYSTEM == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.4==SET UP INTERACTIVE #DB UPDATING MAIVE USER INTERFACE== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.5==SET UP INTERACTIVE #DB QUERY MAIVE USER INTERFACE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.6==SET UP PSEUDOMATCH #DB QUERY POSSIBILITY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.7==SET UP ACCESSORIES FOR #ATS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.8==SET UP PRODUCTION CYCLE PROGRAMS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.9==BODY OF THE BASIC SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.=== ORGANIZE THE REGULAR RUN OF THE SYSTEM < 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3 >
2.1===#ATS DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2===#ATS DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.3===#ATS TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.4===#ATS TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.5===#ATS DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.6===#ATS DAILY OUTPUT USAGE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.7===#ATS SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
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4. ABL-ROUTINE MODELING:

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MODELING OF THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM  
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THIS TABLE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW IN THE MODELING STAGE OF THE SYSTEM.  
MODELING HAS 41 ACTION PROCEDURES AND 24 PREDICATES. THESE ACTIONS  
ARE GROUPED INTO FUNCTIONS AND SUBFUNCTIONS AND FORM THE HIERARCHICALLY  
INTERRELATED BUILDING BLOCKS OF THE WHOLE SYSTEM. THE PREDICATES ACT AS  
CRITERIONS FOR A PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION. THEY DEFINE THE CONSTRAINTS  
THE ACTIONS IN THE PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION MUST OBEY. UNLESS THESE  
CRITERIONS ARE SATISFIED, THAT PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION IS NOT ADEQUATELY  
DESIGNED TO MEET ITS PURPOSE.

ONCE ALL THE ACTIONS ARE DESIGNED, THESE SAME ACTIONS WILL BE OPERATIONALLY  
SEQUENCED AND INTERFACED IN THE NEXT TABLE CALLED \$SYSTALL \*

1.=== ORGANIZE THE BODY OF THE SYSTEM

1.1==DECENTRALIZED PROCESSING IS NEEDED

1.1.1 IF PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG AND IF  
DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
INEXPENSIVE TERMINAL IS AVAILABLE AND IF  
INEXPENSIVE DATA COMMUNICATION IS AVAILABLE AND IF  
REMOTE-TIME SHARING COMPUTER IS AVAILABLE

1.2==SET UP RANDOM ACCESS DATA-BASE

1.2.1 IF ON-LINE SYSTEM ACCESS IS NEEDED AND IF  
DISK-STORAGE IS AVAILABLE AND IF  
INTERACTIVE QUERY AND UPDATE IS NEEDED AND IF  
SYSTEM USAGE IS STUDIED

1.3==MODULARIZE SYSTEM

1.3.1 IF NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF  
SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF  
USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
SYSTEM MODULARIZATION IS DEFINED

1.4==SET UP INTERACTIVE FOR UPDATING NAIVE USER INTERFACE==

1.4.1 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
HIGH VOLUME OF CHANGES OCCUR IN THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
DATA-BASE CHANGES HAVE TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN 1-2 DAYS AND IF  
NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF  
SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF  
USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #NF, IS NEEDED AND IF  
CLASS MASTER FILE UPDATING CAN BE DONE AUTOMATICALLY

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- 1.5--SET UP INTERACTIVE #88 QUERY WAIVE USER INTERFACE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.5 IF IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL AND IF  
 NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF  
 SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #NF, IS NEEDED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #NF, IS NEEDED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #NF, IS NEEDED
- 1.6--SET UP PREDOMINANT #88 QUERY POSSIBILITY == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.6 IF NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL AND IF  
 NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF  
 SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #NF, IS NEEDED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #NF, IS NEEDED AND IF  
 INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #NF, IS NEEDED
- 1.7--SET UP ACCESSORIES FOR #ATS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.7 IF HIGH VOLUME OF TRIMMED TRANSACTION OCCUR (100-250 A LECTURE) AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS AND IF  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL AND IF  
 IMPENSIVE OPTICAL MARK READER IS FOUND FOR THE TERMINAL
- 1.8--SET UP PRODUCTION CYCLE PROGRAMS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.8 IF REGULAR #ATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA TRANSMISSION IS BAD SOMETIMES AND IF  
 OUTPUT PRINTING ON THE TERMINAL SOMETIMES HAS TO WAIT
- 1.9--BODY OF THE BASIC SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 1.9 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET ==\$
- 2.-- ORGANIZE THE REGULAR RUN OF THE SYSTEM ==\$  
 2.1--#ATS DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.1 IF VARIABLE LENGTH, OUTPUT IS NEEDED
- 2.2--#ATS DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.2 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE TEACHERS AND IF  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL AND IF  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS
- 2.3--#ATS TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.3 IF DATA COLLECTION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION ERRORS ARE MINIMAL AND IF  
 REGULAR #ATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF

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2.4==MATS TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.4 IF EXTENSIVE TRANSACTION STORAGE AND ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED AND IF  
 REGULAR MATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF AND IF  
 PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE AND IF  
 PROCEDURE IS SHORT AND IF  
 OUTPUT CAN BE SPOOLED AND IF  
 PRINTING OF SPOOLED OUTPUT IS NOT MORE THAN 1-2 HOURS

2.5==MATS DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.5 IF PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE

2.6==MATS DAILY OUTPUT USAGE == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.6 IF OUTPUT VOLUME IS ADEQUATE TO DAILY USAGE AND IF  
 FALSE NEGATIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 10% RATE AND IF  
 FALSE POSITIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE AND IF  
 PROVIDED INFORMATION CAN BE READILY USED IN DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 INFORMATION VALUE IS MAXIMUM OPERATIONAL VS. OVERALL DELAY

2.7==MATS SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3  
 2.7 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET

3.== DATA UPDATE ORGANIZATION ==< 3, 3, 3, 4 >

3.1==UPDATE THE COURSE #F == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.1 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 #P IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 REDUNDANT DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED

3.2==UPDATE THE STUDENT #F == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.2 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 REDUNDANT DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED

3.3==UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.3 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 SCHOOL #P OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 CLASS RELATED DATA CHANGED OR SOME TABS-CARDS GOT LOST AND IF  
 DATA-BASE DATA IS UPDATED AND IF  
 CARD PUNCHING AND INTERPRETING IS AVAILABLE

3.4==UPDATE ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETE == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4  
 3.4 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET

4.== DATA-BASE QUERY ORGANIZATION ==< 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 0 >

4.1==QUERY THE COURSE #F INTERACTIVELY == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4  
 4.1 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
 #P IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
 IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

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4.2==QUERY THE STUDENT AND INTERACTIVELY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.2 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
MAP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
SECTOR MAP OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS AND IF  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS HAVE INDIRECT ACCESS AND IF  
OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT COUNSELLING AND IF  
IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

4.3==QUERY THE CLASS AND INTERACTIVELY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.3 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
MAP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
SECTOR MAP OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS AND IF  
OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT AND IF  
IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

4.4==QUERY THE COURSE AND PSEUDOWATCH MODE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.4 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
MAP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

4.5==QUERY THE STUDENT AND PSEUDOWATCH MODE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.5 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
MAP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

4.6==QUERY THE CLASS AND PSEUDOWATCH MODE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.6 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT AND IF  
CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
MAP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL

4.7==DATA-BASE QUERY ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

4.7 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET

MODELING 4 OR THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM

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1.=== ORGANIZE THE BODY OF THE SYSTEM

1.1==DECENTRALIZED PROCESSING IS NEEDED

- 1.1.1 IF PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG, AND IF DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG, AND IF INTERACTIVE TERMINAL IS AVAILABLE, AND IF IMPERATIVE DATA COMMUNICATION IS AVAILABLE AND IF REMOTE TIME-SHARING COMPUTER IS AVAILABLE
  - A1> INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL

1.2==SET UP RANDOM ACCESS DATA-BASE

- 1.2.1 IF ON-LINE SYSTEM ACCESS IS NEEDED, AND IF DISK STORAGE IS AVAILABLE, AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY AND UPDATE IS NEEDED, AND IF SYSTEM USAGE IS STUDIED
  - A2> SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE
  - A3> SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE
  - A4> SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE

1.3==MODULARIZE SYSTEM

- 1.3.1 IF NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL, AND IF SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF, AND IF USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED, AND IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED, AND IF SYSTEM MODULARIZATION IS DEFINED
  - A5> SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE
  - A6> SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE
  - A7> SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE
  - A8> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM
  - A9> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM
  - A10> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM
  - A11> SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM
  - A12> SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM
  - A13> SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM
  - A14> SET UP SAIS, DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM
  - A15> SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT



1.4--SET UP INTERACTIVE #99 UPDATING MAIVE USER INTERFACE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.4 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED: AND IF HIGH VOLUME OF CHANGES OCCUR IN THE DATA-BASE AND IF DATA-BASE CHANGES HAVE TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN 1-2 DAYS AND IF NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF CLASS MASTER FILE UPDATING CAN BE DONE AUTOMATICALLY  
A5> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
A6> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

1.5--SET UP INTERACTIVE #98 QUERY MAIVE USER INTERFACE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.5 IF IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL AND IF NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #N#. IS NEEDED  
A7> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
A8> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
A9> SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
A30> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
A31> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
A32> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

1.6--SET UP PSEUDOBATCH #98 QUERY POSSIBILITY == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.6 IF NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL AND IF NOT SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL AND IF SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF AND IF USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #N#. IS NEEDED AND IF INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #N#. IS NEEDED  
A36> WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
A37> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
A38> WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
A39> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
A40> WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
A41> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
A35> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

1.7==SET UP ACCESSORIES FOR MATS  
 1.7 IF HIGH VOLUME OF TRUNCATED TRANSACTION OCCUR (100-250 A LECTURE) AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-60 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS AND IF  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL AND IF  
 EMERGENCY OPTICAL MARK READER IS FOUND FOR THE TERMINAL  
 A22> EMERGENCY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
 A43> PRODUCE 4 ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS  
 A16> PRODUCE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS  
 A17> SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL  
 A18> INSTALL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL  
 A19> VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES  
 A20> DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS

1.8==SET UP PRODUCTION CYCLE PROGRAMS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.8 IF REGULAR MATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-60 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA TRANSMISSION IS BAD SOMETIMES AND IF  
 OUTPUT PRINTING ON THE TERMINAL SOMETIMES HAS TO WAIT  
 A21> SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM  
 A22> SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM  
 A23> SET UP MATS, DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM  
 A24> SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

1.9==BODY OF THE BASIC SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 1.9 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET  
 A44> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER

2.== ORGANIZE THE REGULAR RUN OF THE SYSTEM < 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3 >  
 2.1==MATS DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.1 IF VARIABLE LENGTH OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 A25> PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION

2.2==MATS DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.2 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE TEACHERS AND IF  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL AND IF  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS  
 A26> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION

2.3==MATS TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.3 IF DATA COLLECTION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-60 MINUTES LONG AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION ERRORS ARE MINIMAL AND IF  
 REGULAR MATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF  
 A27> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION

2.4==MITS TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.4 IF EXTENSIVE TRANSACTION STORAGE AND ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED AND IF  
 REMAINING OPERATIONS IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF AND IF  
 PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE AND IF  
 PROCEDURE IS SHORT AND IF  
 OUTPUT CAN BE SPOOLED AND IF  
 PRINTING OF SPOOLED OUTPUT IS NOT MORE THAN 1-2 HOURS  
 A20> PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE)

2.5==MITS DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.5 IF PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE  
 A29> PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION

2.6==MITS DAILY OUTPUT USAGE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 2.6 IF OUTPUT VOLUME IS ADEQUATE TO DAILY USAGE AND IF  
 FALSE NEGATIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 10% RATE AND IF  
 FALSE POSITIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE AND IF  
 PROVIDED INFORMATION CAN BE RELIABLY USED IN DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 INFORMATION VALUE IS MAXIMUM OPERATIONAL VS. OVERALL DELAY  
 A30> VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING

2.7==MITS SYSTEM IS ORGANIZED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 2.7 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET  
 A44> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER

3.=== DATA UPDATE ORGANIZATION === < 3, 3, 3, 4 >

3.1==UPDATE THE COURSE M/F == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.1 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 M/F IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 REMAINING DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED  
 A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

3.2==UPDATE THE STUDENT M/F == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.2 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 REMAINING DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED  
 A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

3.3==UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.3 IF HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED AND IF  
 USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED AND IF  
 RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 CLASS RELATED DATA CHANGED OR SOME TABS-CARDS GOT LOST AND IF  
 DATA-BASE DATA IS UPDATED AND IF  
 CARD PUNCHING AND INTERPRETING IS AVAILABLE  
 A12> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A13> PUNCH NEW & ASS-CARDS  
 A132> UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS

3.4--UPDATE ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETE  
3.4 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET  
== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4  
A4> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER

4.--- DATA-BASE QUERY ORGANIZATION < 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 0 >  
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4.1--QUERY THE COURSE AND INTERACTIVELY == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.1 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
SWP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
OR OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
A33> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

4.2--QUERY THE STUDENT AND INTERACTIVELY == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.2 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
SWP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
SECTOR SWP. OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS AND IF  
STUDENTS AND PARENTS HAVE INDIRECT ACCESS AND IF  
OR OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT COUNSELLING AND IF  
IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
A34> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

4.3--QUERY THE CLASS AND INTERACTIVELY == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.3 IF CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED AND IF  
SWP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
SECTOR SWP. OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS AND IF  
TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS AND IF  
OR OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT AND IF  
IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
A35> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

4.4--QUERY THE COURSE AND PSEUDOWATCH NODE == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.4 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
SWP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
A36> WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
A37> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOWATCH NODE  
A38> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

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4.5--QUERY THE STUDENT AND PSEUDOBTACH MORE  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
 4.5 IF STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 NOT IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
 A45) WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
 A46) QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBTACH MORE  
 A47) PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

4.6--QUERY THE CLASS AND PSEUDOBTACH MORE  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
 4.6 IF CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 NOT IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS AND IF  
 NOT IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING AND IF  
 NOT OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
 A48) WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
 A49) QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBTACH MORE  
 A50) PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

4.7--DATA-BASE QUERY ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETE  
 4.7 IF ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET  
 A47) NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

4. ANAL-TANSFORM MODELING;

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*****
MODELING # OR THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM
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THIS TABLE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW IN THE MODELING STAGE OF THE SYSTEM.
MODELING HAS 44 ACTION PROCEDURES AND 64 PREDICATES. THESE ACTIONS
ARE GROUPED INTO FUNCTIONS AND SUBFUNCTIONS AND FORM THE HIERARCHICALLY
INTERRELATED BUILDING BLOCKS OF THE WHOLE SYSTEM. THE PREDICATES ACT AS
CRITERIONS FOR A PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION, THEY DEFINE THE CONSTRAINTS
THE ACTIONS IN THE PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION MUST OBEY. UNLESS THESE
CRITERIONS ARE SATISFIED, THAT PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION IS NOT ADEQUATELY
DESIGNED TO MEET ITS PURPOSE.
*****
ONCE ALL THE ACTIONS ARE DESIGNED, THESE SAME ACTIONS WILL BE OPERATIONALLY
SEQUENCED AND INTERFACED IN THE NEXT TABLE CALLED PSYSTALL
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| C2  | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  |
| C3  | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  |
| C4  | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  |
| P1  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P2  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P3  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P4  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P5  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P6  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P7  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P8  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P9  | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P10 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P11 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P12 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P13 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P14 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P15 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P16 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P17 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P18 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P19 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P20 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P21 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P22 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P23 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P24 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |
| P25 | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  |

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| P28 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P29 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P30 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P31 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P32 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P33 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P34 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P35 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
| P36 | Y | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Y |
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HIGH VOLUME OF TRANCACY TRANSACTION OCCUR (100-250 A LECTURE)  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL  
 INEXPENSIVE OPTICAL MARK READER IS FOUND FOR THE TERMINAL  
 REGULAR MATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF  
 DATA TRANSMISSION IS BAD SOMETIMES  
 OUTPUT PRINTING ON THE TERMINAL SOMETIMES HAS TO WAIT  
 VARIABLE LENGTH OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE TEACHERS  
 DATA COLLECTION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION  
 DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED  
 DATA COLLECTION ERRORS ARE MINIMAL  
 EXTENSIVE TRANSACTION STORAGE AND ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED  
 PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE  
 PROCEDURE IS SHORT  
 OUTPUT CAN BE SPOOLED  
 PRINTING OF SPOOLED OUTPUT IS NOT MORE THAN 1-2 HOURS  
 DISTRIBUTION DELAY IS DEFINED AS 2 HOURS  
 OUTPUT VOLUME IS ADEQUATE TO DAILY USAGE  
 FALSE NEGATIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE  
 FALSE POSITIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE  
 PROVIDER INFORMATION CAN BE READILY USED IN DECISION MAKING  
 INFORMATION VALUE IS MAXIMUM OPERATIONAL VS. OVERALL DELAY  
 APP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS  
 REMNANT DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED  
 RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS  
 RECORDS #P. OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS  
 CLASS RELATED DATA CHANGED OR SOME TABS-CARDS GOT LOST  
 DATA-BASE DATA IS UPDATED  
 CARD PUNCHING AND INTERPRETING IS AVAILABLE  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT  
 TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS  
 STUDENTS AND PARENTS HAVE INDIRECT ACCESS  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT COUNSELLING  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET





4. ANAL-TURNFORM MODELING

MODELING # OR THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM

THIS TABLE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW IN THE MODELING STAGE OF THE SYSTEM. MODELING HAS 44 ACTION PROCEDURES AND 44 PREDICATES. THESE ACTIONS ARE GROUPED INTO FUNCTIONS AND SUBFUNCTIONS AND FORM THE HIERARCHICALLY INTERRELATED BUILDING BLOCKS OF THE WHOLE SYSTEM. THE PREDICATES ACT AS CRITERIONS FOR A PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION, THEY DEFINE THE CONSTRAINTS THE ACTIONS IN THE PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION MUST OBEY, UNLESS THESE CRITERIONS ARE SATISFIED, THAT PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION IS NOT ADEQUATELY DESIGNED TO MEET ITS PURPOSE.

ONCE ALL THE ACTIONS ARE DESIGNED, THESE SAME ACTIONS WILL BE OPERATIONALLY SEQUENCED AND INTERFACED IN THE NEXT TABLE CALLED "SYSTEM

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 C2 3 3 3 4 . . . . . 0  
 C3 . . . . . 0  
 C4 . . . . . 0

PREDICATES -

P1 - PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG  
 P2 - DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG  
 P3 - INEXPENSIVE TERMINAL IS AVAILABLE  
 P4 - INEXPENSIVE DATA COMMUNICATION IS AVAILABLE  
 P5 - REMOTE TIME-SHARING COMPUTER IS AVAILABLE  
 P6 - ON-LINE SYSTEM ACCESS IS NEEDED  
 P7 - DISK-STORE IS AVAILABLE  
 P8 - INTERACTIVE QUERY AND UPDATE IS NEEDED  
 P9 - SYSTEM USAGE IS STUDIED  
 P10 - SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL  
 P11 - SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF  
 P12 - USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED  
 P13 - CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED  
 P14 - SYSTEM REGULARIZATION IS DEFINED  
 P15 - HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED  
 P16 - HIGH VOLUME OF CHANGES OCCUR IN THE DATA-BASE  
 P17 - DATA-BASE CHANGES HAVE TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN 1-2 DAYS  
 P18 - INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #WF, IS NEEDED  
 P19 - INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #WF, IS NEEDED  
 P20 - CLASS MASTER FILE UPDATING CAN BE DONE AUTOMATICALLY  
 P21 - IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING  
 P22 - OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL  
 P23 - INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #WF, IS NEEDED  
 P24 - INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #WF, IS NEEDED  
 P25 - INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #WF, IS NEEDED

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HIGH VOLUME OF TRUNCATED TRANSACTION OCCUR (100-250 A LECTURE)  
 DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-40 SECONDS  
 ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL  
 INEXPENSIVE OPTICAL MARK READER IS FOUND FOR THE TERMINAL  
 REGULAR HATS OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF  
 DATA TRANSMISSION IS BAD SOMETIMES  
 OUTPUT PRINTING ON THE TERMINAL SOMETIMES HAS TO WAIT  
 VARIABLE LENGTH OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE TEACHERS  
 DATA COLLECTION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION  
 DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED  
 DATA COLLECTION ERRORS ARE MINIMAL  
 EXTENSIVE TRANSACTION STORAGE AND ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED  
 PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE  
 PROCEDURE IS SHORT  
 OUTPUT CAN BE SPOOLED  
 PRINTING OF SPOOLED OUTPUT IS NOT MORE THAN 1-2 HOURS  
 DISTRIBUTION DELAY IS DEFINED AS 2 HOURS  
 OUTPUT VOLUME IS ADEQUATE TO DAILY USAGE  
 FALSE NEGATIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 10% RATE  
 FALSE POSITIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE  
 PROVIDED INFORMATION CAN BE READILY USED IN DECISION MAKING  
 INFORMATION VALUE IS MAXIMUM OPERATIONAL VS. OVERALL DELAY  
 SWP IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS  
 RELEVANT DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED  
 REGIONAL OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS  
 SECTOR #4 OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS  
 CLASS RELATED DATA CHANGED OR SOME TABS-CARDS GOT LOST  
 DATA-BASE DATA IS UPDATED  
 CARD PUNCHING AND INTERPRETING IS AVAILABLE  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT  
 TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS  
 STUDENTS AND PARENTS HAVE INDIRECT ACCESS  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT COUNSELLING  
 CLASS MANAGEMENT  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET

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## SYSTALL # (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM)

THIS SEQUENCE OF PROCEDURES PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF THE ENTIRE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SYSTEM (AMS). IT SPECIFIES HOW TO SET UP, RUN AND USE THIS SYSTEM. IT SHOWS THE LOGICAL INTER-RELATION AND OPERATIONAL SEQUENCE OF THE SUBSYSTEMS AMONG EACH OTHERS. FIRST WE SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM, THAT IS THE DATA-BASE (SDB) WITH ITS QUERY (ABS.) AND UPDATE (UPS.) UTILITY SUBSYSTEMS. SECOND WE GO ON TO THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM (MATS.), FROM THEN ON WE CONCURRENTLY MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE DATA-BASE WHILE MULTIPLELY RUNNING THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IN ORDER TO EXTRACT THE RELATED INFORMATION FROM THE DATA-BASE.

## SYSTALL ACTION(1...44)

SYSTALL HAS 44 ACTIONS. EACH OF THESE IS A COMPLEX ACTION PROCEDURE HAVING THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING DECOMPOSED INTO SUB-PROCEDURES. IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH CLEARLY THE HIERARCHICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SUB-ACTION AND THE ACTIONS OF SYSTALL THE FOLLOWING NOTATION WILL BE USED:

SYSTALL ACTION(N) = ACTION(N) = AN> XXXXXXXXXX

SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(L) OF ACTION(N) = SYSTALL ACTION(N-N) = AN-N> XXXXXXXXXX

SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(K) OF SUBACTION(L) OF ACTION(N) = SYSTALL ACTION(N-N-L) = AN-N-L> XXXXXXXXXX

FOR ALL CONTRACTIONS PLEASE REFER TO THE TABLE ON FIGURE 27.

THE PRODUCTION CYCLE OF AMS, IS DESCRIBED IN DETAIL IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

SYSTALL A(25) = DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION  
 SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION  
 SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION  
 SYSTALL A(28) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING  
 SYSTALL A(29) = DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 SYSTALL A(30) = DAILY DATA USAGE VERIFICATION

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SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE

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1.1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( # UTS, AND # DB. ) < 1, 1, 1, 2 >
1.1= INSTALL TERMINAL IN SCHOOL ==$
1.1= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.2= SET UP EMPTY DATA-BASE ==
1.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.3= SET UP ALL MUGS, AND MUGS, INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS. ==
1.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
1.4= UPDATE ALLOCATED FIELDS IN DATA-BASE ==
1.4= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2 INITIAL DATA-BASE VERIFICATION. ( # QUS, AND # UPS. ) < 2, 3, 3 >
2.2= ==$
2.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2= UPDATE INCORRECT INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE ==
2.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
2.3= NO UPDATE IS NECESSARY ==
2.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
3.3 SET UP THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # UTS. ) < 3, 4 >
3.3= ==$
3.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
3.1= GIVE OUT ACCESSORIES FOR ATTEND.MONIT.SUBSYSTEM. ==
3.2= SET UP #ATS.INTERACT.PROGS.FOR DAILY PRODUCTION CYCLE ==
3.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.4 NO REGULAR RUN OF THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # ATS. ) < 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 5 >
4.4= ==$
4.4= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.1= #ATS, DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION ==
4.1= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.2= #ATS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION ==
4.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.3= #ATS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION ==
4.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.4= #ATS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING ==
4.4= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.5= #ATS, DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION ==
4.5= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.6= #ATS, DAILY OUTPUT USAGE ==
4.6= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
4.7= NO ACTION/NEXT CLUSTER ==
4.7= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 5
5.5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( # UPS. ) < 4, 4, 6 >
5.5= ==$
5.5= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
5.1= UPDATE NON ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA ==
5.1= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
5.2= UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA ==
5.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
5.3= NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER ==
5.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 6
6.6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING ( # QUS. ) < 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4 >
6.6= ==$
6.6= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.1= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ==
6.1= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.2= QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ==
6.2= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.3= QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ==
6.3= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.4= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH ==
6.4= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.5= QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH ==
6.5= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
6.6= QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH ==
6.6= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

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SYSTALL # (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM)

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SYSTALL ACTION(1..44)  
 SYSTALL HAS 44 ACTIONS. EACH OF THESE IS A COMPLEX ACTION PROCEDURE HAVING THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING DECOMPOSED INTO SUB-PROCEDURES. IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH CLEARLY THE HIERARCHICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SUB-ACTION AND THE ACTIONS OF SYSTALL THE FOLLOWING NOTATION WILL BE USED:

- SYSTALL ACTION(N) = ACTION(N) = AN> XXXXXXXXXXXX
- SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-N> XXXXXXXXXXXX
- SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(L) OF SUBACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-N-L> XXXXXXXXXXXX

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THE PRODUCTION CYCLE OF # ATIS, IS DESCRIBED IN DETAIL IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

- SYSTALL A(25) = DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION
- SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION
- SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
- SYSTALL A(28) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING
- SYSTALL A(29) = DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION
- SYSTALL A(30) = DAILY DATA USAGE VERIFICATION

AN EXAMPLE OF THE COMPLEXITY OF SOME ACTIONS IS ILLUSTRATED IN SYSTALL A(11), WHOSE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 3 LEVELS DEEP.

SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE

- 1.1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( # UTS, AND # DB, ) < 1, 1, 1, 2 >
- 1.1= INSTALL TERMINAL IN SCHOOL =
- 1.1 IF NOT TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL --THEN GO TO-CLUSTER-> 1

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1.2= SET UP EMPTY DATA-BASE
1.2 IF TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL AND IF
    NOT ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 1

1.3= SET UP ALL QUS, AND MVS, INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS.
1.3 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF
    NOT QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

1.4= UPDATE ALLOCATED FIELDS IN DATA-BASE
1.4 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF
    QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP AND IF
    NOT ALLOCATED FIELDS IN THE DATA-BASE ARE FILLED
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2
    < 2, 3, 3 >

2.1= VERIFY INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE
2.1 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF
    NOT DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.2= UPDATE INCORRECT INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE
2.2 IF DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED AND IF
    ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

2.3= NO UPDATE IS NECESSARY
2.3 IF DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED AND IF
    NOT ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.1= GIVE OUT ACCESSORIES FOR ATTEM.MONIT.SUBSYSTEM.
3.1 IF NOT ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF
    DATA-BASE CONTAINS CORRECT NON TRUNCACY INFORN. AND IF
    NOT TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3
    < 3, 4 >

3.2= SET UP MATS.INTERACT.PROGS.FOR DAILY PRODUCTION CYCLE
3.2 IF NOT ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF
    TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4
    < 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 5 >

4.1= MATS, DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION
4.1 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF
    ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF
    NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF
    USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.2= MATS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION
4.2 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF
    PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF
    PRODUCTION DAT IS INITIALIZED TO THE COMPUTER
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.3= MATS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
4.3 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF
    PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF
    TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED
    ==
    --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

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4.4= MTS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING  
 4.4 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
 TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.5= MTS, DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 4.5 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
 DATA IS PROCESSED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.6= MTS, DAILY OUTPUT USAGE  
 4.6 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
 OUTPUT IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF  
 MTS USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.7= NO ACTION-NEXT CLUSTER  
 4.7 IF NOT TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 5

5.5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( \* UPS. )  
 ==> < 4, 4, 6 >

5.1= UPDATE NON ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA  
 5.1 IF TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CHANGE INVOLVES NON MTS. RELATED DATA  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

5.2= UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA  
 5.2 IF TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CHANGE INVOLVES MTS. RELATED DATA  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

5.3= NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER  
 5.3 IF NOT TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

6.6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING ( \* QUS. )  
 ==> < 4, 4, 4, 4, 4 >

6.1= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.1 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.2= QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.2 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.3= QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.3 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.4= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH  
 6.4 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

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6.5- QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH  
6.5 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED

= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.6- QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH  
6.6 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED

= --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

SYSTALL # (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM)

THIS SEQUENCE OF PROCEDURES PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF THE ENTIRE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SYSTEM ( # A1S. ), IT SPECIFIES HOW TO SET UP, RUN AND USE THIS SYSTEM. IT SHOWS THE LOGICAL INTER-RELATION AND OPERATIONAL SEQUENCE OF THE SUBSYSTEMS AMONG EACH OTHERS. FIRST WE SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM, THAT IS THE DATA-BASE ( #DB) WITH ITS MERRY ( #MS. ) AND UPDATE ( #UP. ) UTILITY SUBSYSTEMS. SECOND WE GRANT TO IT THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( #ATS. ), FROM THEN ON WE CONCURRENTLY MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE DATA-BASE WHILE ROUTINELY RUNNING THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IN ORDER TO EXTRACT THE RELATED INFORMATION FROM THE DATA-BASE.

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SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-NXXXXXXXXXX

SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(L) OF SUBACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-N-LXXXXXXXXXX

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 SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION  
 SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION  
 SYSTALL A(28) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING  
 SYSTALL A(29) = DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 SYSTALL A(30) = DAILY DATA USAGE VERIFICATION

AN EXAMPLE OF THE COMPLEXITY OF SOME ACTIONS IS ILLUSTRATED IN SYSTALL A(11), WHOSE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 3 LEVELS DEEP.

SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE

1.1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( # A1S. AND # DB. ) ==# < 1, 1, 1, 2 >

1.1.1 INSTALL TERMINAL IN SCHOOL

1.1.1 IF NOT TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL

ALL INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL

==# --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.2= SET UP EMPTY DATA-BASE  
 1.2 IF TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL AND IF  
 NOT ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE  
 A2> SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE  
 A3> SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 A4> SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.3= SET UP ALL QUS, AND MPS, INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS,  
 1.3 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF  
 NOT QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP  
 A5> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
 A6> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
 A7> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
 A8> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
 A9> SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

1.4= UPDATE ALLOCATED FIELDS IN DATA-BASE  
 1.4 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF  
 QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP AND IF  
 NOT ALLOCATED FIELDS IN THE DATA-BASE ARE FILED  
 A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

2.2 INITIAL DATA-BASE VERIFICATION. ( # QUS, AND # UPS. ) < 2, 3, 3 >

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.1= VERIFY INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE  
 2.1 IF ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE AND IF  
 NOT DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED  
 A13> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE  
 A14> VERIFY COURSE MASTER FILE DATA  
 A15> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE  
 A16> VERIFY STUDENT MASTER FILE DATA  
 A17> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE  
 A18> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE DATA

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3

2.2= UPDATE INCORRECT INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE  
 2.2 IF DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED AND IF  
 ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE  
 A19> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A20> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A21> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3

2.3= NO UPDATE IS NECESSARY  
 2.3 IF DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED AND IF  
 NOT ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE  
 A22> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER

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3.3 SET UP THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # UTS. )

==> < 3, 4 >

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3.1= GIVE OUT ACCESSORIES FOR ATTEND.MONIT.SUBSYSTEM,  
3.1 IF NOT ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF  
DATA-BASE CONTAINS CORRECT NON TRUNCITY INFORM, AND IF  
NOT TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY  
A21> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
A22> PROMISE # ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS  
A23> PROMISE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS  
A24> SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL  
A25> INITIAL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL  
A26> VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES  
A27> DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.2= SET UP UTS, INTERACT.PROGS.FOR DAILY PRODUCTION CYCLE == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

3.2 IF NOT ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF  
TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY  
A28> SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM  
A29> SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM  
A30> SET UP UTS, DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM  
A31> SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.4 DO REGULAR RUN OF THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # ATS. ) ==>

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4.1= UTS, DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION  
4.1 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP AND IF  
NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED  
A32> PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.2= UTS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION  
4.2 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
PRODUCTION DAY IS INITIALIZED TO THE COMPUTER  
A33> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.3= UTS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION  
4.3 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED  
A34> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

4.4= UTS, DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING  
4.4 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED  
A35> PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE)  
A36> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

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==> --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

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4.5= MATS, DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 4.5 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
 DATA IS PROCESSED  
 A27> PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.6= MATS, DAILY OUTPUT USAGE  
 4.6 IF TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND IF  
 PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED AND IF  
 OUTPUT IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF  
 NOT USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED  
 A30> VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING  
 A20> DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

4.7= NO ACTION-NEXT CLUSTER  
 4.7 IF NOT TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING  
 AAA> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 5

5.5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( \* UPS. )  
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5.1= UPDATE NON ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA  
 5.1 IF TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CHANGE INVOLVES NON MATS, RELATED DATA  
 A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

5.2= UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA  
 5.2 IF TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CHANGE INVOLVES MATS, RELATED DATA  
 A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A13> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A14> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A15> UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

5.3= NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER  
 5.3 IF NOT TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE  
 AAA> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

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6.6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING ( & QUS. )

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.1= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.1 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS3> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.2= QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.2 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS4> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.3= QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 6.3 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS5> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.4= QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH  
 6.4 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS6> WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
 AS7> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
 AS8> PRINT SPOOLED-OUTPUT

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.5= QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH  
 6.5 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS9> WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
 AS10> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
 AS11> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

--THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

6.6= QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH  
 6.6 IF TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE AND IF  
 CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED AND IF  
 LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 AS12> WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  
 AS13> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE  
 AS14> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT

3. ABL-TRANSFORM SYSTALL1

SYSTALL # (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM)

THIS SEQUENCE OF PROCEDURES PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF THE ENTIRE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SYSTEM (# A1S). IT SPECIFIES HOW TO SET UP, RUN AND USE THIS SYSTEM. IT SHOWS THE LOGICAL INTER-RELATION AND OPERATIONAL SEQUENCE OF THE SUBSYSTEMS AMONG EACH OTHERS. FIRST WE SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM; THAT IS THE DATA-BASE (#DB) WITH ITS ORIENT (#DIR.) AND UPDATE (#UPD.) UTILITY SUBSYSTEMS. SECOND WE GO ON TO THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM (#A1S.). FROM THEN ON WE CONCURRENTLY MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE DATA-BASE WHILE CONTINUOUSLY RUNNING THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IN ORDER TO EXTRACT THE RELATED INFORMATION FROM THE DATA-BASE.

SYSTALL ACTION(N) = ACTION(N) = AM-XXXXXXXXX  
 SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) =  
 = SYSTALL ACTION(N-N) = AM-N-XXXXXXXXX  
 SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(L) OF SUBACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) =  
 = SYSTALL ACTION(N-N-L) = AM-N-L-XXXXXXXXX

# FOR ALL CONTRACTIONS PLEASE REFER TO THE TABLE ON FIGURE 27. THE PRODUCTION CYCLE OF # A1S. IS DESCRIBED IN DETAIL IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

- SYSTALL A(25) = DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION
- SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION
- SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
- SYSTALL A(28) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING
- SYSTALL A(29) = DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION
- SYSTALL A(30) = DAILY DATA USAGE VERIFICATION

AN EXAMPLE OF THE COMPLEXITY OF SOME ACTIONS IS ILLUSTRATED IN SYSTALL A(11), WHOSE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 3 LEVELS DEEP.

SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 (ALTERNATIVES)

CLUSTERS -  
 C1 . . . . . 1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( # UTS, AND # DB, )  
 C2 . . . . . 2 INITIAL DATA-BASE VERIFICATION ( # QUS, AND # UPS, )  
 C3 . . . . . 3 SET UP THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # UTS, )  
 C4 . . . . . 4 FOR REGULAR RUN OF THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # ATS, )  
 C5 . . . . . 5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( # UPS, )  
 C6 . . . . . 6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING ( # QUS, )

PREDICATES -

P1 N Y . . . . . TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL  
 P2 . . . . . ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE  
 P3 . . . . . QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP  
 P4 . . . . . ALLOCATED FIELDS IN THE DATA-BASE ARE FILLED  
 P5 . . . . . DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED  
 P6 . . . . . ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE  
 P7 . . . . . ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP  
 P8 . . . . . DATA-BASE CONTAINS CORRECT NON TRANCY INFORM.  
 P9 . . . . . TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY  
 P10 . . . . . TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING  
 P11 . . . . . PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED  
 P12 . . . . . PRODUCTION DAY IS INITIALIZED TO THE COMPUTER  
 P13 . . . . . TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED  
 P14 . . . . . TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED  
 P15 . . . . . DATA IS PROCESSED  
 P16 . . . . . OUTPUT IS DISTRIBUTED  
 P17 . . . . . USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED  
 P18 . . . . . TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE  
 P19 . . . . . CHANGE INVOLVES NON #ATS, RELATED DATA  
 P20 . . . . . CHANGE INVOLVES #ATS, RELATED DATA  
 P21 . . . . . TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE  
 P22 . . . . . STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 P23 . . . . . COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 P24 . . . . . CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED  
 P25 . . . . . SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 P26 . . . . . LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED  
 P27 . . . . . END OF THE YEAR

ACTIONS -

A1 . . . . . A1> INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL  
 A2 . . . . . A2> SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE  
 A3 . . . . . A3> SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 A4 . . . . . A4> SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE  
 A5 . . . . . A5> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
 A6 . . . . . A6> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  
 A7 . . . . . A7> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
 A8 . . . . . A8> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
 A9 . . . . . A9> SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM  
 A10 . . . . . A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A11 . . . . . A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A12 . . . . . A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY  
 A13 . . . . . A13> VERIFY COURSE MASTER FILE DATA  
 A14 . . . . . A14> VERIFY STUDENT MASTER FILE DATA  
 A15 . . . . . A15> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE DATA

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|-----|----------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| A16 | PRODUCE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A17 | SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A18 | INSTALL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A19 | VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A20 | REITERATE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A21 | SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A22 | SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDO BATCH PROGRAM        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A23 | SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A24 | PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A25 | PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A26 | PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE)    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A27 | PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A28 | VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING             |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A29 | PUNCH NEW 4 ABS-CARDS                              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A30 | UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A31 | QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY             |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A32 | QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A33 | QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A34 | WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A35 | QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDO BATCH MODE         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A36 | WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A37 | QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDO BATCH MODE        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A38 | WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A39 | QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDO BATCH MODE          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A40 | PRODUCE 4 ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS                  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A41 | NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER                            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

SYSTALL 0 (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM)

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SYSTALL ACTION(1..44)  
 SYSTALL HAS 44 ACTIONS. EACH OF THESE IS A COMPLEX ACTION PROCEDURE INVOLVING THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING DECOMPOSED INTO SUB-PROCESSES, IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH CLEARLY THE HIERARCHICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SUB-ACTION AND THE ACTIONS OF SYSTALL THE FOLLOWING NOTATION WILL BE USED:

- SYSTALL ACTION(N) = ACTION(N) = AN> XXXXXXXXX
- SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-D> XXXXXXXXX
- SYSTALL ACTION(N-N) = AN-N-D> XXXXXXXXX
- SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(K) OF SUBACTION(N) OF ACTION(N) = AN-N-L> XXXXXXXXX

# FOR ALL CONTRACTIONS PLEASE REFER TO THE TABLE ON FIGURE 22. THE PRODUCTION CYCLE OF # ATS. IS DESCRIBED IN DETAIL IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

- SYSTALL A(25) = DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION
- SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION
- SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
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SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE

17-18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 (ALTERNATIVES)

| CL | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | DESCRIPTION                                                        |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| C1 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( # UTS, AMB # DB. )                     |
| C2 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 2 INITIAL DATA-BASE VERIFICATION. ( # QUS, AMB # UFS. )            |
| C3 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 3 SET UP THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # UFS. )            |
| C4 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 4 DO REGULAR RUN OF THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( # UFS. ) |
| C5 | 4  | 4  | 6  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( # UFS. )            |
| C6 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | 0  | 6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING. ( # QUS. )                 |

CLUSTERS

PREDICATES

| PL  | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | DESCRIPTION                                    |
|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|------------------------------------------------|
| P1  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL                   |
| P2  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE         |
| P3  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | QUERY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP         |
| P4  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | ALLOCATED FIELDS IN THE DATA-BASE ARE FILLED   |
| P5  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED                  |
| P6  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE                         |
| P7  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP      |
| P8  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | DATA-BASE CONTAINS CORRECT NON TRUANCY INFORM. |
| P9  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY     |
| P10 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING                  |
| P11 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | PROMOTION CYCLE IS STARTED                     |
| P12 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | PRODUCTION RUN IS INITIALIZED TO THE COMPUTER  |
| P13 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED                  |
| P14 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED                  |
| P15 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | DATA IS PROCESSED                              |
| P16 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | OUTPUT IS DISTRIBUTED                          |
| P17 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED                |
| P18 | Y  | Y  | N  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE                 |
| P19 | Y  | Y  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | CHANGE INVOLVES NON #ATS, RELATED DATA         |
| P20 | Y  | Y  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | CHANGE INVOLVES #ATS, RELATED DATA             |
| P21 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | TASK IS QUERY THE DATA-BASE                    |
| P22 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED                  |
| P23 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED                   |
| P24 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED                    |
| P25 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED               |
| P26 | -  | -  | -  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | Y  | -  | LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED               |
| P27 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | END OF THE YEAR                                |

ACTIONS

| AL  | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | DESCRIPTION                                |
|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------------------------------------------|
| A1  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL             |
| A2  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE              |
| A3  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE             |
| A4  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE               |
| A5  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM  |
| A6  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM |
| A7  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM    |
| A8  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM   |
| A9  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM     |
| A10 | 1  | 1  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY    |
| A11 | 1  | 2  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY   |
| A12 | 3  | 3  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY    |
| A13 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | VERIFY COURSE MASTER FILE DATA             |
| A14 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | VERIFY STUDENT MASTER FILE DATA            |
| A15 | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | .  | VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE DATA              |

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|-----|----------------------------------------------------|
| A16 | PRODUCE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS              |
| A17 | SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL            |
| A18 | INSTALL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL            |
| A19 | VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES                    |
| A20 | DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS                    |
| A21 | SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM    |
| A22 | SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOMATCH PROGRAM         |
| A23 | SET UP MATS. DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOMATCH PROGRAM   |
| A24 | SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT           |
| A25 | PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION                |
| A26 | PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION                |
| A27 | PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION                |
| A28 | PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE)    |
| A29 | PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION                          |
| A30 | VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING             |
| A31 | PUNCH NEW & ABS-CARDS                              |
| A32 | UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS               |
| A33 | QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY             |
| A34 | QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY            |
| A35 | QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY              |
| A36 | WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE  |
| A37 | QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE          |
| A38 | PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT                               |
| A39 | WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE |
| A40 | QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE         |
| A41 | WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE   |
| A42 | QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOMATCH MODE           |
| A43 | PRODUCE & ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS                  |
| A44 | NO ACTION--NEXT CLUSTER                            |

9. APL-ROUTINE INITIALIZATIONS

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*****
SYSTEM A(25) = A25 > = PERFORM DAILY DATA USAGE DEFINITION
AND INITIALIZATION
= INITIALIZATION WITH 18 ACTIONS
= SYSTEM A(25)-(1..18)

AT THE BEGINNING OF THE DAY WHEN THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING
SUBSYSTEM IS TO BE RUN, THE DAY HAS TO BE INITIALIZED BY THE
OPERATOR TO THE SYSTEM, THAT MEANS ENTERING IN THE SYSTEM
CERTAIN SPECIFICATIONS AND OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS.
THESE VALUES ARE STORED IN A SPECIAL BUFFER RECORD OF THE
STUDENT MASTER FILE UNTIL DATA PROCESSING TIME.
*****

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```

1.==== START < 2 >
1.1====ENTER PROCEDURE ==
2.==== EVICT OLD DATA, ENTER NEW PARAMETERS < 0, 2, 2, 3 >
2.1====WARNING, ATTEMPT TO INITIALIZE TWICE A DAY ==
2.2====ENTER NEW PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS ==
2.3====SPECIFICATION ERROR RECOVERY ==
2.4====OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER DEFINITION < 3, 0 >
3.==== STORE PARAMETERS ==
3.1====OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER ERROR RECOVERY ==
3.2====FINALIZE INITIALIZATION ==

```

9. ABL-ROUTINE INITIALIZATION:

```

*****
SYSTEM( A(25) = A25) = PERFORM DAILY DATA USAGE DEFINITION
AND INITIALIZATION
= $INITIALIZATION WITH 18 ACTIONS
= $INSTALL A25-(1..18)

AT THE BEGINNING OF THE DAY WHEN THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING
SUBSYSTEM IS TO BE RUN, THE DAY HAS TO BE INITIALIZED BY THE
OPERATOR TO THE SYSTEM. THAT MEANS ENTERING IN THE SYSTEM
CERTAIN SPECIFICATIONS AND OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS.
THESE VALUES ARE STORED IN A SPECIAL BUFFER RECORD OF THE
SUBSYSTEM MASTER FILE UNTIL DATA PROCESSING TIME.
*****

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1.=== START
1.1==ENTER PROCEDURE
1.1.1 IF START
2.=== EVICT OLD DATA, ENTER NEW PARAMETERS
2.1==WARNING, ATTEMPT TO INITIALIZE TWICE A DAY
2.1.1 IF PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED
2.2==ENTER NEW PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS
2.2.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA
2.2.2 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA
2.3==SPECIFICATION ERROR RECOVERY
2.3.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
NOT VALID SPECIFICATIONS
2.4==OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER DEFINITION
2.4.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
VALID SPECIFICATIONS
3.=== STORE PARAMETERS
3.1==OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER ERROR RECOVERY
3.1.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
NOT VALID OUTPUT PARAMETERS
3.2==FINALIZE INITIALIZATION
3.2.1 IF NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
NOT VALID OUTPUT PARAMETERS

```

9. AM-ROUTINE INITIALIZATION

```

*****
SYSTEM A(25) = A25 = PERFORM DAILY DATA USAGE DEFINITION
AND INITIALIZATION
= INITIALIZATION WITH 18 ACTIONS
= STSTALL A25-(1..18)

AT THE BEGINNING OF THE DAY WHEN THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING
SUBSYSTEM IS TO BE RUN, THE DAY HAS TO BE INITIALIZED BY THE
OPERATOR TO THE SYSTEM, THAT MEANS ENTERING IN THE SYSTEM
CERTAIN SPECIFICATIONS AND OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS.
THESE VALUES ARE STORED IN A SPECIAL MASTER RECORD OF THE
STUDENT MASTER FILE UNTIL DATA PROCESSING TIME.
*****

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- ```

1.== START ==> < 2 >
1.1==ENTER PROCEDURE == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
1.1.1 IF START A25-1> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ANSDCN ==> < 0, 2, 2, 3 >
2.== EVICT OLD DATA, ENTER NEW PARAMETERS ==> < 0, 2, 2, 3 >
2.1==WARNING, ATTEMPT TO INITIALIZE TWICE A DAY == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.1.1 IF PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED A25-6>
2.1.1.1 DISPLAY LAST PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS AND PARAMETERS A25-17> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE A25-18> INTERRUPT EXECUTION
2.2==ENTER NEW PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA
A25-2> DISPLAY LAST PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS AND PARAMETERS
A25-3> PROMPT PREVIOUS VALID TRANSACTION FILE
A25-4> SET UP FLAG
A25-5> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE
A25-6> RETRIEVE DATA RECORD FROM STUDENT MASTER FILE
A25-7> ENTER PRESENT DAYS SPECIFICATIONS
A25-8> ENTER SCHOOL DAY
A25-9> ENTER REENTER
A25-10> ENTER SCHOOL WEEK
A25-11> SET DATE FROM SYSTEM
A25-12> DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED SPECIFICATIONS
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2.3==SPECIFICATION ERROR RECOVERY
2.3 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
NOT VALID SPECIFICATIONS
A25-6> DISPLAY LAST PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS AND PARAMETERS
A25-7> ENTER PRESENT DAYS SPECIFICATIONS
A25-8> ENTER SCHOOL DAY
A25-9> ENTER SEMESTER
A25-10> ENTER SCHOOL WEEK
A25-11> GET DATE FROM SYSTEM
A25-12> DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED SPECIFICATIONS
==
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.4==OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER DEFINITION
2.4 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
VALID SPECIFICATIONS
A25-13> ENTER OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS
A25-14> DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED PARAMETERS
==
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.== STORE PARAMETERS
==&
< 3, 0 >

3.1==OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETER ERROR RECOVERY
3.1 IF NOT PRODUCTION CYCLE DAY IS ALREADY INITIALIZED AND IF
ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
NOT VALID OUTPUT PARAMETERS
A25-13> ENTER OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS
A25-14> DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED PARAMETERS
==
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

3.2==FINALIZE INITIALIZATION
3.2 IF NOT ERROR RECOVERY OF ENTERED DATA AND IF
VALID OUTPUT PARAMETERS
A25-15> STORE ENTERED VALUES IN #ANS-REC OF #STUD-MAST-FILE
A25-16> CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE

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9. AML-TRANSFORM INITIALIZATION

```

=====
SYSTALL A(ZS) = A25> = PERFORM DAILY DATA USAGE DEFINITION
AND INITIALIZATION
= SYSTALL A25-(1..18)
= INITIALIZATION WITH 18 ACTIONS

AT THE BEGINNING OF THE DAY WHEN THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING
SUBSYSTEM IS TO BE RUN; THE DAY HAS TO BE INITIALIZED BY THE
OPERATOR TO THE SYSTEM; THAT MEANS ENTERING IN THE SYSTEM
CERTAIN SPECIFICATIONS AND OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS.
THESE VALUES ARE STORED IN A SPECIAL BUFFER RECORD OF THE
STUDENT MASTER FILE UNTIL DATA PROCESSING TIME.
=====

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 (ALTERNATIVES)

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CLUSTERS --
C1 2 : 0 2 2 3 : : 0
C2 : 0 2 2 3 : : 0
C3 : : : : 3 0 0

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PREDICATES --
P1 Y - - - - -
P2 - Y N N N M - -
P3 - - N Y N Y N -
P4 - - - - -
P5 - - - - -

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ACTIONS --
A1 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A2 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A3 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A4 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A5 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A6 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A7 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A8 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A9 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A10 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A11 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A12 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A13 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A14 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A15 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A16 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A17 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18
A18 : 1 : 2 : 3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11 : 12 : 13 : 14 : 15 : 16 : 17 : 18

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=====
ENTER COMMAND = CALL ARSSOM
PURGE PREVIOUS VALID-TRANSACTION FILE
SET UP FLAG
OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE
RETRIEVE MANS-RECORD FROM STUDENT MASTER FILE
DISPLAY LAST PRODUCTION CYCLE SPECIFICATIONS AND PARAMETERS
ENTER PRESENT DAYS SPECIFICATIONS
ENTER SCHOOL DAY
ENTER SCHEDULE
ENTER SCHOOL WEEK
SET DATE FROM SYSTEM
DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED SPECIFICATIONS
ENTER OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS
DISPLAY AND VERIFY ENTERED PARAMETERS
STORE ENTERED VALUES IN MANS-REC OF #STUD-MAST-FILE
CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE
WRITE ERROR MESSAGE
INTERUPT EXECUTION
=====

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10. ABL-ROUTINE GENERATAI

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*****
SISTALL A(26) = A26> = GENERATE TRANSACTION DATA
*****
= #GENERATA WITH 13 ACTIONS
= SISTALL A26>-(1..13)
*****
THIS PROCEDURE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING:
1 TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED BY THE TEACHERS AT EVERY LECTURE
WITH THE HELP OF THE DATA GENERATION KIT
2 TEACHERS TAKE THE ROLL CALL WITH THE CLASS LIST
3 EACH STUDENT ABSENT HAS HIS NAME-CARD REMOVED FROM THE CLASS' BECK
AND PUT IN THE POUCH RESERVED FOR THE ABSENT STUDENTS ON THE DATA
GENERATION KIT. THESE CARDS ARE PRE-IDENTIFIED AND THE ENTIRE
ROLLCALL TAKES ONLY 30-60 SECONDS OF THE TEACHER'S TIME
4 DATA GENERATION KIT IS REMOVED FOR COLLECTION
*****

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```

1.== START < 2 >
1.1==PICK UP NECESSARY MATERIAL --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.== DATA GENERATION < 2, 0 >
2.1==UPDATE INDIVIDUAL DATA GENERATION KIT == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2==DATA GENERATION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

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10. ANL-ROUTINE GENERATA;

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*****
SYSTALL A(26) = A26> = GENERATE TRANSACTION DATA
      = :GENERATA WITH 13 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A26>-(1.,.13)
*****
THIS PROCEDURE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING-
1 TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED BY THE TEACHERS AT EVERY LECTURE
2 WITH THE HELP OF THE DATA GENERATION KIT.
3 TEACHERS TAKE THE ROLL CALL WITH THE CLASS LIST
4 EACH STUDENT ABSENT HAS HIS ANS-CARD REMOVED FROM THE CLASS DECK
AND PUT IN THE POUCH RESERVED FOR THE ABSENT STUDENTS ON THE DATA
GENERATION KIT. THESE CARDS ARE PRE-IDENTIFIED AND THE ENTIRE
ROLLCALL TAKES ONLY 30-40 SECONDS OF THE TEACHER'S TIME
4 DATA GENERATION KIT IS REMOVED FOR COLLECTION
*****

```

```

1.== START
      ==> < 2 >
      == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.== DATA GENERATION
      ==> < 2, 0 >
      == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.2==DATA GENERATION
      == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
      == THE PROCESS IS SIMPLE AND ACCEPTED BY TEACHERS AND IF
      == FEASIBLE DATA GENERATION POSSIBILITY IS MINIMAL AND ACCEPTABLE AND IF
      == IT TAKES LESS THAN A MINUTE

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10. AML-ROUTINE GENERDATA:

```

*****
1  SYSTALL A(26) = A26> = GENERATE TRANSACTION DATA
2  = MEMERDATA WITH 13 ACTIONS
3  = SYSTALL A26>(1,,13)
4
5  THIS PROCEDURE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING-
6  TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED BY THE TEACHERS AT EVERY LECTURE
7  WITH THE HELP OF THE DATA GENERATION KIT.
8  TEACHERS TAKE THE ROLL CALL WITH THE CLASS LIST
9  EACH STUDENT ABSENT HAS HIS NAME-CARD REMOVED FROM THE CLASS' DECK
10 AND PUT IN THE POUCH RESERVED FOR THE ABSENT STUDENTS ON THE DATA
11 GENERATION KIT. THESE CARDS ARE PRE-IDENTIFIED AND THE ENTIRE
12 ROLL CALL TAKES ONLY 30-60 SECONDS OF THE TEACHER'S TIME
13
14 DATA GENERATION KIT IS REARED-FOR COLLECTION
*****

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1.== START ==> < 2 >
1.1==PICK UP NECESSARY MATERIAL == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
1.1P NO CONDITIONS
A26-1> PICK UP DATA GENERATION KIT FROM MAILBOX
A26-2> PICK UP NEW CLASS LISTS
A26-3> PICK UP NEW NAME-CARDS
A26-4> GO TO CLASS
2.== DATA GENERATION ==> < 2, 0 >
2.1==UPDATE INDIVIDUAL DATA GENERATION KIT == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.1 IF NOT DATA GENERATION KIT IS UPDATED
2.11> INSERT NEW STUDENTS NAME-CARDS IN THE DECK
2.12> THROW AWAY DELETED STUDENTS NAME-CARDS
2.13> INSERT NEW CLASSLIST IN THE BIG POUCH
2.2==DATA GENERATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.2 IF DATA GENERATION KIT IS UPDATED AND IF
THE PROCESS IS SMOOTH AND ACCEPTED BY TEACHERS AND IF
FULLY DATA GENERATION POSSIBILITY IS MINIMAL AND ACCEPTABLE AND IF
IT TAKES LESS THAN A MINUTE
A26-5> USE CLASS LIST IN BIG POUCH
A26-6> TAKE NAME-CARDS FOR THE CLASS FROM POUCH
A26-7> MAKE ROLL CALL
A26-8> PUT NAME-CARDS OF PRESENT STUDENTS IN RIGHT POUCH
A26-9> PUT NAME-CARDS OF ABSENT STUDENTS IN LEFT POUCH
A26-10> READY THE DATA GENERATION KIT FOR COLLECTION PICK-UP

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=====
SYSTALL A(26) = A2A> = GENERATE TRANSACTION DATA
                = $GENERATA WITH 13 ACTIONS
                = SYSTALL A2A>-(1..13)

THIS PROCEDURE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING:
1. TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED BY THE TEACHERS AT EVERY LECTURE
   WITH THE HELP OF THE DATA GENERATION KIT.
2. TEACHERS TAKE THE ROLL CALL WITH THE CLASS LIST
   EACH STUDENT ANSWER HAS HIS ANSWER-CARD REMOVED FROM THE CLASS' DECK
   AND PUT IN THE POUCH RESERVED FOR THE ANSWER STUDENTS ON THE DATA
   GENERATION KIT. THESE CARDS ARE PRE-IDENTIFIED AND THE ENTIRE
3. ROLL CALL TAKES ONLY 30-40 SECONDS OF THE TEACHER'S TIME
4. DATA GENERATION KIT IS READY FOR COLLECTION
=====

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- 1 2 3 4 (ALTERNATIVES)
- C1 2 : 0 0  
C2 : 2 0 0
- CLUSTERS -  
=== START  
=== DATA GENERATION
- P1 - N Y - DATA GENERATION KIT IS UPDATED  
P2 - - Y - THE PROCESS IS SIMPLE AND ACCEPTED BY TEACHERS  
P3 - - Y - FACILITY DATA GENERATION POSSIBILITY IS MINIMAL AND ACCEPTABLE  
P4 - - Y - IT TAKES LESS THAN A MINUTE
- ACTIONS -
- A1 1 . . . A2A-1> PICK UP DATA GENERATION KIT FROM MAILBOX
  - A2 2 . . . A2A-2> PICK UP NEW CLASS LISTS
  - A3 3 . . . A2A-3> PICK UP NEW ANSWER-CARDS
  - A4 4 . . . A2A-4> GO TO CLASS
  - A5 . 1 . . . A2A-5> USE CLASS LIST IN BIG POUCH
  - A6 . 2 . . . A2A-6> TAKE ANSWER-CARDS FOR THE CLASS FROM POUCH
  - A7 . 3 . . . A2A-7> MAKE ROLL CALL
  - A8 . 4 . . . A2A-8> PUT ANSWER-CARDS OF PRESENT STUDENTS IN RIGHT POUCH
  - A9 . 5 . . . A2A-9> PUT ANSWER-CARDS OF ASSENT STUDENTS IN LEFT POUCH
  - A10 . 1 . . . A2A-10> INSERT NEW STUDENTS ANSWER-CARDS IN THE DECK
  - A11 . 2 . . . A2A-11> REMOVE ANSWER-CARDS OF PRESENT STUDENTS ANSWER-CARDS
  - A12 . 3 . . . A2A-12> INSERT NEW CLASSLIST IN THE BIG POUCH
  - A13 . 4 . . . A2A-13> READY THE DATA GENERATION KIT FOR COLLECTION PICK-UP

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*****
SYSTEM A(Z7) = TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
          = WATACOLLECT WITH 14 ACTIONS
          = SYSTEM A(Z7)-(1..14)

DATA COLLECTION IS A VERY CRITICAL OPERATION OF THE WATS SYSTEM. IF IT DOES
NOT RESPECT THE PREVIOUSLY DETERMINED CRITERIONS SYSTEM REJECTION WILL OCCUR.

THIS ROUTINE DOES THE FOLLOWING TASKS:
1 DATA GENERATION KITS ARE COLLECTED BY THE CORRIDOR SUPERVISOR
  FROM EACH TEACHER TEN MINUTES AFTER THE LECTURE STARTED
2 ASSENT STUDENTS CARDS ARE EXTRACTED FROM THE POUCHES
3 EACH SUPERVISOR SENDS HIS CARDS TO THE TERMINAL SITE
4 FRAGMENTED DATA COLLECTION PROCESSING IS DONE THROUGH THE
  CARD READER INTO THE SYSTEM AT EVERY LECTURE **
5 TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED BY THE SYSTEM
6 TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED IN A BUFFER FILE WITH THE PREVIOUS
  LECTURES' TRANSACTION DATA
7 OUTPUT IS PRINTED WITH OPTIONAL SUMMARY REPORT OF ASSENT
  STUDENT LISTING TO EACH ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (REPORT A)

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF WATACOLLECT IS 3 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTEM A(Z7-13) = PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT
                  = CALL #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
                  = SYSTEM A(Z7-13)-(1..13)

AT SYSTEM A(Z7-13-5) = PERFORM DATA VERIFICATION
                    = VERIFY DATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
                    = SYSTEM A(Z7-13-5)-(1..12)

** THIS FEATURE IS ONE OF THE TECHNICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS SYSTEM
   (SEE CHAPTER FOUR FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS TASK). WE HAVE
   BEEN ABLE TO ACHIEVE AN INPUT RATE OF NEARLY 3000 TRANSACTIONS
   PER HOUR WITH AN EXTREMELY LOW ERROR RATE.
*****

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1.=== ENTER TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION PROCESS
    1.1==SESSION PROBLEM
    1.2==ORGANIZATION PROBLEM
    1.3==INITIATE DATA COLLECTION
2.=== DATA COLLECTION
    2.1==TRANSACTION DATA IS NOT READY
    2.2==TRANSACTION DATA IS READY
    2.3==LAST LECTURES TRANSACTION DATA IS READY

    ==> < 0, 1, 2 >
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
    ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

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SYSTEM A(27) = #27> = TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION

= #DATACOLLECT WITH 14 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A27-(1..14)

DATACOLLECT IS A VERY CRITICAL OPERATION OF THE #ATS SYSTEM. IF IT DOES NOT RESPECT THE PREVIOUSLY DETERMINED CRITERIONS SYSTEM REJECTION WILL OCCUR.

THIS ROUTINE DOES THE FOLLOWING TASKS:-  
1 DATA GENERATION KITS ARE COLLECTED BY THE COURSE SUPERVISOR FROM EACH TEACHER TEN MINUTES AFTER THE LECTURE STARTS  
2 EACH STUDENT'S CARDS ARE EXTRACTED FROM THE POUCHES  
3 EACH SUPERVISOR SENDS HIS CARDS TO THE TERMINAL SITE  
4 FRAGMENTED DATA COLLECTION PROCESSING IS DONE THROUGH THE CARDS READER INTO THE SYSTEM AT EVERY LECTURE ++  
5 TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED BY THE SYSTEM  
6 TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED IN A BUFFER FILE WITH THE PREVIOUS LECTURES' TRANSACTION DATA  
7 OUTPUT IS PRINTED WITH OPTIONAL SUMMARY REPORT OF ABSENT STUDENT LISTING TO EACH ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (REPORT A)

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF #DATACOLLECT IS 3 LEVELS DEEP  
AT SYSTALL A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT  
= CALL #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A27-13-(1..13)

AT SYSTALL A27-13-5> = PERFORM DATA VERIFICATION  
= #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A27-13-5-(1..12)

++ THIS FEATURE IS ONE OF THE TECHNICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS SYSTEM (SEE CHAPTER FOUR FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS TASK). WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ACHIEVE AN INPUT RATE OF NEARLY 3000 TRANSACTIONS PER HOUR WITH AN EXTREMELY LOW ERROR RATE.

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< 0, 1, 2 >

1.== ENTER TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION PROCESS

1.1==DESIGN PROBLEM  
1.1.1 IF NOT DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF NOT ACCEPTABLE ERROR RATE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

1.2==ORGANIZATION PROBLEM  
1.2.1 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF NOT DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF NOT ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

1.3==INITIATE DATA COLLECTION  
1.3.1 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF ACCEPTABLE ERROR RATE AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

< 2, 2, 0 >

2.== DATA COLLECTION

2.1==TRANSACTION DATA IS NOT READY  
2.1.1 IF NOT TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.2==TRANSACTION DATA IS READY  
2.2.1 IF TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION AND IF MORE LECTURES AFTER THIS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.3==LAST LECTURES TRANSACTION DATA IS READY  
2.3.1 IF TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION AND IF NOT MORE LECTURES AFTER THIS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0



16. ABL-ROUTE DATACOLLECT

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*****
SYSTALL A27) = A27) = TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
      = #DATACOLLECT WITH 14 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A27)-(1..14)

DATA COLLECTION IS A VERY CRITICAL OPERATION OF THE MITS SYSTEM. IF IT DOES
NOT RESPECT THE PREVIOUSLY DETERMINED CRITERIONS SYSTEM REJECTION WILL OCCUR.

THIS ROUTINE DOES THE FOLLOWING TASKS-
1 DATA GENERATION KITS ARE COLLECTED BY THE CORRIDOR SUPERVISOR
2 FROM EACH TEACHER TEN MINUTES AFTER THE LECTURE STARTED
3 ASENT STATEMENTS CARDS ARE EXTRACTED FROM THE POUCHES
4 EACH SUPERVISOR SENDS HIS CARDS TO THE TERMINAL SITE
5 FRAGMENTED DATA COLLECTION PROCESSING IS DONE THROUGH THE
6 CARD READER INTO THE SYSTEM AT EVERY LECTURE
7 TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED BY THE SYSTEM
8 LECTURES, TRANSACTION DATA
9 OUTPUT IS PRINTED WITH OPTIONAL SUMMARY REPORT OF ASENT
10 STUDENT LISTING TO EACH ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (REPORT A)

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF #DATACOLLECT IS 3 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTALL A27-13) = PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT
      = CALL #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A27-13)-(1..13)

      AT SYSTALL A27-13-S) = PERFORM DATA VERIFICATION
      = #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A27-13-S)-(1..12)

++ THIS FEATURE IS ONE OF THE TECHNICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS SYSTEM
(SEE CHAPTER FOUR FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS TASK). WE HAVE
BEEN ABLE TO ACHIEVE AN INPUT RATE OF NEARLY 3000 TRANSACTIONS
PER HOUR WITH AN EXTREMELY LOW ERROR RATE.
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==== < 0, 1, 2 >

- 1.=== ENTER TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION PROCESS
  - 1.1==DESIGN PROBLEM
    - 1.1.1 IF NOT DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF
      - A27-2) REVIEW SYSTEM DESIGN OR FACE SYSTEM REJECTION
    - 1.1.2 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF
      - NOT DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF
        - ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION
          - A27-3) ORGANIZE DATA COLLECTION ROUTE TO THE CENTER
  - 1.2==ORGANIZATION PROBLEM
    - 1.2.1 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF
      - NOT DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF
        - ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION
          - A27-3) ORGANIZE DATA COLLECTION ROUTE TO THE CENTER

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1.3==INITIATE DATA COLLECTION  
 1.3 IF DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE ERROR RATE AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION  
 A27-1> NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER

2.=== DATA COLLECTION < 2, 2, 0 >

2.1==TRANSACTION DATA IS NOT READY  
 2.1 IF NOT TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE  
 A27-4> WAIT 10-15 MINUTES

2.2==TRANSACTION DATA IS READY  
 2.2 IF TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION AND IF  
 MORE LECTURES AFTER THIS  
 A27-5> LET #VP COLLECT #DAT-GEN-KITS FROM CLASSES  
 A27-6> EXTRACT TRUANT STUDENTS' #ABS-CARDS FROM THE KITS  
 A27-7> KEEP #DAT-GEN-KITS IN #VP'S OFFICE  
 A27-8> SEND #ABS-CARDS TO THE COMPUTER CENTER OF THE SCHOOL  
 A27-4> WAIT 10-15 MINUTES  
 A27-9> COLLECT ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE SCHOOL  
 A27-10> ACTIVATE TERMINAL, CARD READER AND LOG IN  
 A27-11> READ IN ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE  
 A27-12> MAKE A TEMPORARY TRANSACTION DATA FILE ON DISK  
 A27-13> PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT - CALL #FRAGINPUT  
 A27-14> WAIT FOR THE NEXT LECTURE

2.3==LAST LECTURES TRANSACTION DATA IS READY  
 2.3 IF TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION AND IF  
 NOT MORE LECTURES AFTER THIS  
 A27-5> LET #VP COLLECT #DAT-GEN-KITS FROM CLASSES  
 A27-6> EXTRACT TRUANT STUDENTS' #ABS-CARDS FROM THE KITS  
 A27-7> KEEP #DAT-GEN-KITS IN #VP'S OFFICE  
 A27-8> SEND #ABS-CARDS TO THE COMPUTER CENTER OF THE SCHOOL  
 A27-4> WAIT 10-15 MINUTES  
 A27-9> COLLECT ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE SCHOOL  
 A27-10> ACTIVATE TERMINAL, CARD READER AND LOG IN  
 A27-11> READ IN ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE  
 A27-12> MAKE A TEMPORARY TRANSACTION DATA FILE ON DISK  
 A27-13> PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT - CALL #FRAGINPUT

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SYSTALL A(27) = A27 > TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION
= #DATACOLLECT WITH 14 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-(1..14).

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DATA COLLECTION IS A VERY CRITICAL OPERATION OF THE MATS SYSTEM. IF IT DOES NOT RESPECT THE PREVIOUSLY DETERMINED CRITERIONS SYSTEM REJECTION WILL OCCUR.

- THIS ROUTINE DOES THE FOLLOWING TASKS-
- 1 DATA GENERATION KITS ARE COLLECTED BY THE CORRIDOR SUPERVISOR FROM EACH TEACHER TEN MINUTES AFTER THE LECTURE STARTED
  - 2 ABSENT STUDENTS CARDS ARE EXTRACTED FROM THE POUCHES
  - 3 EACH SUPERVISOR SENDS HIS CARDS TO THE TERMINAL SITE
  - 4 FRAGMENTED DATA COLLECTION PROCESSING IS DONE THROUGH THE CARD READER INTO THE SYSTEM AT EVERY LECTURE
  - 5 TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED BY THE SYSTEM
  - 6 LECTURES' TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED IN A BUFFER FILE WITH THE PREVIOUS OUTPUT IS PRINTED WITH OPTIONAL SUMMARY REPORT OF ABSENT STUDENT LISTING TO EACH ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (REPORT A)

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THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF #DATACOLLECT IS 3 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTALL A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT
= CALL #FRAGMENT WITH 13 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-13-(1..13)

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AT SYSTALL A27-13-5> = PERFORM DATA VERIFICATION
= #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-13-5-(1..12)

```

++ THIS FEATURE IS ONE OF THE TECHNICAL HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS SYSTEM (SEE CHAPTER FOUR FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS TASK). WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ACHIEVE AN INPUT RATE OF NEARLY 3000 TRANSACTIONS PER HOUR WITH AN EXTREMELY LOW ERROR RATE.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 (ALTERNATIVES)

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CL1 0 1 2 : 2 0 0  == ENTER TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION PROCESS
CL2 . . . 2 2 0 0 == DATA COLLECTION

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P1 - N Y - - - - - PREDICATES -
P2 N Y Y - - - - - DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED
P3 N - Y - - - - - DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TEACHERS
P4 - N Y - Y Y - - ACCEPTABLE ERROR RATE
P5 - - Y - Y Y - - ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 15 MINUTES FOR DATA GENERATION
P6 - - - N Y Y - - ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 30 MINUTES FOR DATA COLLECTION
P7 - - - - Y N - - TEACHERS FINISHED DATA GENERATION FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE
                       MORE LECTURES AFTER THIS

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ACTIONS -

|     |    |    |         |                                                      |
|-----|----|----|---------|------------------------------------------------------|
| A1  | 1  |    | A27-1>  | NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER                             |
| A2  | 1  |    | A27-2>  | REVIEW SYSTEM DESIGN OR FACE SYSTEM REJECTION        |
| A3  | 1  |    | A27-3>  | ORGANIZE DATA COLLECTION ROUTE TO THE CENTER         |
| A4  | 1  | 5  | A27-4>  | WAIT 10-15 MINUTES                                   |
| A5  | 1  | 1  | A27-5>  | LET #PP COLLECT #BMT-GEN-KITS FROM CLASSES           |
| A6  | 2  | 2  | A27-6>  | EXTRACT TRIUMPH STUDENTS' #ABS-CARDS FROM THE KITS   |
| A7  | 3  | 3  | A27-7>  | KEEP #BMT-GEN-KITS IN #PP'S OFFICE                   |
| A8  | 4  | 4  | A27-8>  | SEND #ABS-CARDS TO THE COMPUTER CENTER OF THE SCHOOL |
| A9  | 6  | 6  | A27-9>  | COLLECT ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE SCHOOL                |
| A10 | 7  | 7  | A27-10> | ACTIVATE TERMINAL, CARD READER AND LOG IN            |
| A11 | 8  | 8  | A27-11> | READ IN ALL #ABS-CARDS FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE       |
| A12 | 9  | 9  | A27-12> | MAKE A TEMPORARY TRANSACTION DATA FILE ON DISK       |
| A13 | 10 | 10 | A27-13> | PERFORM FRAGMENTED DATA INPUT - CALL #FRAGINPUT      |
| A14 | 11 | 11 | A27-14> | WAIT FOR THE NEXT LECTURE                            |

## 11. ABL-ROUTINE FRAGINPUT;

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*****
SYSTALL A(27-13) = A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED TRANSACTION
DATA INPUT ON THE TERMINAL
= #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-13>-(1.,13)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY THE DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURE AT SYSTALL A27-13>
IT PERFORMS FRAGMENTED INPUT OF THE TRANSACTION DATA, THIS MEANS THAT
ONLY A PART OF THE TOTAL TRANSACTION DATA NECESSARY FOR THE FINAL
DATA PROCESSING OF THE DAY IS BEING COLLECTED INTO AN INPUT-FILE
AT ANY GIVEN LECTURE.

ESSENTIALLY THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING-
1 IT TRANSFERS EACH TRANSACTION DATA RECORD FROM THE DUMMY INPUT FILE
TO A VALIDATED TRANSACTION DATA FILE CALLED #MADR
2 CHECKS THE VALIDITY OF EACH TRANSACTION RECORD #TRANS-REC BY WAY
OF REFERENCE TO THE DATA-BASE #DB.
3 REJECTS ALL NON VALID TRANSACTION DATA WITH AN APPROPRIATE ERROR
MESSAGE.
4 PRODUCES AN OPTIONAL LISTING OF TRUANT STUDENTS FOR THE CURRENT
LECTURE (REPORT 'A').

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS ROUTINE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTALL A27-13-5> IT CALLS TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION SUBROUTINE
= #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-13-5>-(1.12)

*****
AT THE END RETURN TO #DATAACCOLLECT
*****
1,=== START WITH OUTPUT OPTION SELECTION < 2, 2 >
1.1==CALL PROCEDURE WITH REPORTING == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
1.2==CALL PROCEDURE WITH NO REPORTING == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2,=== TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION < 0, 0, 2 >
2.1==ERROR -NO INITIALIZATION DONE- == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.2==ERROR -NO DATA- == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3,=== COLLECT VALID TRANSACTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
3.1==WRITE TRUANCY SUMMARY < 0, 0 >
3.2==WRITE ONLY MESSAGES == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
*****

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*****
*****  SYSTALL A(27-13) = A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED TRANSACTION
*****              DATA INPUT ON THE TERMINAL
*****              = #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
*****              = SYSTALL A27-13>(1.,13)
*****
*****  THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY THE DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURE AT SYSTALL A27-13>
*****  IT PERFORMS FRAGMENTED INPUT OF THE TRANSACTION DATA. THIS MEANS THAT
*****  ONLY A PART OF THE TOTAL TRANSACTION DATA NECESSARY FOR THE FINAL
*****  DATA PROCESSING OF THE DAY IS BEING COLLECTED INTO AN INPUT FILE
*****  AT ANY GIVEN LECTURE.
*****
*****  ESSENTIALLY THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING=
*****
*****  1 IT TRANSFERS EACH TRANSACTION DATA RECORD FROM THE BUBBY INPUT FILE
*****  TO A VALIDATED TRANSACTION DATA FILE CALLED #NBANDR
*****  2 CHECKS THE VALIDITY OF EACH TRANSACTION RECORD #TRANS-REC BY WAY
*****  OF REFERENCE TO THE DATA-BASE #DB.
*****  3 REJECTS ALL NON VALID TRANSACTION DATA WITH AN APPROPRIATE ERROR
*****  MESSAGE.
*****  4 PRODUCES AN OPTIONAL LISTING OF TRUANT STUDENTS FOR THE CURRENT
*****  LECTURE (REPORT "A").
*****
*****  THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS ROUTINE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
*****  AT SYSTALL A27-13-5> IT CALLS TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION SUBROUTINE
*****  = #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
*****  = SYSTALL A27-13-5>(1.,12)
*****
*****  AT THE END RETURN TO #DATACOLLECT
*****

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*****
*****  1.== START WITH OUTPUT OPTION SELECTION          ==> < 2, 2 >
*****
*****  1.1==CALL PROCEDURE WITH REPORTING              ==
*****  1.1 IF START AND IF                               == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
*****  NOT OPTION WITH LISTING AND IF
*****  NOT OPTION WITH NO LISTING
*****
*****  1.2==CALL PROCEDURE WITH NO REPORTING            ==
*****  1.2 IF START AND IF                               == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
*****  NOT OPTION WITH LISTING AND IF
*****  OPTION WITH NO LISTING
*****  TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
*****
*****  2.== TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION              ==> < 0, 0, 2 >
*****
*****  2.1==ERROR -NO INITIALIZATION DONE-           ==
*****  2.1 IF NOT EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED         == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
*****
*****  2.2==ERROR -NO DATA-                           ==
*****  2.2 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF       == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
*****  NOT INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK
*****
*****  2.3==COLLECT VALID TRANSACTION                  ==
*****  2.3 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF       == -- THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
*****  INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF
*****  NOT TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED
*****
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< 0, 0 >

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3.== DATA COLLECTION SUMMARY REPORTING OPT 1 OR 2

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

3.1==WRITE TRUNCY SUMMARY

3.1 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF  
INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF  
TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED AND IF  
OPTION WITH LISTING

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

3.2==WRITE ONLY MESSAGES

3.2 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF  
INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF  
TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED AND IF  
OPTION WITH NO LISTING

11. ABL-ROUTINE FRAGINPUT;

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*****
SYSTAL A(27-13) = A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED TRANSACTION
DATA INPUT ON THE TERMINAL
= #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
= SYSTAL A27-13>-(1.,13)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY THE DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURE AT SYSTAL A27-13>
IT PERFORMS FRAGMENTED INPUT OF THE TRANSACTION DATA. THIS MEANS THAT
ONLY A PART OF THE TOTAL TRANSACTION DATA NECESSARY FOR THE FINAL
DATA PROCESSING OF THE DAY IS BEING COLLECTED INTO AN INPUT-FILE
AT ANY GIVEN LECTURE.

ESSENTIALLY THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING-
1 IT TRANSFERS EACH TRANSACTION DATA RECORD FROM THE DUMMY INPUT FILE
TO A VALIDATED TRANSACTION DATA FILE CALLED #DABDCR
2 CHECKS THE VALIDITY OF EACH TRANSACTION RECORD #TRAMS-REC BY WAY
OF REFERENCE TO THE DATA-BASE #DB.
3 REJECTS ALL NON VALID TRANSACTION DATA WITH AN APPROPRIATE ERROR
MESSAGE.
4 PRODUCES AN OPTIONAL LISTING OF TRUANT STUDENTS FOR THE CURRENT
LECTURE (REPORT 'A').

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS ROUTINE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTAL A27-13-5> IT CALLS TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION SUBROUTINE
= #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
= SYSTAL A27-13-5>-(1,12)

AT THE END RETURN TO #DATACOLLECT
*****

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< 2, 2 >

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1.=== START WITH OUTPUT OPTION SELECTION
1.1==CALL PROCEDURE WITH REPORTING
1.1.1 IF START AND IF
NOT OPTION WITH LISTING AND IF
NOT OPTION WITH NO LISTING
A27-13-1> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ABKPLST #
1.2==CALL PROCEDURE WITH NO REPORTING
1.2.2 IF START AND IF
NOT OPTION WITH LISTING AND IF
OPTION WITH NO LISTING
A27-13-2> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ABKPLT #

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2.== TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
2.1==ERROR -NO INITIALIZATION DONE-
2.1 IF NOT EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED
A27-13-6> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE
==
==< 0, 0, 2 >
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

2.2==ERROR -NO DATA-
2.2 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF
NOT INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK
A27-13-6> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE
A27-13-11> INTERRUPT EXECUTION
A27-13-13> COPY TRANSACTION DATA FROM CARDS TO A DUMMY DISKFILE
==
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

2.3==COLLECT VALID TRANSACTION
2.3 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF
INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF
NOT TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED
A27-13-3> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE READ MODE
A27-13-4> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE READ MODE
A27-13-5> PERFORM INPUT TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION ,CALL #VERIFDATA
==< 0, 0 >

3.== DATA COLLECTION SUMMARY REPORTING OPT I OR 2
3.1==WRITE TRUANCY SUMMARY
3.1 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF
INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF
TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED AND IF
OPTION WITH LISTING
A27-13-7> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT RECORDS ON #VR. KEY
A27-13-8> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT RECORDS ON STUDENT NAME
A27-13-9> WRITE MORNING TRUANCY REPORT "A" FROM STUDENT OUTPUT ,RECORDS
A27-13-10> WRITE ERROR SUMMARY FROM INVALID TRANSACTIONS AND ERROR MESSAGES
A27-13-12> APPEND VALID #TRANS-REC TO PREVIOUSLY VALIDATED #TRANS-REC (#BADCR)
==
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

3.2==WRITE ONLY MESSAGES
3.2 IF EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED AND IF
INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK AND IF
TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED AND IF
OPTION WITH NO LISTING
A27-13-10> WRITE ERROR SUMMARY FROM INVALID TRANSACTIONS AND ERROR MESSAGES
A27-13-12> APPEND VALID #TRANS-REC TO PREVIOUSLY VALIDATED #TRANS-REC (#BADCR)

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*****
SYSCALL A(27-13) = A27-13> = PERFORM FRAGMENTED TRANSACTION
DATA INPUT ON THE TERMINAL
= #FRAGINPUT WITH 13 ACTIONS
= SYSCALL A27-13>-(1..13)

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THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY THE DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURE AT SYSCALL A27-13>
IT PERFORMS FRAGMENTED INPUT OF THE TRANSACTION DATA. THIS MEANS THAT
ONLY A PART OF THE TOTAL TRANSACTION DATA NECESSARY FOR THE FINAL
DATA PROCESSING OF THE DAY IS BEING COLLECTED INTO AN INPUT-FILE
AT ANY GIVEN LECTURE.

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ESSENTIALLY THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS THE FOLLOWING-

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- 1 IT TRANSFERS EACH TRANSACTION DATA RECORD FROM THE BUNNY INPUT FILE TO A VALIDATED TRANSACTION DATA FILE CALLED #DABCR
- 2 CHECKS THE VALIDITY OF EACH TRANSACTION RECORD #TRANS-REC BY WAY OF REFERENCE TO THE DATA-BASE #DB.
- 3 REJECTS ALL NON VALID TRANSACTION DATA WITH AN APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE.
- 4 PRODUCES AN OPTIONAL LISTING OF TRUANT STUDENTS FOR THE CURRENT LECTURE (REPORT 'A').

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THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS ROUTINE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSCALL A27-13-5> IT CALLS TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION SUBROUTINE
= #VERIFDATA WITH 12 ACTIONS
= SYSCALL A27-13-5>-(1..12)

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AT THE END RETURN TO #BATAACCOLLECT
*****

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 (ALTERNATIVES)

CLUSTERS -  
 == START WITH OUTPUT OPTION SELECTION  
 == TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION  
 == DATA COLLECTION SUMMARY REPORTING OPT 1 OR 2

PREDICATES -

P1 Y N Y Y Y Y Y Y  
 P2 Y N Y Y Y Y Y Y  
 P3 Y N Y Y Y Y Y Y  
 P4 Y N Y Y Y Y Y Y  
 P5 Y N Y Y Y Y Y Y  
 P6 N Y Y Y Y Y Y Y

START  
 EXECUTION DAY IS INITIALIZED  
 INPUT TRANSACTION DATA IS COPIED FROM CARD TO DISK  
 TRANSACTION DATA IS VERIFIED  
 OPTION WITH LISTING  
 OPTION WITH NO LISTING

ACTIONS -

A1 1 . . . . .  
 A2 1 . . . . .  
 A3 . . . . .  
 A4 . . . . .  
 A5 . . . . .  
 A6 . . . . .  
 A7 . . . . .  
 A8 . . . . .  
 A9 . . . . .  
 A10 . . . . .  
 A11 . . . . .  
 A12 . . . . .  
 A13 . . . . .

A27-13-1> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ANKPLST #  
 A27-13-2> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ANKPLM I #  
 A27-13-3> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE READ MODE  
 A27-13-4> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE READ MODE  
 A27-13-5> PERFORM INPUT TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION ,CALL #VERIFDATA  
 A27-13-6> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE  
 A27-13-7> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT RECORDS ON #VP, KEY  
 A27-13-8> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT RECORDS ON STUDENT NAME  
 A27-13-9> WRITE MORNING TRUNCACY REPORT "A" FROM STUDENT OUTPUT RECORDS  
 A27-13-10> WRITE ERROR SUMMARY FROM INVALID TRANSACTIONS AND ERROR MESSAGES  
 A27-13-11> INTERRUPT EXECUTION  
 A27-13-12> APPEND VALID #TRANS-REC TO PREVIOUSLY VALIDATED #TRANS-REC (##ANSCK)  
 A27-13-13> COPY, TRANSACTION DATA FROM CARDS TO A DUMMY-DISKFILE

12. ABL-ROUTINE VERIFDATA;

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*****
SYSTALL A(27-13-5) = A27-13-5> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
#VERIFDATA WITH 11 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A27-13-5-(1,11)
*****
THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #FRAGINPUT AT SYSTALL A27-13-5.
IT VERIFIES THE TRANSACTION DATA RECORD STRINGS FOR ERRORS
BEFORE IT APPENDS THEM TO THE DAILY VALID TRANSACTION DATA FILE (#DANCR).
IT ALSO PRODUCES AN ERROR LISTING FOR THE REJECTED #TRANS-RECS.
*****
AT THE END RETURN TO #FRAGINPUT
*****

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1.== ENTER #VERIFDATA ROUTINE
1.1==START VERIFICATION ROUTINE
2.== CHECK FOR INPUT ERROR
2.1==SET TRANSACTION RECORD
2.2==CHECK DATA COMMUNICATION VALIDITY
2.3==NO DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
2.4==DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
3.==NO MORE TRANSACTION DATA, RETURN TRANSACTION DATA ANALYSIS
3.1==CHECK TRANSACTION RECORD VALIDITY
3.2==EMPTY TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED
4.== DATA COLLECTION ERROR AND SUMMARY REPORTING
4.1==ERROR -DUPLICATE TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED-
4.2==ERROR -STUDENT WHICH MAPPED COURSE REPORTED ABSENT-
4.3==ERROR -SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH OTHER COURSE-

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==< 2 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4, 2 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

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12. ABL-ROUTINE VERIFDATA;

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*****
SYSTALL A(27-13-5) = A27-13-5> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
                = #VERIFDATA WITH 11 ACTIONS
                = SYSTALL A27-13-5>-(1,1,11)

*****
THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #FRAGINPUT AT SYSTALL A27-13-5>.
IT VERIFIES THE TRANSACTION DATA RECORDS STRINGS FOR ERRORS
BEFORE IT APPENDS THEM TO THE DAILY VALID TRANSACTION DATA FILE (#DANCR).
IT ALSO PRODUCES AN ERROR LISTING FOR THE REJECTED #TRANS-RECS.

*****
AT THE END RETURN TO #FRAGINPUT
*****

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- 1.== ENTER #VERIFDATA ROUTINE
  - 1.1==START VERIFICATION ROUTINE
    - 1.1P NO CONDITIONS
- 2.== CHECK FOR INPUT ERROR
  - 2.1==GET TRANSACTION RECORD
    - 2.1 IF NOT, THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER
  - 2.2==CHECK DATA COMMUNICATION VALIDITY
    - 2.2 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER
  - 2.3==NO DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
    - 2.3 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF NOT, DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
  - 2.4==DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
    - 2.4 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
  - 2.5==NO MORE TRANSACTION DATA; RETURN
    - 2.5 IF END OF INPUT-TRANSACTION DATA BUNNY FILE TRANSACTION DATA ANALYSIS
- 3.== TRANSACTION DATA ANALYSIS
  - 3.1==CHECK TRANSACTION RECORD VALIDITY
    - 3.1 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF NOT, DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
  - 3.2==EMPTY TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED
    - 3.2 IF #TRANS-REC IS EMPTY LINE
  - 4.== DATA COLLECTION ERROR AND SUMMARY REPORTING
    - 4.1==ERROR -DUPLICATE TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED-
      - 4.1 IF #TRANS-REC IS DUPLICATE ENTRY
    - 4.2==ERROR -STUDENT WHICH DROPPED COURSE REPORTED ABSENT-
      - 4.2 IF STUDENT IS DELETED FROM CORRESPONDING COURSE
    - 4.3==ERROR -SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH OTHER COURSE-
      - 4.3 IF #TRANS-REC COURSE HAS THE WRONG SCHEDULE

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==> < 2 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
==> < 2, 2, 3, 2, 0 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
==> < 4, 2 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
==> < 2, 2, 2 >
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
== --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

```

12. AML-ROUTINE VERIFDATA;

```

*****
SYSTEM A(27-13-5) = A27-13-5> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
= #VERIFDATA WITH 11 ACTIONS
= SYSTEM A27-13-5-(1,11)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #FRAGINPUT AT SYSTEM A27-13-5.
IT VERIFIES THE TRANSACTION DATA RECORD STRINGS FOR ERRORS
BEFORE IT APPENDS THEM TO THE DAILY VALID TRANSACTION DATA FILE (#DMSCR).
IT ALSO PRODUCES AN ERROR LISTING FOR THE REJECTED #TRANS-RECS.

      AT THE END RETURN TO #FRAGINPUT
*****

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- ```

1.== ENTER #VERIFDATA ROUTINE
   1.1==START VERIFICATION ROUTINE
        1.1P NO CONDITIONS
        A27-13-5-11> SORT ALL RECORDS IN TRANSACTION FILE.
2.== CHECK FOR INPUT ERROR
   2.1==SET TRANSACTION RECORD
        2.1 IF NOT THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER
        A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE
   2.2==CHECK DATA COMMUNICATION VALIDITY
        2.2 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER
        A27-13-5-1> ANALYSE CHECK-SUM OF THE INPUT-TRANSACTION STRING
   2.3==NO DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
        2.3 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF
        NOT DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
        A27-13-5-12> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER
   2.4==DATA COMMUNICATION ERROR DETECTED
        2.4 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF
        DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
        A27-13-5-8> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE
        A27-13-5-9> COPY #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE
        A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE
   2.5==NO MORE TRANSACTION DATA, RETURN
        2.5 IF END OF INPUT TRANSACTION DATA DUMMY FILE
        A27-13-5-12> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

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3.=== TRANSACTION DATA ANALYSIS

< 4, 2 >

3.1==CHECK TRANSACTION RECORD VALIDITY

3.1.1 IF THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER AND IF  
 NOT DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD  
 A27-13-5-2> RECOMPOSE #TRANS-REC INTO TRANSACTION ITEMS  
 A27-13-5-3> RETRIEVE CORRESPONDING STUDENT RECORD  
 A27-13-5-4> RETRIEVE CORRESPONDING COURSE RECORD  
 A27-13-5-5> ANALYSE TRANSACTION ITEMS FOR VALIDITY

==> --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

3.2==EMPTY TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED

3.2.1 IF #TRANS-REC IS EMPTY LINE  
 A27-13-5-6> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-7> COPY #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE

==> --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

4.=== DATA COLLECTION ERROR AND SUMMARY REPORTING

< 2, 2, 2 >

4.1==ERROR -DUPLICATE TRANSACTION RECORD DETECTED-

4.1.1 IF #TRANS-REC IS DUPLICATE ENTRY  
 A27-13-5-8> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-9> COPY #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE

==> --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

4.2==ERROR -STUDENT WHICH DROPPED COURSE REPORTED ABSENT-

4.2.1 IF STUDENT IS DELETED FROM CORRESPONDING COURSE  
 A27-13-5-6> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-9> COPY #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE

==> --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

4.3==ERROR -SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH OTHER COURSE-

4.3.1 IF #TRANS-REC COURSE HAS THE WRONG SCHEDULE  
 A27-13-5-6> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-9> COPY #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE  
 A27-13-5-10> READ NEXT #TRANS-REC INTO BUFFER FROM DUMMY INPUT FILE

==> --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

12. ABL-TRANSFORM VERIFDATA;

```

*****
SYSTALL A(27-13-5) = A27-13-5> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA VERIFICATION
                    = #VERIFDATA WITH 11 ACTIONS
                    = SYSTALL A27-13-5-(1..11)

*****
THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #FRAGINPUT AT SYSTALL A27-13-5>
IT VERIFIES THE TRANSACTION DATA RECORDS FOR ERRORS
BEFORE IT APPENDS THEM TO THE DAILY VALID TRANSACTION DATA FILE (#DABCR).
IT ALSO PRODUCES AN ERROR LISTING FOR THE REJECTED #TRANS-RECS.

*****
AT THE END RETURN TO #FRAGINPUT
*****

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 (ALTERNATIVES)

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CL1 2 2 3 2 0 . . . . . 0
CL2 . . . . . 4 2 . . . . . 0
CL3 . . . . . . . 2 2 2 0
CL4 . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

CLUSTERS
== ENTER #VERIFDATA ROUTINE
== CHECK FOR INPUT ERROR
== TRANSACTION DATA ANALYSIS
== DATA COLLECTION ERROR AND SUMMARY REPORTING

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P1 - N Y Y Y - Y - - - - -
P2 - - - N Y - N Y - - - -
P3 - - - - - Y - - - - -
P4 - - - - - - - Y - - - -
P5 - - - - - - - - - Y - -
P6 - - - - - - - - - - - Y
P7 - - - - - - - - - - - -
P8 - - - - - Y - - - - -

PREDICATES -
THERE IS A TRANSACTION RECORD IN BUFFER
DATA TRANSMISSION ERROR IN TRANSACTION RECORD
#TRANS-REC IS EMPTY LINE
#TRANS-REC IS DUPLICATE ENTRY
STUDENT IS DELETED FROM CORRESPONDING COURSE
#TRANS-REC COURSE HAS THE WRONG SCHEDULE
#TRANS-REC IS VALID
END OF INPUT TRANSACTION DATA DUMMY FILE

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ACTIONS -
A1 . . . 1 . . . . . . . . . .
A2 . . . . . . . 1 . . . . .
A3 . . . . . . . 2 . . . . .
A4 . . . . . . . 3 . . . . .
A5 . . . . . . . 4 . . . . .
A6 . . . . . . . . . . . . .
A7 . . . . . . . . . . . . .
A8 . . . . . 1 . . . . 1 1 1
A9 . . . . . 3 . . . . 3 3 3
A10 . 1 . . . . . . . . . .
A11 1 . . . . . . . . . .
A12 . . . . 1 . . . . . . .

ANALYSE CHECK-SUM OF THE INPUT-TRANSACTION STRING
RECOMPOSE #TRANS-REC INTO TRANSACTION ITEMS
RETRIEVE CORRESPONDING STUDENT RECORD
RETRIEVE CORRESPONDING COURSE RECORD
ANALYSE TRANSACTION ITEMS FOR VALIDITY
COPY #TRANS-REC TO VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#DABCR)
COPY STUDENT DISPLAY ITEMS ON STUDENT OUTPUT RECORD
WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE TO ERROR FILE
READ NEXT #TRANS-REC TO ERROR FILE
SORT ALL RECORDS IN TRANSACTION FILE
NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

```



13. ABL-ROUTINE ABSPROC;

```

=====
SYSTALL A(28) = A28 > = PERFORM DAILY DATS DATA PROCESSING.
      = #ABSPROC WITH 25 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28 >-(1.,25)
=====
THIS PROCESS ANALYSES AND STORES THE COLLECTED TRANSACTION DATA AT THE
END OF THE DAY. IT DIRECTLY STORES ALL TRUNCATE DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
FOR FURTHER USE. AFTER THIS DATA RETENTION PHASE THIS PROCEDURE
WRITES A CONDENSE TRUNCATE REPORT (REPORT 9.) IN ACCORDANCE TO THE
FORMAT AND DEGREE OF DETAIL PREVIOUSLY SPECIFIED BY A SET OF
OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS. ALL OUTPUT IS SPOOLED AND SAVED ON DISK
UNTIL NEXT MORNING.
=====
THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS PROCEDURE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTALL A28-11 > STORE TRANSACTION DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
      = CALL MASTERS WITH 17 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28-11 >-(1.,17)
=====

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- ```

1.== START ABSPROC                               ==> < 2 >
  1.1==CALL PROCEDURE                             ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
  2.== PREPARE ALLFILES                           ==> --> < 3 >
  3.== FILE UPDATING                              ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3 < 3, 3, 3, 4 >
    3.1==UPDATE FILES, WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS MATCH ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
    3.2==UPDATE FILES, WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS DONT MATCH ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
    3.3==ERROR -BELETED STUDENT-                 ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
    3.4==NO MORE UPDATING.                         ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4 < 0 >
  4.== REPORTING                                  ==> -->
    4.1==REPORTING, FINALIZATION, STOP            ==> --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

```

13. AM-ROUTINE ABSPROC;

```

=====
SYSTALL A128) = A28) = PERFORM DAILY DATS DATA PROCESSING.
      = #ABSPROC WITH 25 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28)-(1..25)

THIS PROCESS ANALYSES AND STORES THE COLLECTED TRANSACTION DATA AT THE
END OF THE DAY. IT DIRECTLY STORES ALL TRUNCACY DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
FOR FURTHER USE. AFTER THIS DATA REDUCTION PHASE THIS PROCEDURE
WRITES A CONDENSE TRUNCACY REPORT (REPORT 'B') IN ACCORDANCE TO THE
FORMAT AND DEGREE OF DETAIL PREVIOUSLY SPECIFIED BY A SET OF
OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS. ALL OUTPUT IS SPOOLED AND SAVED ON DISK
UNTIL NEXT MORNING.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS PROCEDURE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP

AT SYSTALL A28-11) STORE TRANSACTION DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
      = CALL #ABSTUPP WITH 17 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28-11)-(1..17)
=====

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1.== START ABSPROC. < 2 >
1.1==CALL PROCEDURE ==
1.1.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED AND VERIFIED IN (#ABACK)
2.== PREPARE ALLFILES < 3 >
2.1==PREPARE ALL FILES ==
2.1.1 IF NOT ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ABACK < 3, 3, 3, 4 >
3.== FILE UPDATING
3.1==UPDATE FILES: WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS MATCH ==
3.1.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ABACK AND IF
      NOT STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF
      STUDENT'S ABSENCES MATCH OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS SET UP AND IF
      NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#ABACK)
3.2==UPDATE FILES: WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS DONT MATCH ==
3.2.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ABACK AND IF
      NOT STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF
      NOT STUDENT'S ABSENCES MATCH OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS SET UP AND IF
      NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#ABACK)
3.3==ERROR -DELETED DTUBENT- ==
3.3.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ABACK AND IF
      STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF
      NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#ABACK)
3.4==NO MORE UPDATING ==
3.4.1 IF END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#ABACK)
4.== REPORTING < 0 >
4.1==REPORTING, FINALIZATION, STOP
4.1P NO CONDITIONS

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13. ABL-ROUTINE ANSPROC:

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=====
SYSTALL A(28) = A28> = PERFORM DAILY #ATS DATA PROCESSING.
      = ANSPROC WITH 25 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28>-(1.,25)

THIS PROCESS ANALYSES AND STORES THE COLLECTED TRANSACTION DATA AT THE
END OF THE DAY. IT DIRECTLY STORES ALL TRANCY DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
FOR FURTHER USE. AFTER THIS DATA RETENTION PHASE THIS PROCEDURE
WRITES A COMPLETE TRANCY REPORT (REPORT 9 ) IN ACCORDANCE TO THE
FORMAT AND BEGREE OF DETAIL PREVIOUSLY SPECIFIED BY A SET OF
OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS. ALL OUTPUT IS SPOOLED AND SAVED ON DISK
UNTIL NEXT MORNING.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS PROCEDURE IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTALL A28-11> STORE TRANSACTION DATA IN THE DATA-BASE
      = CALL #ANSTUPD WITH 17 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A28-11>-(1.,17)
=====

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```

1.== START ANSPROC
1.1==CALL PROCEDURE
      1.1.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED AND VERIFIED IN (#ANPCR)
      A28-1> ENTER COMMAND = CALL,ANSDIR *
      ==> < 2 >

2.== PREPARE ALLFILES
2.1==PREPARE ALL FILES
      2.1.1 IF NOT ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ANPCR
      A28-2> SORT #TRANS-RECS. BY STUDENT ID,NO. (MAJOR KEY)
      A28-3> SORT #TRANS-RECS. BY CLASS ID,NO. (MINOR KEY)
      A28-4> ELIMINATE DUPLICATE ENTRIES OF #TRANS-RECS.
      A28-5> REWIND TRANSACTION FILE (#ANPCR)
      A28-6> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE
      A28-7> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE, CLASS MASTER FILE
      A28-8> UPDATE PRODUCTION POINTERS IN #ANS-RECORD
      A28-9> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS. FOR ONE STUDENT INTO BUFFER (1-6 RECORDS)
      ==> < 3, 3, 3, 4 >

3.== FILE UPDATING

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3.1==UPDATE FILES, WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS MATCH
      3.1.1 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #ANPCR AND IF
      NOT STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF
      STUDENT'S ABSENCE MATCH OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS SET UP AND IF
      NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#ANPCR)
      A28-10> RETRIEVE STUDENT RECORD
      A28-11> PERFORM DATA-BASE TRANCY STORAGE UPDATE -CALL #ANSTUPD-
      A28-12> WRITE STUDENT TRANCY RELATED DATA TO STUDENT OUTPUT FILE
      A28-13> INCREMENT STATISTICS
      A28-16> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS INTO BUFFER FOR NEXT STUDENT (1-6 RECORDS)

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3.2==UPDATE FILES, WITH OUTPUT PARAMETERS DONT MATCH == --THEM-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.2 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #NAME AND IF  
 NOT STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF  
 NOT STUDENTS ANSWERS MATCH OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS SET UP AND IF  
 NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#NAME)

A28-10> RETRIEVE STUDENT RECORD  
 A28-11> PERFORM DATA-BASE INTEGRITY STORAGE UPDATE -CALL #ASTUPTD-  
 A28-13> INCREMENT STATISTICS  
 A28-16> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS INTO BUFFER FOR NEXT STUDENT (1-6 RECORDS)

3.3==ERROR -DELETED STUDENT- == --THEM-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3

3.3 IF ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN #NAME AND IF  
 STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL AND IF  
 NOT END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#NAME)  
 A28-10> RETRIEVE STUDENT RECORD  
 A28-13> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE  
 A28-15> DISPLAY STUDENT IN ERROR FILE  
 A28-16> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS INTO BUFFER FOR NEXT STUDENT (1-6 RECORDS)

3.4==NO MORE UPDATING == --THEM-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

3.4 IF END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#NAME)  
 A28-25> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

4.== REPORTING

4.1==REPORTING, FINALIZATION, STOP  
 4.1P NO CONDITIONS

A28-17> SORT ERROR FILE ON #P KEY,  
 A28-18> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT FILE ON #P KEY  
 A28-19> WRITE STUDENT REPORT '9' FROM STUDENT OUTPUT FILE  
 A28-20> WRITE ERROR REPORT FROM ERROR FILE  
 A28-21> COMPUTE STATISTICS FOR THE DAY  
 A28-22> WRITE STATISTICS SUMMARY REPORT  
 A28-23> STORE STATISTICS  
 A28-24> CLOSE ALL FILES

==< < 0 >  
 == --THEM-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0



(ALTERNATIVES)

- == CLUSTERS ==
- == START ANSPROC ==
- == PREPARE ALIFILES ==
- == FILE UPDATING ==
- == REPORTING ==

C1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
C2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PREDICATES

P1 ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED AND VERIFIED IN (#NANCR)  
 P2 ALL TRANSACTION DATA IS SORTED IN (#NANCR)  
 P3 STUDENT CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC IS DELETED FROM SCHOOL  
 P4 STUDENTS ABSENCES MATCH OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS SET UP  
 P5 END OF VALID TRANSACTION FILE (#NANCR)  
 P6 START

P1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
P2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
P3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
P4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
P5	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
P6	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

ACTIONS

A28-1> ENTER COMMAND = CALL ANSPROC #  
 A28-2> SORT #TRANS-RECS. BY STUDENT ID.NO. (HAIOR KEY)  
 A28-3> SORT #TRANS-RECS. BY CLASS ID.NO. (NUMBER KEY)  
 A28-4> ELIMINATE DUPLICATE ENTRIES OF #TRANS-RECS.  
 A28-5> REWIND TRANSACTION FILE (#NANCR)  
 A28-6> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 A28-7> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE, CLASS MASTER FILE  
 A28-8> UPDATE PRODUCTION POINTERS IN #ANS-RECORD  
 A28-9> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS. FOR ONE STUDENT INTO BUFFER (1-6 RECORDS)  
 A28-10> RETRIEVE STUDENT RECORD  
 A28-11> PERFORM DATA-BASE TRANSMISSION RELATED DATA TO STUDENT OUTPUT FILE  
 A28-12> WRITE STUDENT TRANSMISSION RELATED DATA TO STUDENT OUTPUT FILE  
 A28-13> INCREMENT STATISTICS  
 A28-14> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE  
 A28-15> DISPLAY STUDENT IN ERROR FILE  
 A28-16> READ ALL #TRANS-RECS INTO BUFFER FOR NEXT STUDENT (1-6 RECORDS)  
 A28-17> SORT ERROR FILE ON #P KEY  
 A28-18> SORT STUDENT OUTPUT FILE ON #P KEY  
 A28-19> WRITE STUDENT REPORT 'B' FROM STUDENT OUTPUT FILE  
 A28-20> WRITE ERROR REPORT FROM ERROR FILE  
 A28-21> COMPUTE STATISTICS FOR THE DAY  
 A28-22> WRITE STATISTICS SUMMARY REPORT  
 A28-23> STORE STATISTICS  
 A28-24> CLOSE ALL FILES  
 A28-25> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

A1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A23	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

14. ABL-ROUTINE ANSTUPO;

```

=====
1.   SYSTEM A(28-11) = A28-11> = STORE TRANSACTIONS IN THE DATA-BASE
      = ANSTUPO WITH 17 ACTIONS
      = SYSTEM A28-11>-(1..17)

2.   THIS ROUTINE WILL PERFORM UPDATING ON ALL TRUANCY RELATED VARIABLES
      IN THE DATA-BASE.

      THE FOLLOWING TRUANCY VARIABLES ARE UPDATED
      TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
      TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
      TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
      TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
      LAST-DAY-ABSENT-FROM-SCHOOL IN THE $STUD-REC
      SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO, FOR THE YEAR
      SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO, IN THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC
      IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
      BINARY CALENDAR ABSENCE PATTERN FOR THE SEMESTER
      IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
      STATISTICS FOR THE DAY
=====

```

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1.=== ENTER ANSTUPO                                ===> 2 >
      1.1==ENTER ROUTINE                            ===> 3 >
      2.=== UPDATE GENERAL TOTALS OF THE $STUD-REC
      2.1==INCREMENT $STUD-REC TOTALS
      3.=== UPDATE COURSE DATA OF THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC.
      3.1==UPDATE COURSE RELATED DATA-BASE        < 3, 3, 0 >
      3.2==ERROR -DELETED STUDENT FROM THIS COURSE
      3.3==STORE BINARY MASK IN BINARY CALENDAR, RETURN

```

14. AML-ROUTINE ANSTUPD;

```

=====
SYSTALL A(28-11) = A28-11> = STORE TRANSACTIONS IN THE DATA-BASE
= ANSTUPD WITH 17 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A28-11)-(1,17)

THIS ROUTINE WILL PERFORM UPDATING ON ALL TRANCY RELATED VARIABLES
IN THE DATA-BASE.

THE FOLLOWING TRANCY VARIABLES ARE UPDATED
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
LAST-DAYS-ABSENT-FROM-SCHOOL IN THE $STUD-REC
LAST-DAYS-ABSENT-FROM-LECTURE-COURSENO. IN THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO. FOR THE YEAR
IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO. FOR THE SEMESTER
IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
BINARY CALENDAR ABSENCE PATTERN IN THE $STUD-REC
STATISTICS FOR THE DAY
=====

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- ```

1.== ENTER $ANSTUPD < 2 >
1.1==ENTER ROUTINE == < 2 >
1.1P NO CONDITIONS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.== UPDATE GENERAL TOTALS OF THE $STUD-REC == < 3 >
2.1==INCREMENT $STUD-REC. TOTALS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
2.1 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6)
3.== UPDATE COURSE DATA OF THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC. == < 3, 3, 0 >
3.1==UPDATE COURSE RELATED DATA-BASE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
3.1 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6) AND IF
NOT STUDENT IS DELETED FROM COURSE CORRESPONDING TO $TRANS-REC. AND IF
NOT ALL $TRANS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS $STUD-REC
3.2==ERROR -DELETED STUDENT FROM THIS COURSE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
3.2 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6) AND IF
STUDENT IS DELETED FROM COURSE CORRESPONDING TO $TRANS-REC. AND IF
NOT ALL $TRANS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS $STUD-REC
3.3==STORE BINARY MASK IN BINARY CALENDAR, RETURN == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3.3 IF ALL $TRANS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS $STUD-REC

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14. ABL-ROUTINE ABSTUPD)

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*****
SYSTALL A(A28-11) = A28-11> = STORE TRANSACTIONS IN THE DATA-BASE
= ABSTUPD WITH 17 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A28-11>-(1..17)

THIS ROUTINE WILL PERFORM UPDATING ON ALL TRANACTY RELATED VARIABLES
IN THE DATA-BASE.

THE FOLLOWING TRANACTY VARIABLES ARE UPDATED
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE YEAR IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE $STUD-REC
LAST-DAY-ABSENT-FROM-SCHOOL IN THE $STUD-REC
LAST-DAY-ABSENT-FROM-LECTURE-COURSES IN THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSES FOR THE YEAR
IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSES FOR THE SEMESTER
IN THE $STUD-REC AND THE $CLASS-REC
BURNAT-CALENDAR ABSENCE PATTERN IN THE $STUD-REC
STATISTICS FOR THE DAY
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1.== ENTER ABSTUPD)
1.1==ENTER ROUTINE
1.1.1P NO CONDITIONS
A28-11-17) NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER
2.== UPDATE GENERAL TOTALS OF THE $STUD-REC
2.1==INCREMENT $STUD-REC TOTALS
2.1 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6)
A28-11-17) ENTER DATE ON $STUD-REC FOR LAST-DAY-ABSENT
A28-11-17) INCREMENT ON $STUD-REC. ALL TOTAL DAYS ABSENT BY 1
A28-11-17) INCREMENT ON $STUD-REC. ALL TOTAL NUMBERS OF LECTURES ABSENT BY N
A28-11-17) TAKE NEXT $TRANS-REC IN THE BUFFER
3.== UPDATE COURSE DATA OF THE $STUD-REC AND $CLASS-REC.
3.1==UPDATE COURSE RELATED DATA-BASE
3.1 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6) AND IF
NOT STUDENT IS SELECTED FROM COURSE CORRESPONDING TO $TRANS-REC. AND IF
NOT ALL $TRANS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS $STUD-REC
A28-11-17) FOR THE COURSE IN $TRANS-REC ENTER DATE FOR LAST-DAY-ABSENT IN $STUD-REC
A28-11-17) FOR THE COURSE IN THE $TRANS-REC. INCREMENT SUBTOTALS(DAYS AND PERIODS ABSENT) IN $STUD-REC
A28-11-17) RETRIEVE COURSE RECORD FOR SCHEDULE FROM THE COURSE MASTER FILE
A28-11-17) RETRIEVE CLASS RECORDS FROM THE CLASS MASTER FILE
A28-11-17) INCREMENT CLASS RECORDS WITH STUDENTS CORRESPONDING AND-SUBTOTALS-IN-CR
A28-11-17) WRITE ON CLASS RECORD STUDENTS LAST-DAY-ABSENT IN-CR
A28-11-17) REWRITE CLASS RECORD
A28-11-17) PREPARE BINARY MASK FOR THE DAYS SCHEDULE PATTERN( ABSENT BY STUDENT
A28-11-17) TAKE NEXT $TRANS-REC IN THE BUFFER

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3.2--ERROR -DELETED STUDENT FROM THIS COURSE  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3  
 3.2 IF BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6) AND IF  
 STUDENT IS DELETED FROM COURSE, PROCEEDING TO STRMS-REC. AND IF  
 NOT ALL STRMS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS #STUD-REC  
 A28-11-13> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE  
 A28-11-14> WRITE STUDENT'S NAME AND COURSE ON ERROR FILE  
 A28-11-15> TAKE NEXT STRMS-REC IN THE BUFFER

3.3--STORE BINARY MASK IN PRIMARY CALLER'S RETURN  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0  
 3.3 IF ALL STRMS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS #STUD-REC  
 A28-11-15> STORE BINARY MASK (DAILY ABSENCE PATTERN) IN THE #STUD-REC.  
 A28-11-16> REWRITE UPDATED #STUD-REC. IN STUDENT MASTER FILE

14. ABL-TRANSFORM ABSTUDP;

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=====
SYSFALL A(28-11) = A28-11> = STORE TRANSACTIONS IN THE DATA-BASE
= ABSTUDP WITH 17 ACTIONS
= SYSFALL A28-11>- (1,17)

=====
THIS ROUTINE WILL PERFORM UPDATING ON ALL TRUANCY RELATED VARIABLES
IN THE DATA-BASE.

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THE FOLLOWING TRUANCY VARIABLES ARE UPDATED
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE YEAR IN THE #STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE YEAR IN THE #STUD-REC
TOTAL-DAYS-ABSENT FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE #STUD-REC
TOTAL-LECTURES-MISSED FOR THE SEMESTER IN THE #STUD-REC
LAST-DATE-ABSENT-FROM-SCHOOL IN THE #STUD-REC
LAST-DATE-ABSENT-FROM-LECTURE-COURSENO, IN THE #STUD-REC AND #CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO, FOR THE YEAR
IN THE #STUD-REC AND THE #CLASS-REC
SUBTOTAL-OF-LECTURES-MISSED-IN-COURSENO, FOR THE SEMESTER
IN THE #STUD-REC AND THE #CLASS-REC
BINARY CALENDAR ABSENCE PATTERN IN THE #STUD-REC
STATISTICS FOR THE DAY
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1 2 3 4 5 6 (ALTERNATIVES)
CLUSTERS -
C1 2 3 0 0 0 0 0
C2 3 3 0 0
C3 3 3 0 0
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P1 - Y Y Y - -
P2 - - N Y - -
P3 - - N N Y -

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PREDICATES -
P1 - BUFFER CONTAINS N TRANSACTIONS FOR A STUDENT (N= 1 TO 6)
P2 - STUDENT IS DELETED FROM COURSE CORRESPONDING TO #TRANS-REC.
P3 - ALL #TRANS-RECS ARE ENTERED FOR THIS STUDENT ON HIS #STUD-REC
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ACTIONS -
A1 - A28-11-1> ENTER DATE ON #STUD-REC FOR LAST-DATE-ABSENT
A2 - A28-11-2> INCREMENT ON #STUD-REC, ALL TOTAL DAYS ABSENT BY 1
A3 - A28-11-3> INCREMENT ON #STUD-REC, ALL TOTAL NUMBERS OF LECTURES MISSED BY 1
A4 - A28-11-4> FOR THE COURSE IN #TRANS-REC ENTER DATE FOR LAST-DAY-ABS-IN-CR IN #STUD-REC
A5 - A28-11-5> FOR THE COURSE IN THE #TRANS-REC, INCREMENT SUBTOTALSDAYS AND PERIODS ABSENT IN #STUD-REC
A6 - A28-11-6> RETRIEVE COURSE RECORD FOR SCHEDULE FROM THE COURSE MASTER FILE
A7 - A28-11-7> RETRIEVE CLASS RECORDS FROM THE CLASS MASTER FILE
A8 - A28-11-8> INCREMENT CLASS RECORD WITH STUDENTS CORRESPONDING ADS-SUBTOTALS-IN-CR
A9 - A28-11-9> WRITE ON CLASS RECORDS STUDENTS LAST-DATE-ABS-IN-CR
A10 - A28-11-10> REWRITE CLASS RECORD
A11 - A28-11-11> PREPARE BINARY MASK FOR THE DAYS SCHEDULE PATTERN( ABSENT BY STUDENT.)
A12 - A28-11-12> TAKE NEXT #TRANS-REC IN THE BUFFER
A13 - A28-11-13> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE
A14 - A28-11-14> WRITE STUDENTS NAME AND COURSE ON ERROR FILE
A15 - A28-11-15> STORE BINARY MASK (DAILY ABSENCE PATTERN) IN THE #STUD-REC.
A16 - A28-11-16> REWRITE UPDATED #STUD-REC, IN STUDENT MASTER FILE
A17 - A28-11-17> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER
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17. ABL-ROUTINE DISTRIBUTION;

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*****
SYSTAL A(29) = A29> = INFORMATION AND DATA DISTRIBUTION
      = #DISTRIBUTION WITH 26 ACTIONS.
      = SYSTAL A29>-(1..26)
*****
INFORMATION AND DATA REDISTRIBUTION IS A COMPLEX TASK IN THIS SYSTEM.
DATA COLLECTION IS A FRAGMENTED PROCEDURE WHICH CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE
DAY AT EVERY LEVEL. IN ORDER TO RESOLVE THE CRITERIONS ESTABLISHED
FOR THE INFORMATION TO REACH ITS TARGET USER AND IN ORDER TO PREVENT
A QUEU FORMATION OF THE DATA TO BE DISTRIBUTED AT THE END OF THE DAY,
WE HAVE TO BEGIN TO SEND BACK WHATEVER DATA IS AVAILABLE EVEN
BEFORE THE FINAL DATA PROCESSING TAKES PLACE. THIS ALSO HAS TO BE
ACHIEVED IN A CRITICAL TIME DELAY.
*****
THIS REGULAR REDISTRIBUTION PROCESS HAS ALSO TO ACCOMMODATE A FLOW
OF VARIOUS KIND OF INFORMATION REQUESTS ABOUT THE STORED TRANQUY DATA
IN THE DATA-BASE.
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- 1.== REGULAR DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION ==> 1, 1, 1, 2 >
- 1.1==DAILY MORNING DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 1.2== MABS-CARD REDISTRIBUTION AFTER EACH USE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 1.3==FINAL INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 1.4==OCCASIONAL TRANQUY INFORMATION REQUESTED ==> 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1 >
- 2.== OCCASIONAL IRREGULAR INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION ==> 1
- 2.1==INDIVIDUAL REMEDIAL CONSULTATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 2.2==PLANNED FAMILY CONSULTATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 2.3==UNPLANNED PARENTAL VISIT == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 2.4==TEACHER INFORMATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 2.5==SCHOOL MANAGEMENT == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 2.6==EVERYTHING IS DISTRIBUTED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
- 2.7==PAUSE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

SYSTAL A(29) = A29> = INFORMATION AND DATA DISTRIBUTION

= #DISTRIBUTION WITH 26 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTAL A29>(1..26)

INFORMATION AND DATA REDISTRIBUTION IS A COMPLEX TASK IN THIS SYSTEM. DATA COLLECTION IS A FRAGMENTED PROCEDURE WHICH CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE DAY AT EVERY LECTURE. IN ORDER TO RESPECT THE CRITERIONS ESTABLISHED FOR THE INFORMATION TO REACH ITS TARGET USER AND IN ORDER TO PREVENT A QUEUED FORMATION OF THE DATA TO BE DISTRIBUTED AT THE END OF THE DAY, WE HAVE TO BEGIN TO SEND BACK WHATEVER DATA IS AVAILABLE EVEN BEFORE THE FINAL DATA PROCESSING TAKES PLACE. THIS ALSO HAS TO BE ACHIEVED IN A CRITICAL TIME DELAY.

THIS REGULAR REDISTRIBUTION PROCESS WAS ALSO TO ACCOMMODATE A FLOW OF VARIOUS KIND OF INFORMATION REQUESTS ABOUT THE STORED TRIANGY DATA IN THE DATA-BASE.

1.== REGULAR DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION

- 1.1==DAILY MORNING DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.1.1 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT PARENT CONSULTING AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS AND IF DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 1 IS COMPLETE AND IF NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 2 OR 3...OR 7 IS COMPLETE AND IF NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF NOT DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 1.2== #ABS-CARD REDISTRIBUTION AFTER EACH USE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.2.1 IF DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 2 OR 3...OR 7 IS COMPLETE AND IF NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF NOT DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1
- 1.3==FINAL INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.3.1 IF OR OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT CONSULTING AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 1-2 DAYS AND IF DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 1.4==OCCASIONAL TRIANGY INFORMATION REQUESTED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 1.4.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

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2. == OCCASIONAL IRREGULAR INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION

2.1 == INDIVIDUAL REMEDIAL CONSULTATION == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.1.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT CONSULTING AND IF IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS

2.2 == PLANNED FAMILY CONSULTATION == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.2.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT CONSULTING AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS ONE MONTH

2.3 == UNPLANNED PARENTAL VISIT == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.3.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT CONSULTING AND IF IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE

2.4 == TEACHER INFORMATION == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.4.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF OBJECTIVE IS TO PROVIDE EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT AND IF IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS ONE MONTH

2.5 == SCHOOL MANAGEMENT == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.5.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2-3 DAYS

2.6 == EVERYTHING IS DISTRIBUTED == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 0

2.6.1 IF ALL REGULAR DATA IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF NOT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS

2.7 == PAUSE == -- THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 1

2.7.1 IF NOT ALL REGULAR DATA IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF NOT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS

17. ABL-ROUTINE DISTRIBUTION;

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=====
SYSTALL A(29) = A29> = INFORMATION AND DATA DISTRIBUTION
= #DISTRIBUTION WITH 26 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A29>-(1..26)

INFORMATION AND DATA REDISTRIBUTION IS A COMPLEX TASK IN THIS SYSTEM.
DATA COLLECTION IS A FRAGMENTED PROCEDURE WHICH CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE
DAY AT EVERY LECTURE. IN ORDER TO RESPECT THE CRITERIONS ESTABLISHED
FOR THE INFORMATION TO REACH ITS TARGET USER AND IN ORDER TO PREVENT
A QUEU FORMATION OF THE DATA TO BE DISTRIBUTED AT THE END OF THE DAY,
WE HAVE TO BEGIN TO SEND BACK WHATEVER DATA IS AVAILABLE EVEN
BEFORE THE FINAL DATA PROCESSING TAKES PLACE. THIS ALSO HAS TO BE
ACHIEVED IN A CRITICAL TIME DELAY.

THIS REGULAR REDISTRIBUTION PROCESS HAS ALSO TO ACCOMMODATE A FLOW
OF VARIOUS KIND OF INFORMATION REQUESTS ABOUT THE STORED TRIUMPHY DATA
IN THE DATA-BASE.
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1.== REGULAR DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION

- 1.1==DAILY MORNING DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
1.1.1 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT PARENT CONSULTING AND IF  
ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS AND IF  
DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 1 IS COMPLETE AND IF  
NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 2 OR 3...OR 7 IS COMPLETE AND IF  
NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF  
NOT DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED
- A29-1> AT THE CENTER SEPARATE ALL DATA TO CORRESPONDING #HP
  - A29-2> SEPARATE INPUT MAG-CARD DECK FOR EACH #HP
  - A29-3> SEPARATE OUTPUT FOR EACH #HP
  - A29-4> SEND BACK EACH #HP HIS MAGS-CARDS
  - A29-5> SEND BACK EACH #HP HIS ERROR LISTING
  - A29-6> SEND BACK EACH #HP HIS TRIUMPHY REPORT 'A'
  - A29-7> AT THE #HP'S OFFICE PREPARE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE
  - A29-8> CHECK ERROR LISTING FOR DAMAGED MAGS-CARDS
  - A29-9> TAKE OUT FAULTY CARDS FROM EACH DECK
  - A29-10> REPLACE MAGS-CARDS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE UNIT-BEN-KIT FOR REUSE
  - A29-11> DISTRIBUTE UNIT-BEN-KITS TO TEACHERS' MAILBOXES
  - A29-12> PERFORM TRIUMPHY RELATED HUMAN COMMUNICATION
  - A29-13> PARTITION TRIUMPHY REPORT 'A' INTO SMALL SECTIONS
  - A29-14> HAND OUT EACH SECTION TO PRE-ASSIGNED PERSONAL
  - A29-15> PHONE PARENTS OF TRIUMPH STUDENTS
  - A29-16> -RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND
  - A29-17>
  - A29-18>
  - A29-19>
  - A29-20>
  - A29-21>
  - A29-22>
  - A29-23>
  - A29-24>
  - A29-25>
  - A29-26>

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1.2== #ABS-CARD REDISTRIBUTION AFTER EACH USE == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.2 IF DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 2, OR 3, OR 7 IS COMPLETE AND IF  
 NOT DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF  
 NOT DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS

- A29-1> AT THE CENTER SEPARATE ALL DATA TO CORRESPONDING #WP
- A29-2> SEPARATE INPUT #ABS-CARD DECK FOR EACH #WP
- A29-3> SEPARATE OUTPUT FOR EACH #WP
- A29-4> SEND EACH #WP HIS #ABS-CARDS
- A29-5> SEND BACK EACH #WP HIS ERROR LISTING
- A29-6> AT THE #WP'S OFFICE PREPARE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE
- A29-10> CHECK ERROR LISTING FOR DAMAGED #ABS-CARDS
- A29-11> TAKE OUT FAULTY CARDS FROM EACH DECK
- A29-12> REPLACE #ABS-CARDS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE #MAT-GEN-KIT FOR REUSE
- A29-13> DISTRIBUTE #MAT-GEN-KITS TO TEACHERS' MAILBOXES

1.3==FINAL INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 1.3 IF OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT CONSULTING AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 1-2 DAYS AND IF  
 DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE AND IF  
 DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED

- A29-1> AT THE CENTER SEPARATE ALL DATA TO CORRESPONDING #WP
- A29-3> SEPARATE OUTPUT FOR EACH #WP
- A29-7> SEND BACK EACH #WP HIS TRIUMPHY REPORT 'P'
- A29-8> SEND PRINCIPAL TRIUMPHY STATISTICS REPORT
- A29-14> PERFORM TRIUMPHY RELATED HUMAN COMMUNICATION
- A29-18> MEET TRIUMF STUDENT
- A29-20> RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND

1.4==OCCASIONAL TRIUMPHY INFORMATION REQUESTED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2  
 1.4 IF INFORMATION IS REQUESTED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS  
 A29-25> NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER

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2.== OCCASIONAL IRREGULAR INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION

2.1==INDIVIDUAL REMEDIAL CONSULTATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 2.1 IF INFORMATION IS REQUESTED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT CONSULTING AND IF  
 IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACES IS POSSIBLE AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS

- A29-22> QUERY #88. FOR RETROACTIVE STUDENT TRIUMPHY INFORMATION
- A29-18> MEET TRIUMF STUDENT
- A29-20> RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND

2.2==PLANNED FAMILY CONSULTATION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 1  
 2.2 IF INFORMATION IS REQUESTED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT CONSULTING AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS ONE MONTH

- A29-22> QUERY #88. FOR RETROACTIVE STUDENT TRIUMPHY INFORMATION
- A29-18> MEET TRIUMF STUDENT
- A29-19> MEET PARENTS OF TRIUMF STUDENT
- A29-20> RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND



2.3==UNPLANNED PARENTAL VISIT  
 2.3 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT CONSULTING AND IF  
 IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE  
 A29-22> -QUERY #88 FOR RETROACTIVE STUDENT TRUANCY INFORMATION  
 A29-19> -MEET PARENTS OF TRUANT STUDENT  
 A29-21> -MEET STAFF  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

2.4==TEACHER INFORMATION  
 2.4 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS TO PROVIDE EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT AND IF  
 IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS ONE MONTH  
 A29-23> -QUERY #88 FOR RETROACTIVE CLASS TRUANCY INFORMATION  
 A29-21> -MEET STAFF  
 A29-20> -RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

2.5==SCHOOL MANAGEMENT  
 2.5 IF INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS AND IF  
 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND IF  
 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2-3 DAYS  
 A29-24> -QUERY #88 FOR OVERALL TRUANCY STATISTICS  
 A29-21> -MEET STAFF  
 A29-20> -RELATE INFORMATION ON HAND  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1

2.6==EVERYTHING IS DISTRIBUTED  
 2.6 IF ALL REGULAR DATA IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF  
 NOT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS  
 A29-25> NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

2.7==PAUSE  
 2.7 IF NOT ALL REGULAR DATA IS DISTRIBUTED AND IF  
 NOT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS  
 A29-26> WAIT  
 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 1



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|    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | (ALTERNATIVES) |
| C1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0  |                |
| C2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1  | 1  | 0  |                |

**CLUSTERS -**  
 == REGULAR DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION  
 == OCCASIONAL IRREGULAR INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION

**PREDICATES -**

P1 ALL REGULAR DATA IS DISTRIBUTED  
 P2 INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON AN IRREGULAR BASIS  
 P3 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT CONSULTING  
 P4 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS ONE MONTH  
 P5 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT CONSULTING  
 P6 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 1-2 DAYS  
 P7 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT PARENT CONSULTING  
 P8 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 HOURS  
 P9 OBJECTIVE IS TO PROVIDE EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT  
 P10 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2 MONTHS  
 P11 OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT  
 P12 ACCEPTABLE DELAY IS 2-3 DAYS  
 P13 IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS POSSIBLE  
 P14 DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 1 IS COMPLETE  
 P15 DATA COLLECTION FOR LECTURE 2 OR 3 IS COMPLETE OR 7 IS COMPLETE  
 P16 DATA COLLECTION FOR THE DAY IS COMPLETE  
 P17 DATA PROCESSING IS ENDED

**ACTIONS -**

|     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |         |                                                              |
|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| A1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-1>  | AT THE CENTER SEPARATE ALL DATA TO CORRESPONDING #VP         |
| A2  | 1  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | A29-2>  | SEPARATE INPUT MMS-CARD DECK FOR EACH #VP                    |
| A3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 3  | A29-3>  | SEPARATE OUTPUT FOR EACH #VP                                 |
| A4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | A29-4>  | SEND BACK EACH #VP HIS MMS-CARDS                             |
| A5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | 5  | A29-5>  | SEND BACK EACH #VP HIS ERROR LISTING                         |
| A6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | A29-6>  | SEND BACK EACH #VP HIS TRUANCY REPORT 'A'                    |
| A7  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | A29-7>  | SEND BACK EACH #VP HIS TRUANCY REPORT 'B'                    |
| A8  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | A29-8>  | SEND PRINTER TRUANCY STATISTICS REPORT                       |
| A9  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | A29-9>  | AT THE #VP'S OFFICE PREPARE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE            |
| A10 | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | A29-10> | CHECK ERROR LISTING FOR DAMAGED MMS-CARDS                    |
| A11 | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | 8  | A29-11> | TAKE OUT FAULTY CARDS FROM EACH DECK                         |
| A12 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | A29-12> | REPLACE MMS-CARDS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE UNIT-SEA-KIT FOR REUSE |
| A13 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | A29-13> | DISTRIBUTE UNIT-SEA-KITS TO TEACHERS MAILBOXES               |
| A14 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | A29-14> | PERFORM TRUANCY RELATED HUMAN COMMUNICATION                  |
| A15 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | A29-15> | PARTITION TRUANCY REPORT 'A' INTO SMALL SECTIONS             |
| A16 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | A29-16> | HAND OUT EACH SECTION TO PRE-ASSIGNED PERSONAL               |
| A17 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | A29-17> | PHONE PARENTS OF TRUANT STUDENTS                             |
| A18 | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | 6  | A29-18> | MEET TRUANT STUDENT                                          |
| A19 | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | A29-19> | MEET PARENTS OF TRUANT STUDENT                               |
| A20 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | A29-20> | RELATE INFORMATION ON HWB                                    |
| A21 | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 7  | A29-21> | MEET STAFF                                                   |
| A22 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-22> | QUERY #88. FOR RETROACTIVE STUDENT TRUANCY INFORMATION       |
| A23 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-23> | QUERY #88. FOR RETROACTIVE CLASS TRUANCY INFORMATION         |
| A24 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-24> | QUERY #88. FOR OVERALL TRUANCY STATISTICS                    |
| A25 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-25> | NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER                                     |
| A26 | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | 1  | A29-26> | WAIT                                                         |



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*****
SYSTALL A(30) = A30> = DATA USAGE DETERMINATION
= #DATABASE WITH 14 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A30>-(1,14)
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AND BELIEFS THE SYSTEM ALL TOGETHER.

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SUBSEQUENT DATA USAGE STUDIES WILL PERMIT TO CLOSELY TUNE IN THE
REPORTING PART OF THE SYSTEM TO THE REAL AND OFTEN UNEXPRESSED NEED
OF THE USER IN HIS DECISION MAKING TASK. IN THIS WAY WE CAN OPTIMIZE
OUTPUT USAGE, WHILE MINIMIZING OUTPUT VOLUME AND THE INHERENT
DATA PROCESSING EXPENSES.

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WHILE MEASURING OUTPUT USAGE DIFFERS WITH EACH TYPE OF OUTPUT, BASICALLY
WE HAVE TO ESTABLISH A COMPARATIVE STANDARD OF HOW MUCH ATTENTION
THEY SHOULD GET TO BE CONSIDERED USEFULL.

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1.== OBSERVATION
*****

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1.1==USAGE VERIFICATION STUDY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
1.1 IF ALL OUTPUT IS REDISTRIBUTED IN THE PREDETERMINED DELAY AND IF
NOT OBSERVATION IS COMPLETE ==#

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2.== OUTPUT OPTIMIZATION

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2.1==REPORT A IS TOO LONG - LOW USAGE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.1 IF 'A' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED ==#

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2.2==REPORT B IS TOO LONG - LOW USAGE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.2 IF 'B' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED ==#

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2.3==REPORT A IS MAYBE TOO SHORT == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.3 IF 'A' RATIO IS HIGH ==#

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2.4==REPORT B IS MAYBE TOO SHORT == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.4 IF 'B' RATIO IS HIGH ==#

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2.5==OPTIMUM OUTPUT LEVEL == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.5 IF NOT 'A' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT 'B' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT 'A' RATIO IS HIGH AND IF
NOT 'B' RATIO IS HIGH ==#

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2.6==SYSTEM LOGIC PROBLEM == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.6 IF 'A' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
'B' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED ==#

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2.7==DATA USAGE STUDY IS COMPLETE == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.7 IF DATA USAGE STUDY IS COMPLETE ==#

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< 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 0, 0 >

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=====
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      = #DATABASE WITH 14 ACTIONS
      = SYSTALL A30>-(1,,14)

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THEY SHOULD GET TO BE CONSIDERED USEFULL.
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1.=== OBSERVATION
1.1==USAGE VERIFICATION STUDY
1.1.1 IF ALL OUTPUT IS REDISTRIBUTED IN THE PREDETERMINED DELAY AND IF
NOT OBSERVATION IS COMPLETE
A30-1> DETERMINE NUMBER OF PHONE CALLS TO PARENTS (MOPH.)
A30-2> DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS MET BY M.P. (MONT.)
A30-3> DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ON REPORT 'A' (MNA.)
A30-4> DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ON REPORT 'B' (MNB.)
A30-5> DETERMINE RATIO 'A' = #MOPH./#MNA.
A30-6> DETERMINE RATIO 'B' = #MONT./#MNB.

2.=== OUTPUT OPTIMIZATION
2.1==REPORT A IS TOO LONG - LOW USAGE
2.1.1 IF 'A' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED
A30-7> SHORTEN REPORT 'A' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE
A30-12> ADJUST OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE

2.2==REPORT B IS TOO LONG - LOW USAGE
2.2.1 IF 'B' RATIO IS SMALL AND IF
NOT DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED
A30-9> SHORTEN REPORT 'B' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE
A30-12> ADJUST OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE.

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2.3==REPORT A IS MAYBE TOO SHORT  
 2.3 IF "A" RATIO IS HIGH  
 A30-8> LENGTHEN REPORT "A" FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 A30-12> ADJUST OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.4==REPORT B IS MAYBE TOO SHORT  
 2.4 IF "B" RATIO IS HIGH  
 A30-10> LENGTHEN REPORT "B" FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 A30-12> ADJUST OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.5==OPTIMIZE OUTPUT LEVEL  
 2.5 IF NOT "A" RATIO IS SMALL AND IF  
 NOT "B" RATIO IS SMALL AND IF  
 NOT "A" RATIO IS HIGH AND IF  
 NOT "B" RATIO IS HIGH  
 A30-11> MAINTAIN OUTPUT LEVEL FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 A30-12> ADJUST OUTPUT SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.6==SYSTEM LOGIC PROBLEM  
 2.6 IF "A" RATIO IS SMALL AND IF  
 "B" RATIO IS SMALL AND IF  
 DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED  
 A30-7> SHORTEN REPORT "A" FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 A30-9> SHORTEN REPORT "B" FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 A30-14> REVIEW SYSTEM LOGIC  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

2.7==DATA USAGE STUDY IS COMPLETE  
 2.7 IF DATA USAGE STUDY IS COMPLETE  
 A30-13> NO ACTION - NEXT CLUSTER  
 == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

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 = #DATABASE WITH 14 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A30>-(1,,14)

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 C2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 0 0  
 == OBSERVATION  
 == OUTPUT OPTIMIZATION

CLUSTERS

PREDICATES

P1 Y - - - - -  
 P2 - Y - - - - -  
 P3 - - Y - - - - -  
 P4 - - - Y - - - - -  
 P5 - - - - Y - - - -  
 P6 - - - - - Y - - -  
 P7 N - - - - -  
 P8 - N - - - - -

ALL OUTPUT IS REDISTRIBUTED IN THE PREDETERMINED DELAY  
 'A' RATIO IS SMALL  
 'B' RATIO IS SMALL  
 'A' RATIO IS HIGH  
 'B' RATIO IS HIGH  
 DATA USAGE STUDY IS COMPLETE  
 OBSERVATION IS COMPLETE  
 DESIGN LOGIC PROBLEM DETECTED

ACTIONS

A1 1 . . . . .  
 A2 1 . . . . .  
 A3 1 . . . . .  
 A4 1 . . . . .  
 A5 1 . . . . .  
 A6 1 . . . . .  
 A7 1 . . . . .  
 A8 1 . . . . .  
 A9 1 . . . . .  
 A10 1 . . . . .  
 A11 2 2 2 2 . . . . .  
 A12 2 2 2 2 . . . . .  
 A13 . . . . .  
 A14 . . . . .

DETERMINE NUMBER OF PHONE CALLS TO PARENTS (#NDPH.)  
 DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS MET BY MOP. (#NDMT.)  
 DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ON REPORT 'A'. (#NA.)  
 DETERMINE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ON REPORT 'B'. (#NB.)  
 DETERMINE RATIO 'A' = #NDPH./#NA.  
 DETERMINE RATIO 'B' = #NDMT./#NB.  
 SHORTEN REPORT 'A' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 LENGTHEN REPORT 'A' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 SHORTEN REPORT 'B' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 LENGTHEN REPORT 'B' FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 MAINTAIN OUTPUT LEVEL FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 ADJUST ON LINE SELECTION PARAMETERS FOR THE NEXT PRODUCTION CYCLE  
 NO ACTION  
 REVIEW SYSTEM LOGIC



SYSTALL ACTION(11) = A11> = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE (# STUPDATE)

#STUPDATE IS ONE OF THE THREE COMPONENTS OF THE UPDATE SUBSYSTEM (# UPS ). IT IS THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM OPERATED BY THE USER IN INTERACTIVE MODE ON THE TERMINAL OF THE COMPUTER CENTER IN THE SCHOOL. IN ORDER TO UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE, A SUFFICIENTLY EASY TO LEARN LANGUAGE WAS DESIGNED THAT HELPS THE MAJORITY OF THE STUDENT RECORDS. THE MAIN FUNCTION OF THIS PROGRAM IS TO PERMIT RECORD CREATION AND DELETION AS WELL AS MODIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED FIELDS WITHIN EACH STUDENT RECORD. IT ALSO PERFORMS SOME DATA VERIFICATIONS BEFORE EDITED DATA IS PERMITTED ENTRY INTO THE DATA-BASE. THIS APLS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT FUNCTIONS IN A MANNER THAT WHEN CERTAIN DATA ARE ENTERED THROUGH THIS PROGRAM THE OTHER DATA-BASE FILES (I.E. THE COURSE MASTER FILE, THE CLASS MASTER FILE AND THE TABS-CARD FILE ) ARE ALL UPDATED AUTOMATICALLY.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTALL A11> IS 3 LEVELS DEEP

SYSTALL A11> = #STUPDATE WITH 27 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-1>-(1..27)  
 AT A11-14 #STRECDNR  
 AT A11-15 #STRECDL

SYSTALL A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION  
 = #STRECDNR WITH 16 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-14-1>-(1..16)  
 = IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING  
 AT A11-14-5 #STRECDNPR  
 AT A11-14-6 #STRECDNR

SYSTALL A11-14-5> = STUDENT RECORD PERSONAL ITEMS  
 MODIFICATION ROUTINE  
 = #STRECDNPR WITH 7 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-14-5-1>-(1..7)

SYSTALL A11-14-6> = STUDENT RECORD COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE  
 = #STRECDNR WITH 14 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-14-6-1>-(1..14)

SYSTALL A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE  
 = #STRECDL WITH 6 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-15-1>-(1..6)

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- 1.== START THE UPDATING SESSION  
 1.1==STARTING UPDATE  
 2.== UPDATING FUNCTION SELECTION  
 2.1==COMMAND SELECTION  
 2.2==OPERATING MODE SELECTION  
 2.3==NON VALID CREATION  
 2.4==VALID CREATION  
 2.5==VALID MODIFICATION  
 2.6==NON VALID MODIFICATION  
 2.7==VALID DELETION  
 2.8==NON VALID DELETION  
 2.9==UNAUTHORIZED USER  
 2.10==END COMMAND WITH LISTING  
 2.11==END COMMAND WITH NO LISTING  
 3.== RECORD CREATION  
 3.1==RECORD CREATION  
 4.== RECORD MODIFICATION  
 4.1==MODIFY EXISTING RECORD  
 5.== RECORD DELETION  
 5.1==DELETE VALID RECORD  
 6.== TERMINATION OF THE UPDATING SESSION  
 6.1==TERMINATE WITH LISTING  
 6.2==TERMINATE WITHOUT LISTING

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4. ABL-ROUTINE STUPDATE;

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THE CLASS MASTER FILE AND THE TRANS-CARD FILE ) ARE ALL UPDATED
AUTOMATICALLY.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM A11> IS 3 LEVELS DEEP

SYSTEM A11> = #STUPDATE WITH 27 ACTIONS
              = SYSTEM A11->(1..27)
              = IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING
                AT A11-14 #STRECHMCR
                AT A11-15 #STRECHMEL

SYSTEM A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION
                = #STRECHMCR WITH 16 ACTIONS
                = SYSTEM A11-14->(1..16)
                = IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING
                  AT A11-14-5 #STRECHMCRP
                  AT A11-14-6 #STRECHMCR

SYSTEM A11-14-5> = STUDENT RECORD PERSONAL ITEMS
                  = #STRECHMCRP WITH 7 ACTIONS
                  = SYSTEM A11-14-5->(1..7)

SYSTEM A11-14-6> = STUDENT RECORD COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE
                  = #STRECHMCR WITH 14 ACTIONS
                  = SYSTEM A11-14-6->(1..14)

SYSTEM A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE
                  = #STRECHMEL WITH 6 ACTIONS
                  = SYSTEM A11-15->(1..6)
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1.== START THE UPDATING SESSION
1.1==STARTING UPDATE
1.1 IF COMMAND = CALL NOBETU
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2.== UPDATING FUNCTION SELECTION < 2, 2, 2, 3, 4, 2, 5, 2, 0, 6, 6 >

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.1==COMMAND SELECTION

2.1 IF NOT COMMAND = NONE,BRIEF AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = MOD,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = DEL,STUDENT,NO.,PASSWORD AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = CRE,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = FIN AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = FIN,MLIST AND IF  
COMMAND = ILLEGAL COMMAND

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.2==OPERATING MODE SELECTION

2.2 IF COMMAND = NONE,BRIEF AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.3==NON VALID CREATION

2.3 IF COMMAND = CRE,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

2.4==VALID CREATION

2.4 IF COMMAND = CRE,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
NOT STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

2.5==VALID MODIFICATION

2.5 IF COMMAND = MOD,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.6==NON VALID MODIFICATION

2.6 IF COMMAND = MOD,STUDENT,NO. AND IF  
NOT STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 5

2.7==VALID DELETION

2.7 IF COMMAND = DEL,STUDENT,NO.,PASSWORD AND IF  
STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
PASSWORD IS VALID AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.8==NON VALID DELETION

2.8 IF COMMAND = DEL,STUDENT,NO.,PASSWORD AND IF  
NOT STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

2.9==UNAUTHORIZED USER

2.9 IF COMMAND = DEL,STUDENT,NO.,PASSWORD AND IF  
STUDENT,NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
NOT PASSWORD IS VALID AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

2.10==END COMMAND WITH LISTING  
2.10 IF COMMAND = FIN AND IF  
NOT MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 6

2.11==END COMMAND WITH NO LISTING  
2.11 IF COMMAND = FIN, NOLIST AND IF  
NOT MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 6

3.== RECORD CREATION

==> < 2 >

3.1==RECORD CREATION  
3.1P NO CONDITIONS

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

4.== RECORD MODIFICATION

==> < 2 >

4.1==MODIFY EXISTING RECORD  
4.1P NO CONDITIONS

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

5.== RECORD DELETION

==> < 2 >

5.1==DELETE VALID RECORD  
5.1P NO CONDITIONS

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

6.== TERMINATION OF THE UPDATING SESSION

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6.1==TERMINATE WITH LISTING  
6.1 IF COMMAND = FIN

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

6.2==TERMINATE WITHOUT LISTING  
6.2 IF COMMAND = FIN, NOLIST

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 0

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4. ABL-ROUTINE STUPDATE)

SYSTEM ACTION(11) = A11> = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE (# STUPDATE)

STUPDATE IS ONE OF THE THREE COMPONENTS OF THE UPDATE SUBSYSTEM (# UPS ). IT IS THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATE PROGRAM OPERATED BY THE USER IN INTERACTIVE MODE ON THE TERMINAL OF THE COMPUTER CENTER IN THE SCHOOL. IN ORDER TO UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE, A SUITABLE EASY TO LEARN LANGUAGE WAS DESIGNED THAT HELPS THE NAIVE USER TO MODIFY THE STUDENT RECORDS, THE MAIN FUNCTION OF THIS PROGRAM IS TO PERMIT RECORD CREATION AND DELETION AS WELL AS MODIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED FIELDS WITHIN EACH STUDENT RECORD. IT ALSO PERFORMS SOME DATA VERIFICATIONS BEFORE EDITED DATA IS PERMITTED ENTRY INTO THE DATA-BASE. THIS UPS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT FUNCTIONS IN A MANNER THAT WHEN CERTAIN DATA ARE ENTERED THROUGH THIS PROGRAM THE OTHER DATA-BASE FILES (I.E. THE COURSE MASTER FILE, THE CLASS MASTER FILE AND THE TABS-CARD FILE ) ARE ALL UPDATED AUTOMATICALLY.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTALL A11> IS 3 LEVELS DEEP

SYSTALL A11> = #STUPDATE WITH 27 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14>-(1..27)  
= IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING  
AT A11-14 #STRECDNR  
AT A11-15 #STRECDL

SYSTALL A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION  
= #STRECDNR WITH 16 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14-5>-(1..16)  
= IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING  
AT A11-14-5 #STRECDNR  
AT A11-14-6 #STRECDNR

SYSTALL A11-14-5> = STUDENT RECORD PERSONAL ITEMS MODIFICATION ROUTINE  
= #STRECDNR WITH 7 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14-5-1>-(1..7)

SYSTALL A11-14-6> = STUDENT RECORD COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE  
= #STRECDNR WITH 14 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14-6-1>-(1..14)

SYSTALL A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE  
= #STRECDL WITH 6 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-15-1>-(1..6)

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1.== START THE UPDATING SESSION  
1.1==STARTING UPDATE  
1.1.1 IF COMMAND = CALL MODETAB < 2 >  
--THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

- A11-1> ATTACH COMPILED INTERACTIVE PROGRAM
- A11-2> ATTACH COURSE MASTER FILE
- A11-3> ATTACH CLASS MASTER FILE
- A11-4> ATTACH STUDENT MASTER FILE
- A11-5> ATTACH #ABS-CARD FILE
- A11-6> OPEN CLASS MASTER FILE
- A11-7> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE
- A11-8> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE
- A11-9> OPEN #ABS-CARD FILE
- A11-10> CLEAR ALL BUFFERS
- A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER
- A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

2.== UPDATING FUNCTION SELECTION  
2.1==COMMAND SELECTION  
2.1 IF NOT COMMAND = NONE,BRIEF AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = MOD,STUDENT.NO. AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = REL,STUDENT.NO.,PASSWORD AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = CRE/STUDENT.NO. AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = FIN AND IF  
NOT COMMAND = FIM,NO LIST AND IF  
COMMAND = ILLEGAL COMMAND  
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

2.2==OPERATING MODE SELECTION  
2.2 IF COMMAND = NONE,BRIEF AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-11> SET UP FLAG TO SUPPRESS VERIFICATION MESSAGES  
A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

2.3==NON VALID CREATION  
2.3 IF COMMAND = CRE,STUDENT.NO. AND IF  
STUDENT.NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

2.4==VALID CREATION  
2.4 IF COMMAND = CRE,STUDENT.NO. AND IF  
NOT STUDENT.NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-27> NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 4

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2.5==VALID MODIFICATION

2.5 IF COMMAND = MOD, STUDENT NO, AND IF  
STUDENT NO, IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-27> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 2

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2.6==NON VALID MODIFICATION

2.6 IF COMMAND = MOD, STUDENT NO, AND IF  
NOT STUDENT NO, IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 5

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2.7==VALID DELETION

2.7 IF COMMAND = DEL, STUDENT NO, PASSWORD AND IF  
STUDENT NO, IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
PASSWORD IS VALID AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-27> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 2

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2.8==NON VALID DELETION

2.8 IF COMMAND = DEL, STUDENT NO, PASSWORD AND IF  
NOT STUDENT NO, IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
A11-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 0

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2.9==UNAUTHORIZED USER

2.9 IF COMMAND = DEL, STUDENT NO, PASSWORD AND IF  
STUDENT NO, IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE AND IF  
NOT PASSWORD IS VALID AND IF  
MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
A11-17> END UPDATING SESSION  
A11-20> CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE  
A11-21> CLOSE CLASS MASTER FILE  
A11-22> CLOSE COURSE MASTER FILE  
A11-23> CLOSE ADS-CARD FILE  
A11-19> LOG OFF -ILLEGAL USER AT THE TERMINAL-

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 6

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2.10==END COMMAND WITH LISTING

2.10 IF COMMAND = FIN AND IF  
NOT MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
2.10A A11-27> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

--THEN GO TO CLUSTER -> 6

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2.11==END COMMAND WITH NO LISTING

2.11 IF COMMAND = FIN, LIST AND IF  
NOT MORE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE  
2.11A A11-27> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

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3.== RECORD CREATION  
 3.1==RECORD CREATION  
 3.1P NO CONDITIONS

ALL-10> CLEAR ALL BUFFERS  
 ALL-12> CREATE EMPTY RECORD/IN STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 ALL-14> PERFORM RECORD MODIFICATION, CALL #STRECHOD ROUTINE  
 ALL-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
 ALL-26> ENTER COMMAND

4.== RECORD MODIFICATION  
 4.1==MODIFY EXISTING RECORD  
 4.1P NO CONDITIONS

ALL-10> CLEAR ALL BUFFERS  
 ALL-13> GET STUDENT RECORD INTO BUFFER  
 ALL-14> PERFORM RECORD MODIFICATION, CALL #STRECHOD ROUTINE  
 ALL-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
 ALL-26> ENTER COMMAND

5.== RECORD DELETION  
 5.1==DELETE VALID RECORD  
 5.1P NO CONDITIONS

ALL-10> CLEAR ALL BUFFERS  
 ALL-13> GET STUDENT RECORD INTO BUFFER  
 ALL-15> PERFORM RECORD DELETION, CALL #STRECEL ROUTINE  
 ALL-25> REQUEST COMMAND FROM USER  
 ALL-26> ENTER COMMAND

6.== TERMINATION OF THE UPDATING SESSION  
 6.1==TERMINATE WITH LISTING  
 6.1 IF COMMAND = FIN

ALL-17> END UPDATING SESSION  
 ALL-18> PRINT ALL MODIFIED CLASS LIST  
 ALL-20> CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 ALL-21> CLOSE CLASS MASTER FILE  
 ALL-22> CLOSE COURSE MASTER FILE  
 ALL-23> CLOSE ABS-CARD FILE  
 ALL-24> BACK UP ALL DATA-BASE FILES

6.2==TERMINATE WITHOUT LISTING  
 6.2 IF COMMAND = FIN+NO LIST

ALL-17> END UPDATING SESSION  
 ALL-20> CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE  
 ALL-21> CLOSE CLASS MASTER FILE  
 ALL-22> CLOSE COURSE MASTER FILE  
 ALL-23> CLOSE ABS-CARD FILE  
 ALL-24> BACK UP ALL DATA-BASE FILES

==> < 2 >

= --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

==> < 2 >

= --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

==> < 2 >

= --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

==> < 0, 0 >

= --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

= --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

4. ABL-TRANSFORM STUPDATE;

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SYSTALL ACTION(11) = A11> = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE (# STUPDATE)

#STUPDATE IS ONE OF THE THREE COMPONENTS OF THE UPDATE SUBSYSTEM (# UPS ).  
IT IS THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATE PROGRAM OPERATED BY THE USER  
IN INTERACTIVE MODE ON THE TERMINAL OF THE COMPUTER CENTER IN THE SCHOOL.  
IN ORDER TO UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE, A SUITABLE EASY TO LEARN  
LANGUAGE WAS DESIGNED THAT HELPS THE NATIVE USER TO MODIFY THE STUDENT  
RECORDS. THE MAIN FUNCTION OF THIS PROGRAM IS TO PERMIT RECORD CREATION  
AND DELETION AS WELL AS MODIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED FIELDS WITHIN EACH  
STUDENT RECORD. IT ALSO PERFORMS SOME DATA VERIFICATIONS BEFORE EDITED  
DATA IS PERMITTED ENTRY INTO THE DATA-BASE. THIS APLS SUBSYSTEM COMPONENT  
FUNCTIONS IN A MANNER THAT WHEN CERTAIN DATA ARE ENTERED THROUGH THIS  
PROGRAM THE OTHER DATA-BASE FILES (I.E., THE COURSE MASTER FILE,  
THE CLASS MASTER FILE AND THE #ABS-CARD FILE ) ARE ALL UPDATED  
AUTOMATICALLY.

THE LOGICAL DESCRIPTION OF SYSTALL A11> IS 3-LEVELS DEEP

SYSTALL A11> = #STUPDATE WITH 27 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11->(1.1,27)  
= IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING  
AT A11-14 #STRECDND  
AT A11-15 #STRECDREL

SYSTALL A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION  
= #STRECDND WITH 16 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14->(1.1,16)  
= IT CALLS IN 2 SUB-ROUTINES WHILE EXECUTING  
AT A11-14-5 #STRECDNMPER  
AT A11-14-6 #STRECDNOCR

SYSTALL A11-14-5> = STUDENT RECORD PERSONAL ITEMS  
MODIFICATION ROUTINE  
= #STRECDNMPER WITH 7 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14-5->(1.1,7)

SYSTALL A11-14-6> = STUDENT RECORD COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE  
= #STRECDNOCR WITH 14 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-14-6->(1.1,14)

SYSTALL A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE  
= #STRECDREL WITH 6 ACTIONS  
= SYSTALL A11-15->(1.1,6)

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 (ALTERNATIVES)

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C1 . . . . . 0
C2 . . . . . 0
C3 . . . . . 0
C4 . . . . . 0
C5 . . . . . 0
C6 . . . . . 0

P1 . . . . . 0
P2 . . . . . 0
P3 . . . . . 0
P4 . . . . . 0
P5 . . . . . 0
P6 . . . . . 0
P7 . . . . . 0
P8 . . . . . 0
P9 . . . . . 0
P10 . . . . . 0
P11 . . . . . 0
P12 . . . . . 0

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CLUSTERS -  
 === START THE UPDATING SESSION  
 === UPDATING FUNCTION SELECTION  
 === RECORD CREATION  
 === RECORD MODIFICATION  
 === RECORD DELETION  
 === TERMINATION OF THE UPDATING SESSION

PREDICATES -  
 COMMAND = CALL NONE/TUB  
 COMMAND = NONE, BRIEF  
 COMMAND = MOD, STUDENT, NO.  
 COMMAND = DEL, STUDENT, NO., PASSWORD  
 COMMAND = CRE, STUDENT, NO.  
 COMMAND = FIN  
 COMMAND = FIN, NO LIST  
 COMMAND = ILLERNA, COMMAND  
 STUDENT, NO. IS VALID STUDENT ON FILE  
 PASSWORD IS VALID  
 OUTPUT SUPPRESSING FLAG IS UP  
 NONE STUDENT RECORD TO UPDATE

ACTIONS -

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A1 . . . . . 1
A2 . . . . . 1
A3 . . . . . 1
A4 . . . . . 1
A5 . . . . . 1
A6 . . . . . 1
A7 . . . . . 1
A8 . . . . . 1
A9 . . . . . 1
A10 . . . . . 1
A11 . . . . . 1
A12 . . . . . 2
A13 . . . . . 3
A14 . . . . . 3
A15 . . . . . 3
A16 . . . . . 3
A17 . . . . . 1
A18 . . . . . 2
A19 . . . . . 7
A20 . . . . . 3
A21 . . . . . 4
A22 . . . . . 5
A23 . . . . . 6
A24 . . . . . 6
A25 . . . . . 7
A26 . . . . . 4
A27 . . . . . 5

A11-1> ATTACH COMPILED INTERACTIVE PROGRAM
A11-2> ATTACH COURSE MASTER FILE
A11-3> ATTACH CLASS MASTER FILE
A11-4> ATTACH STUDENT MASTER FILE
A11-5> ATTACH MAG-CARD FILE
A11-6> OPEN CLASS MASTER FILE
A11-7> OPEN COURSE MASTER FILE
A11-8> OPEN STUDENT MASTER FILE
A11-9> OPEN MAGS-CARD FILE
A11-10> CLEAR ALL BUFFERS
A11-11> SET UP FLAG TO SUPPRESS VERIFICATION MESSAGES
A11-12> CREATE EMPTY RECORD IN STUDENT MASTER FILE
A11-13> REINSTATEMENT RECORD INTO MASTER
A11-14> PERFORM RECORD MODIFICATION, CALL $STRECDM ROUTINE
A11-15> PERFORM RECORD DELETION, CALL $STRECDL ROUTINE
A11-16> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE
A11-17> END UPDATING SESSION
A11-18> PRINT ALL MODIFIED CLASS LIST
A11-19> LOG OFF - ILLERNA USER AT THE TERMINAL -
A11-20> CLOSE STUDENT MASTER FILE
A11-21> CLOSE CLASS MASTER FILE
A11-22> CLOSE COURSE MASTER FILE
A11-23> CLOSE MAG-CARD FILE
A11-24> BACK UP ALL DATA-BASE FILES
A11-25> REINSTATEMENT COMMAND FROM USER
A11-26> ENTER COMMAND
A11-27> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

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5. ABL-ROUTINE STRECHOD;

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*****
SYSTEM ACTION(11-14) = A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION ROUTINE
                      = #STRECHOD ROUTINE WITH 16 ACTIONS
                      = SYSTALL A11-14>-(1.,.16)

THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM (#STUPDATE)
IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATIONS.

THIS ROUTINE'S LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
  AT SYSTALL A(11-14-5) = CALLS #STRECHODPER ROUTINE
                      = STUDENT RECORD'S PERSONAL ITEMS
                      MODIFICATION ROUTINE
  AT SYSTALL A(11-14-6) = CALLS #STRECHODCR ROUTINE
                      = STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE
  AT THE END RETURN TO #STUPDATE
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- 1.== ENTER #STRECHOD ROUTINE < 2 >
- 1.1==ENTER #STRECHOD ROUTINE
- 2.== FIELD CONTENT VERIFICATION < 2, 2, 3 >
- 2.1==DISPLAY PERSONAL ITEMS
- 2.2==DISPLAY STUDENTS REGISTERED COURSES
- 2.3==NEXT CLUSTER, NO ACTION < 3, 3, 3, 3, 4 >
- 3.== FIELD EDITING
- 3.1==PERFORM PERSONAL CHANGES
- 3.2==PERFORM COURSE CHANGE
- 3.3==PERFORM SHORT PERSONAL CHANGE
- 3.4==PERFORM SHORT COURSE CHANGE
- 3.5==NEXT CLUSTER NO ACTION
- 4.== FINALIZATION OF ENTERED CHANGES
- 4.1==FINALIZATION
- 4.2==TOTAL ERROR RECOVERY
- 4.3==LOOP BACK

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*****
SYSTEM ACTION(11-14) = A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION ROUTINE
                    = #STRECHND ROUTINE WITH 16 ACTIONS
                    = SYSTEM A11-14>-(1..16)

THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM (#STUPMATE)
IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATIONS.

THIS ROUTINE'S LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
AT SYSTEM A(11-14-5) = CALLS #STRECHNDR ROUTINE
                    = STUDENT RECORD'S PERSONAL ITEMS
                    MODIFICATION ROUTINE

AT SYSTEM A(11-14-6) = CALLS #STRECHNDR ROUTINE
                    = STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE
AT THE END RETURN TO #STUPMATE
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1.== ENTER #STRECHND ROUTINE
    ==
    1.1==ENTER #STRECHND ROUTINE
        1.1P NO CONDITIONS
    ==
    2.== FIELD CONTENT VERIFICATION
    ==
    2.1==DISPLAY PERSONAL ITEMS
        2.1 IF DISPLAY STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS
    ==
    2.2==DISPLAY STUDENT'S REGISTERED COURSES
        2.2 IF DISPLAY STUDENT'S REGISTERED COURSES
    ==
    2.3==NEXT CLUSTER, NO ACTION
        2.3 IF NOT, DISPLAY STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF
            NOT DISPLAY STUDENT'S REGISTERED COURSES
    ==
    3.== FIELD EDITING
    ==
    3.1==PERFORM PERSONAL CHANGES
        3.1 IF CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS
    ==
    3.2==PERFORM COURSE CHANGE
        3.2 IF CHANGE IS ON COURSES
    ==
    3.3==PERFORM SHORT PERSONAL CHANGE
        3.3 IF CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF
            VERIFYING MESSAGES ARE SUPPRESSED
    ==
    3.4==PERFORM SHORT COURSE CHANGE
        3.4 IF CHANGE IS ON COURSES AND IF
            VERIFYING MESSAGES ARE SUPPRESSED
    ==
    3.5==NEXT CLUSTER NO ACTION
        3.5 IF NOT CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF
            NOT CHANGE IS ON COURSES
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4.== FINALISATION OF ENTERED CHANGES

< 0: 0: 2 >

4.1==FINALIZATION

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

4.1 IF NOT MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD AND IF  
MAKE ENTERED MODIFICATIONS PERMANENT

4.2==TOTAL ERROR RECOVERY

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

4.2 IF NOT MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD AND IF  
NOT MAKE ENTERED MODIFICATIONS PERMANENT

4.3==LOOP BACK

--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

4.3 IF MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD

5. ABL-ROUTINE STRECHOD;

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*****
*   SYSTALL ACTION(11-14) = A11-14> = STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATION ROUTINE
*   = $STRECHOD ROUTINE WITH 16 ACTIONS
*   = SYSTALL A11-14>(1,16)
*
* THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM ($STUPDATE)
* IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
* STUDENT RECORD MODIFICATIONS.
*
* THIS ROUTINE'S LOGICAL DESCRIPTION IS 2 LEVELS DEEP
* AT SYSTALL A(11-14-5) = CALLS $STRECHOD PER ROUTINE
*   = STUDENT RECORD'S PERSONAL ITEMS
*   MODIFICATION ROUTINE
*
* AT SYSTALL A(11-14-6) = CALLS $STRECHOD COURSE
*   = STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE CHANGE ROUTINE
* AT THE END RETURN TO $STUPDATE
*****

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1.== ENTER $STRECHOD ROUTINE < 2 >
1.1==ENTER $STRECHOD ROUTINE
1.1P NO CONDITIONS == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2

2.== FIELD CONTENT VERIFICATION < 2, 2, 3 >
2.1==DISPLAY PERSONAL ITEMS == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2
2.1 IF DISPLAY STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS
A11-14-1> ENTER COMMAND = PERSONAL
A11-14-2> DISPLAY ALL PERSONAL ITEMS
A11-14-1S> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

2.2==DISPLAY STUDENTS REGISTERED COURSES == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 2
2.2 IF DISPLAY STUDENTS REGISTERED COURSES
A11-14-3> ENTER COMMAND = COURSE
A11-14-4> DISPLAY ALL REGISTERED COURSES
A11-14-1S> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

2.3==NEXT CLUSTER, NO ACTION == --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3
2.3 IF NOT DISPLAY STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF
NOT DISPLAY STUDENTS REGISTERED COURSES
A11-14-1S> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

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3.== FIELD EDITING

==4 < 3, 3, 3, 3, 4 >

3.1==PERFORM PERSONAL CHANGES  
3.1 IF CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS

ALL-14-2> DISPLAY ALL PERSONAL ITEMS  
ALL-14-3> PERFORM PERSONAL ITEM CHANGE - CALL #STRECHDUMPER-  
ALL-14-15> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.2==PERFORM COURSE CHANGE  
3.2 IF CHANGE IS ON COURSES

ALL-14-6> PERFORM COURSE CHANGE -CALL #STRECHDUMOR-  
ALL-14-4> DISPLAY ALL REGISTERED COURSES  
ALL-14-15> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.3==PERFORM SHORT PERSONAL CHANGE  
3.3 IF CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF VERIFYING MESSAGES ARE SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-5> PERFORM PERSONAL ITEM CHANGE - CALL #STRECHDUMPER-  
ALL-14-15> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.4==PERFORM SHORT COURSE CHANGE  
3.4 IF CHANGE IS ON COURSES AND IF VERIFYING MESSAGES ARE SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-6> PERFORM COURSE CHANGE -CALL #STRECHDUMOR-  
ALL-14-15> REQUEST COMMAND FROM THE USER

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 3

3.5==NEXT CLUSTER NO ACTION  
3.5 IF NOT CHANGE IS ON PERSONAL ITEMS AND IF NOT CHANGE IS ON COURSES

ALL-14-16> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

== --THEN GO TO CLUSTER-> 4

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4.== FINALISATION OF ENTERED CHANGES < 0, 0, 2 >

4.1==FINALIZATION == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

- 4.1 IF NOT MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD AND IF MAKE ENTERED MODIFICATIONS PERMANENT
- ALL-14-7> ENTER COMMAND = COMPLETE
- ALL-14-8> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE RECORDS
- ALL-14-9> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE RECORDS
- ALL-14-10> APPEND NEW LINES TO MARS-CARD FILE
- ALL-14-11> REWRITE STUDENT RECORD FROM BUFFER TO STUDENT MASTER FILE

4.2==TOTAL ERROR RECOVERY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

- 4.2 IF NOT MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD AND IF NOT MAKE ENTERED MODIFICATIONS PERMANENT
- ALL-14-12> ENTER COMMAND = QUIT
- ALL-14-13> DISREGARD ALL CHANGES TO THE RECORD
- ALL-14-14> CLEAR RECORD FROM BUFFER

4.3==LOOP BACK == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

- 4.3 IF MORE MODIFICATIONS OR DISPLAY ON THIS RECORD
- ALL-14-16> NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER





7. ANL-ROUTINE STRECHROPER

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*****
*          SYSTEM A(11-14-5) = PERFORM PERSONAL ITEM CHANGE
*          ON THE STUDENT RECORD
*          = STRECHROPER WITH 7 ACTIONS
*          = STALL A11-14-5-(1..7)
*
* THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY $STRCOND WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERED COMMANDS
* TO PERFORM MODIFICATIONS IN THE STUDENT RECORD'S PERSONAL AREA.
* THIS IS DONE ITEM BY ITEM IN INTERACTIVE MODE.
*
*          AT THE END RETURN TO $STRCOND
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- 1.== ENTER \$STRCOND ==>
  - 1.1==ENTER ROUTINE \$STRCOND  
1.1P NO CONDITIONS < 2 >  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 2.== ITEM SELECTION ==>
  - 2.1==FIELDS ARE EMPTY < 3, 3 >  
2.1 IF NEWLY CREATED RECORD IN BUFFER  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
  - 2.2==SELECT FIELDS TO BE EDITED  
2.2 IF OLD RECORD IN BUFFER  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
  - 3.== DATA ENTERING ==>
    - 3.1==ENTER AND VERIFY SELECTIVE DATA < 0, 0, 0, 0 >  
3.1 IF ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO. AND IF  
NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGE IS SUPPRESSED  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    - 3.2==ERROR - ITEM OUT OF RANGE -  
3.2 IF NOT ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO.  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    - 3.3==ENTER SELECTIVE DATA  
3.3 IF ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO. AND IF  
VERIFICATION MESSAGE IS SUPPRESSED  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    - 3.4==ENTER ALL DATA ITEMS  
3.4 IF NEWLY CREATED RECORD IN BUFFER  
--THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

7. ABL-ROUTINE STRECHOPFER;

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*****
SYSTEM A(11-14-5). = PERFORM PERSONAL ITEM CHANGE
ON THE STUMENT RECORD
= #STRECHOPFER WITH 7-ACTIONS
= SYSTEM ALL-14-5-(1,1,7)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #STRECHOP WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERED COMMANDS
TO PERFORM MODIFICATIONS IN THE STUMENT RECORD'S PERSONAL AREA.
THIS IS DONE ITER BY ITER IN INTERACTIVE MODE.

AT THE END RETURN TO #STRECHOP
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1.== ENTER #STRECHOPFER ==> < 2 >
1.1==ENTER ROUTINE #STRECHOPFER
1.1P NO CONDITIONS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER->2

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2.== ITEM SELECTION ==> < 3, 3 >
ALL-14-5-7> NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER
2.1==FIELDS ARE EMPTY == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
2.1 IF NEWLY CREATED RECORD IN BUFFER
ALL-14-5-7> NO ACTION; NEXT CLUSTER

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2.2==SELECT FIELDS TO BE EDITED == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
2.2 IF OLD RECORD IN BUFFER
ALL-14-5-2> ENTER COMMAND = CORRECT,ITNO,,ITNO,,.....ITNO.
ALL-14-5-3> CHECK SYNTAX OF COMMAND LINE
3.== DATA ENTERING ==> < 0, 0, 0, 0 >
3.1==ENTER AND VERIFY SELECTIVE DATA == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3.1 IF ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO. AND IF
NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGE IS SUPPRESSED
ALL-14-5-4> ENTER DATA FOR ITEMS ITNO., ITNO., .....ITNO.
ALL-14-5-5> DISPLAY ALL PERSONAL ITEMS

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3.2==ERROR - ITEM OUT OF RANGE - == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3.2 IF NOT ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO.
ALL-14-5-6> WRITE ERROR MESSAGE
3.3==ENTER SELECTIVE DATA == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3.3 IF ITNO. = VALID ITEM NO. AND IF
VERIFICATION MESSAGE IS SUPPRESSED
ALL-14-5-4> ENTER DATA FOR ITEMS ITNO., ITNO., .....ITNO.

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3.4==ENTER ALL DATA ITEMS == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
3.4 IF NEWLY CREATED RECORD IN BUFFER
ALL-14-5-1> ENTER DATA FOR ALL PERSONAL ITEMS FROM 1 TO 17
ALL-14-5-5> DISPLAY ALL PERSONAL ITEMS

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SYSTALL A(11-14-6) = PERTAIN COURSE CHANGES ON THE STUDENT RECORD  
 = STRECHNOCK WITH 14 ACTIONS  
 = SYSTALL A11-14-6-(1..14)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY STRECHNOCK WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERS COMMANDS TO  
 MODIFY THE STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS  
 COMPUTER ASSISTED VERIFICATIONS AND COURSE CHANGES REFLECTING THE STUDENT'S  
 REGISTRATION IN COURSES AND THE DATA IN THE COURSE MASTER FILE.  
 IT ALSO MODIFIES AUTOMATICALLY THE COURSE MASTER FILE AND THE CLASS  
 MASTER FILE AND THE ANS-CARD FILE EACH TIME THERE IS A VALIDATED EDIT  
 TO THE STUDENT'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. IN THIS WAY THE MASTER  
 FILES ARE ALWAYS CONSISTENT.

AT THE END RETURN TO STRECHNOCK

- 1.=== ENTER STRECHNOCK < 2 >
- 1.1==ENTER ROUTINE == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 2.=== ACTION EVALUATION COMMAND VALIDITY < 0, 3, 3, 2 >
- 2.1==NO MORE MODIFICATION, RETURN == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
- 2.2==ADD COURSE COMMAND LINE == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
- 2.3==DROP COURSE COMMAND LINE == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
- 2.4==ERROR -INVALID COMMAND LINE- == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 3.=== ACTION EVALUATION ON COURSE VALIDITY < 2, 2, 4, 4, 2 >
- 3.1==ERROR -NON EXISTANT COURSE NO.- == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 3.2==ERROR -STUDENT ALREADY REGISTERED IN COURSE- == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 3.3==ERROR -NO MORE ROOM IN CLASS- == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
- 3.4==ERROR -COURSE REQUEST HAS TIME CONFLICT WITH OTHERS == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
- 3.5==ERROR -STUDENT IS NOT REGISTERED IN THIS COURSE- == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
- 4.=== ERROR OVERRIDE < 5, 2 >
- 4.1==ERROR OVERRIDE == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 5
- 4.2==NOT OVERRIDE ERROR == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

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5.== AUTHORIZED COURSE MODIFICATION

5.1==AND COURSES REQUESTED TO THE STUDENT RECORD

5.2==AND COURSES REQUESTED TO THE \$STUD.REC. AND VERIFY

5.3==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE \$STUD.REC.

5.4==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE \$STUD.REC. AND VERIFY  
6.== FINALIZATION OR ERROR RECOVERY

6.1==END OF COURSE MODIFICATIONS

6.2==FATAL ERROR RECOVERY

==< 6, 6, 6, 6 >

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6  
==< 2, 2 >

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

== --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2



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SYSTALL A(11-14-6) = PERFORM COURSE CHANGES ON THE STUDENT RECORD
                   = #STRECHNOCK WITH 14 ACTIONS
                   = SYSTALL A(11-14-6)-(1,,14)

THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #STRECHNO WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERS COMMANDS TO
MODIFY THE STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS
COMPUTER ASSISTED VERIFICATIONS AND COURSE CHANGES REFLECTING THE STUDENT'S
REGISTRATION IN COURSES AND THE DATA IN THE COURSE MASTER FILE.
IT ALSO IDENTIFIES AUTOMATICALLY THE COURSE MASTER FILE AND THE CLASS
MASTER FILE AND THE MAG-CARD FILE EACH TIME THERE IS A VALIDATED EDIT
TO THE STUDENT'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. IN THIS WAY THE MASTER
FILES ARE ALWAYS CONSISTENT.

      AT THE END RETURN TO #STRECHNO
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1.== ENTER STRECHNOCK                                ==< < 2 >
  1.1==ENTER ROUTINE                                ==
      1.1P NO CONDITIONS                            == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
  2.== ACTION EVALUATION ON COURSE VALIDITY          ==< 0, 3, 3, 2 >
  2.1--NO MORE MODIFICATION, RETURN                 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
      2.1 IF NOT COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
      NOT COURSE TO BE DROPPED
  2.2--ADD COURSE COMMAND LINE                       == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
      2.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
      VALID COMMAND
  2.3--DROP COURSE COMMAND LINE                      == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 3
      2.3 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF
      VALID COMMAND
  2.4--ERROR -INVALID COMMAND LINE-                 == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
      2.4 IF NOT VALID COMMAND
  3.== ACTION EVALUATION ON COURSE VALIDITY          ==< 2, 2, 4, 2 >
  3.1--ERROR -NON EXISTANT COURSE NO.-              == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
      3.1 IF NOT COURSE (CMDG.) IS IN COURSE MASTER FILE
  3.2--ERROR -STUDENT ALREADY REGISTERED IN COURSE- == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
      3.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
      STUDENT IS REGISTERED IN COURSE (CMDG.)
  3.3--ERROR -NO MORE ROOM IN CLASS-                == --THEN-60-TO-CLUSTER-> 4
      3.3 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
      NOT PLACE LEFT IN CLASS FOR NEW REGISTRATION

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3.4==ERROR -COURSE REQUEST WAS TIME CONFLICT WITH OTHERS
      3.4 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF COURSE SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH OTHER ALREADY REGISTERED COURSES
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 4

3.5==ERROR -STUDENT IS NOT REGISTERED IN THIS COURSE-
      3.5 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF NOT STUDENT IS REGISTERED IN COURSE (CRNO.)
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
      ==$ < 5, 2 >

4.== ERROR OVERRIDE
      4.1==ERROR OVERRIDE
      4.1 IF OVERRIDE ERROR
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 5

      4.2==NOT OVERRIDE ERROR
      4.2 IF NOT OVERRIDE ERROR
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
      ==$ < 6, 6, 6, 6 >

5.== AUTHORIZED COURSE MODIFICATION
      5.1==ADD COURSES REQUESTED TO THE STUDENT RECORD
      5.1 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

      5.2==ADD COURSES REQUESTED TO THE $STUD.REC. AND VERIFY
      5.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

      5.3==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE $STUD.REC.
      5.3 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

      5.4==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE $STUD.REC. AND VERIFY
      5.4 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED
      ==$ < 2, 2 >
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

6.=== FIMLIZATION OR ERROR RECOVERY
      6.1==END OF COURSE MODIFICATIONS
      6.1 IF NOT FATAL ERROR INTRODUCED IN STUD.RECORD
      == --THEN-00-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

      6.2==FATAL ERROR RECOVERY
      6.2 IF FATAL ERROR INTRODUCED IN STUD.RECORD

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8. APL-ROUTINE STRECHCKR:

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*****
SYSTALL A(11-14-6) = PERFORM COURSE CHANGES ON THE STUDENT RECORD
                  = #STRECHCKR WITH LA ACTIONS
                  = SYSTALL A(11-14-6)(1..14)
*****
THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #STRECHCKR WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERS COMMANDS TO
MODIFY THE STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS
COMPUTER ASSISTED VERIFICATIONS AND COURSE CHANGES REFLECTING THE STUDENT'S
REGISTRATION IN COURSES AND THE DATA IN THE COURSE MASTER FILE.
IT ALSO MODIFIES AUTOMATICALLY THE COURSE MASTER FILE AND THE CLASS
MASTER FILE AND THE MARS-CARD FILE EACH TIME THERE IS A VALIDATED EDIT
TO THE STUDENT'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. IN THIS WAY THE MASTER
FILES ARE ALWAYS CONSISTENT.
*****
AT THE END RETURN TO #STRECHCKR
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1.=== ENTER STRECHCKR < < 2 >
1.1==ENTER ROUTINE
1.1P NO CONDITIONS
A(11-14-6-14) NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER
== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

2.== ACTION EVALUATION ON COMMAND VALIDITY
2.1==NO MORE MODIFICATION, RETURN
2.1 IF NOT COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
NOT COURSE TO BE DROPPED
A(11-14-6-14) NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER
== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

2.2==ADD COURSE COMMAND LINE
2.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF
VALID COMMAND
A(11-14-6-1) ENTER COMMAND = ADD,CMD,,CMD,, .....CMD
A(11-14-6-4) CHECK SYNTAX OF COMMAND LINE
== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3

2.3==DROP COURSE COMMAND LINE
2.3 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF
VALID COMMAND
A(11-14-6-2) ENTER COMMAND = DROP,CMD,,CMD,, .....CMD
A(11-14-6-4) CHECK SYNTAX OF COMMAND LINE
== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 3

2.4==ERROR -INVALID COMMAND LINE-
2.4 IF NOT VALID COMMAND
A(11-14-6-3) ENTER COMMAND = ELSE
A(11-14-6-4) CHECK SYNTAX OF COMMAND LINE
A(11-14-6-11) WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE
== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

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3.== ACTION EVALUATION ON COURSE VALIDITY

3.1==ERROR -NON EXISTANT COURSE NO.  
3.1 IF NOT COURSE (CMBG.) IS IN COURSE MASTER FILE  
ALL-14-6-11> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE

3.2==ERROR -STUDENT ALREADY REGISTERED IN COURSE-  
3.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF  
STUDENT IS REGISTERED IN COURSE (CMBG.)  
ALL-14-6-11> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE

3.3==ERROR -NO MORE ROOM IN CLASS-  
3.3 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF  
NOT PLACE LEFT IN CLASS FOR NEW REGISTRATION  
ALL-14-6-11> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
ALL-14-6-10> REQUEST OPERATOR WHETHER TO OVERRIDE ERROR

3.4==ERROR -COURSE REQUEST HAS TIME CONFLICT WITH OTHERS  
3.4 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF  
COURSE SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH OTHER ALREADY REGISTERED COURSES  
ALL-14-6-11> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE  
ALL-14-6-10> REQUEST OPERATOR WHETHER TO OVERRIDE ERROR

3.5==ERROR -STUDENT IS NOT REGISTERED IN THIS COURSE-  
3.5 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF  
NOT STUDENT IS REGISTERED IN COURSE (CMBG.)  
ALL-14-6-11> WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE

4.== ERROR OVERRIDE  
4.1==ERROR OVERRIDE  
4.1 IF OVERRIDE ERROR  
ALL-14-6-0> ENTER COMMAND = 60

4.2==BOMT OVERRIDE ERROR  
4.2 IF NOT OVERRIDE ERROR  
ALL-14-6-7> ENTER COMMAND = N080

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5.== AUTHORIZED COURSE MODIFICATION

5.1==ADD COURSES REQUESTED TO THE STUDENT RECORD

5.1 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF

VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-6-5> ADD COURSES (CMDG.) TO #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER

5.2==ADD COURSES REQUESTED TO THE #STUD.REC. AND VERIFY

5.2 IF COURSE TO BE ADDED AND IF

NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-6-5> ADD COURSES (CMDG.) TO #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER

ALL-14-6-7> DISPLAY STUDENTS COURSES IN BUFFER

5.3==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE #STUD.REC.

5.3 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF

VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-6-6> DROP COURSES (CMDG.) FROM #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER

5.4==DROP COURSES REQUESTED FROM THE #STUD.REC. AND VERIFY

5.4 IF COURSE TO BE DROPPED AND IF

NOT VERIFICATION MESSAGES SUPPRESSED

ALL-14-6-6> DROP COURSES (CMDG.) FROM #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER

ALL-14-6-7> DISPLAY STUDENTS COURSES IN BUFFER

6.== FINALIZATION OR ERROR RECOVERY

6.1==END OF COURSE MODIFICATIONS

6.1 IF NOT FATAL ERROR INTRODUCED IN #STUD.RECORD

ALL-14-6-14> NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

6.2==FATAL ERROR RECOVERY

6.2 IF FATAL ERROR INTRODUCED IN #STUD.RECORD

ALL-14-6-12> ENTER COMMAND = CLEAR

ALL-14-6-13> RESTORE #STUD.REC.COURSE CONTENT TO ITS ORIGINAL VALUES

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== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 6

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== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

== --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2

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8. ABL-TRANSFORM STRECHODCR;

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*****
** SYSTEM A(11-14-6) = PERFORM COURSE CHANGES ON THE STUDENT RECORD
** = #STRECHODCR WITH 14 ACTIONS
** = SYSTALL A11-14-6-(1..14)
**
** THIS ROUTINE IS CALLED BY #STRECHOD WHEN THE OPERATOR ENTERS COMMANDS TO
** MODIFY THE STUDENT RECORD'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. THIS ROUTINE PERFORMS
** COMPUTER ASSISTED VERIFICATIONS AND COURSE CHANGES REFLECTING THE STUDENT'S
** REGISTRATION IN COURSES AND THE DATA IN THE COURSE MASTER FILE.
** IT ALSO MODIFIES AUTOMATICALLY THE COURSE MASTER FILE AND THE CLASS
** MASTER FILE AND THE MARS-CARD FILE EACH TIME THERE IS A VALIDATED EDIT
** TO THE STUDENT'S COURSE REGISTRATION AREA. IN THIS WAY THE MASTER
** FILES ARE ALWAYS CONSISTENT.
**
** AT THE END RETURN TO #STRECHOD
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CLUSTERS -

- == ENTER STRECHODCR
- == ACTION EVALUATION ON COMMAND VALIDITY
- == ACTION EVALUATION ON COURSE VALIDITY
- == ERROR OVERRIDE
- == AUTHORIZED COURSE MODIFICATION
- == FINALIZATION OR ERROR RECOVERY

PREDICATES -

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P3	.	N	Y	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Y	Y	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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- ACTIONS -
- ENTER COMMAND = ADD,CRNO,CRNO,.....CRNO
- ENTER COMMAND = DROP,CRNO,CRNO,.....CRNO
- ENTER COMMAND = ELSE
- CHECK SYNTAX OF COMMAND LINE
- ADD COURSES (CRNO,) TO #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER
- DROP COURSES (CRNO,) FROM #STUD.REC. IN BUFFER
- DISPLAY STUDENT'S COURSES IN BUFFER
- ENTER COMMAND = GO
- ENTER COMMAND = NOGO
- REQUEST OPERATOR WHETHER TO OVERRIDE ERROR
- WRITE APPROPRIATE ERROR MESSAGE
- ENTER COMMAND = CLEAR
- RESTORE #STUD.REC. COURSE CONTENT TO ITS ORIGINAL VALUES
- NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER

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6. ANL-ROUTINE STRECHDEL;

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*****
SYSTEM ACTION(11-15) = A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE
= STRECHDEL WITH 6 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A11-15>-(1.6)

THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM (#STUPDATE)
IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
A STUDENT RECORD DELETION FROM THE DATA-BASE MASTER FILES.

    AT THE END RETURN TO #STUPDATE
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1.== ENTER #STRECHDEL ROUTINE ==> < 2 >
1.1==VERIFY STUDENT TO BE DELETED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
2.== DELETION ==> < 070 >
2.1==VERIFIED DELETION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.2==DELETION RECOVERY == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0

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6. AML-ROUTINE STRECEDEL;

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*****
SYSTALL ACTION(11-15) = A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE
= #STRECEDEL WITH 6 ACTIONS
= SYSTALL A11-15>-(1..6)

THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE-UPDATER PROGRAM (#STUPDATE)
IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
A STUDENT RECORD DELETION FROM THE DATA-BASE MASTER FILES.

AT THE END RETURN TO #STUPDATE
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1.== ENTER #STRECEDEL ROUTINE ==> < 2 >
1.1==VERIFY STUDENT TO BE DELETED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
1.1P NO CONDITIONS < 0, 0 >
2.== DELETION ==>
2.1==VERIFIED DELETION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.1 IF DISPLAYED STUDENT IS REALLY TO BE DELETED
2.2==DELETION RECOVERY == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
2.2 IF NOT DISPLAYED STUDENT IS REALLY TO BE DELETED

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*****
SYSTALL ACTION(11-15) = A11-15> = STUDENT RECORD DELETION ROUTINE
                        = #STRECEDEL WITH 6 ACTIONS
                        = SYSTALL A11-15>-(1..6)

THIS ROUTINE IS PART OF THE STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM (#STUPDATE)
IT IS CALLED BY THE PROGRAM WHEN THE OPERATOR GIVES A COMMAND TO PERFORM
A STUDENT RECORD DELETION FROM THE DATA-BASE MASTER FILES.

      AT THE END RETURN TO #STUPDATE
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1.== ENTER #STRECEDEL ROUTINE ==> < 2 >
1.1==VERIFY STUDENT TO BE DELETED == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 2
    1.1P NO CONDITIONS
    A11-15-1> DISPLAY STUDENT NAME AND ID.NO. FOR VERIFICATION
2.== DELETION ==> < 0, 0 >
2.1==VERIFIED DELETION == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    2.1 IF DISPLAYED STUDENT IS REALLY TO BE DELETED
    A11-15-2> ENTER COMMAND = YES
    A11-15-4> PUT DEACTIVATION FLAG IN STUDENT RECORD
    A11-15-5> DELETE STUDENT FROM EACH CLASS MASTER FILE RECORD HE IS REGISTERED
    A11-15-6> UPDATE ENROLLMENT STATISTICS ON RELATED COURSE MASTER FILE RECORDS
2.2==DELETION RECOVERY == --THEN-GO-TO-CLUSTER-> 0
    2.2 IF NOT DISPLAYED STUDENT IS REALLY TO BE DELETED
    A11-15-3> ENTER COMMAND = ELSE

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ANNEX II

INPUT TABLES USED IN THE  
PASCAL PROGRAM "CLOCKIN"  
TO GENERATE THE ABL TABLES  
"MODELING" AND "SYSTALL"  
IN ANNEX I

## PROCEDURE MODELING (ACTNBIINTEGER)

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CASE ACTNBI OF
-1 : WRITE(' PRODUCTION CYCLE PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 1-2 DAYS LONG ')
-2 : WRITE(' DATA COLLECTION PERIOD IS DEFINED AS 30-40 MINUTES LONG ')
-3 : WRITE(' INEXPENSIVE TERMINAL IS AVAILABLE ')
-4 : WRITE(' INEXPENSIVE DATA COMMUNICATION IS AVAILABLE ')
-5 : WRITE(' REMOTE TIME-SHARING COMPUTER IS AVAILABLE ')
-6 : WRITE(' ON-LINE SYSTEM ACCESS IS NEEDED ')
-7 : WRITE(' DISK-STORAGE IS AVAILABLE ')
-8 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE QUERY AND UPDATE IS NEEDED ')
-9 : WRITE(' SYSTEM USAGE IS STUDIED ')
-10 : WRITE(' SYSTEM OPERATING SPECIALIST IS AVAILABLE IN SCHOOL ')
-11 : WRITE(' SYSTEM OPERATING TASK HAS TO BE SHARED BY REGULAR STAFF ')
-12 : WRITE(' USER SYSTEM ACCESS ORGANIZATION IS DEFINED ')
-13 : WRITE(' CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY OF THE DATA-BASE IS DEFINED ')
-14 : WRITE(' SYSTEM MODULARIZATION IS DEFINED ')
-15 : WRITE(' HIGH DEGREE OF DATA-BASE ACCURACY IS NEEDED ')
-16 : WRITE(' HIGH VOLUME OF CHANGES OCCUR IN THE DATA-BASE ')
-17 : WRITE(' DATA-BASE CHANGES HAVE TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN 1-2 DAYS ')
-18 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #MF, IS NEEDED ')
-19 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE UPDATING LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #MF, IS NEEDED ')
-20 : WRITE(' CLASS MASTER FILE UPDATING CAN BE DONE AUTOMATICALLY ')
-21 : WRITE(' IMMEDIATE INFORMATION ACCESS IS NEEDED FOR DECISION MAKING ')
-22 : WRITE(' OUTPUT VOLUME IS SMALL ')
-23 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE COURSE #MF, IS NEEDED ')
-24 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT #MF, IS NEEDED ')
-25 : WRITE(' INTERACTIVE QUERY LANGUAGE FOR THE CLASS #MF, IS NEEDED ')
-26 : WRITE(' HIGH VOLUME OF TRUANCY TRANSACTION OCCUR (100-250 A LECTURE) ')
-27 : WRITE(' DATA GENERATION PERIOD IS 30-60 SECONDS ')
-28 : WRITE(' ERROR GENERATION POSSIBILITY IN TRANSACTION DATA IS MINIMAL ')
-29 : WRITE(' INEXPENSIVE OPTICAL MARK READER IS FOUND FOR THE TERMINAL ')
-30 : WRITE(' REGULAR #A1S OPERATOR IS AVAILABLE FROM STAFF ')
-31 : WRITE(' DATA TRANSMISSION IS MADE SOMETIMES ')
-32 : WRITE(' OUTPUT PRINTING ON THE TERMINAL SOMETIMES HAS TO WAIT ')
-33 : WRITE(' VARIABLE LENGTH OUTPUT IS NEEDED ')
-34 : WRITE(' DATA GENERATION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE TEACHERS ')
-35 : WRITE(' DATA COLLECTION PROCESS IS ACCEPTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION ')
-36 : WRITE(' DATA COLLECTION ROUTE IS ORGANIZED ')
-37 : WRITE(' DATA COLLECTION ERRORS ARE MINIMAL ')
-38 : WRITE(' EXTENSIVE TRANSACTION STORAGE AND ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED ')
-39 : WRITE(' PROCEDURE IS SIMPLE ')
-40 : WRITE(' PROCEDURE IS SHORT ')
-41 : WRITE(' OUTPUT CAN BE SPOOLED ')
-42 : WRITE(' PRINTING OF SPOOLED OUTPUT IS NOT MORE THAN 1-2 HOURS ')
-43 : WRITE(' DISTRIBUTION DELAY IS DEFINED AS 2 HOURS ')
-44 : WRITE(' OUTPUT VOLUME IS ADEQUATE TO DAILY USAGE ')
-45 : WRITE(' FALSE NEGATIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 10% RATE ')
-46 : WRITE(' FALSE POSITIVE ERROR RATE IS BELOW 0.1% RATE ')
-47 : WRITE(' PROVIDED INFORMATION CAN BE READILY USED IN DECISION MAKING ')
-48 : WRITE(' INFORMATION VALUE IS MAXIMUM OPERATIONAL VS. OVERALL DELAY ')
-49 : WRITE(' #VF IN CHARGE OF THE SYSTEM HAS ACCESS ')
-50 : WRITE(' REDUNDANT DATA IN THE DATA-BASE ARE AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED ')
-51 : WRITE(' RECORDS OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS ')
-52 : WRITE(' SECTOR #VP, OF THE SCHOOL HAS ACCESS ')
-53 : WRITE(' CLASS RELATED DATA CHANGED OR SOME #ABS-CARDS GOT LOST ')
-54 : WRITE(' DATA-BASE DATA IS UPDATED ')
-55 : WRITE(' CARD PUNCHING AND INTERPRETING IS AVAILABLE ')
-56 : WRITE(' OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT SCHOOL MANAGEMENT ')
-57 : WRITE(' TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS ')
-58 : WRITE(' STUDENTS AND PARENTS HAVE INDIRECT ACCESS ')
-59 : WRITE(' OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT STUDENT AND PARENT COUNSELLING ')
-60 : WRITE(' OBJECTIVE IS AN EFFICIENT CLASS MANAGEMENT ')
-61 : WRITE(' COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED ')
-62 : WRITE(' STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED ')
-63 : WRITE(' CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED ')
-64 : WRITE(' ALL SUBFUNCTIONS IN THIS FUNCTION (CLUSTER) ARE MET ')

1 : WRITE('A1> INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL ')
2 : WRITE('A2> SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE ')
3 : WRITE('A3> SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE ')
4 : WRITE('A4> SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE ')
5 : WRITE('A5> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM ')
6 : WRITE('A6> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM ')
7 : WRITE('A7> SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM ')
8 : WRITE('A8> SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM ')
9 : WRITE('A9> SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY PROGRAM ')
10 : WRITE('A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
11 : WRITE('A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
12 : WRITE('A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
13 : WRITE('A13> VERIFY COURSE MASTER FILE DATA ')
14 : WRITE('A14> VERIFY STUDENT MASTER FILE DATA ')
15 : WRITE('A15> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE DATA ')
16 : WRITE('A16> PRODUCE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS ')
17 : WRITE('A17> SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL ')
18 : WRITE('A18> INSTALL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL ')
19 : WRITE('A19> VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES ')
20 : WRITE('A20> DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS ')
21 : WRITE('A21> SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM ')
22 : WRITE('A22> SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM ')
23 : WRITE('A23> SET UP #A1S, DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM ')
24 : WRITE('A24> SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT ')
25 : WRITE('A.5> PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION ')
26 : WRITE('A26> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION ')
27 : WRITE('A27> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION ')
28 : WRITE('A28> PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE) ')
29 : WRITE('A29> PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION ')
30 : WRITE('A30> VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING ')
31 : WRITE('A31> PUNCH NEW # ABS-CARDS ')
32 : WRITE('A32> UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS ')
33 : WRITE('A33> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
34 : WRITE('A34> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
35 : WRITE('A35> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ')
36 : WRITE('A36> WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE ')
37 : WRITE('A37> QUERY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ')
38 : WRITE('A38> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT ')
39 : WRITE('A39> WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE ')
40 : WRITE('A40> QUERY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ')
41 : WRITE('A41> WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERY LANGUAGE ')
42 : WRITE('A42> QUERY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ')
43 : WRITE('A43> PRODUCE # ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS ')
44 : WRITE('A44> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER ')
0 : Writeln
END (CASE #)

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MODELING (M-4,P-6)
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MODELING * DR THE OVERALL SYSTEM DESIGN AND MODELING OF THIS SYSTEM *
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THIS TABLE PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW IN THE MODELING STAGE OF THE SYSTEM.
#MODELING HAS 44 ACTION PROCEDURES AND 64 PREDICATES. THESE ACTIONS
ARE GROUPED INTO FUNCTIONS AND SUBFUNCTIONS AND FORM THE HIERARCHICALLY
INTERRELATED BUILDING BLOCKS OF THE WHOLE SYSTEM. THE PREDICATES ACT AS
CRITERIONS FOR A PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION. THEY DEFINE THE CONSTRAINTS
THE ACTIONS IN THE PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION MUST OBEY. UNLESS THESE
CRITERIONS ARE SATISFIED, THAT PARTICULAR SUBFUNCTION IS NOT ADEQUATELY
DESIGNED TO MEET ITS PURPOSE.
*
* ONCE ALL THE ACTIONS ARE DESIGNED, THESE SAME ACTIONS WILL BE OPERATIONALLY
* SEQUENCED AND INTERFACED IN THE NEXT TABLE CALLED #SYSTALL *
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1 * --- ORGANIZE THE BODY OF THE SYSTEM
2 * --- ORGANIZE THE REGULAR RUN OF THE SYSTEM
3 * --- DATA UPDATE ORGANIZATION
4 * --- DATA-BASE QUERY ORGANIZATION
20 28
1/1,2,3,4,5/1/1
1/6,7,8,9,2,3,4/1
1/10,11,12,13,14,2/3,4,5,6,7,8,9,21,22,23,24/1
1/15,16,17,-10,11,12,13,18,19,20/5,6,10,11,12/1 4
1/21,22,-10,11,12,13,23,24,25/7,8,9,33,34,35/1 5
1/21,-22,-10,11,12,13,23,24,25/36,37,39,40/41,42,38/1 6
1/26,2,27,28,29/42,43,16,17,18,19,20/1
1/30,1,2,31,32/21,22,23,24/1
1/64/44/2
2/33/25/2
2/34,28,27/26/2
2/35,36,2,37,30/27/2
2/38,30,39,40,41,42/28/2
2/39/29/2
2/44,45,46,47,48/30/2
2/64/44/3
3/15,12,49,50/10/3
3/15,12,51,50/11/3
3/15,12,52,53,54,55/35,31,32/3
3/64/44/4
4/13,49,56,21,22/33/4
4/13,49,52,51,57,58,59,21,22,34/4
4/13,49,52,57,60,51,52/35/4
4/56,61,49,-21,-22/36,37,38/4
4/56,62,49,-21,-22/39,40,38/4
4/56,60,63,49,-21,-22/41,42,38/4
4/64/44/0
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PROCEDURE SYSTALL ( ACTNB:INTEGER)
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  CASE ACTNB OF
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-1 : WRITE(' TERMINAL IS SET UP IN SCHOOL ');
-2 : WRITE(' ALL DATA-BASE FILES ARE SET UP ON-LINE ');
-3 : WRITE(' QUERRY AND UPDATE SUBSYSTEMS ARE SET UP ');
-4 : WRITE(' ALLOCATED FIELDS IN THE DATA-BASE ARE FILLED ');
-5 : WRITE(' DATA-BASE CONTENT IS VERIFIED ');
-6 : WRITE(' ERROR IN THE DATA-BASE ');
-7 : WRITE(' ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM IS SET UP ');
-8 : WRITE(' DATA-BASE CONTAINS CORRECT NON TRUANCY INFORM. ');
-9 : WRITE(' TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION KITS ARE READY ');
-10 : WRITE(' TASK IS ATTENDANCE MONITORING ');
-11 : WRITE(' PRODUCTION CYCLE IS STARTED ');
-12 : WRITE(' PRODUCTION DAY IS INITIALIZED TO THE COMPUTER ');
-13 : WRITE(' TRANSACTION DATA IS GENERATED ');
-14 : WRITE(' TRANSACTION DATA IS COLLECTED ');
-15 : WRITE(' DATA IS PROCESSED ');
-16 : WRITE(' OUTPUT IS DISTRIBUTED ');
-17 : WRITE(' USAGE PARAMETERS ARE DETERMINED ');
-18 : WRITE(' TASK IS UPDATING THE DATA-BASE ');
-19 : WRITE(' CHANGE INVOLVES NON #ATS. RELATED DATA ');
-20 : WRITE(' CHANGE INVOLVES #ATS. RELATED DATA ');
-21 : WRITE(' TASK IS QUERRY THE DATA-BASE ');
-22 : WRITE(' STUDENT INFORMATION IS NEEDED ');
-23 : WRITE(' COURSE INFORMATION IS NEEDED ');
-24 : WRITE(' CLASS INFORMATION IS NEEDED ');
-25 : WRITE(' SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED ');
-26 : WRITE(' LARGE AMOUNT OF OUTPUT IS NEEDED ');
-27 : WRITE(' END OF THE YEAR ');
  1 : WRITE('A1>  INSTALL THE TERMINAL IN SCHOOL ');
  2 : WRITE('A2>  SET UP THE COURSE MASTER FILE ');
  3 : WRITE('A3>  SET UP THE STUDENT MASTER FILE ');
  4 : WRITE('A4>  SET UP THE CLASS MASTER FILE ');
  5 : WRITE('A5>  SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM ');
  6 : WRITE('A6>  SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE UPDATER PROGRAM ');
  7 : WRITE('A7>  SET UP COURSE MASTER FILE QUERRY PROGRAM ');
  8 : WRITE('A8>  SET UP STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERRY PROGRAM ');
  9 : WRITE('A9>  SET UP CLASS MASTER FILE QUERRY PROGRAM ');
 10 : WRITE('A10> UPDATE COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 11 : WRITE('A11> UPDATE STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 12 : WRITE('A12> UPDATE CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 13 : WRITE('A13> VERIFY COURSE MASTER FILE DATA ');
 14 : WRITE('A14> VERIFY STUDENT MASTER FILE DATA ');
 15 : WRITE('A15> VERIFY CLASS MASTER FILE DATA ');
 16 : WRITE('A16> PRODUCE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS ');
 17 : WRITE('A17> SET UP DATA COLLECTION ROUTES IN SCHOOL ');
 18 : WRITE('A18> INSTALL OPTICAL MARK READER ON TERMINAL ');
 19 : WRITE('A19> VERIFY DATA DISTRIBUTION ROUTES ');
 20 : WRITE('A20> DETERMINE DATA USAGE PARAMETERS ');
 21 : WRITE('A21> SET UP DAILY INITIALIZATION INTERACTIVE PROGRAM ');
 22 : WRITE('A22> SET UP DATA COLLECTION PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM ');
 23 : WRITE('A23> SET UP #ATS. DATA PROCESSING PSEUDOBATCH PROGRAM ');
 24 : WRITE('A24> SET UP PROCEDURE TO PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT ');
 25 : WRITE('A25> PERFORM DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION ');
 26 : WRITE('A26> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION ');
 27 : WRITE('A27> PERFORM TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION ');
 28 : WRITE('A28> PERFORM DATA PROCESSING (REPORTING AND STORAGE) ');
 29 : WRITE('A29> PERFORM DATA DISTRIBUTION ');
 30 : WRITE('A30> VERIFY OUTPUT USAGE IN DECISION MAKING ');
 31 : WRITE('A31> PUNCH NEW # ABS-CARDS ');
 32 : WRITE('A32> UPDATE TEACHERS DATA GENERATION KITS ');
 33 : WRITE('A33> QUERRY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 34 : WRITE('A34> QUERRY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 35 : WRITE('A35> QUERRY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY ');
 36 : WRITE('A36> WRITE A FILE IN COURSE MASTER FILE QUERRY LANGUAGE ');
 37 : WRITE('A37> QUERRY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ');
 38 : WRITE('A38> PRINT SPOOLED OUTPUT ');
 39 : WRITE('A39> WRITE A FILE IN STUDENT MASTER FILE QUERRY LANGUAGE ');
 40 : WRITE('A40> QUERRY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ');
 41 : WRITE('A41> WRITE A FILE IN CLASS MASTER FILE QUERRY LANGUAGE ');
 42 : WRITE('A42> QUERRY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH MODE ');
 43 : WRITE('A43> PRODUCE # ABS-CARDS FOR THE CLASS ');
 44 : WRITE('A44> NO ACTION- NEXT CLUSTER ');
  0 : WRITELN;

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  END (*CASE *)
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END (* SYSTALL *)
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SYSTALL (M-3,P-5)

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SYSTALL \* (OR THE OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM) \*

\* THIS SEQUENCE OF PROCEDURES PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF THE ENTIRE \*  
 \* ATTENDANCE MONITORING SYSTEM ( \* ATS. ). IT SPECIFIES HOW TO \*  
 \* SET UP, RUN AND USE THIS SYSTEM. IT SHOWS THE LOGICAL INTER- \*  
 \* RELATION AND OPERATIONAL SEQUENCE OF THE SUBSYSTEMS AMONG EACH \*  
 \* OTHERS. FIRST WE SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM, THAT IS THE DATA-BASE ( \*DB) \*  
 \* WITH ITS QUERY ( \*QUS.) AND UPDATE ( \*UPS.) UTILITY SUBSYSTEMS. \*  
 \* SECOND WE GRAFT TO IT THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( \*ATS.) \*  
 \* FROM THEN ON WE CONCURRENTLY MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE DATA-BASE \*  
 \* WHILE ROUTINELY RUNNING THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM \*  
 \* IN ORDER TO EXTRACT THE RELATED INFORMATION FROM THE DATA-BASE. \*

SYSTALL ACTION(1..44)

\* SYSTALL HAS 44 ACTIONS. EACH OF THESE IS A COMPLEX ACTION \*  
 \* PROCEDURE HAVING THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING DECOMPOSED INTO \*  
 \* SUB-PROCEDURES. IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH CLEARLY \*  
 \* THE HIERARCHIAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SUB-ACTION AND \*  
 \* THE ACTIONS OF SYSTALL THE FOLLOWING NOTATION WILL BE USED: \*

SYSTALL ACTION(N) = ACTION(N) = AN> XXXXXXXXXX /

SYSTALL SUB-ACTION(M) OF ACTION(N) =  
 = SYSTALL ACTION(N-M) = AN-M> XXXXXXXXXX

SYSTALL SUB-SUBACTION(L) OF SUBACTION(M) OF ACTION(N) =  
 = SYSTALL ACTION(N-M-L) = AN-M-L> XXXXXXXXXX

\* FOR ALL CONTRACTIONS PLEASE REFER TO THE TABLE ON FIGURE 22. \*

THE PRODUCTION CYCLE OF \* ATS. IS DESCRIBED IN DETAIL \*  
 IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS: \*

- SYSTALL A(25) = DAILY SYSTEM INITIALIZATION \*
- SYSTALL A(26) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION \*
- SYSTALL A(27) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION \*
- SYSTALL A(28) = DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING \*
- SYSTALL A(29) = DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION \*
- SYSTALL A(30) = DAILY DATA USAGE VERIFICATION \*

AN EXAMPLE OF THE COMPLEXITY OF SOME ACTIONS \*  
 IS ILLUSTRATED IN SYSTALL A(11), WHOSE LOGICAL \*  
 DESCRIPTION IS 3 LEVELS DEEP. \*

SYSTALL A(11) = UPDATE THE STUDENT MASTER FILE \*

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- 1 \*C1 SET UP THE BASIC SYSTEM ( \* UTS. AND \* DB. ) =====
- 2 \*C2 INITIAL DATA-BASE VERIFICATION. ( \* QUS. AND \* UPS. ) =====
- 3 \*C3 SET UP THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( \* UTS. ) =====
- 4 \*C4 DO REGULAR RUN OF THE ATTENDANCE MONITORING SUBSYSTEM ( \* ATS.) =====
- 5 \*C5 MAINTAIN THE EXACTNESS OF THE SYSTEMS DATA ( \* UPS. ) =====
- 6 \*C6 INFORMATION EXTRACTING AND REPORTING ( \* QUS. ) =====

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| 1/-1/1/1                         | 1 '== INSTALL TERMINAL IN SCHOOL                           |
| 1/1,-2/2,3,4/1                   | 2 '== SET UP EMPTY DATA-BASE                               |
| 1/2,-3/5,6,7,8,9/1               | 3 '== SET UP ALL *QUS. AND *UPS. INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS.     |
| 1/2,3,-4/10,11,12/2              | 4 '== UPDATE ALLOCATED FIELDS IN DATA-BASE                 |
| 2/2,-5/37,13,40,14,42,15/2       | 5 '== VERIFY INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE                      |
| 2/5,6/10,11,12/3                 | 6 '== UPDATE INCORRECT INFORMATION IN DATA-BASE            |
| 2/5,-6/44/3                      | 7 '== NO UPDATE IS NECESSARY                               |
| 3/-7,8,-9/42,43,16,17,18,19,20/3 | 8 '== GIVE OUT ACCESSORIES FOR ATTEND.MONIT.SUBSYSTEM.     |
| 3/-7,9/21,22,23,24/4             | 9 '== SET UP *ATS.INTERACT.PROGS.FOR DAILY PRODUCTION CLUE |
| 4/10,7,-11,17/25/4               | 10 '== *ATS. DAILY DATA USAGE PARAMETER DEFINITION         |
| 4/10,11,12/26/4                  | 11 '== *ATS. DAILY TRANSACTION DATA GENERATION             |
| 4/10,11,13/27/4                  | 12 '== *ATS. DAILY TRANSACTION DATA COLLECTION             |
| 4/10,11,14/28,38/4               | 13 '== *ATS. DAILY TRANSACTION DATA PROCESSING             |
| 4/10,11,15/29/4                  | 14 '== *ATS. DAILY DATA DISTRIBUTION                       |
| 4/10,11,16,-17/30,20/4           | 15 '== *ATS. DAILY OUTPUT USAGE                            |
| 4/-10/44/5                       | 16 '== NO ACTION,NEXT CLUSTER                              |
| 5/18,19/10,11,12/4               | 17 '== UPDATE NON ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA                  |
| 5/18,20/10,11,12,33,31,32/4      | 18 '== UPDATE ATTENDANCE RELATED DATA                      |
| 5/-18/44/6                       | 19 '== NO ACTION, NEXT CLUSTER                             |
| 6/21,23,25/33/4                  | 20 '== QUERRY COURSE MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY             |
| 6/21,22,25/34/4                  | 21 '== QUERRY STUDENT MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY            |
| 6/21,24,25/35/4                  | 22 '== QUERRY CLASS MASTER FILE INTERACTIVELY              |
| 6/21,23,26/36,37,38/4            | 23 '== QUERRY COURSE MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH               |
| 6/21,22,26/39,40,38/4            | 24 '== QUERRY STUDENT MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH              |
| 6/21,24,26/41,42,38/4            | 25 '== QUERRY CLASS MASTER FILE PSEUDOBATCH                |
| 6/-21,27/44/0                    | 26 '== END OF THE YEAR                                     |

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