

BURROUGHS B 6700/B 7700

APL/700 REFERENCE CARD

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system commands

	session control
)ON	acct [password]*
)OFF	[oldp'word/newp'word]*
)COFF	[oldp'word/newp'word]*
)BLOT	
	terminal control
)WIDTH	30 thru 32767*
)TABS	0 thru 30*
	clear-workspace control
)CLEAR	16 thru 1024*
)SYMS	16 thru 1024*
)ORIGIN	0 or 1*
)DIGITS	1 thru 12*
)SEED	0 to n*
)FUZZ	0 to 1*
	library control
)FILES	
)LIB	wsid
)LOAD	wsid nameset*
)COPY	wsid nameset*
)PCOPY	wsid nameset*
)SAVE	wsid*
)DROP	own-wsid
)WSID	name*
	group control
)ATTACH	groupname nameset*
)DETACH	groupname nameset*
)GRP	groupname
	run state
)SI	
)RESET	
	name display
)FNS	name*
)VARS	name*
)GRPS	name*
)ERASE	nameset
	wsid is (account)* name [password]*

* optional field

system functions

function representations		
OCR F	canonic represent	
VR F	vector represent	
FX C	fix	
	name	
A NL N	name list *	
NC C	name classification	
EX C	expunge	

diagnostic		
I ST F	set trace *	
I SS F	set stop *	
I SM F	set monitor *	
I RT F	reset trace *	
I RS F	reset stop *	
I RM F	reset monitor *	
I MV F	monitor values *	
QT F	query trace	
QS F	query stop	
QM F	query monitor	
	execution control	
DL N	delay	
ED C	edit	
B ED C	phrase edit	
ER C	error	

character set		
BB	backspace	
BL	linefeed	
BR	return	
BT	tab	
BN	null	
BA	alphabet	
BD	digits	
BAV	atomic vector	

status inquiry		
PT	print tabs	
PW	print width	
WI	workspace-i.d.	
AN	account name	
AI	account information	
LC	line counter	
TS	time stamp	
UL	user load	
WA	working availability	
NA	name availability	
LA	library availability	
FA	file availability	
SA	shares availability	
NEWS	sign-on news	

* dyadic - selective
monadic - inclusive

system variables

CT	comparison tolerance
IO	index origin
PP	print precision
RL	random link
↑ ↓	evaluated in, out
↑ ↓	prompted in, set prompt

shared variable functions

A SVO V	shared variable offer
SVO V	degree of coupling
B SVC V	shared variable control
SVC V	control vector
SVQ V	shared variable query
SVR V	shared variable retract

control structures

template for defined function n
no result result

n	R + n	niladic
n B	R + n B	monadic
A n B	R + A n B	dyadic

header
template
template local-names-list

call defined function n	
niladic	
n B	monadic
A n B	dyadic

sequence of execution	
+ I	branch
→	terminate
L:	label

() function precedence

list separator

comment

constants

'don''t'	character
-1 1.2 3.4E-7	numeric

identifiers

letter, underscored letter, Δ or Δ , followed by 0 or more of above, \sim , or digits.

transaction editing

meaning of attention	
initial:	enter edit cycle
embedded:	correct typing error
terminal:	display next phrase
	edit control characters
/	delete
.	mark phrase

function editing actions

VH	define
VF	open
VF	open (locked)
V	close
V	close (locked)
[A]T	replace
[+]T	append (before)
[+]T	append (after)
[+A]T	insert (before)
[+A]T	insert (after)
[εA]	full edit
[aA]	prefix edit
[wA]	suffix edit
[IA]	inject edit

multiline group actions

T	set trace*
I	reset trace*
S	set stop*
R	reset stop*
M	set monitor*
U	reset monitor*
D	display lines*
?D	display addresses*
~	delete*

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[O]	0 thru Y
[AO]	A thru Y
[OB]	B only
[AOB]	A thru B

[(ON)]	0 thru Y
[A(ON)]	A thru Y
[(ON)B]	B only
[A(ON)B]	A thru B

selection and assignment

$A[S]$ select
 $A \leftarrow B$ replace
 $A[S] \leftarrow B$ insert
 $A f \leftarrow B$ modify*
 $A[S] f \leftarrow B$ modified insert*

* f is scalar dyadic primitive function

scalar primitive functions

$\lfloor B$ floor
 $\lceil B$ ceiling
 $A \lfloor B$ minimum
 $A \lceil B$ maximum
 $+B$ identity
 $-B$ negate
 $\times B$ signum
 $\div B$ reciprocate
 $|B$ magnitude
 $A+B$ add
 $A-B$ subtract
 $A \times B$ multiply
 $A \div B$ divide
 $A \mid B$ residue

$*B$ base e power
 $\bullet B$ base e logarithm
 $A * B$ power
 $A \bullet B$ logarithm

$A < B$ less
 $A \leq B$ not greater
 $A = B$ equal
 $A \geq B$ not less
 $A > B$ greater
 $A \neq B$ unequal

$\sim B$ not
 $A \wedge B$ and
 $A \vee B$ or
 $A \star B$ nand
 $A \bowtie B$ nor

$\circ B$ pi times
 $A \circ B$ circular
 $!B$ factorial
 $A ! B$ combinatorial

mixed primitive functions - structure

pB	shape
$A \# B$	reshape
iB	integers
$A \# B$	index in
$,B$	ravel
A, B	catenate / laminate
$A, [K]B$	last dimension
$A, [D]B$	Kth from first dim'n
$A, [D, T]B$	between dim'ns $[D, T]$
ϕB	reverse
ϕB	last dimension
ΘB	first dimension
$\phi[K]B$	Kth from first dim'n
$\Theta[K]B$	Kth from last dim'n
$A \Phi B$	rotate
$A \Phi B$	last dimension
$A \Theta B$	first dimension
$A \Phi[K]B$	Kth from first dim'n
$A \Theta[K]B$	Kth from last dim'n
$Q B$	transpose dimensions
$A Q B$	permute dimensions
A/B	compress
A/B	last dimension
$A/[K]B$	first dimension
$A/\![K]B$	Kth from first dim'n
$A/\![K]B$	Kth from last dim'n
$A \backslash B$	expand
$A \backslash B$	last dimension
$A \# B$	first dimension
$A \backslash [K]B$	Kth from first dim'n
$A \# [K]B$	Kth from last dim'n
$A \# B$	take
$A \# B$	drop

mixed primitive functions - sets

$A \in B$	membership
$A \subset B$	subset
$A \supset B$	superset
$A \cup B$	union
$A \cap B$	intersection
$A \sim B$	exclusion

mixed primitive functions - other

$\$B$	grade up
$\#B$	grade down
$?B$	roll
$A ? B$	deal
$A \# B$	base value
$A \# B$	represent
$\boxplus B$	matrix inverse
$A \boxplus B$	matrix divide
$\& B$	evaluate

format primitive functions

$V A$	implicit format
$V \# A$	numeric format
V	in pairs $w d$
w	width
d	decimal places
<0	<0 floating point
$=0$	=0 integer
>0	>0 fixed point
$F \# L$	character format
L	expression or (list)
F	format: s or $s; \dots; s$
s	segment: g or g, \dots, g
g	group: c or $\underline{r}(c)$
\underline{r}	replicator
c	clause: p or p, \dots, p
p	phrase: one of
$m j A w$	character
$m j E w.d$	floating point
$m l q F w.d \# r$	fixed point
$m l q I w r$	integer
$X w$	skip forward
$T n$	tab to n -th column
$<text>$	actual text
m	phrase replicator*
w	field width
d	decimal places
$l \# r$	left, right decorators:*
$-o+<text>$	sign selector(s)*
j	justifier: L^*
$*<text>$	background*
q	qualifiers:
L	left justify in field*
B	skip if zero*
C	insert commas*
Z	insert leading zeros*

primitive operators

$A \circ.g B$	outer product*
$\#$	reduction
f/B	last dimension
$f\#B$	first dimension
$f/[K]B$	k-th from first dim'n
$f\#[K]B$	k-th from last dim'n
$\#$	scan
$f\backslash B$	last dimension
$f\#B$	first dimension
$f\backslash[K]B$	k-th from first dim'n
$f\#[K]B$	k-th from last dim'n
$A f.g B$	inner product*
* f, g	are scalar dyadic primitive fns
file functions	
$\#F$	create file
$N\#F$	rename file
$\#F$	destroy file
$\#[K]F$	null Kth component
$A \# [K]F$	write Kth component
$\# [K]F$	read Kth component
$\#F$	first-out component
$\#F$	last-out component
$A \# F$	first-in component
$A \# F$	last-in component
$\#F$	reverse components
$I\#F$	rotate components
$I\#F$	take components
$I\#F$	drop components
$B \# F$	compress components
$B \# F$	expand components
$\#F$	hold file
$\#F$	free file
$\#F$	release file
$\#F$	value component map
$\#F$	null component map
$\#I$	interrogate system
$I\#F$	test file status
$I\#F$	query file

* optional field