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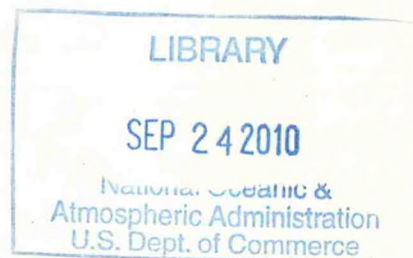
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I. General Information

A. Summary

TAPE.SV is used to convert terminal forecasts (FTs) and route forecasts (TWEBs) into a format which can be punched on an asynchronous line. FTs and TWEBs must be in format used by ALEMBIC\$.SV.

B. Environment

The program is written in FORTRAN and is designed to be run at a WSFO with the foreground up.

II. Application

A. Complete Program Description

When Gateway is down and SMCC asks that data be entered by paper tape, it is tedious and time-consuming to edit FTs and TWEBs into format for punching. TAPE.SV takes FTs and TWEBs from CCCWRKFTA and CCCWRKTWB, and returns the punchable product to the WRK file. It adds an appropriate header and ending and changes \$ to {{< , changes - to >@<, and changes + to " . It also keeps lines to a maximum of 72 characters. The AFREAD subroutine is used to read the data from the WRK file. Additional lines of an FT are indented one space.

B. Machine Requirements

10752 bytes of disk space are required. The program takes about 20 seconds to run with one and one-half ADM pages of data.

C. Data Base

CCCWRKFTA or CCCWRKTWB are read from and written to. An RDOS file named PUNCHOUT is created on DP0.

III. Procedures

A. Initiation of the Program

File TAPE.SV must be on DP0 or linked to it. Run the program from an ADM with RUN:TAPE CCCWRKFTA or RUN:TAPE CCCWRKTWB, where CCC is the WSFO identifier.

B. Input Required

FTs and TWEBS beginning with a \$ must be in the referenced WRK file and must not extend beyond column 77. (See Figure 1.)

C. Output

Output is in the referenced file and an RDOS file named PUNCHOUT. (See Figure 2.) The following error messages may be printed when the program aborts:

1. "CANT FIND FILE" The AFREAD subroutine can't open the reference file.
2. "CANT READ FILE" The AFREAD subroutine aborts when reading a line of text.
3. "LINE TOO LONG" Text extends beyond column 77.
4. "91Ø ERROR" There are no spaces in 72 consecutive columns.

D. Cautions or Restrictions on Program Use

The program looks for the end of a line by searching for three consecutive spaces, so anything beyond a three-space interval will be ignored. Therefore don't indent the second line of FTs by more than two spaces.

IV. Complete Program Listing

Figure 1

WOU000 KBUF 110000

\$CAK 052222 35 SCT 6H SCT OCNL BKN CHC 3FH. 03Z -X 10 SCT 3FH VRBL
C3X 3/4F. 08Z C2X 1/4F VRBL -X 8 SCT 2F. 14Z 5 SCT C12 BKN 4FH CHC BR
C5 X 3/4TRW+H. 16Z MVFR CIG TRW FH..

\$TOL 052222 C25 BKN 5H BKN OCNL SCT CHC -X 10 SCT 3FH. 04Z -X 10 SCT 3F
OCNL C4X 3/4F. 07Z C2X 1/4F VRBL -X 10 SCT 11/2F. 14Z 6 SCT C14 BKN
4FH BKN V SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$CMH 052222 C30 BKN 5H BKN V SCT CHC -X2FH. 02Z -X 10 SCT 3FH OCNL
C3X 1/4F. 05Z C1X 1/8F VRBL -X C5 OVC 1F. 14Z 5 SCT C12 BKN 4FH BKN V
SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$MFD 052222 C25 BKN 5H BKN V SCT CHC -X 3F AFT 00Z. 03Z -X 10 SCT 3FH
OCNL C4X 1/2F. 06Z C0X 0F VRBL -X C6 OVC 1F. 14Z 4 SCT C12 BKN 4FH BKN
V SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH. AMDTS NOT AVBL AFT 03Z..

\$LUK 052222 35 SCT 5H SCT V BKN CHC -X 20 SCT 2FH AFT 00Z. 02Z -X 8 SCT
2FH VRBL C2X 1/4F. 05Z C1X 1/4F VRBL -X C5 OVC 1F. 14Z -X 5 SCT C12
OVC 4FH. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$CVG 052222 35 SCT 5H SCT V BKN CHC -X 20 SCT 2FH AFT 00Z. 02Z -X 8 SCT
2FH VRBL C2X 1/4F. 05Z C1X 1/4F VRBL -X C5 OVC 1F. 14Z -X 5 SCT C12
OVC 4FH. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$DAY 052222 C30 BKN 5H BKN V SCT CHC -X 2FH. 02Z -X 10 SCT 3FH OCNL
C3X 1/4F. 05Z C1X1/8F VRBL -X C5 OVC 1F. 14Z 5 SCT C12 BKN 4FH BKN V
SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$FDY 052222 C25 BKN 5H BKN OCNL SCT CHC -X 10 SCT 3F. 04Z -X 10 SCT 3F
OCNL C4X 3/4F. 07Z C2X 1/4F VRBL -X 10 SCT 11/2F.14Z 6 SCT C14 BKN 4FH
BKN V SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$CLE 052222 C20 BKN 5H BKN V SCT CHC -X 3F AFT 01Z. 03Z -X 10 SCT 3FH
OCNL C7X 3/4F. 07Z C3X 1/4F VRBL -X 8 SCT 2F. 14Z 6 SCT C14 BKN 4FH
BKN V SCT. 16Z MVFR CIG FH..

\$YNO 052222 35 SCT 6H SCT OCNL BKN CHC 3FH. 03Z -X 10 SCT 3FH VRBL
C3X 3/4F. 08Z C2X 1/4F VRBL -X 8 SCT 2F. 14Z 5 SCT C12 BKN 4FH. 16Z
MVFR CIG H..

\$ZZV 052222 C30 BKN 5H BKN OCNL SCT CHC -X 25 SCT 2F. 02Z -X 20 SCT 3F
VRBL C3X 1/2F. 07Z C2X 1/4F VRBL -X 6 SCT C10 OVC 2F. 14Z 3 SCT C8 OVC
2F OCNL C12 BKN 4F. 16Z IFR CIG FH BCMG MVFR CIG F H BY 18Z..


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      IHDRT(27)=IOR(IAND(177400K, IPROD(2)), 40K)
C
300  CONTINUE
C.....GET PUNCHOUT READY
      CALL GCHN(IC2, IER)
      CALL DFILW("PUNCHOUT", IER)
      CALL CRAND("PUNCHOUT", IER)
      CALL OPENN(IC2, "PUNCHOUT", 0, IER)
C.....WRITE HEADERS TO PUNCHOUT
      CALL WRS(IC2, IHDR, 22, IER)
      IF(11.EQ.0)GOTO 306
      IF(11.EQ.1)GOTO 304
      CALL WRS(IC2, IHDRT, 66, IER)
      GOTO 306
304  CALL WRS(IC2, IHDRF, 66, IER)
C
C.....READ PRODUCT
306  CALL AFREAD(1, IPROD, $900)
307  CALL AFREAD(2, IP, $700, $800)
      CALL UNPACK(IP, 80, IU)
C.....FIND THE * OF CHARACTERS ON THE LINE THAT HAS BEEN READ
      DO 120 L=1, 78
C.....LOOK FOR 3 CONSECUTIVE SPACES
      IF(IU(L).EQ.32.AND. IU(L+1).EQ.32.AND. IU(L+2).EQ.32)GOTO 130
120  CONTINUE
      GOTO 920
130  IF(L.EQ.1)GOTO 307
      N=L-1
C.....N IS * OF CHARACTERS ON THE LINE THAT HAS BEEN READ
C.....N+NX IS * OF CHARACTERS ON THE EXPANDED LINE
      NX=0
C.....LOOK FOR $ OR *
      IF(IU(1).NE.36.AND. IU(1).NE.42)GOTO 411
      NX=NX-1
C
C.....EXPAND AND EDIT THE LINE
312  CONTINUE
      IF(N.LT.2)GOTO 410
      DO 320 J=2, N
      IF(IU(J).EQ.43)GOTO 330 ; PLUS SIGN
      IF(IU(J).EQ.45)GOTO 340 ; MINUS SIGN
      IXU(J+NX)=IU(J)
320  CONTINUE
      GOTO 400
330  IXU(J+NX)=34 ; " WRITTEN FOR +
      GOTO 320
340  IXU(J+NX)=62
      IXU(J+NX+1)=64 ; >@< WRITTEN FOR -
      IXU(J+NX+2)=60
      NX=NX+2
      GOTO 320
400  CONTINUE
      IF((N+NX).GT.72)GOTO 450 ; IS LINE TOO LONG?
C
C.....FINISH AND WRITE LINE
      IXU(N+NX+1)=15K
      IXU(N+NX+2)=12K
      CALL PACK(IXU, (N+NX+2), IXP)
      CALL WRS(IC2, IXP, (N+NX+2), IER)
      NX=0

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C
C.....READ NEXT LINE
410 CALL AFREAD(2, IP, $700, $800)
411 CALL UNPACK(IP, 80, IU)
    DO 220 J=1,78
    IF(IU(J).EQ.32.AND.IU(J+1).EQ.32.AND.IU(J+2).EQ.32)GOTO 230
220 CONTINUE
    GOTO 920
230 IF(J.EQ.1)GOTO 410
    N=J-1
C.....CHECK IF FT IS INDENTED
    IF(NX.LE.0)GOTO 250
    IF(I1.NE.1)GOTO 250
    IF(IU(1).NE.32)GOTO 250
    NX=NX-1
    GOTO 312
250 CONTINUE
C.....LOOK FOR $ OR *
    IF(IU(1).EQ.36.OR.IU(1).EQ.42)GOTO 420
C.....LOOK FOR NNNN
    IF(IU(1).EQ.78.AND.IU(2).EQ.78.AND.IU(3).EQ.78.AND.IU(4).EQ.78)
2GOTO 700
    DO 412 J=1,N
    IF(IU(J).EQ.43)GOTO 414
    IF(IU(J).EQ.45)GOTO 416
    IXU(J+NX)=IU(J)
412 CONTINUE
    GOTO 400
414 IXU(J+NX)=34
    GOTO 412
416 IXU(J+NX)=62
    IXU(J+NX+1)=64
    IXU(J+NX+2)=60
    NX=NX+2
    GOTO 412

C
C.....START OF NEXT FT OR TWEB
420 IF(NX.GT.0)GOTO 500 ; TEXT IS LEFTOVER
425 IXU(1)=123 ; PUT {{{ AT START OF LINE
    IXU(2)=123
    IXU(3)=60
    NX=2
    GOTO 312

C
C.....LOOK FOR LAST SPACE BEFORE CHARACTER *72 AND PUT THE REST OF
C OF THE TEXT AT THE BEGINNING OF THE NEXT LINE.
450 N2=73
452 IF(IXU(N2).EQ.32)GOTO 454
    N2=N2-1 ; N2 WILL BE * OF SPACE CHAR.
    IF(N2.EQ.0)GOTO 910
    GOTO 452
454 IF(I1.NE.1)GOTO 470
    K=N+NX
    DO 460 J=N2,K ; PRODUCT IS FT -- INDENT 1 SPACE
460 IXU2(J-N2+1)=IXU(J) ; PUT LEFTOVERS IN IXU2
    NX=(N+NX)-N2+2 ; NEW NX TO ADD TO NEXT LINE
    GOTO 480
470 K1=N2+1
    K=N+NX
    DO 475 J=K1,K ; PRODUCT IS NOT FT

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475  IXU2(J-N2)=IXU(J)
      NX=(N+NX)-(N2+1)+2
480  IXU2(NX)=32          ; SPACE AT END OF LEFTOVERS
      IF(IXU2(NX-1).NE.46)GOTO 485
      IXU2(NX+1)=32      ; ADD SPACE AFTER PERIOD
      NX=NX+1

C
C.....FINISH AND WRITE LINE
485  IXU(N2)=15K
      IXU(N2+1)=12K
      CALL PACK(IXU,(N2+1),IXP)
      CALL WRS(IC2,IXP,(N2+1),IER)
      DO 490 J=1,NX
490  IXU(J)=IXU2(J)
      IF((NX+1).GT.72)GOTO 450
      GOTO 410

C
C.....FINISH THE LEFTOVERS BEFORE STARTING A NEW LINE
500  IXU(NX+1)=15K
      IXU(NX+2)=12K
      CALL PACK(IXU,(NX+2),IXP)
      CALL WRS(IC2,IXP,(NX+2),IER)
      GOTO 425

C
C.....OUT OF TEXT -- FINISH THE PRODUCT
700  CONTINUE
C.....PUT NNNN ON THE END
      IXP(1)=47116K
      IXP(2)=47116K
      DO 710 J=1,6
710  IXP(J+2)=36074K
      IXP(9)=6412K
      CALL WRS(IC2,IXP,18,IER)
C.....PUT OCTAL 203 ON THE END
      IXP(1)=101603K
      CALL WRS(IC2,IXP,2,IER)
      CALL KLOSE(IC2,IER)

C
C.....STORE THE PRODUCT
      CALL FSTORE("PUNCHOUT",0,IER)
      CALL FORKO("TAPE",IPROD,IER)
      STOP

C
C.....ERRORS
800  CALL FORKE("TAPE","CANT READ FILE",IER)
825  CALL KLOSE(IC2,IER)
      STOP
900  CALL FORKE("TAPE","CANT OPEN FILE",IER)
      GOTO 825
910  CALL FORKE("TAPE","ERROR 910",IER)
      GOTO 825
920  CALL FORKE("TAPE","LINE TOO LONG",IER)
      GOTO 825
      END

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