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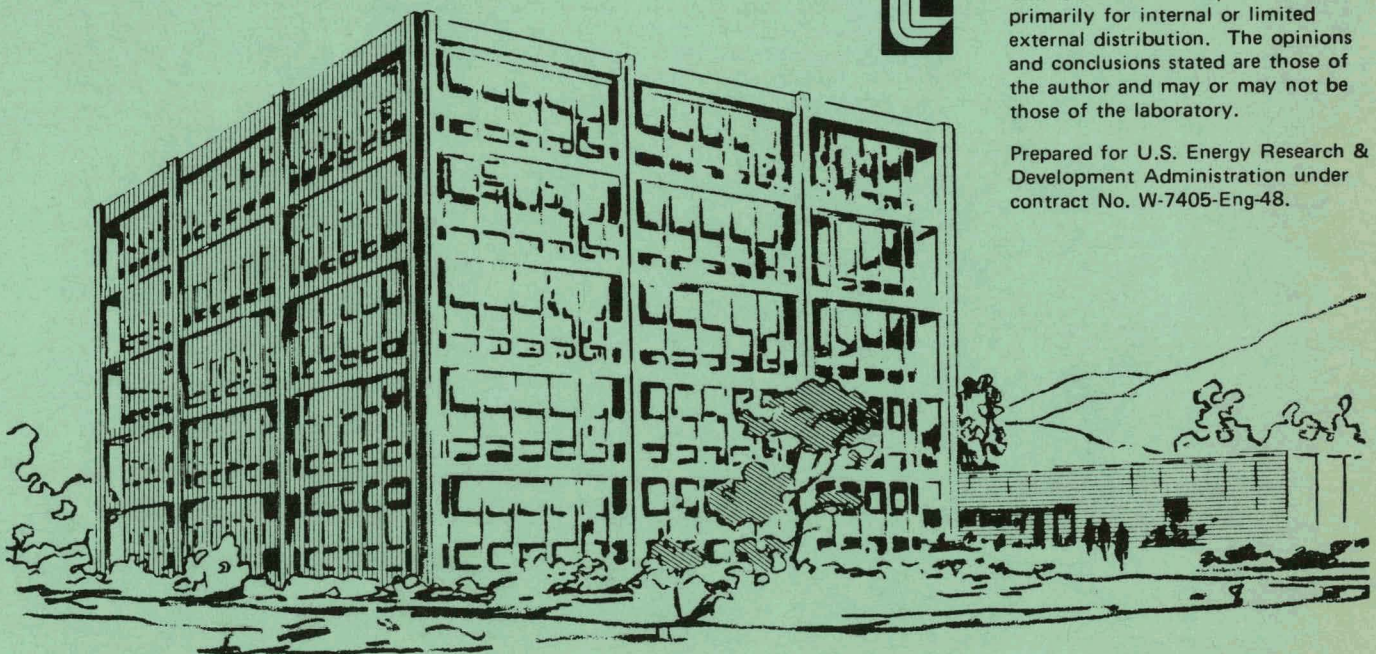
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FOREWORD

The Set Theoretic approach to data base management was investigated as a potential solution to the problem of storing and manipulating large data bases. The Set Theoretic approach had generated interest as a technique to manage large amounts of data in a complex yet efficient manner, and a more detailed investigation was begun. This report documents the study of an implementation: Set Theoretic Data Structures.

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SET THEORETIC DATA STRUCTURES (STDS): A TUTORIAL

ABSTRACT

Extended Set Theory as a data base management discipline has received attention in the data base literature. Set Theoretic Information Systems Corporation has, for some time, marketed a data base system based on the foundation of Extended Set Theory. This system is called Set Theoretic Data Structures (STDS). A series of examples shows that STDS is similar to relational algebraic data base management systems. The advantages of STDS are its straightforward data base design, compact data representation, and flexible, powerful data manipulation operators; while its limitations are its low-level primitive user interface and the partial implementation of the Extended Set Theoretic concepts. To make STDS very attractive, a "user-friendly" interface should be developed, and some distinctive features of Extended Set Theory (such as sets of sets) should be implemented.

INTRODUCTION

The Extended Set Theoretic approach to data base management as proposed by D. L. Childs has received attention as an alternative approach in recent years. In spite of its early history (i.e., 1968), little has been published through the years, Refs. 1 through 3 being the principal publications. W. T. Hardgrave, however, has also actively published in the area of Extended Set Theory.⁴⁻⁷

To show the feasibility of the approach, several software implementations of data base management systems using the foundation of Extended Set Theory have been produced. Two of these are the Set Theoretic Data Structure packages (STDS-I and STDS-OS) produced by Set Theoretic Information Systems Corporation. STDS-I and STDS-OS operate on IBM 360/370 and Amdahl computers.

The purpose of this paper is fourfold:

- To present a brief overview of the Extended Set Theory sufficient to motivate the approach
- To present an introduction to STDS-I and to note major differences in STDS-OS
- To provide some example query and update programs to demonstrate the salient characteristics and capabilities of the system

- To assess the capabilities and limitations of the systems.

To illustrate the flexibility and breadth, the examples provided in this report will be illustrated in STDS-I. STDS-I was chosen over STDS-OS as an illustrative tool for two basic reasons: (1) STDS-I is more powerful, has more operations, and is more flexible, and (2) the transportation data bases, which are of primary interest to this contract, were installed under STDS-I. The examples in STDS will be similar to those presented in Ref. 8 and will use the same Presidential data base. Thus, this report, when compared with the articles in Ref. 8, will give the reader a direct comparison and an accurate perspective with which to view an Extended Set Theoretic implementation: STDS.

BACKGROUND

Extended Set Theory was developed by David L. Childs with support from the CONCOMP project at the University of Michigan. Childs realized that computer data structures did not have a rigorous mathematical formulation, and began to develop a definition that would ultimately lead to practical results when applied to the computer environment.

To achieve a mathematical definition of computer data structures, particularly those used in data bases, Childs investigated classical set theory. The choice of classical set theory was a natural first step, because a data base record might be viewed as an n-tuple where each field in the record represents a domain of the n-tuple. However, classical set theory has some definite shortcomings when applied to records and data bases. These problems arise because of the definition of the n-tuple.

A standard classical set theoretic definition of the ordered pair (2-tuple) is:

$$\langle a, b \rangle = \left\{ \{a\}, \{a, b\} \right\}.$$

This definition is extended to n-tuples in a straightforward manner:

$$\langle a, b, c \dots \rangle = \left\{ \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\} \dots \right\}.$$

When this definition is applied to computer data structures, this definition quickly breaks down:

$$\langle 1, 0, 1 \rangle = \left\{ \{1\}, \{1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 1\} \right\} = \left\{ \{1\}, \{1, 0\} \right\} = \langle 1, 0 \rangle.$$

This example has demonstrated an anomaly with the classical set theoretic definition of the n-tuple. This anomaly, however, is not the only problem.

Certain obvious classical set theoretic operations on n-tuples are undefined, largely because of the definition of the n-tuple.

To achieve a better foundation for computer data structures, Childs developed a new definition of a set. The set E is defined as:

$$E = \left\{ \begin{matrix} i_1 & i_2 & i_3 & i_4 & \dots & i_n \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 & \dots & a_n \end{matrix} \right\},$$

where a_j is an atom of a set and i_j is a position indicator. Note that an n-tuple is now just a special case of a set:

$$\langle 1, 0, 1, 2 \rangle = \left\{ 1^1, 0^2, 1^3, 2^4 \right\}.$$

The advantages of the definition of the set become obvious:

1. There is no problem distinguishing between like elements with different positions.
2. n-tuples need not be considered specially; n-tuples are special cases of sets.
3. All classical set operations may be defined on these sets.
4. New operations on these sets may be defined.

INTRODUCTION TO SET THEORETIC DATA STRUCTURES (STDS)

It is this definition of the set that motivated the implementation of the STDS. The STDS software package was originally developed to experiment with these sets. However, once operational, STDS proved to be quite effective; versions of it are currently being marketed by Set Theoretic Information Systems Corporation. The current version of STDS limits itself to the special case of the set where all elements of the sets are atoms (the n-tuple case).

As alluded to previously, a collection of n-tuples can be viewed as a table:

$Q = \left\{ \langle \text{name}^1, \text{age}^2 \rangle : \Gamma \right\}$ can be viewed as

Name	Age
Sam	5
Fred	3
Susan	2
Mary	1
.	
.	
.	

(Γ is the membership-condition that must be valid for all members of the set. In this particular example, Γ could be children of Jim Smith.)

The STDS package itself consists primarily of operations on sets or tables. The operations that manipulate these tables can be categorized as follows:

1. I/O operations
2. Set operations
3. Arithmetic operations
4. Utility functions

A relatively brief description of the available Extended Set Theoretic Operations in STDS-I is included in Appendix A. For a more complete description see Refs. 9 and 10. To understand the remaining portions of this report, only these few operations need to be explained:

I/O and Utility

GET

PUT

SETFMT

LIST

QSFILE

QRETURN

Set Operations

UN

XPAN8

RMIX8

XSET

RS8

LEGL

In order to describe the above functions, examples will be drawn from the Presidential data base.⁸ For the purposes of explanation, the examples will be limited to two tables, Presidents and Elections:

Presidents

PRES#	LASTNAME...

Elections

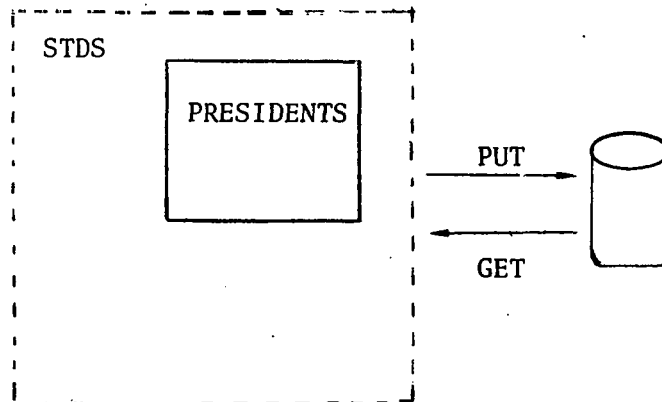
PRES#	ELEC YR

GET and PUT — Retrieve Sets from Archival Storage (i.e., archive sets)

The GET operation retrieves an already stored set (table) from secondary storage. The set (table) must have previously been stored by a PUT operation.

The PUT operation stores a set on secondary storage.

Example



SETFMT and LIST — Output Operations for Reports

The SETFMT operation is used to define a particular FORTRAN-like FORMAT statement for the purpose of printing the contents of a set (table).

The LIST command performs the actual output of the set using a user-supplied format, or one previously defined by use of the SETFMT operation.

QSFIL and QRETURN — Get Commands from a File

QSFIL is a utility function that permits input to be read from a file instead of the interactive terminal. The last line of the file should contain a QRETURN, to redirect the input from the file back to the interactive terminal.

UN — Produce the Union of Two Sets

Given two sets, a resultant set is constructed that contains each row belonging to either input set. The resultant set does not contain duplicates.

Example

UN(	1	Washington
	2	Adams, J

2	Adams J
	3 Adams JQ

) =

1	Washington
2	Adams J
3	Adams JQ

XPAN8 — Expand to Sets (JOIN)

XPAN8 compares the first domains of two inputs, and where a match occurs, constructs a resultant set containing the concatenation of the data fields from the two input sets:

Example

XPAN8(	PRES	
	1	Washington,
	2	Adams

ELEC	
1	1789
1	1792
2	1796

) =

PRES-ELEC		
1	Washington	1789
1	Washington	1792
2	Adams	1796

Currently, XPAN8 is not available in STDS-OS.

RMIX8 — Rearrange the Domains of a Set

RMIX8 rearranges domains within a set. An index set is used to specify the rearrangement (see XSET). This operation could be used to permute the President's number with his name as shown below:

RMIX8 (	1	Washington
	.	
	.	
	.	

) =

Washington	1
.	
.	
.	

XSET — Create an Index Set

XSET is used to create an index set. An index set specifies domain indices (usually bytes), which form the new format of the set using RMIX8.

For example, given a set P containing the character string:

1111111
1234567890123456
NOW IS THE TIME,

and the desire to create the resultant set Q:

1111111
1234567890123456
THE TIME IS NOW,

we would specify an index set X:

X	TP	FP	LEN
1	8	9	
10	5	3	
13	1	4	

where the domains of the index set X are:

TP — to position; the position the field is to be in the resultant set

FP — from position, the position the field is coming from in the input set

Len — the length of the field.

Once the index set X has been created using XSET, the RMIX8 operation is performed that references P as an input set, Q as a resultant set, and X as an index set.

RS8 — Restriction Operation

RS8 is a restriction operation that compares 8-bit domains in an input set with those in a restriction set, and produces a resultant set that contains rows of the input set that meet the restriction criteria of the restriction set.

Example

PRES		ELEC	
1	Washington	2	1796
2	Adams J		
3	Adams JQ		

RS8 on domain 1 of PRES, using ELEC as restriction set, yields:

2	Adams J
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LEGL — Logical Compare of Components of a Set

LEGL performs a logical compare of two components I and J of a set, and produces three resultant sets; SL whose components are such that $I < J$, SE such that $I = J$, SG such that $I > J$.

Example

		I	J			SL			SE			SG	
LEGL	(	1	2	)=		1	2		2	2		3	1
		2	2			4	5						
		3	1										
		4	5										

The STDS User Interface

STDS-I has a rather low-level user-interface for manipulating sets. Unlike the examples shown in the previous section the domains are not named and have a physical orientation. Each set has a domain declaration that is either 8, 16, or 32 bits. The length of the n-tuples (rows of the set) are integral multiples of the domain declaration. Because logical quantities stored are frequently larger than the physical domain declaration, logical

domains are referenced by giving the physical domain index (position) and a length (number of domains). However, STDS-OS does permit naming of domains.

Example

PRES	
1	Washington
	.
	.
	.

Set PRES might have a domain declaration of 32, but then all logical domains (fields) would have to begin on word boundaries on IBM 360/370 computers. Hence a reasonable alternative is to use an 8-bit (1 byte) domain declaration. If 2 bytes are allocated for president number, and ten for president's last name, then the president number is domain 1 with length 2, and the president's last name is domain 3 with length 10.

The physical orientation of the STDS-I package requires the user to know the position, format, and length of the data on the storage device. In subsequent examples, except where explicitly indicated, all fields are character representation (i.e., 8-bit domains).

STDS is accessed in two possible fashions:

1. By programming language (FORTRAN or COBOL) using CALL statements.
2. By an interactive interface. This interface is extremely simple and essentially requires the user to name the operation and to provide the parameters. The only basic difference between this interface and the programming language interface is that the user need not code the four letters "CALL"; otherwise the interfaces are nearly identical.

To provide a comprehensive set of examples of use of STDS, more detail about the presidential data will be presented in the next section.

PRESIDENTIAL DATA BASE

The Presidential data base contains information about the Presidents of the United States and their associated Congresses and Administrations, plus selected information about the States of the Union. This data base was used in a recent issue of Computing Surveys (Ref. 8 edited by E. Sibley), which contains tutorials on the various data base management disciplines including the relational, CODASYL and hierarchic data base approaches. In addition, this data base has also been implemented under IBM's Information Management

System (IMS).¹¹ Using this data base as our example, we will provide the reader with a vehicle for comparing the STDS system with other data base management systems.

A second advantage of the Presidential data base is that the information is well recognized and understood by a majority of people in the United States. This data base is small enough to be manageable but still complex enough to have different types of records and relationships. These include items, groups, repeating items, repeating groups, one-to-many relationships, and many-to-many relationships.

The implementation of the Presidential data base under the STDS system was divided into three steps:

1. The study of the raw data and their interrelationships
2. The design of an STDS data base and the loading of raw data into the STDS data base
3. The design and implementation of the application programs.

In this section, we will discuss step 1 in detail. Steps 2 and 3 will be presented in the subsequent sections.

Presidential Data

The raw data available in the Presidential data were divided into five groups:

1. Personal data on the Presidents: name, birthdate, state-born-in, height, party, college, ancestry, religion, occupation, date-of-death, cause-of-death, father, mother, wife, date-of-marriage, number-of-children, election-year, administration-number, Congress-number.
2. Data for each Presidential Administration: administration-number, inauguration date, president, vice-president, new-states-admitted to the Union during that administration.
3. Data on States: state-name, year-admitted, capital, area, area-ranking, population, population-ranking, number-of-electoral-votes, cities and city-populations.
4. Data on each Congress: congress-number, the major-parties and the number of their senators in the Senate, the major-parties and the number of their representatives in the House.
5. Data on each election: year, winner, winning-party, winner's total-votes, loser, losing-party, loser's total-votes.

A detailed description of the Presidential data base can be found in Ref. 8.

Relationships among Presidential Data Groups

The relationships among the Presidential data groups can be divided into two categories: the relationships between a group and its elements, and the relationships among groups.

Relationships between group and its elements — The relationships between each group (as mentioned in the above section) and its elements can be described in Table 1.

Table 1. Relationships between group and its elements.

Element	Degree of relationship
A. President	
Name, birthdate, state-born-in, height, party, college, ancestry, religion, date-of-death, cause-of-death, father, mother	1:1
Occupation	1:m, $m \geq 0$
Wife, date-of-marriage, number-of-children	1:m, $m \geq 0$
Election-year	1:n, $n \geq 1$
Administration-number	1:n, $n \geq 1$
Congress-number	1:n, $n \geq 1$
B. Administration	
Administration-number, inauguration-date, president, vice-president	1:1
New-state-admitted	1:m, $m \geq 0$
C. States	
State-name, year-admitted, capital, area, area-ranking, population, population-ranking, electoral-votes	1:1
City, city-population	1:n, $n \geq 1$
D. Congress	
Congress-number	1:1
Major-party in Senate, number-of-senators	1:n, $n \geq 1$
Major-party in House, number-of-representatives	1:n, $n \geq 1$
E. Election	
Year, winner, winner's party, winner's votes	1:1
Loser, loser's party, loser's votes	1:n, $n \geq 1$

Relationships among Groups — The relationships among the five data groups are described in Fig. 1.

STDS Implementation of Presidential Data Base

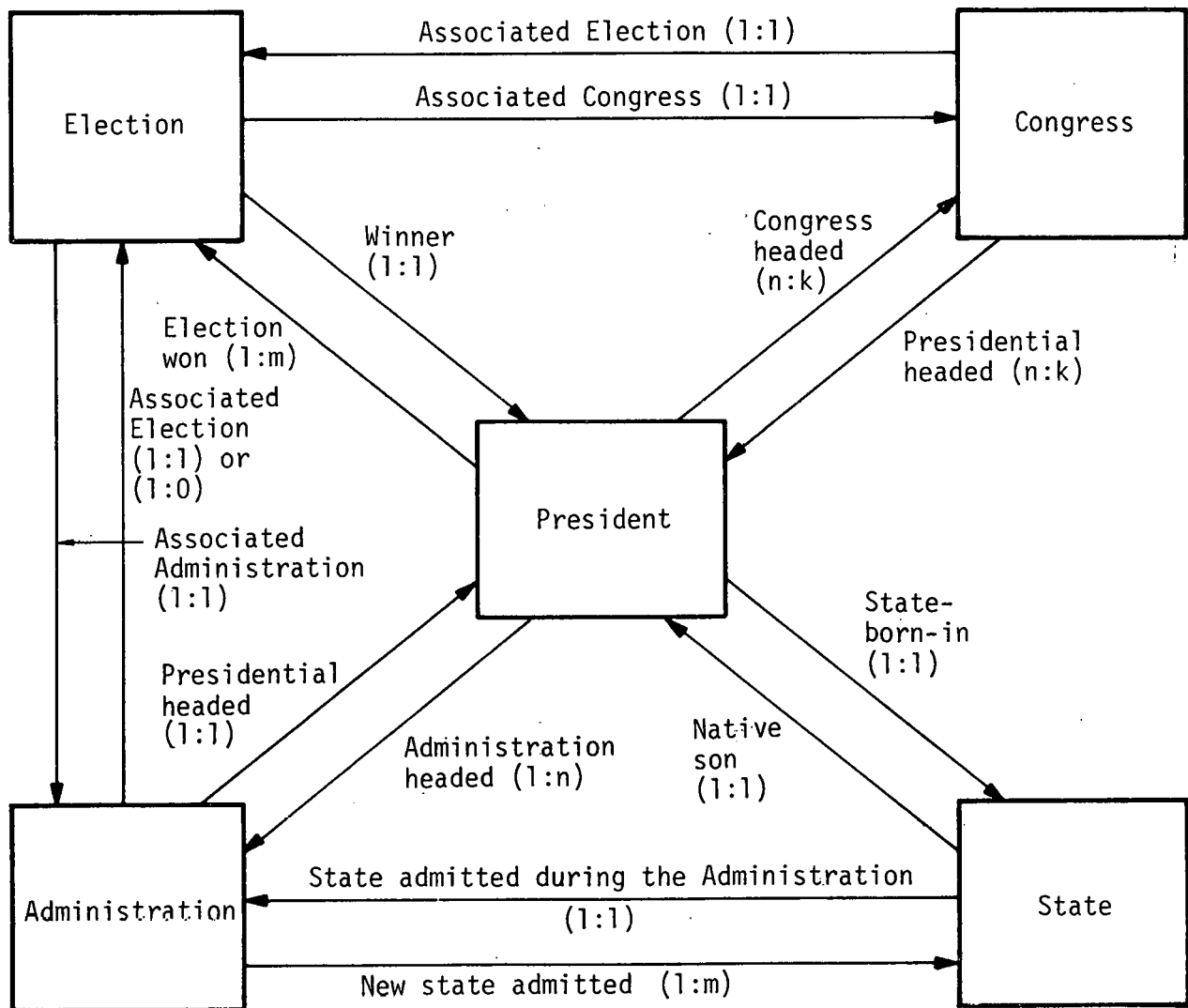
When the constrained definition of the extended sets allowed by STDS is given, the primary design decisions in developing the presidential data base are involved in the design of the n-tuples. One of the primary characteristics of n-tuples is that they have a fixed length. Consequently, one of the first design criteria that must be applied to the Presidential data is the factoring out of all repeating data. This step yields 13 sets:

ST. PRES = [pres#, pkey, last-name, first-name, initial, month-born, day-born, year-born, native-state-key, state-born-in, height, party, college, ancestry, religion, month-died, day-died, year-died, cause-of-death, father's name, mother's-name]
ST.OCCUP = [pres#, occupation]
ST. SPOUSE = [pres#, spouse-name, month-married, day-married, year-married, number-of-children]
ST.EYEAR = [pres#, election-year]
ST.PADM = [pres#, administration-number]
ST.CONG = [pres#, congress-number]
ST.ADMIN = [administration-number, month-inaug, day-inaug, year-inaug, pkey, vp-first-name, vp-last-name]
ST.NSTATE = [administration-number, new-state-admitted, state-key]
ST.STATE = [state-key, state-name, year-admitted, capital, area, area-ranking, population, pop-ranking, electoral-votes]
ST.CITY = [state-key, state-name, city-name, city-population]
ST.SENATE = [congress-number, party, number-of-senators]
ST.HOUSE = [congress-number, party, number-of-representatives]
ST.ELECT = [election-year, year, winner, winner's party, winner's-votes, loser, loser's party, loser's-votes]

Partial listings of the contents of these sets are found in Appendix B.

To make this example more concise, the ST.EYEAR and ST.ELECT sets could be modified to factor out repeating winner information:

ST.EYEAR = [pres#, election-year, year, winner, winner's party, winner's electoral-votes]
ST.ELECT = [eyear, loser, loser's party, loser's-electoral-votes]



Note that the integer $m \geq 0$ and the integers $n, k \geq 1$.

Fig. 1. Relationships among five data groups.

The relationships between sets are symbolically represented by data values. For example, the many-to-many relationship between congress and president is represented using the key fields of the sets ST.PRES (pres#) and ST.CONG (congress-number) dynamically at query time. To find all congresses associated with a president, XPAN8 ST.PRES with ST.CONG; to find all congresses associated with a president, XPAN8 ST.CONG with ST.PRES.

The relationships in the STDS implementation are diagrammatically represented in Fig. 2. Notice that factoring out all repeating data into additional sets has decomposed M:N relationships into 1:n and m:1 relationships. Thus the simple operation of factoring out repeating data results in straightforward data base design.

As mentioned previously, the STDS-I system does not provide a symbolic naming facility. In fact, if the domain declaration is 8-bit, first-name in the set ST.PRES is referred to as the field that is 10 domains long and begins at domain 25.

The set listings in the Appendix B show that all the set data are character strings. Obviously, the numeric fields could be compacted by using binary representations. Another improvement would be to replace all state names with state-identifiers, thereby compacting state names. A new set which establishes a correspondence between state identifier and state name could also be constructed.

Data Base Design in STDS is a fairly straightforward process of factoring out repeating data. Once the sets have been designed, the raw data must be converted into the set formats. For the presidential data base, the raw data (Appendix C) was loaded into an STDS format by a FORTRAN program (Appendix D). After the sets have been filled with data, they may be manipulated. The next section will show how such data can be manipulated.

SOME APPLICATION PROGRAMS

After the data base has been loaded into the STDS system, a series of application programs can be written to retrieve and to update the data base. There application programs can be written and stored in a command file and later activated through the command QSFILE. They can also be typed in one by one at the time using the STDS interactive interface. For the purpose of this discussion, the latter is presented in this section; however, for human and machine efficiency the former method is recommended.

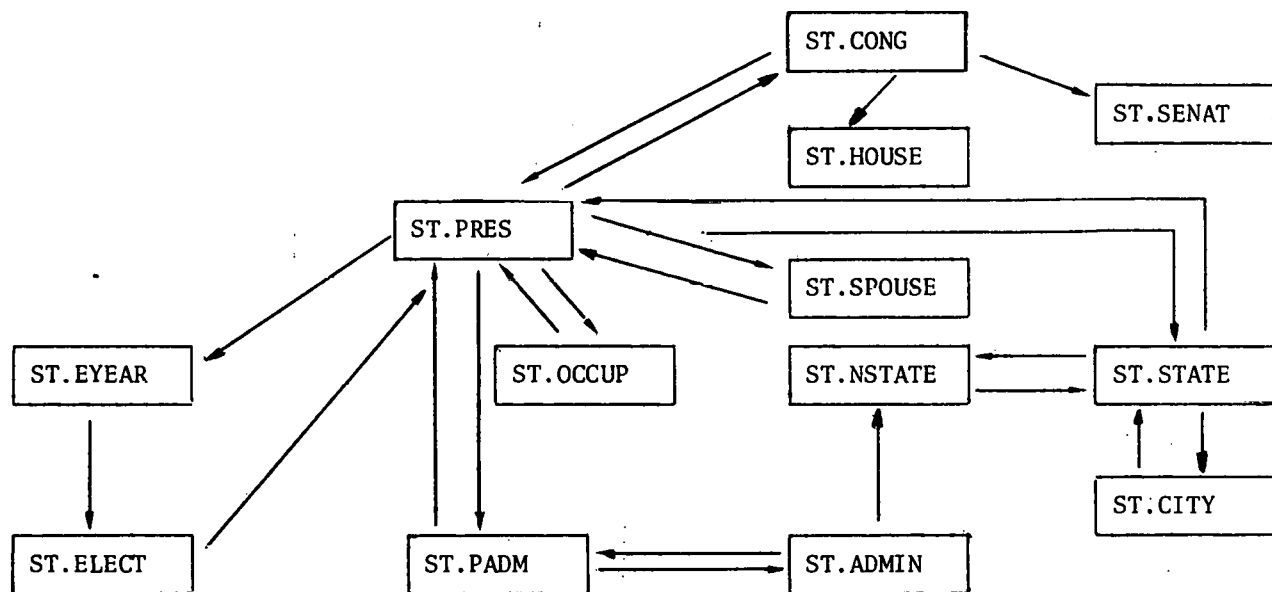


Fig. 2. Relationships in STDS implementation.

Some examples presented in this section are also found in Ref. 8. A comparison of the STDS and the DBTG approach based on one of these examples is presented in a later section, "Advantages of STDS."

Sample Retrieval Programs

Four examples are presented in this section. In each example, the purpose of the program is first stated, and then a set-approach algorithm is described in detail. Finally, an STDS-I program is presented.

Example 1 — The first example presented here is the same example used by R. Taylor in Ref. 8. The problem is to find all states that have more than one president as a native son, and then to print out the names of those states together with the numbers of the presidents who were born in that state.

Our algorithm^{*} for solving this problem is to form a set of tuples [state-born-in, president's-last name, first-name, initial] from the ST.PRES and then to tabulate the number of presidents born in the same state. The result from this tabulation is a set of pairs of the state-born-in and the number of presidents. A listing of this set is the final result to this problem. An example of an STDS-I program for implementing the above algorithm is presented in Fig. 3.

All elements in an STDS set are sorted by the lexicographical order of their first domain. Therefore, the final listing is in alphabetical order by the names of the states. If the order by the president's number is desired, one may simply switch the position of the pair [state-born-in, number-of-presidents] to that of the pair [number-of-presidents, state-born-in], and then print out the set.

Example 2 — The second example is to list all the occupations together with the presidents' names in the alphabetical order of occupations.

This problem involves acquiring access to two sets, namely the sets ST.PRES and ST.OCC, because the set ST.OCC contains only the president's number (first, second...) but not the president's name.

Our algorithm for solving this problem involved the following three steps:

1. Extract a set of [pres#, president's-last-name, first-name, initial] tuples from the set ST.PRES, and call it set P.
2. XPAN8 (Join) the set ST.OCC together with the set P based on the president's number in both sets. The result of this operation is a

* Those interested in a comparison between DBTG and STDS approaches may compare the difference between the algorithm presented here and the one in R. Taylor's paper.⁸

<u>STDS-I Commands</u>	<u>Commentary</u>
GET (P,'ST.PRES')	P <= ST.PRES
XSET (X)	
1, 83, 10	state-born-in
11, 13, 30	president's last-name, first-name, initial
\$ENDFILE	
RMIX8 (1, P, X, Q, 1)	Q ← [state-born-in, president's-name]
XTAB (10)	
DMR (1, 1, Q, R)	R ← [state-born-in, number-of-president]
LIST (R, 1, 1000, '(2X, 10A1, 4X, I4)')	

Fig. 3. STDS-I commands for Example 1.

set of [pres#, president-occupation, president's-last name, first-name, initial] tuples. Let this set be named PC.

3. RMIX8 (Project) the set PC into a set of [president-occupation, president's-last-name, first-name, initial] tuples. A listing of this set is the result of this problem.

A portion of an STDS-I program for this algorithm is presented in Fig. 4.

Note that, in the result of the above program, the occupations are listed all the time, even if they are repeated continuously. In some cases, one may want to list the occupations only when they first appear in the list. This problem may be solved by using a FORTRAN program to list the resulting set from STDS in any desired format. It is not recommended that this problem be solved by using STDS commands; to solve this problem in STDS, one would have to repeat the following procedure a number of times:

- Get one occupation from the set ST.OCC, and then find all the presidents who have this occupation.

The number of repetitions, N, is equal to the number of different occupations in the set ST.OCC. This procedure by itself is not a simple one (a similar example is presented in the next problem). Adding to the complexity is the fact that, each time this procedure is invoked, gaining access to the set ST.PRES is required at least once. Thus, a total of N accesses to the set ST.PRES would be required.

A good rule of thumb in programming with STDS is to remember that the basic unit in STDS is a set (e.g., a file) but not an element (e.g., record). To best utilize the power of STDS, one should retrieve information through sets, but not through elements.

Example 3

The purpose of this example is to illustrate the retrieval of information from an STDS on an element basis. As noted in the previous example, it is not recommended that information be retrieved that would require the traversal of one element at a time in an STDS set.

The problem illustrated by this example is to find all the Congresses served by a given president, and then to print out the given president's number followed by the Congressional term, and the number of senators and the number of members of the House of Representatives in each party.

Our algorithm is, first, to find the president number of the given president. Next, we use this president number to construct a set of all Congresses with whom he served. Then we extract Congress numbers one by one

<u>STDS-I Commands</u>	<u>Commentary</u>
GET (PRES,'ST.PRES')	PRES <= ST.PRES
XSET (X)	
1, 1, 2	pres#
3, 13, 30	president's last-name, first-name, initial
\$ENDFILE	
RMIX8(1,PRES,X,P,1)	P ← [pres#, president's name]
GET (OCC,'ST.OCC')	OCC <= ST.OCC
XPAN8 (2, OCC, PRES, PC, 1)	PC ← [pres#, occupation, president's name]
XSET (Y)	
1, 3, 40	occupation, president's name
\$ENDFILE	
RMIX8 (1, PC, Y, R, 1)	R ← [occupation, president's name]
LIST (R, 1, 1000 '(2X, 10A1, 4X, 30A1)')	

Fig. 4. STDS-I commands for Example 2.

from this set, and use this Congress number to get the Congress term and the number of senators and the number of the House of Representatives in each party. More detailed procedures are presented as follows:

1. For the given president name, extract the corresponding president number from the set ST.PRES.
2. Use the president number extracted from 1, to construct a set of Congresses with whom he served.
3. For each Congress number in the above set perform the following steps:
 - (a) Based on the given Congress number, extract a subset from the set ST.SENATE that contains only the given Congress number.
 - (b) Restrict (Project) the [party, number-of-senators] out from the above set and print the resulting set.
 - (c) For the same Congress number, extract a subset from the set ST.HOUSE that contains only the given Congress number.
 - (d) Restrict (Project) the [party, number-of-representatives] out from the above set and print the resulting set.

An STDS-I program for the above algorithm is presented in Fig. 5.

Example 4 - The purpose of this example is to show the power of STDS through a complex problem. The problem is to find all presidents such that the "majority party" in the Congress is different from the president's party. We defined a majority party in the Congress as the majority party in both the Senate and the House of that Congress. Because the information about the Senate and the House are stored in two separate sets (ST.SENATE and ST.HOUSE), we have to find the majority party of each Senate and that of each House, and then we have to determine the majority party in the Congress, if any. After finding the majority party in the Congress, we could find the president it served and compare the president's party with the congressional party. The operations required to accomplish this query are presented in Figs. 6a and 6b.

Sample Update Programs

In addition to the retrieval of information from a data base, updating a data base is another primary function of the data base management system. The purpose of updating a data base is to keep the information in a data base current. An example of this is the updating of the Presidential Data Base in order to incorporate a new state just admitted to the Union. Another example of updating the Presidential Data Base is the addition of the names of senators

STDS-I CommandsCommentary

GET (PRES, 'ST.PRES')

PRES <= ST. PRES

V\$ (\$A,8,NAME)

LINCOLN

type in president's name

RSEQ (1, PRES, NAME, X)

 $X \leftarrow \{ \text{PRES} \mid \text{last name} = \text{NAME} \}$

LIST (X, 1, 10, (2X, 130A1)')

16 ^LINCOLN^^^ LINCOLN^^^ ABRAHAM^^^^^^^^^^ FEBRUARY^^^^^^^^^^12^....

V\$(\$A, 8,PRENUM)

16

type in president number

GET (CONG, 'ST.CONG')

CONG <= ST.CONG

RSEQ (1,CONG, PRENUM, X)

 $X \leftarrow \{ \text{CONG} \mid \text{pres\#} = \text{PRENUM} \}$

LIST (X, 1, 10, '(2X, 20A1)')

16 C37

16 C38

16 C39

GET (SENATE, 'ST.SENATE')

SENATE <= ST.SENATE

GET (HOUSE, 'ST.HOUSE')

HOUSE <= ST.HOUSE

V\$ (\$A, 32, CONNUM)

repeat { C37

type in congress number

for { RSEQ (1, SENATE, CONNUM, P)

 $P \leftarrow \{ \text{SENATE} \mid \text{cong\#} = \text{CONNUM} \}$

C38 F1 = SETFMT (8,'(2X, 20A1, 2X, 10A1)

C39 LIST (P, 1, 10, F1)

RSEQ (1, HOUSE, CONNUM, Q)

 $Q \leftarrow \{ \text{HOUSE} \mid \text{cong\#} = \text{CONNUM} \}$

LIST (Q, 1, 10, F1)

Fig. 5. STDS-I commands for Example 3.

<u>STDS-I Commands</u>	<u>Commentary</u>
: (a) Find a set of majority parties in each Senate	
GET (SENATE, 'ST.SENATE')	SENATE <= ST. SENATE
XSET (X)	
1, 1, 4	cong#
5, 15, 10	number-of-senators
\$ENDFILE	
XSET(Y)	
1, 40, 0	
\$ENDFILE	
TABF (4, Y)	
RMIX8 (1, SENATE, X, SMAX, Ø)	SMAX ← [cong#, highest-number-of-senator]
XSET (Z)	
1, 1, 4	cong#
5, 15, 10	# of senators
15, 5, 10	party
\$ENDFILE	
RMIX8 (1, SENATE, Z, XSENAT, Ø)	XSENAT ← [cong#, # of senators, party]
RS8 (1, XSENAT, SMAX, SMAJ)	SMAJ ← [cong#, highest-number-of-senators, party]
: (b) Find a set of majority parties in each House	
GET (HOUSE, 'ST.HOUSE')	HOUSE <= ST.HOUSE
TABF (4, Y)	
RMIX8 (1, HOUSE, X, HMAX, Ø)	HMAX ← [cong#, highest-number-of-representatives]
RMIX8 (1, HOUSE, Z, XHOUSE, Ø)	XHOUSE ← [cong#, # of representatives, party]
RS8 (1, XHOUSE, HMAX, HMAJ)	HMAJ ← [cong#, highest # of rep., party]
: (c) Find a set of majority parties in both the Senate and the House	
XPAN8(4, SMAJ, HMAJ, CMAJ, 2)	CMAJ ← [cong#, # of maj. party's senators, maj. party, # of maj. party's rep., maj party]
LEGL (CMAJ, 15, 10, 35, 10, SL, SE, SG)	compare majority party in the Senate and the House
XSET (X)	
1, 1, 4	cong#
5, 15, 10	party

Fig. 6a. First half of STDS-I commands for Example 4.

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$ENDFILE

RMIX8 (1, SE, X, MAJ, 1)          MAJ ← [cong#, maj.-party in both
:                                the Senate and the House]

: (d) Construct a set of majority parties in the Congress and the president
:    they served

GET (CONG, 'ST.CONG')             CONG ≤ ST.CONG

XSET

1, 3, 4                           cong#
5, 1, 2                           pres#

$ENDFILE

RMIX8 (1, CONG, XCONG, 1)         XCONG ← [cong#, pres#]
XPAN8 (4, XCONG, MAJ, MAJ CON, 10) MAJCON ← [cong#, pres#, maj.-party]

XSET (X)

1, 5, 2                           pres#
3, 1, 4                           cong#
7, 7, 10                         maj.-party

$ENDFILE

RMIX8 (1, MAJCON, MAJOR, 1)       MAJOR ← [pres#, cong#, maj-party]

:

: (e) Find a set of president's names and their parties
:

GET (PRES, 'ST.PRES')            PRES ≤ ST.PRES

XSET (X)

1, 1, 2                           pres#
3, 13, 30                        president's last-name, first-name, init.
33, 103, 10                      president's party

$ENDFILE

RMIX8 (1, PRES, X, PPARTY, 1)     PPARTY ← pres#, pres-name, pres-party]

:

: (f) Find a set of majority parties in the Congress which is not the president's
:    party

XPAN8 (2, PPARTY, MAJOR, PCPART, 1) PCPART ← [pres#, pres-name, pres-party,
:                                cong#, maj-party]

IEGL (PCPART, 33, 10, 47, 10, SL, SE, SG) compare pres-party and maj-party

UN (SL, SG, RESULT)              RESULT is a subset of PCPART where
:                                pres party different with major
:                                party

LIST (RESULT, 1, 999, '(56A1)')

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Fig. 6b. Second half of STDS-I commands for Example 4.

and congressmen, as well as the names of the newly elected president and his administration.

Updating an STDS data base involves the change of the contents of some sets in the data base. In order to change a set in STDS one has to create a differential set¹² for the set to be changed. A differential set is a set of all updated elements of a given set. For example, a differential set of a set of states, ST.STATE, may be a set of all newly admitted states. To add these new states into the set ST.STATE is to "union" the set ST.STATE and its differential set. Similarly, to delete some elements from a set is to subtract its differential set from the original set. As for the content-modification or replacement of some elements in a set, one can simply create a differential set consisting of both the elements to be replaced and the elements to replace them; at that point, the symmetric difference between the original set and its differential set equals the updated set. For example, the original set $A = \{a,b,c\}$ and the updated set is expected to be $B = \{a,d,c\}$. One can create a differential set $D = \{b,d\}$; then the symmetric difference between the sets A and D is equal to the updated set; i.e., $A \Delta D = \{a,d,c\} = B$.

Differential sets may be used as the temporary sets for updating the data bases. They can also be used as a permanent "errata list" for the data base in the following sense. Rather than update a data base each time a change is desired, a small collection of modified records is maintained on the differential sets. If the changes to the data base continue, the differential sets grow to a sufficient length that the updating costs become justifiable, at which time a physical update to the data base may be performed. This method significantly reduces the update costs and has been widely used in many data base applications.¹² STDS is one of the best structures for implementing the concept of the differential sets.

In this section we will illustrate two examples of updating the STDS-I Presidential data base, one using physical updating and the other using differential sets.

Example 5. — To Admit a New State — Referring to the discussion of the Presidential data base, we recall that to enter a new state into the data base we have only to know the administration number under which the state is admitted. No other set except ST.NSTATE, ST.STATE, and ST.CITY in the data base need be affected by the addition of a new state. For the sake of simplicity, we assume that the area ranking and the population ranking have not been changed by the addition of the new state.

Our algorithm to admit this new state is to create three state sets that contain the information of the new state with respect to the three sets, ST.NSTATE, ST.STATE, and ST.CITY. Then, we replace these three old sets, respectively, by the union of the old set and its corresponding new state set. An STDS-I program for this example is presented in Fig. 7.

Example 6. — To Update Presidential Data Base after Each General Election — After each general election, a new president, a new administration, a new congress, and new election results will be added into the data base. As may be recalled from the section "Presidential Data Base," ten out of the total of thirteen sets have to be updated. The majority of these updates require simply inserting one or two new elements into an existing set, but this insertion involves the creation of a new set (physical file), copying the entire old set plus the new elements into the new set, and then destroying the old set. The cost of these steps may be very expensive, and thus the concept of differential sets may be beneficial to the overall system operation.

To implement the concept of differential sets, one has to create a small data base containing all new records from the election.

Note that this differential data base is considerably smaller than the original data base and therefore the creation cost and the future updating costs are greatly reduced. Some other advantages for having such a small differential data base are presented in Ref. 12. An example of the STDS-I program for creating this differential data base is presented in Figs. 8a and 8b.

ADVANTAGES OF STDS

In this and the following section the advantages and the potential problems of the STDS system are presented based on the experiences and opinions of the authors.

In the design of an STDS data base, one is immediately impressed by the simplicity of its design task. The STDS uses the key-values to indicate the relationships among sets, and the actual linkages of these relationships are formulated at query-time. This approach eliminates the problem of deciding the physical linkages at the design phase, and leaves only one task to the designers, namely the partitioning of a data base into a collection of minimal relevant sets.

<u>STDS-I Commands</u>	<u>Commentary</u>
: (a) Update ST.NSTATE	
DATA (NUNSTA, 8, 24, '(24A1)')	Read in NU.NSTATE
GET (NSTATE, 'ST.NSTATE')	NSTATE <= ST.NSTATE
UN(NSTATE, NUNSTA, NSTATE)	NSTATE ← NSTATE ∪ NUNSTA
PUT (NSTATE, 'ST.NSTATE')	NSTATE => ST.NSTATE
: (b) Update ST.STATE	
DATA (NUSTATE, 8, 90m '(90A1)', 'NU.STATE')	Read in NU.STATE
GET (STATE, 'ST.STATE')	STATE <= ST.STATE
UN (STATE, NUSTATE, STATE)	STATE ← STATE ∪ NUSTATE
PUT (STATE, 'ST.STATE')	STATE => ST.STATE
: (c) Update ST.CITY	
DATA (NUCITY, 8, 40, '(40A1)', 'NU.CITY')	Read in NU.CITY
GET (CITY, 'ST.CITY')	CITY <= ST.CITY
UN (CITY, NUCITY, CITY)	CITY ← CITY ∪ NUCITY
PUT (CITY, 'ST.CITY')	CITY => ST.CITY

Fig. 7. STDS-I commands for Example 5.

STDS-I Commands (Comments are prefaced by :)

: (a) Create a differential set D.PRES for the set ST.PRES
DATA (NUPRES, 16, 101, '(101a2)', 'NU.PRES')

PUT (NUPRES, 'D.PRES')

: Future reference to ST.PRES has to be changed to (PRES Δ DPRES)

: (b) Create a differential set D.OCC for the set ST.OCC
DATA (NUOCC, 32, 3, '(3A4)', 'NU.OCCUP')

PUT (NUOCC, 'D.OCCUP')

: Future reference to ST.OCCUP has to be changed to (OCCUP Δ DOCCUP)

: (c) Create a differential set D.SPOUSE for the set ST.SPOUSE
DATA (NUSPOU, 32, 13, '(13A4)', 'NU.SPOUSE')

PUT (NUSPOU, 'D.SPOUSE')

: Future reference to ST.SPOUSE has to be changed to (SPOUSE Δ DSPOUSE)

: (d) Create a differential set D.EYEAR for the set ST.EYEAR
DATA (NUEYEA, 32, 2, '(2A4)', 'NU.EYEAR')

PUT (NUEYEA, 'D.EYEAR')

: Future reference to ST.EYEAR has to be changed to (EYEA Δ DEYEAR)

: (e) Create a differential set D.PADM for the set ST.PADM
DATA (NUPADM, 16, 3, '(3A2)', 'NU.PADM')

PUT (NUPADM, 'D.PADM')

: Future reference to ST.PADM has to be changed to (PADM Δ DPADM)

Fig. 8a. First half of STDS-I commands for Example 6.

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: (f) Create a differential set D.CONG for the set ST.CONG
DATA (NUCONG, 16, 3, '(3A2)', 'NU.CONG')

PUT (NUCONG, 'D.CONG')

: Future reference to ST.CONG has to be changed to (CONG Δ DCONG)

: (g) Create a differential set D.ELEC to the set ST.ELEC

DATA (NUELEC, 8, 75, '(75A1)', 'NU.ELEC')

PUT (NUELEC, 'D.ELEC')

: Future reference to ST.ELEC has to be changed to (ELEC Δ DELEC)

: (h) Create a differential set D.ADMIN for the set ST.ADMIN

DATA (NUADMI, 8, 63, '(63A1)', 'NU.ADMIN')

PUT (NUADMI, 'D.ADMIN')

: Future reference to ST.ADMIN has to be changed to (ADMIN Δ DADMIN)

: (i) Create a differential set D.SENATE for the set ST.SENATE

DATA (NUSENA, 32, 6, '(6A4)', 'NU.SENATE')

PUT (NUSENA, 'D.SENATE')

: Future reference to ST.SENATE has to be changed to (SENATE Δ DSENATE)

: (j) Create a differential set D.HOUSE for the set ST.HOUSE

DATA (NUHOUS, 32, 6, '(6A4)', 'NU.HOUSE')

PUT (NUHOUS, 'D.HOUSE')

: Future reference to ST.HOUSE has to be changed to (HOUSE Δ DHOUSE)

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Fig. 8b. Second half of STDS-I commands for Example 6.

The use of key values to indicate the relationships among sets also provides a higher degree of data independence, which allows the user to update (i.e., to add, to delete, or to replace) relations independently of one another without tedious modifications of pointers which link one set to another set. Key values also allow the user to restructure a data base into any number of sets in order to reduce the physical storage requirements or the processing time of a data base. The set theoretical approach offers further potential storage reduction through the representation of a set in terms of its implicit membership condition (e.g., a function or a statement that defines the membership of a set). However, this ability for storing an abstract set has not been implemented in either version of the current STDS systems.

The representation of a data base as a collection of sets in STDS-I encourages the manipulation of data on a large aggregate of data. It is sensible to perform the same operations on each element in a set at a time because each set contains all relevant data. To illustrate this point further, let us compare the STDS-I and the DBTG implementations⁸ of the same problem as presented in Example 1. The DBTG implementation requires a loop of nine statements, and the STDS-I implementation requires only two statements without a loop. The basic difference is that the DBTG approach operates on one record at a time, while the STDS approach operates on a set of relevant records at one time. It is also worth noting that in the STDS approach, the user does not have to be bothered with traversing pointer chains (e.g., DBTG sets) or any other physical linkages.

The extended set operations provided by the STDS-I are a powerful set of data manipulation operations equivalent to the power of the relational algebra. This set of operations could be used as a basis for a high level nonprocedural language for retrieving information from a collection of sets. It could also be used as a basis for implementing a high-level relational calculus language.

The STDS-I provides two ways to access these operations: one through an interactive interface, and the other through FORTRAN or COBOL call statements. The ability to access these operations through FORTRAN (or COBOL) call statements is required for some classes of queries that cannot be directly answered by using STDS commands (as shown in Example 2). In addition, FORTRAN (or COBOL) provides a simple extension to new data manipulation functions and

a linkage to any application program, such as a graphic or statistical program.

SHORTCOMINGS OF STDS

Although the STDS system has many advantages, it also has some disadvantages. The principal disadvantage of STDS-I is its low-level user interface. This interface, as previously indicated, does not allow the user to symbolically name domains. Instead, the user references a logical domain by a physical domain index (e.g., byte offset) and a length (number of bytes). Not only is this cumbersome, but it forces the user to be cognizant of the data representation. A related problem, domain declaration, requires the user to stipulate the number of domains in terms of physical quantities, in this case, bytes, halfwords, and fullwords.

STDS-OS does permit the user to reference logical domains symbolically. In STDS-OS, a uniform domain declaration is presented to the user; therefore, physical quantities used to store the address data are transparent to the user. Although STDS-OS permits naming of components of sets (columns), its principal disadvantage is its orientation toward operations within sets but not among sets. Of primary concern, the XPAN8 operation (JOIN) is not present. The lack of the XPAN operation makes it impossible to perform queries that encompass elements from more than one set.

Certain operations require that a particular domain be the (physically) first domain before the operation is performed. This requirement obliges the user to perform a cumbersome series of operations:

1. XSET command to express the rearrangement
2. RMIX8 command to do the rearranging
3. XPAN8 operation
4. Another XSET
5. Another RMIX8 to transform the set back to its original orientation.

The shortcomings of the user interface are also demonstrated by the primitive report writer facilities. The facilities in STDS-OS (e.g., RPG) scarcely compare with commercial report writers; STDS-I is void of any such features.

Similar to the relational systems, the user is burdened with some of the same problems that face the relational DBMS community. Two chief problems are normalization and procedural queries. Normalization is the process of

constructing n-tuples in such a manner that no repeating data, functional dependencies or transitive dependencies exist within an n-tuple. In STDS, this process is left up to the user. Procedural queries, such as those that print out the following report, are difficult to perform (see Examples 2 and 3):

```
Adams J
    Butcher
    Baker
    Candlestick maker

Adams JQ
    Fireman
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The difficulty stems from the fact that in STDS and in relational systems, one works with sets, not just with records.

There are some miscellaneous disadvantages of STDS-I, such as not handling variable length data, not providing recovery or rollback facilities, and no security facilities (STDS-OS does permit passwords on sets, however).

Finally, STDS does not present to the user all the power of Extended Set Theory that would distinguish it from a relational system. The principal difficulty is the inability to have sets of sets. This inability hinders one's ability to compact data, to have automatic differential sets, and to have abstract sets — sets where a function is stored to generate data values rather than the data instances itself. In its present form, STDS does not provide a user with more capabilities than a relational system.

CONCLUSION

STDS provides a user with a very flexible and extremely powerful tool with which complex manipulation of data can be performed rapidly. In spite of its flexibility, STDS-I does not provide the user with a sufficiently "user-friendly" interface to allow noncomputer scientists to easily work with a data base. STDS-OS is a step in the right direction, but it currently has insufficient power to handle relationships between sets.

The potential capabilities of the Extended Set Theory seem to be very powerful and attractive; however, the current implementations do not provide the user with all the capabilities of Extended Set Theory. Almost all the

features (such as sets of sets and abstract sets) that would distinguish STDS from relational systems are not provided.

Because of its low-level nature, STDS does not have a sufficiently "user-friendly" interface for unsophisticated users. It is, however, a system that appears to be of interest to designers of relational data base management systems, and could possibly provide a more efficient means of implementing a relational system.

Despite some drawbacks in STDS, the Extended Set Theory has good potential, and, therefore, we recommend that:

1. A "user-friendly" interface be developed
2. Distinctive features of the Extended Set Theory be implemented.

Should these two additional features be incorporated into STDS, it would be a very attractive system.

APPENDIX A.
Complete Set of STDS-I Commands

STDS I Operations

Input/Output:

ATOS	transforms an array to a set
CORE	transfers a set from peripheral storage into core
DASD	specifies whether sets are forced to core or disk
DATA	allows formatted entry of data
ENTER	constructs a set
FREE	releases a set from the universe
GARRAY	constructs a set from an array
GBLOCK	transfers a block of elements from a set into an array
GET	enters a set from peripheral storage
PARRAY	writes a set to a file
PUT	stores a set
SGET	unscrambles and enters a set from peripheral storage
SINK	creates a permanently null set, or sink
SPUT	scrambles and stores a set
STODS	transfers a set to a dataset
UNIV	opens a universe
VOL	specifies the MTS volume on which a dataset is to be created
LIMIT	initializes a tape
TARRAY	retrieves a set which has been stored on tape in array form
TGET	retrieves a set which has been stored on tape in set form
TPUT	stores a set on tape in set form

Updating and Expanding:

DD	redefines the domain declaration of a set
DMR	performs a domain restriction
INDX	creates an index set (STDS*)
INDEX	creates an index set (FORTRAN)
INUM	converts portions of a set's components to integers
ISBMAX	redefines implicit set and buffer maxima
KDMR	creates a keyed domain
MIX8	rearranges the domains of an n-tuple using an index set
MULTU	performs a multiple update
MULTU1	performs multiple modification of bit-domains
REFMT	reformats a set
RMIX8	rearranges specified domains of an n-tuple
SETFMT	associates an index with a format
UPDT	updates specified values in a set
UPDT1	updates a one-bit domain in a set
XPAN8	expands the components of one set with domains from another set's components
ZPAK	removes specified zones from a set and packs the results

Restrictions and Set Operations:

BRSA	performs an arithmetic between restriction
BRSL	performs a logical between restriction
BRS8	performs a logical between restriction forcing eight-bit domains
DIN	returns a domain intersection of two sets
DRL	returns a domain relative complement of two sets
DSD	returns a domain symmetric difference of two sets
DUN	returns a domain union of two sets
IN	returns the intersection of two sets
LEGA	performs a arithmetic comparison of two components
LEGL	performs a logical comparison of two components
NRS1	performs a not restriction on one-bit domains
NRS8	performs a not restriction
RL	returns the relative complement of two sets
RSEQ	performs an equal-to restriction by a constant
RSGEA	performs an arithmetic greater-than-or-equal-to restriction by a constant
RSDEL	performs a logical greater-than-or-equal-to restriction by a constant
RSOTA	performs an arithmetic greater-than restriction by a constant
RSOTL	performs a logical greater-than restriction by a constant
RSLEA	performs an arithmetic less-than-or-equal-to restriction by a constant
RSLEL	performs a logical less-than-or-equal-to restriction by a constant
RSOTA	performs an arithmetic less-than restriction by a constant
RSOTL	performs a logical less-than restriction by a constant
RSNE	performs a not-equal-to restriction by a constant
RS1	performs a restriction on one-bit domains
RS8	performs a restriction
SD	returns the symmetric difference of two sets
SUBSET	returns a subset of a given set
UN	returns the union of two sets

Arithmetic Operations:

BITS	sets bits in a four-byte variable
CARTH	performs component arithmetic
SUM	calculates the sum, mean, minimum, maximum, and standard deviation for specified byte-domains of a set
V\$	defines a constant and associates it with a symbolic name

Operation and Set Information:

CARD	returns the cardinality of a set
COMMANDS	lists the available STDS* commands
Csize	causes core size to be printed after every operation
DDEC	returns the domain declaration for a set
GETELM	retrieves an element of a set
INFO	prints information about a dataset
LFMT	prints a format
LIST	prints specified subsets of a set
LISTU	prints information about the sets in the current universe
LISTV	prints the contents of a variable
MINKEY	returns the minimum key length for a set
NDOM	returns the number of domains in a set
TIME	prints information about the amount of time used since the last call to TIME

Line Files:

QCALC	performs calculations in pseudo-registers
QSFIL	specifies a source file
QRETURN	causes return from a line file to STDS*
QSKIP	allows a skip operation in a line file
QSREG	initializes pseudo-registers

Utility Functions:

DONE	leaves STDS* and deletes all temporary sets
ECHO	sets echo on or off
HISTOP	prints a histogram based on the floating point data in a given domain
MTS	returns control to the system
RES	restores the original (master) sink
SPRINT	specifies the system sink
STERR	specifies an error return entry point in a program which calls set operations
TAU	deletes duplicate elements
TAUOFF	allows implicit internal representation of sets
TAUON	establishes explicit representation for all sets manipulated by set operations
TEST	allows calls to user-supplied subroutines or functions

APPENDIX B.

Partial Listings of Sets in Presidential Data Base

8 VANBUREN VAN BUREN MARTIN	DECEMBER	5	1782NEW YORK	5FT. 6IN. DEMOCRATIC	DUTCH
DUTCH REF.JULY 24	1862ASTHMA ABRAHAM MARIA				
9 HARRISON HARRISON WILLIAM H.	FEBRUARY	9	1773VIRGINIA	5FT. 8IN. WHIG	HAMP.-SYD.ENGLISH
EPISCOPAL APRIL 4	1841PHEUMONIA BENJAMIN ELIZABETH				
10 TYLER TYLER JOHN	MARCH	29	1790VIRGINIA	6FT. 0IN. WHIG	WM.-MARY ENGLISH
EPISCOPAL JANUARY 18	1862FEVER JOHN MARY				

Set ST.PRES

1 FARMER
1 SOLDIER
1 SURVEYOR
2 LAWYER
2 TEACHER
3 LAWYER
3 WRITER
4 LAWYER
5 LAWYER
5 SOLDIER
6 LAWYER
6 SECRETARY
7 LAWYER
7 SADDLER
7 SOLDIER

Set ST.OCCUP

2 ABIGAIL	OCTOBER	25	1764	5
3 MARTHA	JANUARY	1	1772	6
4 DOLLEY	SEPTEMBER	15	1794	0
5 ELIZABETH	FEBRUARY	16	1786	3
6 LOUISA	JULY	26	1797	4
7 RACHEL	AUGUST	15	1791	0
8 HANNAH	FEBRUARY	21	1807	4
9 ANNA	NOVEMBER	25	1795	10

Set ST.SPOUSE

4 E1806
4 E1812
5 E1816
5 E1820
6 E1824
7 E1828
7 E1832
8 E1836
9 E1840

Set ST.EYEAR

CAL	CALIFORNIA	1850	SACRAMENTO	158693	3	19221000	1	40
COLORADO	COLORADO	1876	DENVER	104247	8	2048000	30	6
CONN	CONN.	1788	HARTFORD	5009	48	2959000	24	8
DELAWARE	DELAWARE	1787	DOVER	2057	49	534000	46	3
FLORIDA	FLORIDA	1845	TALLAHASSEE	58560	22	6160000	9	14
GEORGIA	GEORGIA	1766	ATLANTA	58876	21	4568000	15	12
HAWAII	HAWAII	1959	HONOLULU	6424	47	778000	40	4
IDAHO	IDAHO	1890	BOISE	83557	13	705000	41	4

Set ST.STATE

KANSAS	KANSAS	KANSAS	CITY	121901
KANSAS	KANSAS	TOPEKA		119484
KANSAS	KANSAS	WICHITA		254698
KENTUCKY	KENTUCKY	LOUISVILLE		390639
LA	LOUISIANA	BATONROUGE		154190
LA	LOUISIANA	NEWORLEANS		627525
LA	LOUISIANA	SHREVEPORT		160535
MARYLAND	MARYLAND	BALTIMORE		939024

Set ST.CITY

C16	FEDERALIST	7
C17	DEM-REP	44
C17	FEDERALIST	4
C18	DEM-REP	44
C18	FEDERALIST	4
C19	ADMIN.	26
C19	JACKSONIAN	20

Set ST.SENATE

C16	DEM-REP	156
C16	FEDERALIST	27
C17	DEM-REP	158
C17	FEDERALIST	25
C18	DEM-REP	187
C18	FEDERALIST	26
C19	ADMIN.	105
C19	JACKSONIAN	97

Set ST.HOUSE

E1812	1812	MADISON	DEM-REP	128	CLINTON	INDEP.	89
E1816	1816	MONROE	DEM-REP	183	KING	FEDERALIST	34
E1820	1820	MONROE	DEM-REP	231	ADAMS	INDEP.	1
E1824	1824	J.Q. ADAMS	DEM-REP	84	CLAY	INDEP.	37
E1824	1824	J.Q. ADAMS	DEM-REP	84	CRAWFORD	INDEP.	41
E1824	1824	J.Q. ADAMS	DEM-REP	84	JACKSON	INDEP.	99
E1828	1828	JACKSON	DEMOCRATIC	178	ADAMS	NAT-REP	83

Set ST.ELECT

2 A3
 3 A4
 3 A5
 4 A6
 4 A7
 5 A8
 5 A9
 6 A10
 7 A11
 7 A12
 8 A13

Set ST.PADM

7 C21
 7 C22
 7 C23
 7 C24
 8 C25
 8 C26
 9 C27
 10 C27
 10 C28
 11 C29
 11 C30

Set ST.CONG

A1	APRIL	30	1789 WASHINGTON	JOHN	ADAMS
A10	MARCH	4	1825 ADAMS JQ	JOHN	CALHOUN
A11	MARCH	4	1829 JACKSON	JOHN	CALHOUN
A12	MARCH	4	1833 JACKSON	MARTIN	VAN BUREN
A13	MARCH	4	1837 VAN BUREN	RICHARD	JOHNSON
A14	MARCH	4	1841 HARRISON	JOHN	TYLER
A15	APRIL	6	1841 TYLER		
A16	MARCH	4	1845 POLK	GEORGE	DALLAS
A17	MARCH	4	1849 TAYLOR	MILLARD	FILLMORE

Set ST.ADMIN

A30	IDAHO	IDAHO
A30	MONTANA	MONTANA
A30	N.D.	ND
A30	S.D.	SD
A30	WASHINGTON	WASH
A30	WYOMING	WYOMING
A31	UTAH	UTAH

Set ST.NSTATE

APPENDIX C.
Partial Listings of Raw Input Data

STATES HAWAII HAWAII 1959 HONOLULU 6424 47 770000
 40 4 1 HONOLULU 294194 STATES IDAHO IDAHO
 1890 BOISE 83557 13 705000 41 4 0
 STATES ILLINOIS ILLINOIS 1818 SPRING. 56400 25 10974000
 4 26 3 CHICAGO 3550404 ROCKFORD 132109 PEORIA
 103162 STATES INDIANA INDIANA 1816 INDIANAP. 36291 38
 5067000 12 13 6 INDIANAP. 476258 GARY 178320
 FORTWAYNE 172594 EVANSVILLE 144463 SOUTH BEND 132445 HAMMOND 111698
 STATES IOWA IOWA 1846 DES MOINES 56290 26 2746000
 25 9 2 DES MOINES 206739 CED. RAP. 103545 STATES
 KANSAS KANSAS 1861 TOPEKA 82264 14 2303000 29
 7 3 WICHITA 254698 KANSAS CITY 121901 TOPEKA 119484

PRES HARRISON HARRISON BENJAMIN AUGUST 20 1833
 OHIO OHIO 5FT. 6IN. REPUBLICAN MIAMI O. ENGLISH PRESBYT. 1
 LAWYER MARCH 13 1901 PNEUMONIA JOHN ELIZABETH 2
 CAROLINE OCTOBER 20 1853 2 MARY APRIL 6
 1896 1 1E1868 1A30 2C51
 C52 PRES MCKINLEY MCKINLEY WILLIAM JANUARY 29
 1843 OHIO OHIO 5FT. 10IN. REPUBLICAN ALLEGHANY SCOT-IRISH METHODIST
 2 LAWYER TEACHER SEPTEMBER 14 1901 ASSASSIN. WILLIAM
 NANCY 1IDA JANUARY 25 1871 2 2
 E1896 E1900 2A32 A33 3C55 C56
 C57 PRES ROOSEVELT ROOSEVELT THEODORE OCTOBER 27
 1858 NEW YORK NEW YORK 5FT. 10. REPUBLICAN HARVARD DUTCH DUTCH REF.
 2 LAWYER PUB. OFF. JANUARY 6 1919 RHEUMATISM THEODORE
 MARTHA 2ALICE OCTOBER 27 1880 1EDITH
 DECEMBER 2 1886 5 1E1904 2A34
 A35 4C57 C58 C59 C60 PRES TAFT
 TAFT WILLIAM H. SEPTEMBER 15 1857 OHIO OHIO
 6FT. 0IN. REPUBLICAN YALE SCOT-IRISH UNITARIAN 1LAWYER MARCH
 8 1930 DEBILITY ALPHONSO LOUISE 1HELEN JUNE
 19 1886 3 1E1908 1A36 2
 C61 C62 PRES WILSON WILSON WOODROW DECEMBER
 28 1856 VIRGINIA VIRGINIA 6FT. 0IN. DEMOCRATIC PRINCETON ENGLISH
 PRESBYT. 2LAWYER TEACHER FEBRUARY 3 1924 HEART DIS.
 JOSEPH JESSE 2ELLEN JUNE 24 1885 3
 EDITH DECEMBER 18 1915 0 2E1912 E1916
 2A37 A38 4C63 C64 C65 C66

ELECTION E1848 1848 TAYLOR WHIG 163 1CASS
 DEMOCRATIC 127 ELECTION E1852 1852 PIERCE DEMOCRATIC 254
 1SCOTT WHIG 42 ELECTION E1856 1856 BUCHANNAN
 DEMOCRATIC 174 2FREMONT REPUBLICAN 114 FILLMORE AMERICAN
 8 ELECTION E1860 1860 LINCOLN REPUBLICAN 180 3
 DOUGLAS DEMOCRATIC 12 BRECKRIDGESOU. DEM. 72 BELL CONSTIT.
 39 ELECTION E1864 1864 LINCOLN REPUBLICAN 212 1
 MC CLELLAN DEMOCRATIC 21 ELECTION E1868 1868 GRANT REPUBLICAN
 214 1SEYMOUR DEMOCRATIC 80 ELECTION E1872 1872
 GRANT REPUBLICAN 286 1GREELEY DEMOCRATIC 66

A20	MARCH		4	1857	BUCHANAN	1	JOHN	ADMIN	
	3	MINNESOTA MINN		OREGON	OREGON		KANSAS	BRECKRIDGE	
A21	MARCH		4	1861	LINCOLN	1	HANNIBAL	ADMIN	
	2	W.VA. WVA		NEVADA	NEVADA		A22	HAMLIN	
	4	1865		LINCOLN	1	ANDREW	JOHNSON	MARCH	
A23	APRIL		15	1865	JOHNSON			ADMIN	
NEBRASKA	ADMIN	A24		MARCH		4	1869	GRANT	1
SCHUYLER	COLFAX			ADMIN	A25		MARCH		4
GRANT		1		WILSON		1	COLORADO	COLORADO	ADMIN
A26	MARCH		4	1877	HAYES		1	WILLIAM	WHEELER
	ADMIN	A27		MARCH		4	1881	GARFIELD	1
CHESTER	ARTHUR			ADMIN	A28		SEPTEMBER		2
ARTHUR				ADMIN	A29		MARCH		4
CLEVELAN		1		THOMAS	HENDRICKS				

					CONGRESS	C7		2
FEDERALIST	14	DEM-REP	18	2	FEDERALIST		36	DEM-REP
	69	CONGRESS	C8	2	FEDERALIST	9	DEM-REP	25
	2	FEDERALIST	39	DEM-REP	10	2	CONGRESS	C9
FEDERALIST	7	DEM-REP	27	2	FEDERALIST		25	DEM-REP
	116	CONGRESS	C10	2	FEDERALIST	6	DEM-REP	28
	2	FEDERALIST	24	DEM-REP	11	8	CONGRESS	C11
FEDERALIST	6	DEM-REP	28	2	FEDERALIST		48	DEM-REP
	94	CONGRESS	C12	2	FEDERALIST	6	DEM-REP	30
	2	FEDERALIST	36	DEM-REP	10	8	CONGRESS	C13
FEDERALIST	9	DEM-REP	27	2	FEDERALIST		68	DEM-REP
	112	CONGRESS	C14	2	FEDERALIST	11	DEM-REP	25
	2	FEDERALIST	65	DEM-REP	11	7	CONGRESS	C15
FEDERALIST	10	DEM-REP	34	2	FEDERALIST		42	DEM-REP
	141	CONGRESS	C16	2	FEDERALIST	7	DEM-REP	35
	2	FEDERALIST	27	DEM-REP	156			

APPENDIX D.

Program to Load Raw Data into STDS Data Base

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C      *** SER4: PRES. TEST                <10,04,76>      ***
C
SUBROUTINE TEST (NUM,SET)
IMPLICIT INTEGER (A-X,Z,$)
INTEGER B(6),C(13),INC(13)/13*0/,NB(6)/6*0/
INTEGER STAT/'STAT'/,PRES/'PRES'/,ELEC/'ELEC'/,CONG/'CONG'/,ADMI/'ADMI'/
LOGICAL*1 A(50000),BA(32768),BB(32768),BC(32768),BD(32768),BE(32768),BF(32768)
LOGICAL*1 XX(4),ZZ(4)
INTEGER LC(13)/90,40,202,12,52,12,6,6,80,70,24,24,24/
EQUIVALENCE(NB(1),NBA),(NB(2),NBB),(NB(3),NBC),(NB(4),NBD),(NB(5),NBE),(NB(6),NBF)
EQUIVALENCE (Z,ZZ(1)),(X,XX(1))
NUMAX=NUM*80
IF(NUM.GT.0) GO TO 101
PRINT 100
100  FORMAT(' *** TEST(CARD,ARRAY) ~ STATE,CITY,PRES,OCC,SPOUC,EYEAR,',
*','PADM,CONG,ELEC,ADMIN,NSTATES,SENATE,HOUSE ***')
RETURN
C
101  L=0
LL=0
SW1=0
SW2=0
SW3=0
SW4=0
X=0
CALL GBLOCK(1,SET,1,NUM,50000,A(1))
B(1)=$AD(BA)
B(2)=$AD(BB)
B(3)=$AD(BC)
B(4)=$AD(BD)
B(5)=$AD(BE)
B(6)=$AD(BF)
DO 102 I=1,13
102  CALL $OUT(C(I),INC(I),LC(I),0,8,LC(I),2,2)
PRINT 9001
9001  FORMAT('~OUT')
C
200  L=L+LL
LL=0
IF(L.GE.NUMAX) GO TO 6000
ZZ(1)=A(L+1)
ZZ(2)=A(L+2)
ZZ(3)=A(L+3)
ZZ(4)=A(L+4)
IF(Z.EQ.STAT) GO TO 1000
SW1=SW1+1
IF(Z.EQ.ELEC) GO TO 2000
SW2=SW2+1
IF(Z.EQ.PRES) GO TO 3000
SW3=SW3+1
IF(Z.EQ.ADMI) GO TO 4000
SW4=SW4+1
IF(Z.EQ.CONG) GO TO 5000
PRINT 9009,Z,L,LL
9009  FORMAT('Z,L,LL:',Z9,216)
GO TO 6000
C
C      STATES[C(1)1, CITY(C(2))]
1000  CALL IMVC(90,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
NBA=NBA+90
LL=110
Z=0
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
XX(4)=A(L+LL-1)

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Z=(X-240)*10+Z
1001 IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 200
DO 1100 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(20,BB,NBB,A,L+10)
NBB=NBB+20
CALL IMVC(20,BB,NBB,A,L+LL)
NBB=NBB+20
1100 LL=LL+20
GO TO 200

C
C PRES[C(3)], OCC[C(4)], SPOUCE[C(5)], EYEAR[C(6)], PADM[C(7)], CONG[C(8)]
2000 IF(SW1.GT.1) GO TO 2001
DO 2002 I=1,2
CALL $EMPTY(B(I),INC(I),NB(I))
CALL $SET(C(I),INC(I),1)
2002 NB(I)=0
CALL PUTD(C(1),'ST.STATE')
CALL PUTD(C(2),'ST.CITY')
PRINT 9002
9002 FORMAT(' 1000')

C PRES-C3
2001 CALL IMVC(2,BA,NBA,SW1,2)
NBA=NBA+2
CALL IMVC(140,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
NBA=NBA+140
LL=160
Z=0
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2100

C OCCUP-4
DO 2010 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(2,BB,NBB,SW1,2)
NBB=NBB+2
CALL IMVC(10,BB,NBB,A,L+LL)
NBB=NBB+10
2010 LL=LL+10
2100 CALL IMVC(60,BA,NBA,A,L+LL)
NBA=NBA+60
LL=LL+70
Z=0
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2200

C SPOUCE-5
DO 2110 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(2,BC,NBC,SW1,2)
NBC=NBC+2
CALL IMVC(50,BC,NBC,A,L+LL)
NBC=NBC+50
2110 LL=LL+50

C EYEAR-6
2200 Z=0
LL=LL+10
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2300
DO 2210 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(2,BD,NBD,SW1,2)
NBD=NBD+2
CALL IMVC(10,BD,NBD,A,L+LL)
NBD=NBD+10
2210 LL=LL+10

C PADMIN-7
2300 Z=0

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ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2400
DO 2310 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(2,BE,NBE,SW1,2)
NBE=NBE+2
CALL IMVC(4,BE,NBE,A,L+LL)
NBE=NBE+4
2310 LL=LL+10
C
2400 Z=0
LL=LL+10
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 200
DO 2410 I=1,Z
CALL IMVC(2,BF,NBF,SW1,2)
NBF=NBF+2
CALL IMVC(4,BF,NBF,A,L+LL)
NBF=NBF+4
2410 LL=LL+10
GO TO 200
C
3000 IF(SW2.GT.1) GO TO 3010
DO 3001 I=1,6
CALL $EMPTY(B(I),INC(I+2),NB(1))
CALL $SET(C(I+2),INC(I+2),1)
PRINT 9003
9003 FORMAT(' 2000')
3001 NB(I)=0
C
3010 CALL IMVC(50,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
NBA=NBA+50
LL=70
Z=0
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 200
CALL IMVC(30,BA,NBA,A,L+LL)
NBA=NBA+30
LL=LL+30
IF(Z.EQ.1) GO TO 200
DO 3100 I=2,Z
CALL IMVC(50,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
NBA=NBA+50
CALL IMVC(30,BA,NBA,A,L+LL)
NBA=NBA+30
3100 LL=LL+30
GO TO 200
C
4000 IF (SW3.GT.1) GO TO 4010
CALL $EMPTY(B(1),INC(9),NBA)
CALL $SET(C(9),INC(9),1)
NBA=0
PRINT 9004
9004 FORMAT(' 3000')
4010 CALL IMVC(50,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
LL=70
NBA=NBA+50
Z=0
ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
Z=Z-240
IF(Z.NE.0) GO TO 4011
BA(NBA+1)=A(L+LL-1)
CALL IMVC(19,BA,NBA+1,BA,NBA)

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CONG-8

ELEC[C(9)]

ADMIN[C(10)]

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4011 CALL IMVC(20,BA,NBA,A,L+LL)
      LL=LL+20
4012 NBA=NBA+20
      LL=LL+10
      Z=0
      ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
      Z=Z-240
      IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2000
C
      DO 4200 I=1,Z
      CALL IMVC(4,BB,NBB,A,L+10)
      NBB=NBB+4
      CALL IMVC(20,BB,NBB,A,L+LL)
      NBB=NBB+20
4200 LL=LL+20
      GO TO 2000
C
5000 IF(SW4.GT.1) GO TO 5010
      DO 5001 I=1,2
      CALL $EMPTY(B(I),INC(I+9),NB(I))
      CALL $SET(C(I+9),INC(I+9),1)
5001 NB(I)=0
      PRINT 9005
9005 FORMAT(' 4000')
5010 LL=30
      Z=0
      ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
      Z=Z-240
      IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 5200
C
      DO 5100 I=1,Z
      CALL IMVC(4,BA,NBA,A,L+10)
      NBA=NBA+4
      CALL IMVC(20,BA,NBA,A,L+LL)
      LL=LL+20
5100 NBA=NBA+20
5200 LL=LL+10
      Z=0
      ZZ(4)=A(L+LL)
      Z=Z-240
      IF(Z.EQ.0) GO TO 2000
C
      DO 5300 I=1,Z
      CALL IMVC(4,BB,NBB,A,L+10)
      NBB=NBB+4
      CALL IMVC(20,BB,NBB,A,L+LL)
      LL=LL+20
5300 NBB=NBB+20
      GO TO 2000
C
6000 DO 6001 I=1,2
      CALL $EMPTY(B(I),INC(I+11),NB(I))
      CALL $SET(C(I+11),INC(I+11),1)
6001 NB(I)=0
      PRINT 9006
9006 FORMAT('PUTD')
      CALL PUTD(C(3),'ST.PRES')
      CALL PUTD(C(4),'ST.OCC')
      CALL PUTD(C(5),'ST.SPOUC')
      CALL PUTD(C(6),'ST.EYEAR')
      CALL PUTD(C(7),'ST.PADM')
      CALL PUTD(C(8),'ST.CONG')
      CALL PUTD(C(9),'ST.ELEC')
      CALL PUTD(C(10),'ST.ADMIN')
      CALL PUTD(C(11),'ST.NSTATE')
      CALL PUTD(C(12),'ST.SENATE')
      CALL PUTD(C(13),'ST.HOUSE')
      DO 6100 I=1,13
6100 CALL FREE(C(I))
      RETURN
      END
NSTATES-11
SENATE-12
HOUSE-13

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