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Identification

Error Message Generator
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Purpose

Send an error message to the 7094 for 6.36 jobs not completed on the 635.

Description

The Error Message Generator is a 635 program which prepares a CTSS input tape consisting of one file "run name" ERROR. This file contains the date and approximate time of the job's failure, a standard message: JOB NOT RUN TO COMPLETION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON... , and the reason for the failure as typed in by the 635 operator.

Operator Instructions

After a job has unsuccessfully terminated, thereby not creating a return tape, run the Error Message Generator to create the return tape.

When the program types

TYPE PROBN PROGN RUNNAM

type in the problem number, programmer number, and run name as typed out by the unsuccessful job (one space between fields) followed by end of message.

When the program types

TYPE REASON

type in the reason that the job did not run to completion followed by end of message. This message usually will be very short, although a maximum of 84 characters will be accepted.

In case of a typing error, the standard procedure of pushing operator input error should be used.

The tape created by the Error Message Generator should be returned to the IBM 7094 after marking the box labeled ERRET on the shuttle sheet.