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SUBJECT: EPHEMERIS TAPE

- 1. NEED SOME MORE INFORMATION.
- 2. ARE ALL EPHEMERIS DATA RECORDS 120 BCD CHARACTERS IN LENGTH?
- 3. ARE THE PRINTED REPORT PAGE AND COLUMN HEADING LINES INCLUDED ON THE TAPE? -- IN THE DATA RECORDS?
- 4. UPON ENCOUNTERING "F-TAPE" IN WORD 5 OF A RECORD, DOES ANY DATA WHATSOEVER REMAIN TO BE PRINTED?
- 5. ARE THE EPHEMERIS DATA RECORDS IN THE EXACT FORMAT OF THE REPORT PRINTED LINE?
- IS THERE ANY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THERE BEING A MAXIMUM OF 54 DATA RECORDS IN A GROUP, AND THE NUMBER OF PRINT LINES PER REPORT PAGE?
- 7. IS COMPARING ON REV NO. NECESSARY, EITHER TO GET COLUMN HEADINGS, PAGE OVERFLOW, OR FOR ANY FORMS CONTROL OPERATION?
- 8. WHAT IS THE SIGNIFICANCE OF "IDENTICAL" ZEROS APPEARING IN THE EXTREME RIGHT COLUMN OF FIELDS CONTAINING DECIMAL POINTS? WHAT IS MEANT BY AN "IDENTICAL" ZERO.

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