

Navigating INFO



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Section Seven

Additional Concepts

EXAMPLE

ARRAYS

WIDENING-COST

GRAVEL-COST

CUT-COST

FILL-COST

GUARD-RAIL-COST

PAINT-COST

ASPHALT-COST

CURB-COST

ROCK-CUT-COST

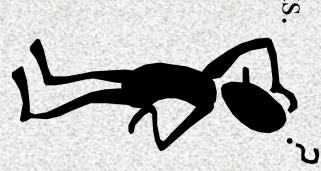
CONCRETE-COST

TOTAL-COST

PROBLEM

Calculate
TOTAL-COST
as the sum of the
10 costs.

Redefined item COST



CREATING the ARRAY

ENTER COMMAND>REDEFINE
ENTER DATAFILE DEFINTION
ITEM STATITNG COLUNM>1
ITEM NAME>COST
ITEM WIDTH>4,12,F,2

ENTER STARTING COLUMN><CR>

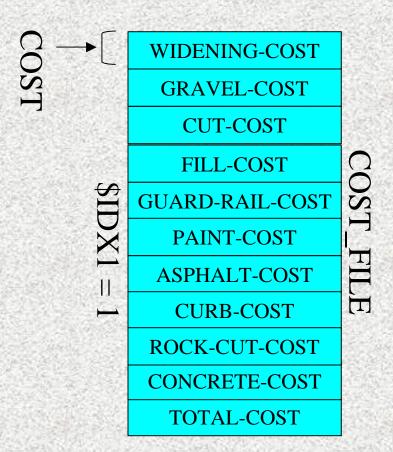
ENTER COMMAND>ALTER COST

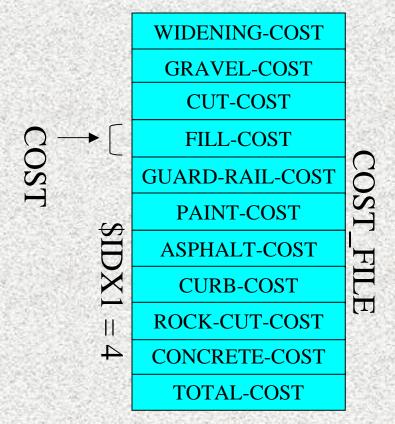
WIDENING-COST
GRAVEL-COST
CUT-COST
FILL-COST
GUARD-RAIL-COST
PAINT-COST
ASPHALT-COST
CURB-COST
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CONCRETE-COST
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ITEM NAME> ITEM STARTING COLUMN> ITEM WIDTH> ITEM OUTPUT WIDTH> ITEM TYPE> ITEM DECIMAL PLACES> ITEM PROTECTION LEVEL> ALTERNATE ITEM NAME> ENTER KEY E LEVEL> ENTER INDEX NUMBER>1 ENTER NUMBER OF OCCURRENCENCES>10

ARRAY "COST" ~ ELEMENTS 1-10

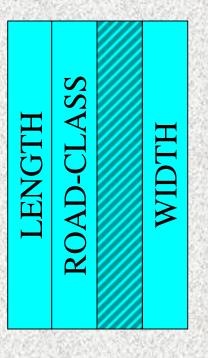
USING the ARRAY





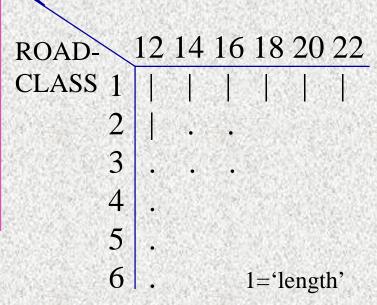
Cross Tabulation of Arrays

COVER.AAT

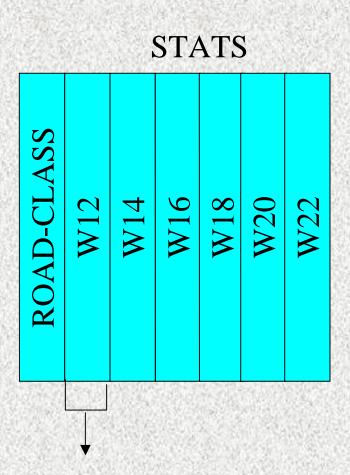


Objective:

Build a two-dimensional matrix of total length of road by ROAD-CLASS and WIDTH, a s follows:



Cross-Tabulation



Redefined item TLENGTH, INDEX of 1 with 6 occurrences

ARRAYS

Define an INDEX table for WIDTH

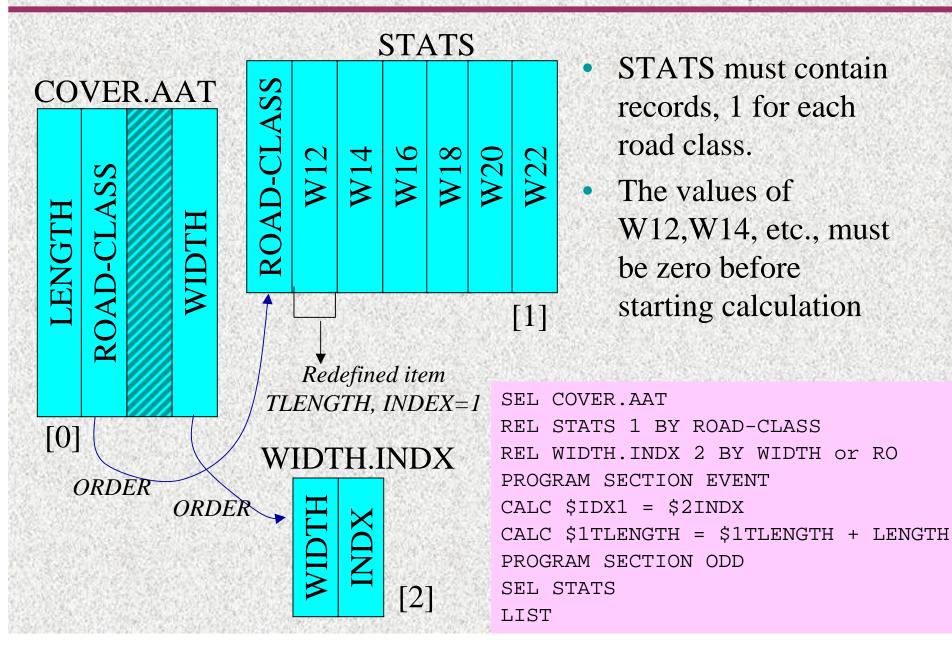


WIDTH is 2,2,I INDX is 4,5,B

Its contents would be:

| WIDTH | INDX |
|-------|------|
| 12 | 1 |
| 14 | 2 |
| 16 | 3 |
| 18 | 4 |
| 20 | 5 |
| 22 | 6 |

Cross-Tabulation of Arrays





AREA REE-TY

> KEY, 4,4,C TREE-TYPE, 2,2,C DBH, 2,4,B

COVER.KEY

TREE-TYPE
DBH
RECNUM

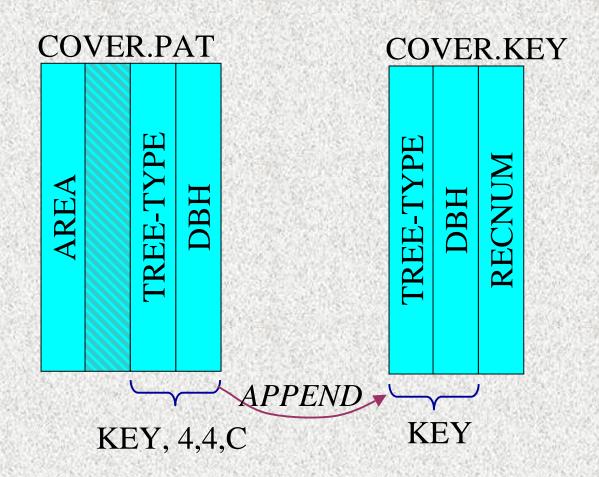
KEY

TREE/DBH.TBL

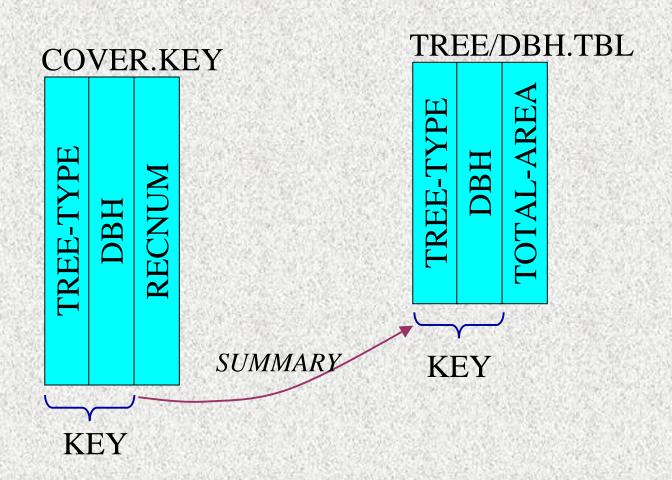
TREE-TYPE
DBH
TOTAL-AREA

KEY

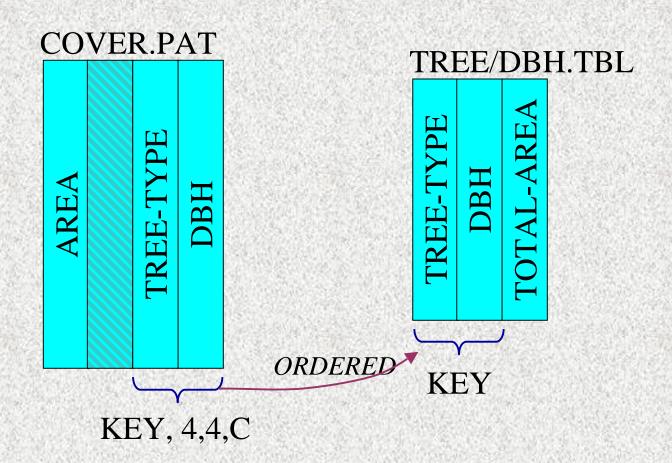
Build the Key File:



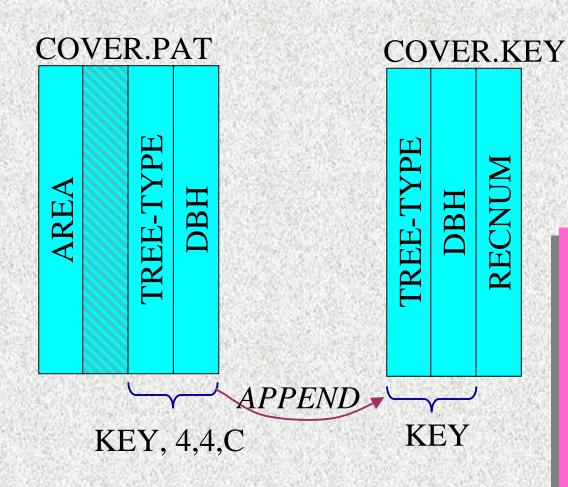
Populate the Summary File:



Summarize:



Build the Key File:



SEL COVER.PAT

REL COVER.KEY 1 BY

TREE-TYPE APPEND

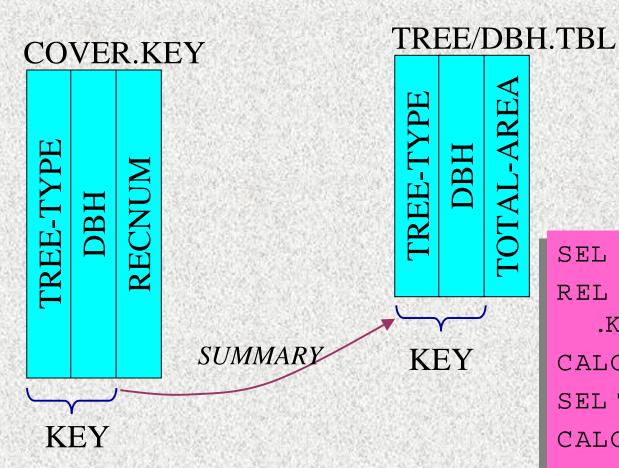
CALC \$1DBH = DBH

SEL COVER.KEY

CALC RECNUM = RECNO

SORT.KEY

Populate the Summary File:



SEL COVER.PAT

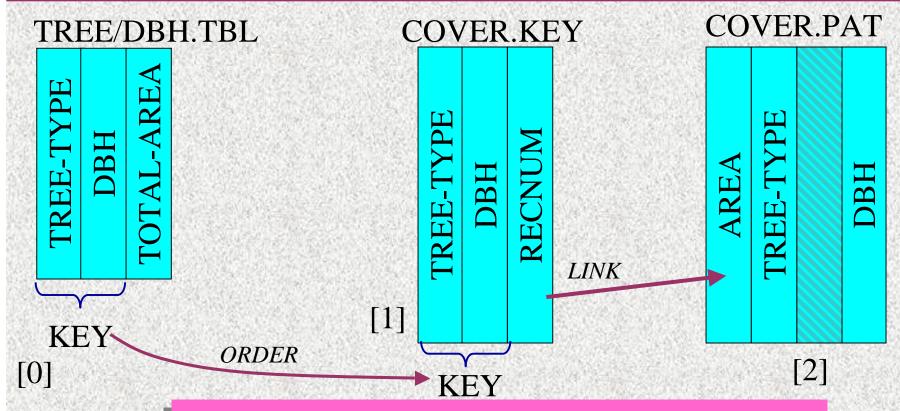
REL TREE/DBH.TBL 1 BY

.KEY. SUMMARY

CALC \$NUM1= \$NUM1 + 1

SEL TREE/DBH.TBL

CALC TOTAL-AREA = 0.0

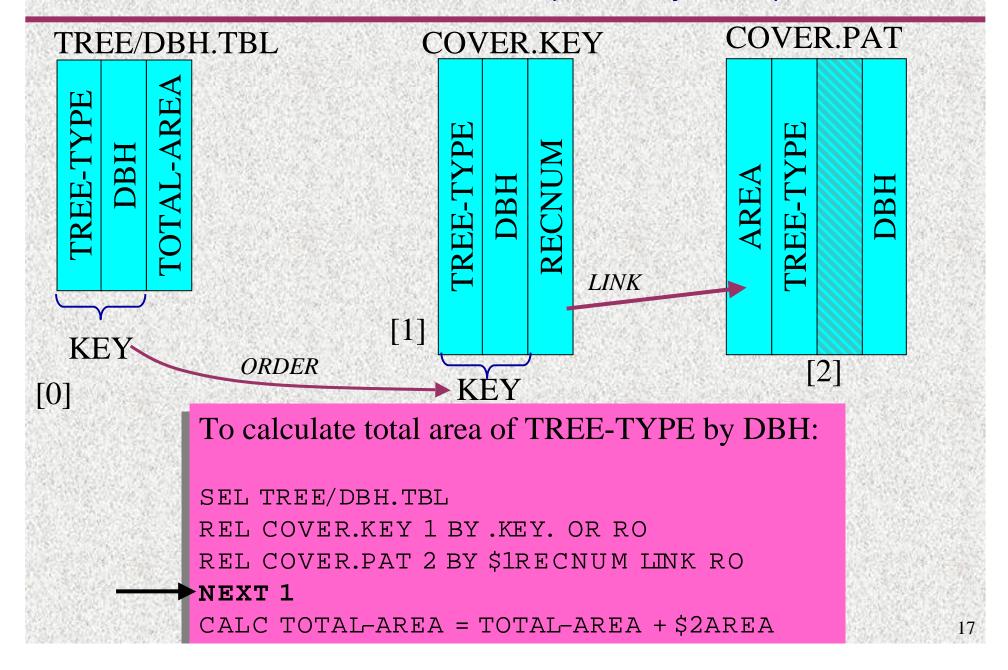


To calculate total area of TREE-TYPE by DBH:

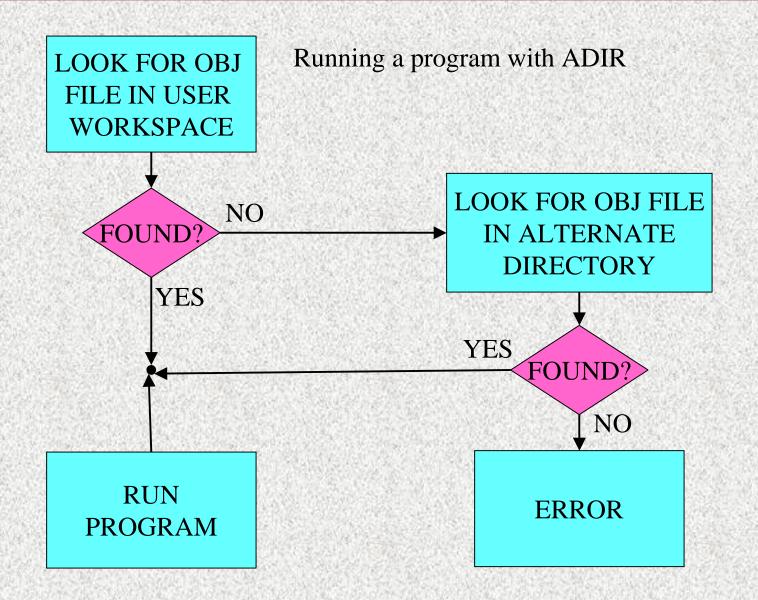
SEL TREE/DBH.TBL
REL COVER.KEY 1 BY .KEY. OR RO

REL COVER.PAT 2 BY \$1RECNUM LINK RO

CALC TOTAL-AREA = TOTAL-AREA + \$2AREA



Alternate Directories



Alternate Directories

USER DIRECTORY

ARCDR9

Read-Only Access

ARCDR9 is a duplicate of DR9 in Program directory.

All other files are read from Program directory.

PROGRAM DIRECTORY

ARCDR9

ARCnnOBJ

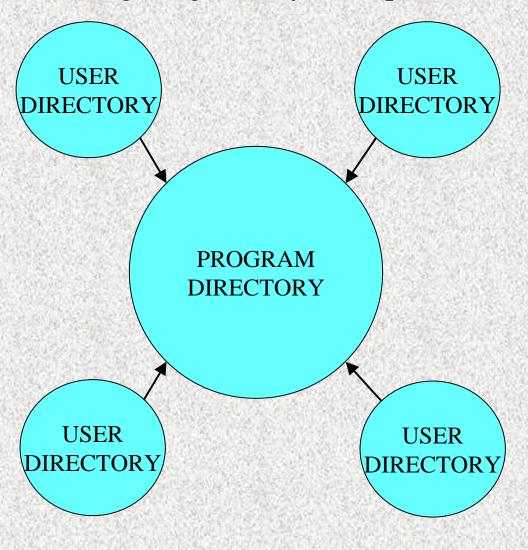
ARCnnnSRC

ARCnnnDAT

ARCnnnNIT

Alternate Directories

Sharing Programs by Multiple Users



- Each users has a separate directory.
- Each user directory
 has a copy of the
 DR9 file from the
 program directory.
- Changes to
 programs in the
 program directory
 take effect in all
 user directories.

Displaying Text with INFO

- Use the HELP command
- Displays any system-level text file
- Pauses after 23 lines, like a report
- Use HELP to create your own HELP function
- Use HELP to display bulky text data
- Use HELP to display menus

Purging from Large Files

RES by \$RECNO=300 PURGE

RES by \$RECNO=200

PURGE

RES by \$RECNO=100

PURGE

RES by \$RECNO=50

PURGE

READ/ WRITE

29,999

Records

READ/

WRITE

29,998

Records

READ/

WRITE

29,997

Records

READ/

WRITE

29,996

Records

VS.

READ/

WRITE

29,996

Records

RES by \$RECNO=300

CALC\$ID=999

ASEL

RES by \$RECNO=200

CALC \$ID=999

ASEL

RES by \$RECNO=100

CALC \$ID=999

ASEL

RES by \$RECNO=50

ASEL \$ID=999

PURGE

Also, note that method 1 causes record numbers to change whenever a record is purged - all records following the purged one have their record number decreased by 1.

Loading and Unloading Data

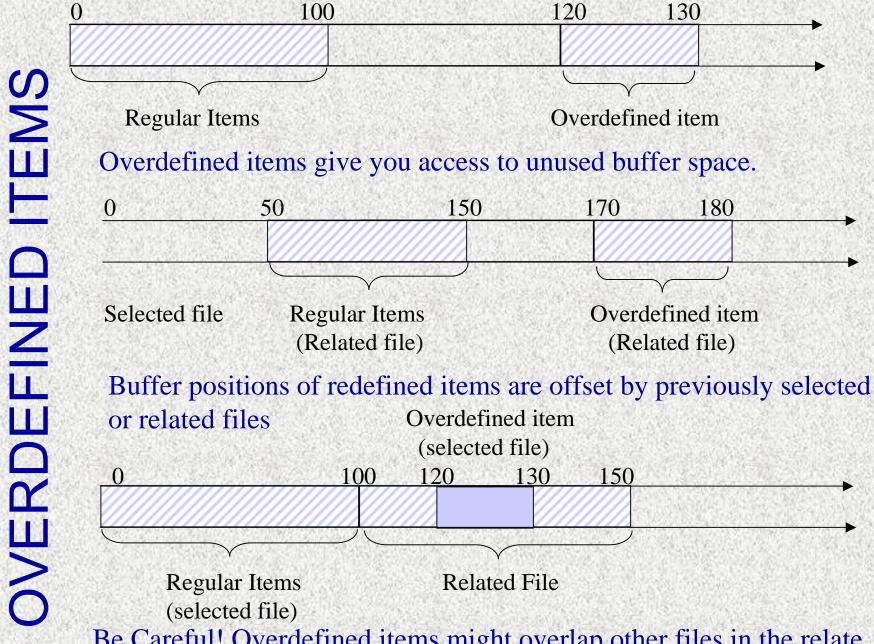
Use ADD to enter data interactively or form a file containing delimiters.

Use GET to read a formatted file or to copy a file into INFO

Use SAVE to put INFO data into a file without changing its format.

Use PRINT to put INFO data into a text file and rearrange or reformat items.

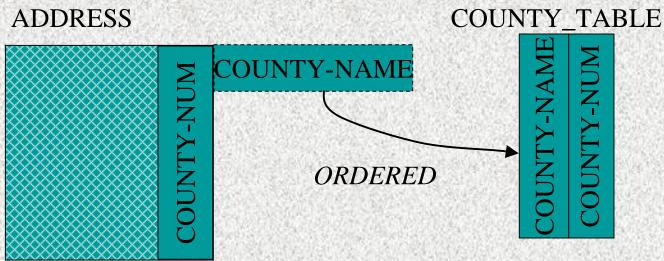
Use REPORT to create specially formatted text files with header lines.



Be Careful! Overdefined items might overlap other files in the relate structure!

OVERDEFINED ITEMS

AN EXAMPLE:



• In the program:

SEL ADDRES
REL COUNT.TABLE BY COUNTY-NAME OR
INPUT FROM ADDRESS.IF

• In the input form:

10,5,COUNTY: 10,15,COUNTY-NAME,M1 10,15,COUNTY-NUM,S,\$1COUNTY-NUM

Other Useful Techniques

Checking Sort Order

FORMAT \$NUM1, 4,5,B

CALC \$NUM1 = 0

SELECT COV.PAT

PROGRAM SECTION EVEN

IF COV# LT \$1NUM1

DIS 'The file is not sorted!'

DONE

CALC \$NUM1 = COV#
PROGRAM SECTION ODD
END

ENDIF

Selecting Unique Records

FORMAT \$NUM1,4,5,B

FORMAT \$NUM2, 4,5,B

DIS 'Enter the ID to search
for: ',=ACCEPT \$NUM1

PROGRAM SECTION EVEN

IF COV-ID = \$NUM1

CALC \$NUM2 =
\$RECNO
DONE

ENDIF

PROGRAM SECTION ODD
RESELECT BY \$RECNO =
\$NUM2

Modular Arithmetic

FORMAT \$NUM1,2,5,B FORMATNUM2, 2,5,B FORMAT \$NUM3, 2,5,B DIS 'Enter the interval value:', = ACCEPT \$NUM1 SELECT CONTOURS.AAT PROGRAM SECTION EVEN CALC \$NUM2 = Elevation / \$NUM1 **REM** REM Truncates if elevation not evenly divisible **REM** CALC \$NUM3 = \$NUM2 * \$NUM1 **REM** REM Gives different elevation if \$NUM3 **REM** truncated **REM** IF ELEVATION = \$NUM3 CALC FLAG = 1**END IF** PROGRAM SECTION ODD