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## HELP for JADE (on the computer)

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I have created the skeleton of a HELP system on the DESY IBM. This is modelled on the successful version in use at PLUTO. The system is available for use but it is currently limited in utility by the paucity of information contained in the file. Preparation of additional members by either the experts or by anyone who has the information on general programs in use at JADE would definitely improve the accessibility of information for all, especially the newer members of JADE.

To use the system you only need ONCE IN EACH LIBRARY from which you want access to HELP to enter the command:

'f32BOB.HLP (##INSTAL)'

This will link the JADE HELP on behind the system help.  
The command

OF                    **HELP JADE**  
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gives the list of available HELPs. Putting an H in column 1 of the line containing the item of interest will display the help member. If you know the name under which the item is filed just type:

## Имя

If there are common names for JADE and NEWLIB, the system always wins. So in such cases one must add a \* to the name to allow it to be found. For that reason the help listed below appears as \*GUIDE in the list of available helps.

MEMBER #\*GUIDE = HELP \*GUIDE

## GUIDELINES FOR JADE-HELP

1. Mixed mode (upper and lower case) is permitted.
2. Write your documentation with large margins -- the HELP processor truncates the first two columns.
3. For a HELP member which gives the format of a bank, please use the established format. (See the member F32BOB.HELP(#HEAD) for an example.)
4. If you wish people to be able to display your HELP member at their terminals, its name should begin with the character '#'.  
  
5. Brevity is a virtue, clarity is a greater virtue, but

the imperative virtue is accessibility.

Contact R.G.Glasser (in his absence Steve Wagner) F32  
to have your HELP member installed.

a copy of this information can be obtained by submitting the job 'JADEPR.TEXT (JBJCN64)' by

