

# CSE User's Manual

## California Simulation Engine

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## 1 Introduction

### 1.1 Greetings

The purpose of this manual is to document the California Simulation Engine computer program, CSE. CSE is an hourly building and HVAC simulation program which calculates annual energy requirements for building space conditioning and lighting. CSE is specifically tailored for use as internal calculation machinery for compliance with the California building standards.

CSE is a batch driven program which reads its input from a text file. It is not intended for direct use by people seeking to demonstrate compliance. Instead, it will be used within a shell program or by technically oriented users. As a result, this manual is aimed at several audiences:

1. People testing CSE during its development.
2. Developers of the CSE shell program.
3. Researchers and standards developers who will use the program to explore possible conservation opportunities.

Each of these groups is highly sophisticated. Therefore this manual generally uses an exhaustive, one-pass approach: while a given topic is being treated, *everything* about that topic is presented with the emphasis on completeness and accuracy over ease of learning.

Please note that CSE is under development and will be for many more months. Things will change and from time to time this manual may be inconsistent with the program.

### 1.2 Manual Organization

This Introduction covers general matters, including program installation.

**Operation** documents the operational aspects of CSE, such as command line switches, file naming conventions, and how CSE finds files it needs.

**Input Structure** documents the CSE input language in general.

**Input Data** describes all of the specific input language statements.

**Output Reports** will describe the output reports.

Lastly, **Probe Definitions** lists all available probes.

## 1.3 Installation

### 1.3.1 Hardware and Software Requirements

CSE is a 32-bit Microsoft Windows console application. That is, it runs at the command prompt on Windows XP, Windows Vista, and Windows 7. Memory and disk space requirements depend on the size of projects being modeled, but are generally modest.

To prepare input files, a text editor is required. Notepad will suffice, although a text editor intended for programming is generally more capable. Alternatively, some word processors can be used in “ASCII” or “text” or “non-document” mode.

### 1.3.2 Installation Procedure

Create a directory on your hard disk with the name \CSE or some other name of your choice. Copy the files into that directory. Add the name of the directory to the PATH environment setting unless you intend to use CSE only from the CSE directory.

## 2 Operation

### 2.1 Command Line

CSE is invoked from the command prompt or from a batch file using the following command:

```
CSE *inputfile* {*switches*}
```

where:

*inputfile* specifies the name of the text input file for the run(s). If the filename has an extension other than “.cse” (the default), it must be included. The name of the file with weather data for the simulation(s) is given in this file (wfName= statement, see [Weather Data Items](#)).

*{switches}* indicates zero or more of the following:

- -D*name* defines the preprocessor symbol *name* with the value “”. Useful for testing with `#ifdef name`, to invoke variations in the simulation without changing the input file. The CSE preprocessor is described “[The Preprocessor](#)”.
- -D*name=value* defines the preprocessor symbol *name* with the specified *value*. *Name* can then be used in the input file to allow varying the simulation without changing the input file – see “[The Preprocessor](#)” for more information. The entire switch should be enclosed in quotes if it contains any spaces – otherwise the command processor will divide it into two arguments and CSE will not understand it.
- -b batch mode: CSE will never stop for a response from the user when an error occurs. Error messages may thus scroll off the screen, but will all be in the error message file.
- -p display all the class and member names that can be “probed” or accessed in CSE expressions. “Probes” are described in “[Probes](#)”. Use with command processor redirection operator “>” to obtain a report in a file. *Inputfile* may be given or omitted when -p is given.
- -q similar to -p, but displays additional member names that cannot be probed or would not make sense to probe in an input file (development aid).
- -x specifies report test prefix; see [TOP](#) repTestPfx. The -x command line setting takes precedence over the input file value, if any.

### 2.2 Locating Files

As with any program, in order to invoke CSE, the directory containing CSE.EXE must be the current directory, or that directory must be on the operating system path, or you must type the directory path

before CSE.

A CSE simulation requires a weather file. The name of the weather file is given in the CSE input file (**wfName=** statement, see **Weather Data Items**). The weather file must be in one of the same three places: current directory, directory containing CSE.EXE, or a directory on the operating system path; or, the directory path to the file must be given in the **wfName=** statement in the usual pathName syntax. ?? Appears that file must be in current directory due to file locating bugs 2011-07

The CSE input file, named on the CSE command line, must be in the current directory or the directory path to it must be included in the command line.

Included input files, named in **#include** preprocessor directives (see “**The Preprocessor**”) in the input file, must be in the current directory or the path to them must be given in the **#include** directive. In particular, CSE will NOT automatically look for included files in the directory containing the input file. The default extension for included files is “.CSE”.

Output files created by default by CSE (error message file, primary report and export files) will be in the same directory as the input file; output files created by explicit command in the input file (additional report and/or export files) will be in the current directory unless another path is explicitly specified in the command creating the file.

## 2.3 Output File Names

If any error or warning messages are generated, CSE puts them in a file with the same name and path as the input file and extension .ERR, as well as on the screen and, usually, in the primary (default) report file. The exception is errors in the command line: these appear only on the screen. If there are no error or warning messages, any prior file with this name is deleted.

By default, CSE generates an output report file with the same name and path as the input file, and extension “.REP”. This file may be examined with a text editor and/or copied to an ASCII printer. If any exports are specified, they go by default into a file with the same name and path as the input file and extension “.EXP”.

In response to specifications in the input file, CSE can also generate additional report and export files with user-specified names. The default extensions for these are .REP and .CSV respectively and the default directory is the current directory; other paths and extensions may be specified. For more information on report and export files, see **REPORTFILE** and **EXPORTFILE** in “**Input Data**”.

## 2.4 Errorlevel

CSE sets the command processor ERRORLEVEL to 2 if any error occurs in the session. This should be tested in batch files that invoke CSE, to prevent use of the output reports if the run was not satisfactory. The ERRORLEVEL is NOT set if only warning messages that do not suppress or abort the run occur, but such messages DO create the .ERR file.

# 3 Input Structure

**DRAFT:** In the following, any text annotated with ?? indicates areas of uncertainty or probable change. As the program and input language develop, these matters will be resolved.

## 3.1 Introduction

The CSE Input Language is the fundamental interface to the CSE program. The language has been designed with three objectives in mind:

1. Providing direct access to all program features (including ones included for self-testing), to assist in program development.

2. Providing a set of parametric and expression evaluation capabilities useful for standards development and program testing.
3. Providing a means for other programs, such as an interactive user interface, to transmit input data and control data to the program.

Thus, the language is not intended to be used by the average compliance or simulation user. Instead, it will be used during program development for testing purposes and subsequently for highly technical parametric studies, such as those conducted for research and standards development. In all of these situations, power, reproducibility, and thorough input documentation take precedence over user-friendliness.

CSE reads its input from a file. The file may be prepared by the user with a text editor, or generated by some other program.

## 3.2 Form of the CSE Data

The data used by CSE consists of *objects*. Each object is of a *class*, which determines what the object represents. For example, objects of class **ZONE** represent thermally distinct regions of the building; each thermally distinct region has its own **ZONE** object. An object's class determines what data items or *members* it contains. For instance, a **ZONE** object contains the zone's area and volume. In addition, each object can have a *name*.

The objects are organized in a hierarchy, or tree-like structure. For example, under each **ZONE** object, there can be **SURFACE** objects to represent the walls, floors, and ceilings of the **ZONE**. Under **SURFACEs** there can be **WINDOW** objects to represent glazings in the particular wall or roof. **SURFACE** is said to be a *subclass* of the class **ZONE** and **WINDOW** a subclass of **SURFACE**; each individual **SURFACE** is said to be a *subobject* of its particular **ZONE** object. Conversely, each individual **SURFACE** is said to be *owned by* its zone, and the **SURFACE** class is said to be owned by the **ZONE** class.

The hierarchy is rooted in the one *top-level object* (or just *Top*). The top level object contains information global to the entire simulation, such as the start and end dates, as well as all of the objects that describe the building to be simulated and the reports to be printed.

Objects and their required data must be specified by the user, except that Top is predefined. This is done with input language *statements*. Each statement begins an object (specifying its class and object name) or gives a value for a data member of the object being created. Each object is specified with a group of statements that are usually given together, and the objects must be organized according to the hierarchy. For example, **SURFACEs** must be specified within **ZONEs** and **WINDOWs** within **SURFACEs**. Each **SURFACE** belongs to (is a subobject of) the **ZONE** within which it is specified, and each **WINDOW** is a subobject of its **SURFACE**.

The entire hierarchy of CSE classes can be represented as follows, using indentation to indicate subclasses:

TODO: review hierarchy

TOP (Top-level class; object of this class supplied automatically by CSE)

```

HOLIDAY
MATERIAL
CONSTRUCTION
    LAYER
METER
DHWMETER
IZXFER
DHWDAYUSE
    DHWUSE
DHWSYS
    DHWHEATER
    DHWTANK
    DHWPUMP

```



```

    DHWLOOP
    DHWLOOPPUMP
    DHWLOOPSEG
        DHWLOOPBRANCH
    DHWSOLARSYS
        DHWSOLARCOLLECTOR
    ZONE
        GAIN
        SURFACE
            WINDOW
                SHADE
                SGDIST
        DOOR
    REPORTFILE
    REPORT
    REPORTCOL
    EXPORTFILE
    EXPORT
    EXPORTCOL

```

### 3.3 Overview of CSE Input Language

The CSE Input Language consists of *commands*, each beginning with a particular word and, preferably, ending with a semicolon. Each command is either an *action-command*, which specifies some action such as starting a simulation run, or a *statement*, which creates or modifies an *object* or specifies a value for a *member* of an object.

#### 3.3.1 Statements – Overview

A statement that creates an object consists basically of the *class name* followed by your name for the object to be created. (The name can be omitted for most classes; optional modifying clauses will be described later.) For example,

```
ZONE "north";
```

begins an object of class **ZONE**; the particular zone will be named “north”. This zone name will appear in reports and error messages, and will be used in other statements that operate on the zone. As well as creating the **ZONE**, this statement sets CSE to expect statements specifying **ZONE** data members or **ZONE** subobjects to follow.

A statement specifying a data member consists of the data member's name, an = sign, an *expression* specifying the value, and a terminating semicolon. An expression is a valid combination of operands and operators as detailed later; commonly it is just a number, name, or text enclosed in quotes. For example,

```
znVol = 100000;
```

specifies that the zone has a volume of 100000 cubic feet. (If the statement occurs outside of the description of a **ZONE**, an error message occurs.) All of the member names for each class are described in the **input data** section; most of them begin with an abbreviation of the class name for clarity.

The description of a zone or any object except Top can be terminated with the word “END”; but this is not essential; CSE will assume the **ZONE** ends when you start another **ZONE** or any object not a subobject of **ZONE**, or when you specify a member of a higher level class (Top for **ZONE**), or give an action-command such as RUN.

Statements are free-form; several can be put on a line, or a single statement can occupy several lines. Indentation according to class hierarchy will help make your input file readable. Spaces may be used freely except in the middle of a word or number. Tab characters may be used. Each statement should end with

a semicolon. If the semicolon is omitted and the statement and the following statement are both correctly formed, CSE will figure out your intent anyway. But when there is an error, CSE gives clearer error messages when the statements are delimited with semicolons.

Capitalization generally does not matter in input language statements; we like to capitalize class names to make them stand out. Words that differ only in capitalization are NOT distinct to CSE.

*Comments* (remarks) may be interspersed with commands. Comments are used to make the input file clearer to humans; they are ignored by CSE. A comment introduced with “//” ends at the end of the line; a comment introduced with “/\*” continues past the next “\*/”, whether on the same line, next line, or many lines down. Additional input language may follow the \*/ on the same line.

### 3.3.2 Nested Objects

The following is a brief CSE input file, annotated with comments intended to exemplify how the input language processor follows the object hierarchy when decoding input describing objects and their subobjects.

```
// short example file

wfName = "CZ12RV2.CEC"; // initially, the current object is Top.
// give weather file name, a Top member
begDay = Jan 1; // start and ...
endDay = Dec 31; // ...end run dates: Top members.

MATERIAL carpet; // create object of class MATERIAL
matThk = .296; // specify 'matThk' member of MATERIAL 'carpet'
matCond = 1./24; // give value of 'matCond' for 'carpet'

CONSTRUCTION slab140C; /* create object of class CONSTRUCTION, named
                        slab140C. Terminates MATERIAL, because
                        CONSTRUCTION is not a subclass of material
                        in the hierarchy shown in another section** */
    LAYER // start an unnamed object of class LAYER.
          /* Since LAYER is a subclass of CONSTRUCTION,
             this will be a subobject of slab140C. */
        lrMat = carpet; /* member of the LAYER. Note use of name of
                        MATERIAL object. */
    // (additional layers would be here)

METER Elec; /* create METER named Elec;
             since METER is a subobject of Top,
             this ends slab140C and its LAYER. */

ZONE North; // start a ZONE named North. Ends METER.
  znArea = 1000; // specify data members of ZONE North.
  znVol = 10; // (you don't have to capitalize these as shown.)
  GAIN NorthLights // create GAIN object named NorthLights.
                  /* Creates a subobject of ZONE North. */
    gnPower = 0.01; // member of NorthLights -- numeric value
    gnMeter = Elec; // member of NorthLights -- object name value

  znCAir = 3.5; /* processor knows that znCAir is a member of ZONE;
                thus this statement terminates the GAIN
                subobject & continues ZONE 'North'. */

/*lrMat = ... would be an error here, because the current
              object is not a LAYER nor a subobject of LAYER */
```

```

RUN;                                /* initiate simulation run with data given.
                                   Terminates ZONE North, since action-commands
                                   terminate all objects being constructed. */

```

\*\* See [Form of the CSE Data](#)

### 3.3.3 Expressions – Overview

*Expressions* are the parts of statements that specify values – numeric values, string values, object name values, and choice values. Expressions are composed of operators and operands, in a manner similar to many programming languages. The available operators and operands will be described in the section on [operators](#).

Unlike most programming languages, CSE expressions have *Variation*. *Variation* is how often a value changes during the simulation run – hourly, daily, monthly, yearly (i.e. does not change during run), etc. For instance, the operand `$hour` represents the hour of the day and has “hourly” variation. An expression has the variation of its fastest-varying component.

Each data member of each object (and every context in which an expression may be used) has its allowed *variability*, which is the fastest variation it will accept. Many members allow no variability. For example, `begDay`, the date on which the run starts, cannot meaningfully change during the run. On the other hand, a thermostat setting can change hourly. Thermostat settings and other scheduled values are specified in CSE with expressions that often make use of variability; there is no explicit SCHEDULE class.

For example, a heating setpoint that was 68 during business hours and 55 at night might be expressed as

```
select( $hour > 8 && $hour < 18, 68, default 55)
```

An example of a complete statement containing the above expression is:

```
tuTH = select( $hour > 8 && $hour < 18, 68, default 55);
```

The preceding is valid a statement if used in a TERMINAL description. The following:

```
begDay = select( $hour > 8 && $hour < 18, 68, default 55);
```

would always get an error message, because `begDay` (the starting day of the run) will not accept hourly variation, and the expression varies hourly, since it contains `$hour`. The expression’s variation is considered “hourly” even though it changes only twice a day, since CSE has no variation category between hourly and daily.

CSE’s expression capability may be used freely to make input clearer. For example,

```
znVol = 15 * 25 * 8;
```

meaning that the zone volume is 15 times 25 times 8 is the same to CSE as

```
znVol = 3000;
```

but might be useful to you to tersely indicate that the volume resulted from a width of 15, a length of 25, and a height of 8. Further, if you wished to change the ceiling height to 9 feet, the edit would be very simple and CSE would perform the volume calculation for you.

CSE computes expressions only as often as necessary, for maximum simulation speed. For example,

```
tuTH = 68;
```

causes 68 to be stored in the heating setpoint once at the start of the run only, even though `tuTH` will accept expressions with variability up to hourly. Furthermore, constant inner portions of variable expressions are pre-evaluated before the run begins.

CSE statements and expressions do not (yet) have user-settable variables in the usual programming language sense. They do, however, have user-defined functions to facilitate using the same computation several places,

and preprocessor macros, to facilitate using the same text several places, specifying parametric values in a separate file, etc.

### 3.3.4 The Preprocessor – Overview

The preprocessor scans and processes input file text before the language processor sees the text. The preprocessor can include (embed) additional files in the input, include sections of input conditionally, and define and expand macros.

Macros are a mechanism to substitute a specified text for each occurrence of a word (the macro name). For example,

```
#define ZNWID 20
#define ZNLEN 30
. . .

znArea = ZNWID * ZNLEN;
znVol  = ZNWID * ZNLEN * 8;
```

The first line above says that all following occurrences of “ZNWID” are to be replaced with “20” (or whatever follows ZNWID on the same line). The effect of the above is that the zone width and length are specified only one place; if the single numbers are editing, both the zone area and zone volume change to match.

Macros can be especially powerful when combined with the file inclusion feature; the generic building description could be in one file, and the specific values for multiple runs supplied by another file. By also using conditional compilation, the values-specifying file can select from a range of features available in the building description file.

The preprocessor is similar to that of the C programming language, and thus will be familiar to C programmers.

The next section describes the preprocessor in detail. The preprocessor description is followed by sections detailing statements, then expressions.

## 3.4 The Preprocessor

*Note: The organization and wording of this section is based on section A12 of Kernigan and Richie [1988]. The reader is referred to that source for a somewhat more rigorous presentation but with the caution that the CSE input language preprocessor does not **completely** comply to ANSI C specifications.*

The preprocessor performs macro definition and expansion, file inclusion, and conditional inclusion/exclusion of text. Lines whose first non-whitespace character is # communicate with the preprocessor and are designated *preprocessor directives*. Line boundaries are significant to the preprocessor (in contrast to the rest of the input language in which a newline is simply whitespace), although adjacent lines can be spliced with \, as discussed below. The syntax of preprocessor directives is separate from that of the rest of the language. Preprocessor directives can appear anywhere in an input file and their effects last until the end of the input file. The directives that are supported by the input language preprocessor are the following:

```
#if
#else
#elif
#endif
#ifndef

#define
#define
#undef
```

```
#include
```

### 3.4.1 Line splicing

If the last character on a line is the backslash `\`, then the next line is spliced to that line by elimination of the backslash and the following newline. Line splicing occurs *before* the line is divided into tokens.

Line splicing finds its main use in defining long macros:

```
// hourly light gain values:
#define LIGHT_GAIN      .024, .022, .021, .021, .021, .026, \
                        .038, .059, .056, .060, .059, .046, \
                        .045, .5  , .5  , .05  , .057, .064, \
                        .064, .052, .050, .055, .044, .027
```

### 3.4.2 Macro definition and expansion

A directive of the form

```
#define _identifier_ _token-sequence_
```

is a macro definition and causes the preprocessor to replace subsequent instances of the identifier with the given token sequence. Note that the token string can be empty (e.g. `#define FLAG`).

A line of the form

```
#define _identifier_( _identifier-list_ ) _token-sequence_
```

where there is no space between the identifier and the `(`, is a macro with parameters given by the identifier list. The expansion of macros with parameters is discussed below.

Macros may also be defined *on the CSE command line*, making it possible to vary a run without changing the input files at all. As described in the [command line](#) section, macros are defined on the CSE command line using the `-D` switch in the forms

```
-D_identifier_
```

```
-D_identifier_= _token-sequence_
```

The first form simply defines the name with no token-sequence; this is convenient for testing with `#ifdef`, `#ifndef`, or `defined()`, as described in the section on [conditional inclusion of tex](#). The second form allows an argument list and token sequence. The entire command line argument must be enclosed in quotes if it contains any spaces.

A macro definition is forgotten when an `#undef` directive is encountered:

```
#undef _identifier_
```

It is not an error to `#undef` an undefined identifier.

A macro may be re-`#defined` without a prior `#undef` unless the second definition is identical to the first. A combined `#undef/#define` directive is available to handle this common case:

```
#redefine _identifier_ _token-sequence_
```

```
#redefine _identifier_( _identifier-list_ ) _token-sequence_
```

When a macro is `#redefined`, it need not agree in form with the prior definition (that is, one can have parameters even if the other does not). It is not an error to `#redefine` an undefined identifier.

Macros defined in the second form (with parameters) are expanded whenever the preprocessor encounters the macro identifier followed by optional whitespace and a comma-separated parameter list enclosed in parentheses. First the comma separated token sequences are collected; any commas within quotes or nested

parentheses do not separate parameters. Then each unquoted instance of the each parameter identifier in the macro definition is replaced by the collected tokens. The resulting string is then repeatedly re-scanned for more defined identifiers. The macro definition and reference must have the same number of arguments.

It is often important to include parentheses within macro definitions to make sure they evaluate properly in all situations. Suppose we define a handy area macro as follows:

```
#define AREA(w, h) w*h           // WRONG
```

Consider what happens when this macro is expanded with arguments 2+3 and 4+1. The preprocessor substitutes the arguments for the parameters, then the input language processor processes the statement containing the macro expansion without regard to the beginning and end of the arguments. The expected result is 25, but as defined, the macro will produce a result of 15. Parentheses fix it:

```
#define AREA(w, h) ((w)*(h))    // RIGHT
```

The outer enclosing set of parentheses are not strictly needed in our example, but are good practice to avoid evaluation errors when the macro expands within a larger expression.

Note 1: The CSE preprocessor does not support the ANSI C stringizing (#) or concatenation (##) operators.

Note 2: Identifiers are case *insensitive* (unlike ANSI C). For example, the text “myHeight” will be replaced by the `#defined` value of MYHEIGHT (if there is one).

*The preprocessor examples at the end of this section illustrate macro definition and expansion.*

### 3.4.3 File inclusion

Directives of the form

```
#include "filename" and
```

```
#include <filename>
```

cause the replacement of the directive line with the entire contents of the referenced file. If the filename does not include an extension, a default extension of .INP is assumed. The filename may include path information; if it does not, the file must be in the current directory.

`#includes` may be nested to a depth of 5.

For an example of the use `#includes`, please see the preprocessor examples at the end of this section.

### 3.4.4 Conditional inclusion of text

Conditional text inclusion provides a facility for selectively including or excluding groups of input file lines. The lines so included or excluded may be either CSE input language text *or other preprocessor directives*. The latter capability is very powerful.

Several conditional inclusion directive involve integer constant expressions. Constant integer expressions are formed according the rules discussed in the section on [expressions](#) with the following changes:

1. Only constant integer operands are allowed.
2. All values (including intermediate values computed during expression evaluation) must remain in the 16 bit range (-32768 - 32767). The expression processor treats all integers as signed values and requires signed decimal constants – however, it requires unsigned octal and hexadecimal constants. Thus decimal constants must be in the range -32768 - 32767, octal must be in the range 0 - 0o177777, and hexadecimal in the range 0 - 0xffff. Since all arithmetic comparisons are done assuming signed values, `0xffff < 1` is true (unhappily). Care is required when using the arithmetic comparison operators (<, <=, >=, >).
3. The logical relational operators && and || are not available. Nearly equivalent function can be obtained with & and |.

4. A special operand `defined( )` is provided; it is described below.

Macro expansion *is* performed on constant expression text, so symbolic expressions can be used (see examples below).

The basic conditional format uses the directive

```
#if _constant-expression_
```

If the constant expression has the value 0, all lines following the `#if` are dropped from the input stream (the preprocessor discards them) until a matching `#else`, `#elif`, or `#endif` directive is encountered.

The `defined( identifier )` operand returns 1 if the identifier is the name of a defined macro, otherwise 0. Thus

```
#if defined( _identifier_ )
```

can be used to control text inclusion based on macro flags. Two `#if` variants that test whether a macro is defined are also available. `#ifdef identifier` is equivalent to `#if defined(identifier)` and `#ifndef identifier` is equivalent to `#if !defined(identifier)`.

`Defined()`, `#ifdef`, and `#ifndef` consider a macro name “defined” even if the body of its definition contains no characters; thus a macro to be tested with one of these can be defined with just

```
#define _identifier_
```

or with just “`-Didentifier`” on the CSE command line.

Conditional blocks are most simply terminated with `#endif`, but `#else` and `#elif constant-expression` are also available for selecting one of two or more alternative text blocks.

The simplest use of `#if` is to “turn off” sections of an input file without editing them out:

```
#if 0This text is deleted from the input stream.#endif
```

Or, portions of the input file can be conditionally selected:

```
#define FLRAREA 1000    // other values used in other runs
#if FLRAREA <= 800
    CSE input language for small zones
#elif FLRAREA <= 1500
    CSE input language for medium zones
#else
    CSE input language for large zones
#endif
```

Note that if a set of `#if ... #elif ... #elif` conditionals does not contain an `#else`, it is possible for all lines to be excluded.

Finally, it is once again important to note that conditional directives *nest*, as shown in the following example (indentation is included for clarity only):

```
#if 0
    This text is NOT included.
    #if 1
        This text is NOT included.
    #endif
#else
    This text IS included.
#endif
```

### 3.4.5 Preprocessor examples

This section shows a few combined examples that demonstrate the preprocessor’s capabilities.

The simplest use of macros is for run parameterization. For example, a base file is constructed that derives values from a macro named FLRAREA. Then multiple runs can be performed using `#include`:

```
// Base file
... various input language statements ...

ZONE main
  znArea = FLRAREA
  znVol  = 8*FLRAREA
  znCAir = 2*FLRAREA ...
  ... various other input language statements ...

RUN

CLEAR
```

The actual input file would look like this:

```
// Run with zone area = 500, 1000, and 2000 ft2
#define FLRAREA 500
#include "base."
#define FLRAREA 1000
#include "base."
#define FLRAREA 2000
#include "base."
```

Macros are also useful for encapsulating standard calculations. For example, most U-values must be entered *without* surface conductances, yet many tabulated U-values include the effects of the standard ASHRAE winter surface conductance of 6.00 Btuh/ft<sup>2</sup>-°F. A simple macro is very helpful:

```
#define UWinter(u) ( 1/(1/(u)-1/6.00) )
```

This macro can be used whenever a U-value is required (e.g. `SURFACE ... sfU=UWinter(.11) ...`).

## 3.5 CSE Input Language Statements

This section describes the general form of CSE input language statements that define objects, assign values to the data members of objects, and initiate actions. The concepts of objects and the class hierarchy were introduced in the section on [form of CSE data](#). Information on statements for specific CSE input language classes and their members is the subject of the [input data](#) section.

### 3.5.1 Object Statements

As we described in a [previous section](#), the description of an object is introduced by a statement containing at least the class name, and usually your chosen name for the particular object. In addition, this section will describe several optional qualifiers and modifying clauses that permit defining similar objects without repeating all of the member details, and reopening a previously given object description to change or add to it.

Examples of the basic object-beginning statement:

```
ZONE "North";

METER "Electric - Cooling";

LAYER;
```

As described in [the section on nested objects](#), such a statement is followed by statements giving the object's member values or describing subobjects of the object. The object description ends when you begin another



object that is not of a subclass of the object, or when a member of an embedding (higher level) object previously begun is given, or when END is given.

### 3.5.1.1 Object Names

An object name consists of up to 63 characters. If you always enclose the name in quotation marks, punctuation and spaces may be used freely; if the name starts with a letter or dollar sign and consists only of letters, digits, underscore, and dollar sign, and is different from all of the words already defined in CSE input language (as listed below in this section), you may omit the quotes. Capitalization, and Leading and trailing spaces and tabs, are always disregarded by input language processor. Names of 0 length, and names containing control characters (ASCII codes 0-31) are not allowed.

Examples of valid names that do not require quotes:

```
North
gas_meter
slab140E
```

The following object names are acceptable if always enclosed in quotes:

```
"Front Door"
"M L King Day"
"123"
"3.5-inch wall"
```

We suggest always quoting object names so you won't have to worry about disallowed words and characters.

Duplicate names result in error messages. Object names must be distinct between objects of the same class which are subobjects of the same object. For example, all **ZONE** names must be distinct, since all **ZONEs** are subobjects of Top. It is permissible to have **SURFACEs** with the same name in different **ZONEs** – but it is a good idea to keep all of your object names distinct to minimize the chance of an accidental mismatch or a confusing message regarding some other error.

For some classes, such as **ZONE**, a name is required for each object. This is because several other statements refer to specific **ZONEs**, and because a name is needed to identify **ZONEs** in reports. For other classes, the name is optional. The specific statement descriptions in the **Input Data** Section 5 say which names are required. We suggest always using object names even where not required; one reason is because they allow CSE to issue clearer error messages.

The following *reserved words will not work as object names unless enclosed in quotes*:

*(this list needs to be assembled and typed in)*

### 3.5.1.2 ALTER

ALTER is used to reopen a previously defined object when it is not possible or desired to give the entire description contiguously.

ALTER could be used if you wish to order the input in a special way. For example, **SURFACE** objects are subobjects of **ZONE** and are normally described with the **ZONE** they are part of. However, if you wanted to put all roofs together, you could use input of the general form:

```
ZONE "1"; . . . (zone 1 description)
ZONE "2"; . . .
. . .
ALTER ZONE "1";           // revert to specifying zone 1
    SURFACE "Roof1"; . . . (describe roof of zone 1)
ALTER ZONE "2";
    SURFACE "Roof2"; . . .
```

ALTER can be used to facilitate making similar runs. For example, to evaluate the effect of a change in the size of a window, you might use:

```

ZONE "South";
    SURFACE "SouthWall";
    ...
        WINDOW "BigWindow";
            wnHeight = 6; wnWidth = 20;
    ...
RUN;           // perform simulation and generate reports
// data from simulation is still present unless CLEAR given
ALTER ZONE "South";
    ALTER SURFACE "SouthWall";
        ALTER WINDOW "BigWindow";
            wnHeight = 4; wnWidth = 12; // make window smaller
RUN;           // perform simulation and print reports again

```

ALTER also lets you access the predefined “Primary” **REPORTFILE** and **EXPORTFILE** objects which will be described in the **Input Data** Section:

```

ALTER REPORTFILE "Primary";    /* open description of object automatically
                                supplied by CSE -- no other way to access */
                                rfPageFmt = NO;    /* Turn off page headers and footers --
                                                    not desired when reports are to be
                                                    reviewed on screen. */

```

### 3.5.1.3 DELETE

DELETE followed by a class name and an object name removes the specified object, and any subobjects it has. You might do this after RUN when changing the data for a similar run (but to remove all data, CLEAR is handier), or you might use DELETE after COPYing (below) an object if the intent is to copy all but certain subobjects.

### 3.5.1.4 LIKE clause

LIKE lets you specify that an object being defined starts with the same member values as another object already defined. You then need give only those members that are different. For Example:

```

MATERIAL "SheetRock";          // half inch gypsum board
    matCond = .0925;            // conductivity per foot
    matSpHt = .26;              // specific heat
    matDens = 50;               // density
    matThk = 0'0.5;             // thickness 1/2 inch
MATERIAL "5/8 SheetRock" LIKE "SheetRock"; // 5/8" gypsum board
    matThk = 0'0.625;           // thickness 5/8 inch
// other members same as "SheetRock", need not be repeated

```

The object named after LIKE must be already defined and must be of the same class as the new object.

LIKE copies only the member values; it does not copy any subobjects of the prototype object. For example, LIKEing a **ZONE** to a previously defined **ZONE** does not cause the new zone to contain the surfaces of the prototype **ZONE**. If you want to duplicate the surfaces, use COPY instead of LIKE.

### 3.5.1.5 COPY clause

COPY lets you specify that the object being defined is the same as a previously defined object including all of the subobjects of that object. For example,

```

. . .
ZONE "West" COPY "North";
  DELETE WALL "East";
  ALTER WALL "South";
  sfExCnd = ambient;

```

Specifies a **ZONE** named “West” which is the same as **ZONE** North except that it does not contain a copy of West’s East wall, and the South wall has ambient exposure.

### 3.5.1.6 USETYPE clause

USETYPE followed by the type name is used in creating an object of a type previously defined with DEFTYPE (next section). Example:

```

SURFACE "EastWall" USETYPE "IntWall";      // use interior wall TYPE (below)
  sfAzm = 90;                               // this wall faces to the East
  sfArea = 8 * 30;                           // area of each wall is different
  sfAdjZn = "East";                           // zone on other side of wall

```

Any differences from the type, and any required information not given in the type, must then be specified. Any member specified in the type may be respecified in the object unless FROZEN (see [this section](#)) in the type (normally, a duplicate specification for a member results in an error message).

### 3.5.1.7 DEFTYPE

DEFTYPE is used to begin defining a TYPE for a class. When a TYPE is created, no object is created; rather, a partial or complete object description is stored for later use with DEFTYPE. TYPES facilitate creating multiple similar objects, as well as storing commonly used descriptions in a file to be #included in several different files, or to be altered for multiple runs in comparative studies without changing the including files. Example (boldface for emphasis only):

```

DEFTYPE SURFACE "BaseWall"                  // common characteristics of all walls
  sfType = WALL;                             // walls are walls, so say it once
  sfTilt = 90;                               // all our walls are vertical;
                                              // but sfAzm varies, so it is not in TYPE.
  sfU = .83;                                // surf conductance; override if different
  sfModel = QUICK;

DEFTYPE SURFACE "ExtWall" USETYPE "BaseWall";
  sfExCnd = AMBIENT;                          // other side of wall is outdoors
  sfExAbs = 0.5;                              // member only needed for exterior walls

DEFTYPE SURFACE "IntWall" USETYPE "BaseWall"; // interior wall
  sfExCnd = ADJZN;                           // user must give sfAdjZn.

```

In a TYPE as much or as little of the description as desired may be given. Omitting normally-required members does not result in an error message in the type definition, though of course an error will occur at use if the member is not given there.

At use, member values specified in the TYPE can normally be re specified freely; to prevent this, “freeze” the desired member(s) in the type definition with

```
FREEZE *memberName*;
```

Alternately, if you wish to be sure the user of the TYPE enters a particular member even if it is normally optional, use

```
REQUIRE *memberName*
```

Sometimes in the TYPE definition, member(s) that you do not want defined are defined – for example, if the TYPE definition were itself initiated with a statement containing LIKE, COPY, or USETYPE. In such cases the member specification can be removed with

```
UNSET *memberName*;
```

#### 3.5.1.8 END and ENDxxxx

END, optionally followed by an object name, can be used to unequivocally terminate an object. Further, as of July 1992 there is still available a specific word to terminate each type of object, such as ENDZONE to terminate a **ZONE** object. If the object name is given after END or ENDxxxx, an additional check is performed: if the name is not that of an object which has been begun and not terminated, an error message occurs. Generally, we have found it is not important to use END or ENDxxxx, especially since the member names in different classes are distinct.

### 3.5.2 Member Statements

As introduced in the section on **statements**, statements which assign values to members are of the general form:

```
*memberName* = *expression*;
```

The specific member names for each class of objects are given in Section 5; many have already been shown in examples.

Depending on the member, the appropriate type for the expression giving the member value may be numeric (integer or floating point), string, object name, or multiple-choice. Expressions of all types will be described in detail in the section on **expressions**.

Each member also has its *variability* (also given in the **input data** section), or maximum acceptable *variation*. This is how often the expression for the value can change during the simulation – hourly, daily, monthly, no change (constant), etc. The “variations” were introduced in the **expressions overview** section and will be further detailed in a **section on variation frequencies**.

Three special statements, UNSET, REQUIRE, and FREEZE, add flexibility in working with members.

#### 3.5.2.1 UNSET

UNSET followed by a member name is used when it is desired to delete a member value previously given. UNSETting a member resets the object to the same internal state it was in before the member was originally given. This makes it legal to specify a new value for the member (normally, a duplicate specification results in an error message); if the member is required (as specified in the **input data** section), then an error message will occur if RUN is given without re-specifying the member.

Situations where you really might want to specify a member, then later remove it, include:

- After a RUN command has completed one simulation run, if you wish to specify another simulation run without CLEARing and giving all the data again, you may need to UNSET some members of some objects in order to re-specify them or because they need to be omitted from the new run. In this case, use ALTER(s) to reopen the object(s) before UNSETting.
- In defining a TYPE (see **this section**), you may wish to make sure certain members are not specified so that the user must give them or omit them if desired. If the origin of the type (possibly a sequence of DEFTYPES, LIKEs, and/or COPYs) has defined unwanted members, get rid of them with UNSET.

Note that UNSET is only for deleting *members* (names that would be followed with an = and a value when being defined). To delete an entire *object*, use DELETE (see **this section**).

### 3.5.2.2 REQUIRE

REQUIRE followed by a member name makes entry of that member mandatory if it was otherwise optional; it is useful in defining a TYPE (see [this section](#)) when you desire to make sure the user enters a particular member, for example to be sure the TYPE is applied in the intended manner. REQUIRE by itself does not delete any previously entered value, so if the member already has a value, you will need to UNSET it. ??  
*verify*

### 3.5.2.3 FREEZE

FREEZE followed by a member name makes it illegal to UNSET or redefine that member of the object. Note that FREEZE is unnecessary most of the time since CSE issues an error message for duplicate definitions without an intervening UNSET, unless the original definition came from a TYPE (see [this section](#)). Situations where you might want to FREEZE one or more members include:

- When defining a TYPE (see [this section](#)). Normally, the member values in a type are like defaults; they can be freely overridden by member specifications at each use. If you wish to insure a TYPE is used as intended, you may wish to FREEZE members to prevent accidental misuse.
- When you are defining objects for later use or for somebody else to use (perhaps in a file to be included) and you wish to guard against misuse, you may wish to FREEZE members. Of course, this is not foolproof, since there is at present no way to allow use of predefined objects or types without allowing access to the statements defining them.

## 3.5.3 Action Commands

CSE has two action commands, RUN and CLEAR.

### 3.5.3.1 RUN

RUN tells CSE to do an hourly simulation with the data now in memory, that is, the data given in the preceding part of the input file.

Note that CSE does NOT automatically run the simulator; an input file containing no RUN results in no simulation (you might nevertheless wish to submit an incomplete file to CSE to check for errors in the data already entered). The explicit RUN command also makes it possible to do multiple simulation runs in one session using a single input file.

When RUN is encountered in the input file, CSE checks the data. Many error messages involving inconsistencies between member values or missing required members occur at this time. If the data is good, CSE starts the simulation. When the simulation is complete and the reports have been output, CSE continues reading the input file. Statements after the first run can add to or change the data in preparation for another RUN. Note that the data for the first run is NOT automatically removed; if you wish to start over with complete specifications, use CLEAR after RUN.

### 3.5.3.2 CLEAR

CLEAR removes all input data (objects and all their members) from CSE memory. CLEAR is normally used after RUN, when you wish to perform another simulation run and wish to start clean. If CLEAR is not used, the objects from the prior run's input remain in memory and may be changed or added to produce the input data for the next simulation run.

## 3.6 Expressions

Probably the CSE input language's most powerful characteristic is its ability to accept expressions anywhere a single number, string, object name, or other value would be accepted. Preceding examples have shown the inputting zone areas and volumes as numbers (some defined via preprocessor macros) with \*'s between them to signify multiplication, to facilitate changes and avoid errors that might occur in manual arithmetic. Such

expressions, where all operands are constants, are acceptable *anywhere* a constant of the same type would be allowed.

But for many object members, CSE accepts *live expressions* that *vary* according to time of day, weather, zone temperatures, etc. (etc., etc., etc.). Live expressions permit simulation of many relationships without special-purpose features in the language. Live expressions support controlling setpoints, scheduling HVAC system operation, resetting air handler supply temperature according to outdoor temperature, and other necessary and foreseen functions without dedicated language features; they will also support many unforeseen user-generated functionalities that would otherwise be unavailable.

Additional expression flexibility is provided by the ability to access all of the input data and much of the internal data as operands in expressions (*probes*, see [this section](#)).

As in a programming language, CSE expressions are constructed from operators and operands; unlike most programming languages, CSE determines how often an expression's operands change and automatically compute and store the value as often as necessary.

Expressions in which all operands are known when the statement is being decoded (for example, if all values are constants) are *always* allowed, because the input language processor immediately evaluates them and presents the value to the rest of the program in the same manner as if a single number had been entered. *Most* members also accept expressions that can be evaluated as soon as the run's input is complete, for example expressions involving a reference to another member that has not been given yet. Expressions that vary during the run, say at hourly or daily intervals, are accepted by *many* members. The *variability* or maximum acceptable variation for each member is given in the descriptions in the [input data](#) section, and the *variation* of each non-constant expression component is given in its description in this section.

Interaction of expressions and the preprocessor: Generally, they don't interact. The preprocessor is a text processor which completes its work by including specified files, deleting sections under false #if's, remembering define definitions, replacing macro calls with the text of the definition, removing preprocessor directives from the text after interpreting them, etc., *then* the resulting character stream is analyzed by the input language statement compiler. However, the if statement takes an integer numeric expression argument. This expression is similar to those described here except that it can only use constant operands, since the preprocessor must evaluate it before deciding what text to feed to the input statement statement compiler.

### 3.6.1 Expression Types

The type of value to which an expression must evaluate is specified in each member description (see the [input data](#) section) or other context in which an expression can be used. Each expression may be a single constant or may be made up of operators and operands described in the rest of this section, so long as the result is the required type or can be converted to that type by CSE, and its variation is not too great for the context. The possible types are:

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| <i>float</i>       | A real number (3.0, 5.34, -2., etc.). Approximately 7 digits are carried internally. If an int is given where a real is required, it is automatically converted.   |
| <i>int</i>         | An integer or whole number (-1, 0, 1, 2 etc.). If a real is given, an error may result, but we should change it to convert it (discarding any fractional part).  |
| <i>Boolean</i>     | Same as int; indicates that a 0 value will be interpreted as "false" and any non-0 value will be interpreted as "true".  |
| <i>string</i>      | A string of characters; for example, some text enclosed in quotes.   |
| <i>object name</i> | Name of an object of a specified class. Differs from <i>string</i> in that the name need not be enclosed in quotes if it consists only of letters, digits, <code>_</code> , and <code>\$</code> , begins with a non-digit, and is different from all reserved words now in or later added to the language (see <a href="#">Object Names</a> ). |

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <i>choice</i> | <p>The object may be defined after it is referred to. An expression using conditional operators, functions, etc. may be used provided its value is known when the RUN action command is reached.; no members requiring object names accept values that vary during the simulation. One of several choices; a list of the acceptable values is given wherever a <i>choice</i> is required. The choices are usually listed in CAPITALS but may be entered in upper or lower case as desired. As with object names, quotes are allowed but not required. Expressions may be used for choices, subject to the variability of the context.</p> |
| <i>date</i>   | <p>May be entered as a 3-letter month abbreviation followed by an <i>int</i> for the day of the month, or an <i>int</i> for the Julian day of the year (February is assumed to have 28 days). Expressions may be used subject to variability limitations. Examples:</p> <pre>Jan 23    // January 23 23        // January 23 32        // February 1</pre>  |

These words are used in following descriptions of contexts that can accept more than one basic type:

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| <i>numeric</i> | <i>float</i> or <i>int</i> . When floats and ints are intermixed with the same operator or function, the result is float.  |
| <i>anyType</i> | Any type; the result is the same type as the argument. If floats and ints are intermixed, the result is float. If strings and valid choice names are intermixed, the result is <i>choice</i> . Other mixtures of types are generally illegal, except in expressions for a few members that will accept either one of several choices or a numeric value. |

The next section describes the syntax of constants of the various data types; then, we will describe the available operators, then other operand types such as system variables and built-in functions.

### 3.6.2 Constants

This section reviews how to enter ordinary non-varying numbers and other values.

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| <i>int</i>   | <p>optional - sign followed by digits. Don't use a decimal point if your intent is to give an <i>int</i> quantity – the decimal point indicates a <i>float</i> to CSE. Hexadecimal and Octal values may be given by prefixing the value with 0x and 0O respectively (yes, that really is a zero followed by an 'O').</p>  |
| <i>float</i> | <p>optional - sign, digits and decimal point. Very large or small values can be entered by following the number with an "e" and a power of ten. Examples:</p> <pre>1.0  1.  .1 -5534.6  123.e25  4.56e-23</pre> <p>The decimal point indicates a float as opposed to an int. Generally it doesn't matter as CSE converts ints to floats as required, but be careful when dividing: CSE interprets "2/3" as integer two divided by integer 3, which will produce an integer 0 before CSE notices any need to convert to <i>float</i>. If you mean .6666667, say 2./3, 2/3., or .6666667.</p> |

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <i>feet and inches</i> | Feet and inches may be entered where a <i>float</i> number of feet is required by typing the feet (or a 0 if none), a single quote ', then the inches. (Actually this is an operator meaning “divide the following value by 12 and add it to the preceding value”, so expressions can work with it.) Examples:<br>3'6 0'.5 (10+20)'(2+3)                          |
| <i>string</i>          | “Text” – desired characters enclosed in double quotes. Maximum length 80 characters (make 132??). To put a " within the "", precede it with a backslash. Certain control codes can be represented with letters preceded with a backslash as follows:<br><pre> \\e    escape \\t    tab \\f    form feed \\r    carriage return \\n    newline or line feed </pre> |
| <i>object name</i>     | Same as <i>string</i> , or without quotes if name consists only of letters, digits, _, and \$, begins with a non-digit, and is different from all reserved words now in or later added to the language (see <b>Object Names</b> ). Control character codes (ASCII 0-31) are not allowed.  |
| <i>choice</i>          | Same as <i>string</i> ; quotes optional on choice words valid for the member. Capitalization does not matter.   |
| <i>date</i>            | Julian day of year (as <i>int</i> constant), or month abbreviation<br>Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov De c<br>followed by the <i>int</i> day of month. (Actually, the month names are operators implemented to add the starting day of the month to the following <i>int</i> quantity).   |

### 3.6.3 Operators

For *floats* and *ints*, the CSE input language recognizes a set of operators based closely on those found in the C programming language. The following table describes the available numeric operators. The operators are shown in the order of execution (precedence) when no ()'s are used to control the order of evaluation; thin lines separate operators of equal precedence.

| Operator | Name                  | Notes and Examples   |
|----------|-----------------------|--|
| '        | Feet-Inches Separator | a ' b yields a + b/12; thus 4'6 = 4.5.   |
| +        | Unary plus            | The familiar “positive”, as in +3. Does nothing; rarely used.  |
| -        | Unary minus           | The familiar “minus”, as in -3. -(-3) = +3 etc.  |
| !        | Logical NOT           | Changes 0 to 1 and any non-0 value to 0. !0 = 1, !17 = 0.  |
| ~        | One's complement      | Complements each bit in an <i>int</i> value.   |
| *        | Multiplication        | Multiplication, e.g. 3*4 = 12; 3.24*18.54 = 60.07  |
| /        | Division              | Division, e.g. 4/2 = 2, 3.24/1.42 = 2.28. Integer division truncates toward 0 (e.g. 3/2 = 1, 3/-2 = -1, -3/2 = -1, 2/3 = 0)  |
| %        | Modulus               | CAUTION!<br>Yields the remainder after division, e.g. 7%2 = 1. The result has the same sign as the left operand (e.g. (-7)%2 = -1). % is defined for both integer and floating point operands (unlike ANSI C). |



| Operator | Name                  | Notes and Examples  |
|----------|-----------------------|---|
| +        | Addition              | Yields the sum of the operands, e.g. $5+3 = 8$  |
| -        | Subtraction           | Yields the difference of the operands, e.g. $5-3 = 2$   |
| >>       | Right shift           | $a >> b$ yields a shifted right $b$ bit positions, e.g. $8 >> 2 = 2$  |
| <<       | Left shift            | $a << b$ yields a shifted left $b$ bit positions, e.g. $8 << 2 = 32$  |
| <        | Less than             | $a < b$ yields 1 if $a$ is less than $b$ , otherwise 0  |
| <=       | Less than or equal    | $a <= b$ yields 1 if $a$ is less than or equal to $b$ , otherwise 0   |
| >=       | Greater than or equal | $a >= b$ yields 1 if $a$ is greater than or equal to $b$ , otherwise 0  |
| >        | Greater than          | $a > b$ yields 1 if $a$ is greater than $b$ , otherwise 0   |
| ==       | Equal                 | $a == b$ yields 1 if $a$ is <i>exactly</i> (bit wise) equal to $b$ , otherwise 0  |
| !=       | Not equal             | $a != b$ yields 1 if $a$ is not equal to $b$ , otherwise 0  |
| &        | Bitwise and           | $a \& b$ yields the bitwise AND of the operands, e.g. $6 \& 2 = 2$ .  |
| ^        | Bitwise exclusive or  | $a \wedge b$ yields the bitwise XOR of the operands, e.g. $6 \wedge 2 = 4$ .  |
|          | Bitwise inclusive or  | $a   b$ yields the bitwise IOR of the operands, e.g. $6   2 = 6$ .  |
| &&       | Logical AND           | $a \&\& b$ yields 1 if both $a$ and $b$ are non-zero, otherwise 0. $\&\&$ guarantees left to right evaluation: if the first operand evaluates to 0, the second operand is not evaluated and the result is 0.        |
|          | Logical OR            | $a    b$ yields 1 if either $a$ or $b$ is true (non-0), otherwise 0. $  $ guarantees left to right evaluation: if the first operand evaluates to non-zero, the second operand is not evaluated and the result is 1. |
| ? :      | Conditional           | $a ? b : c$ yields $b$ if $a$ is true (non-0), otherwise $c$ .  |

*Dates* are stored as *ints* (the value being the Julian day of the year), so all numeric operators could be used. The month abbreviations are implemented as operators that add the first day of the month to the following *int* value; CSE does not disallow their use in other numeric contexts.

For *strings*, *object names*, and *choices*, the CSE input language currently has no operators except the `?:` conditional operator. A concatenation operator is being considered. Note, though, that the `choose`, `choose1`, `select`, and `hourval` functions described below work with strings, object names, and choice values as well as numbers.

### 3.6.4 System Variables

*System Variables* are built-in operands with useful values. To avoid confusion with other words, they begin with a `$`. Descriptions of the CSE system variables follow. Capitalization shown need not be matched. Most system variables change during a simulation run, resulting in the *variations* shown; they cannot be used where the context will not accept variation at least this fast. (The [Input Data Section](#) gives the *variability*,

or maximum acceptable variation, for each object member.)

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| \$dayOfYear     | Day of year of simulation, 1 - 365; 1 corresponds to Jan-1. (Note that this is not the day of the simulation unless begDay is Jan-1.) <b>Variation:</b> daily. |
| \$month         | Month of year, 1 - 12. <b>Variation:</b> monthly.  |
| \$dayOfMonth    | Day of month, 1 - 31. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$hour          | Hour of day, 1 - 24, in local time; 1 corresponds to midnight - 1 AM. <b>Variation:</b> hourly.  |
| \$hourST        | Hour of day, 1 - 24, in standard time; 1 corresponds to midnight - 1 AM. <b>Variation:</b> hourly.   |
| \$subhour       | Subhour of hour, 1 - N (number of subhours). <b>Variation:</b> subhourly.  |
| \$dayOfWeek     | Day of week, 1 - 7; 1 corresponds to Sunday, 2 to Monday, etc. <b>Variation:</b> daily.  |
| \$DOWH          | Day of week 1-7 except 8 on every observed holiday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isHoliday     | 1 on days that a holiday is observed (regardless of the true date of the holiday); 0 on other days. <b>Variation:</b> daily.                                   |
| \$isHoliTrue    | 1 on days that are the true date of a holiday, otherwise 0. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isWeHol       | 1 on weekend days or days that are observed as holidays. <b>Variation:</b> daily.  |
| \$isWeekend     | 1 on Saturday and Sunday, 0 on any day from Monday to Friday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isWeekday     | 1 on Monday through Friday, 0 on Saturday and Sunday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isBegWeek     | 1 for any day immediately following a weekend day or observed holiday that is neither a weekend day or an observed holiday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.           |
| \$isWorkDay     | 1 on non-holiday Monday through Friday, 0 on holidays, Saturday and Sunday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isNonWorkDay  | 1 on Saturday, Sunday and observed holidays, 0 on non-holiday Monday through Friday. <b>Variation:</b> daily.  |
| \$isBegWorkWeek | 1 on the first workday after a non-workday, 0 all other days. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |
| \$isDT          | 1 if Daylight Saving time is in effect, 0 otherwise. <b>Variation:</b> hourly.   |
| \$autoSizing    | 1 during autosizing calculations, 0 during main simulation. <b>Variation:</b> for each phase.  |
| \$dsDay         | Design day type, 0 during main simulation, 1 during heating autosize, 2 during cool autosize. <b>Variation:</b> daily.   |

**Weather variables:** the following allow access to the current hour's weather conditions in you CSE expressions. Units of measure are shown in parentheses. All have **Variation:** hourly.

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| \$radBeam    | Solar beam irradiance (on a sun-tracking surface) this hour (Btu/ft <sup>2</sup> ) |
| \$radDiff    | Solar diffuse irradiance (on horizontal surface) this hour (Btu/ft <sup>2</sup> )  |
| \$tDbO       | Outdoor drybulb temperature this hour (degrees F)                                  |
| \$tWbO       | Outdoor wetbulb temperature this hour (degrees F)                                  |
| \$wO         | Outdoor humidity ratio this hour (lb H <sub>2</sub> O/lb dry air)                  |
| \$windDirDeg | Wind direction (compass degrees)   |
| \$windSpeed  | Wind speed (mph)   |

### 3.6.5 Built-in Functions

Built-in functions perform a number of useful scheduling and conditional operations in expressions. Built-in functions have the combined variation of their arguments; for *hourval*, the minimum result variation is hourly. For definitions of *numeric* and *anyType*, see [Expression Types](#).

#### 3.6.5.1 brkt

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | limits a value to be in a given range  |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>numeric</i> <b>brkt</b> ( <i>numeric min</i> , <i>numeric val</i> , <i>numeric max</i> )  |
| <b>Remark</b>   | If <i>val</i> is less than <i>min</i> , returns <i>min</i> ; if <i>val</i> is greater than <i>max</i> , returns <i>max</i> ; if <i>val</i> is in between, returns <i>val</i> .   |
| <b>Example</b>  | In an AIRHANDLER object, the following statement would specify a supply temperature equal to 130 minus the outdoor air temperature, but not less than 55 nor greater than 80:<br><pre>ahTsSp = brkt( 55, 130 - \$tDb0, 80 );</pre> This would produce a 55-degree setpoint in hot weather, an 80-degree setpoint in cold weather, and a transition from 55 to 70 as the outdoor temperature moved from 75 to 50. |

#### 3.6.5.2 fix

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | converts <i>float</i> to <i>int</i>   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>int</i> <b>fix</b> ( <i>float val</i> )  |
| <b>Remark</b>   | <i>val</i> is converted to <i>int</i> by truncation – <b>fix</b> ( 1.3 ) and <b>fix</b> ( 1.99 ) both return 1. <b>fix</b> ( -4.4 ) returns -4. |

#### 3.6.5.3 toFloat

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | converts <i>int</i> to <i>float</i>            |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>toFloat</b> ( <i>int val</i> ) |

#### 3.6.5.4 min

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | returns the lowest quantity from a list of values.  |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>numeric</i> <b>min</b> ( <i>numeric value1</i> , <i>numeric value2</i> , ... <i>numeric valuen</i> )           |
| <b>Remark</b>   | there can be any number of arguments separated by commas; if floats and ints are intermixed, the result is float. |

#### 3.6.5.5 max

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | returns the highest quantity from a list of values.   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>numeric</i> <b>max</b> ( <i>numeric value1</i> , <i>numeric value2</i> , ... <i>numeric valuen</i> ) |

#### 3.6.5.6 choose

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | returns the nth value from a list. If <i>arg0</i> is 0, <i>value0</i> is returned; for 1, <i>value1</i> is returned, etc. |
|-----------------|---|

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| <b>Syntax</b>  | <i>anyType</i> <b>choose</b> ( <i>int</i> <i>arg0</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value0</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value1</i> , ... <i>anyType</i> <i>valuen</i> ) or <i>anyType</i> <b>choose</b> ( <i>int</i> <i>arg0</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value0</i> , ... <i>anyType</i> <i>valuen</i> , <b>default</b> <i>valueDef</i> ) |
| <b>Remarks</b> | Any number of <i>value</i> arguments may be given. If <b>default</b> and another value is given, this value will be used if <i>arg0</i> is less than 0 or too large; otherwise, an error will occur.   |

## 3.6.5.7 choose1

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | same as <b>choose</b> except <i>arg0</i> is 1-based. Choose1 returns the second argument <i>value1</i> for <i>arg0</i> = 1, the third argument <i>value2</i> when <i>arg0</i> = 2, etc.  |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>anyType</i> <b>choose1</b> ( <i>int</i> <i>arg0</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value1</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value2</i> , ... <i>anyType</i> <i>valuen</i> ) or <i>anyType</i> <b>choose1</b> ( <i>int</i> <i>arg0</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value1</i> , ... <i>anyType</i> <i>valuen</i> , <b>default</b> <i>valueDef</i> )   |
| <b>Remarks</b>  | <b>choose1</b> is a function that is well suited for use with daily system variables. For example, if a user wanted to denote different values for different days of the week, the following use of <b>choose1</b> could be implemented:<br><pre>tuTC = choose1(\\$dayOfWeek, MonTemp, TueTemp, ...)</pre> Note that for hourly data, the <b>hourval</b> function would be a better choice, because it doesn't require the explicit declaration of the \$hour system variable. |

## 3.6.5.8 select

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | contains Boolean-value pairs; returns the value associated with the first Boolean that evaluates to true (non-0).   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>anyType</i> ( <i>Boolean</i> <i>arg1</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value1</i> , <i>Boolean</i> <i>arg2</i> , <i>anyType</i> <i>value2</i> , ... <b>default</b> <i>anyType</i> ) (the <b>default</b> part is optional)  |
| <b>Remark</b>   | <b>select</b> is a function that simulates if-then logic during simulation (for people familiar with C, it works much like a series of imbedded conditionals: (a?b:(a?b:c)) ).  |
| <b>Examples</b> | Select can be used to simulate a <b>dynamic</b> (run-time) <b>if-else statement</b> :<br><pre>gnPower = select( \$isHoliday, HD_GAIN, // if (\$isHolid a y) default WD_GAIN) // else</pre> This technique can be combined with other functions to schedule items on a hourly and daily basis. For example, an internal gain that has different schedules for holidays, weekdays, and weekends could be defined as follows:<br><pre>// 24-hour lighting power schedules for weekend, weekda y , holiday: #define WE_LIGHT hourval( .024, .022, .021, .021, .021 , . 026, \ .038, .059, .056, .060, .059, .046, \ .045, .005, .005, .005, .057, .064, \ .064, .052, .050, .055, .044, .027 ) #define WD_LIGHT hourval( .024, .022, .021, .021, .021 , . 026, \ .038, .059, .056, .060, .059, .046, \ .045, .005, .005, .005, .057, .064, \ .064, .052, .050, .055, .044, .027 ) #define HD_LIGHT hourval( .024, .022, .021, .021, .021 , . 026, \ .038, .059, .056, .060, .059, .046, \</pre> |

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        .045, .005, .500, .005, .057, .064, \
        .064, .052, .050, .055, .044, .027 )
// set power member of zone's GAIN object for lighting
gnPower = BTU_Elec( ZAREA*0.1 ) *           // .1 kW/ft2 ti mes...
select( $isHoliday, HD_LIGHT,    // Holidays
        $isWeekend, WE_LIGHT,    // Saturday & Sunday
        default    WD_LIGHT ); // Week Days

```

In the above, three subexpressions using **hourval** (next) are first defined as macros, for ease of reading and later change. Then, gnPower (the power member of a GAIN object) is set, using **select** to choose the appropriate one of the three **hourval** calls for the type of day. The expression for gnPower is a *live expression* with hourly variation, that is, CSE will evaluate it and set gnPower to the latest value each hour of the simulation. The variation comes from **hourval**, which varies hourly (also, \$isHoliday and \$isWeekend vary daily, but the faster variation determines the variation of the result).

### 3.6.5.9 hourval

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | from a list of 24 values, returns the value corresponding to the hour of day.  |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>anyType hourval ( anyType value1, anyType value2, ... anyType value24 )</i><br><i>anyType hourval ( anyType value1, anyType value2, ... <b>default</b> anyType )</i>  |
| <b>Remark</b>   | <b>hourval</b> is evaluated at runtime and uses the hour of the day being simulated to choose the corresponding value from the 24 supplied values.<br>If less than 24 <i>value</i> arguments are given, <b>default</b> and another value (or expression) should be supplied to be used for hours not explicitly specified. |
| <b>Example</b>  | see <b>select</b> , just above.  |

### 3.6.5.10 abs

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | converts numeric to its absolute value |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | numeric <b>abs</b> ( numeric val)      |

### 3.6.5.11 sqrt

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the positive square root of <i>val</i> ( <i>val</i> must be $\geq 0$ ). |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float sqrt ( float val )</i>  |

### 3.6.5.12 exp

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the exponential of <i>val</i> ( $= e^{val}$ ) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float exp( float val )</i>  |

### 3.6.5.13 logE

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the base e logarithm of <i>val</i> ( <i>val</i> must be $\geq 0$ ). |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float logE( float val )</i>   |

### 3.6.5.14 log10

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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the base 10 logarithm of <i>val</i> ( <i>val</i> must be $\geq 0$ ). |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>log10</b> ( <i>float val</i> )  |

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**3.6.5.15 sin**


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|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the sine of <i>val</i> (val in radians) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>sin</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                   |

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**3.6.5.16 sind**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the sine of <i>val</i> (val in degrees) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>sind</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                  |

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**3.6.5.17 asin**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in radians) the arcsine of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>asin</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                 |

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**3.6.5.18 asind**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in degrees) the arcsine of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>asind</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                |

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**3.6.5.19 cos**


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|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the cosine of <i>val</i> (val in radians) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>cos</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                     |

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**3.6.5.20 cosd**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the cosine of <i>val</i> (val in degrees) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>cosd</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                    |

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**3.6.5.21 acos**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in radians) the arccosine of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>acos</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                   |

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**3.6.5.22 acosd**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in degrees) the arccosine of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>acosd</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                  |

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**3.6.5.23 tan**

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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the tangent of <i>val</i> (val in radians) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>tan</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                      |

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**3.6.5.24 tand**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns the tangent of <i>val</i> (val in degrees) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>tand</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                     |

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**3.6.5.25 atan**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in radians) the arctangent of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>atan</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                    |

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**3.6.5.26 atand**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in degrees) the arctangent of <i>val</i> |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>atand</b> ( <i>float val</i> )                   |

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**3.6.5.27 atan2**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in radians) the arctangent of y/x (handling x = 0) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>atan2</b> ( <i>float y</i> , <i>float x</i> )              |

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**3.6.5.28 atan2d**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns (in degrees) the arctangent of y/x (handling x = 0) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>atan2d</b> ( <i>float y</i> , <i>float x</i> )             |

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**3.6.5.29 pow**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Calculates and returns <i>val</i> raised to the <i>x</i> th power (= $val^x$ ). <i>val</i> and <i>x</i> cannot both be 0. If <i>val</i> < 0, <i>x</i> must be integral. |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>pow</b> ( <i>float val</i> , <i>numeric x</i> )   |

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**3.6.5.30 enthalpy**


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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns enthalpy of moist air (Btu/lb) for dry bulb temperature (F) and humidity ratio (lb/lb) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>enthalpy</b> ( <i>float tDb</i> , <i>float w</i> )                             |

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**3.6.5.31 wFromDbWb**


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|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns humidity ratio (lb/lb) of moist air from dry bulb and wet bulb temperatures (F) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>wFromDbWb</b> ( <i>float tDb</i> , <i>float tWb</i> )                   |

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## 3.6.5.32 wFromDbRh

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns humidity ratio (lb/lb) of moist air from dry bulb temperature (F) and relative humidity (0 – 1) |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>wFromDbRh</b> ( <i>float</i> <i>tDb</i> , <i>float</i> <i>rh</i> )                      |

## 3.6.5.33 import

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns <i>float</i> read from an import file.   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>import</b> ( <i>string</i> <i>importFile</i> , <i>string</i> <i>colName</i> )<br><i>float</i> <b>import</b> ( <i>string</i> <i>importFile</i> , <i>int</i> <i>colN</i> ) |
| <b>Remark</b>   | Columns can be referenced by name or 1-based index.<br>See <b>IMPORTFILE</b> for details on use of import()  |

## 3.6.5.34 importStr

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns <i>string</i> read from an import file.  |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>string</i> <b>importStr</b> ( <i>string</i> <i>importFile</i> , <i>string</i> <i>colName</i> )<br><i>string</i> <b>importStr</b> ( <i>string</i> <i>importFile</i> , <i>int</i> <i>colN</i> ) |
| <b>Remark</b>   | See <b>IMPORTFILE</b> for details on use of importStr()  |

## 3.6.5.35 contin

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns continuous control value, e.g. for lighting control   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>contin</b> ( <i>float</i> <i>mpf</i> , <i>float</i> <i>mlf</i> , <i>float</i> <i>sp</i> , <i>float</i> <i>val</i> ) |
| <b>Remark</b>   | <b>contin</b> is evaluated at runtime and returns a value in the range 0 – 1 ???  |
| <b>Example</b>  | –   |

## 3.6.5.36 stepped

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>Function</b> | Returns stepped reverse-acting control value, e.g. for lighting control   |
| <b>Syntax</b>   | <i>float</i> <b>stepped</b> ( <i>int</i> <i>nsteps</i> , <i>float</i> <i>sp</i> , <i>float</i> <i>val</i> )   |
| <b>Remark</b>   | <b>stepped</b> is evaluated at runtime and returns a value in the range 0 – 1. If <i>val</i> ≤ 0, 1 is returned; if <i>val</i> ≥ <i>sp</i> , 0 is returned; otherwise, a stepped intermediate value is returned (see example) |

example:

**stepped**( 3, 12, *val*) returns

| <i>val</i>          | <i>result</i> |
|---------------------|---------------|
| <i>val</i> < 4      | 1             |
| 4 ≤ <i>val</i> < 8  | .667          |
| 8 ≤ <i>val</i> < 12 | .333          |
| <i>val</i> ≥ 12     | 0             |



### 3.6.6 User-defined Functions

User defined functions have the format:

```
type FUNCTION name ( arg decls ) = expr ;
```

*Type* indicates the type of value the function returns, and can be:

```
INTEGER
FLOAT
STRING
DOY      (day of year date using month name and day; actually same as integer).
```

*Arg decls* indicates zero or more comma-separated argument declarations, each consisting of a *type* (as above) and the name used for the argument in *expr*.

*Expr* is an expression of (or convertible to) *type*.

The tradeoffs between using a user-defined function and a preprocessor macro (**#define**) include:

1. Function may be slightly slower, because its code is always kept separate and called, while the macro expansion is inserted directly in the input text, resulting in inline code.
2. Function may use less memory, because only one copy of it is stored no matter how many times it is called.
3. Type checking: the declared types of the function and its arguments allow CSE to perform additional checks.

Note that while macros require line-splicing (“\”) to extend over one line, functions do not require it:

```
// Function returning number of days in ith month of year:
DOY FUNCTION MonthLU (integer i) = choose1 ( i , Jan 31, Feb 28, Mar 31,
                                           Apr 30, May 31, Jun 30,
                                           Jul 31, Aug 31, Sep 30,
                                           Oct 31, Nov 30, Dec 31 ) ;

// Equivalent preprocessor macro:
#define MonthLU (i) = choose1 ( i , Jan 31, Feb 28, Mar 31, \
                             Apr 30, May 31, Jun 30, \
                             Jul 31, Aug 31, Sep 30, \
                             Oct 31, Nov 30, Dec 31 ) ;
```

### 3.6.7 Probes

*Probes* provide a universal means of referencing data within the simulator. Probes permit using the inputtable members of each object, as described in the [Input Data](#) Section, as operands in expressions. In addition, most internal members can be probed; we will describe how to find their names shortly.

Three general ways of using probes are:

1. During input, to implement things like “make this window’s width equal to 10% of the zone floor area” by using the zone’s floor area in an expression:

```
wnWidth = @zone[1].znArea * 0.1;
```

Here “@zone[1].znArea” is the probe.

2. During simulation. Probing during simulation, to make inputs be functions of conditions in the building or HVAC systems, is limited because most of the members of interest are updated *after* CSE has evaluated the user’s expressions for the subhour or other time interval – this is logically necessary since the expressions are inputs. (An exception is the weather data, but this is also available through system variables such as \$tDbO.)

However, a number of *prior subhour* values are available for probing, making it possible to implement relationships like “the local heat output of this terminal is 1000 Btuh if the zone temperature last subhour was below 65, else 500”:

```
tuMnLh = @znres["North"].S.prior.tAir < 65 ? 1000 : 500;
```

- For output reports, allowing arbitrary data to be reported at subhourly, hourly, daily, monthly, or annual intervals. The REPORT class description describes the user-defined report type (UDT), for which you write the expression for the value to be reported. With probes, you can thus report almost any datum within CSE – not just those values chosen for reporting when the program was designed. Even values calculated during the current subhour simulation can be probed and reported, because expressions for reports are evaluated after the subhour's calculations are performed.

Examples:

```
colVal = @airHandler["Hot"].ts;    // report air handler supply temp
colVal = @terminal[NorthHot].cz;   // terminal air flow to zone (Btuh/F)
```

The general form of a probe is

```
@ className [ objName ] . member
```

The initial @ is always necessary. And don't miss the period after the ].

*className* is the CLASS being probed

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| <i>objName</i> | is the name of the specific object of the class; alternately, a numeric subscript is allowed. Generally, the numbers correspond to the objects in the order created. [ <i>objName</i> ] can be omitted for the TOP class, which has only one member, Top.                                    |
| <i>member</i>  | is the name of the particular member being probed. This must be exactly correct. For some inputtable members, the probe name is not the same as the input name given in the <b>Input Data</b> Section, and there are many probe-able members not described in the <b>Input Data</b> section. |

How do you find out what the probe-able member names are? CSE will display the a list of the latest class and member names if invoked with the -p switch. Use the command line

```
CSE -p >probes.txt
```

to put the displayed information into the file PROBES.TXT, then print the file or examine it with a text editor.

A portion of the -p output looks like:

```
@exportCol[1..].      I  R      owner: export
      name      I  R  string      constant
      colHead   I  R  string      input time
      colGap    I  R  integer number input time
      colWid    I  R  integer number input time
      colDec    I  R  integer number input time
      colJust   I  R  integer number constant
      colVal    I  R  un-probe-able end of each subhour
      nxColi    I  R  integer number constant

@holiday[1..].        I
      name      I      string      constant
      hdDateTrue I      integer number constant
      hdDateObs  I      integer number constant
```

hdOnMonday I integer number constant

In the above “exportCol” and “holiday” are class names, and “name”, “colHead”, “colGap”, . . . are member names for class exportCol. Some members have multiple names separated by ‘.’s, or they may contain an additional subscript. To probe one of these, type all of the names and punctuation exactly as shown (except capitalization may differ); if an additional subscript is shown, give a number in the specified range. An “I” designates an “input” parameter, an R means “runtime” parameter. The “owner” is the class of which this class is a subclass.

The data type and variation of each member is also shown. Note that *variation*, or how often the member changes, is shown here. (*Variability*, or how often an expression assigned to the member may change, is given for the input table members in the **Input Data** Section). Members for which an “end of” variation is shown can be probed only for use in reports. A name described as “un-probe-able” is a structure or something not convertible to an integer, float, or string.

surface[].sgdist[].f[]: f[0] is winter solar coupling fraction; f[1] is summer.

### 3.6.8 Variation Frequencies Revisited

At risk of beating the topic to death, we’re going to review once more the frequencies with which a CSE value can change (*variations*), with some comments on the corresponding *variabilities*.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| subhourly  | changes in each “subhour” used in simulation. Subhours are commonly 15-minute intervals for models using znModel=CNE or 2-minute intervals for CSE znModels.   |
| hourly   | changes every simulated hour. The simulated weather and many other aspects of the simulation change hourly; it is customary to schedule setpoint changes, HVAC system operation, etc. in whole hours.  |
| daily  | changes at each simulated midnite.   |
| monthly  | changes between simulated months.  |
| monthly-hourly, or<br>“hourly on first day of<br>each month” | changes once an hour on the first day of each month; the 24 hourly values from the first day of the month are used for the rest of the month. This variation and variability is used for data dependent on the sun’s position, to save calculation time over computing it every hour of every day.   |
| run start time   | value is derived from other inputs before simulation begins, then does not change.<br>Members that cannot change during the simulation but which are not needed to derive other values before the simulation begins have “run start time” <i>variability</i> .   |
| input time   | value is known before CSE starts to check data and derive “run start time” values.<br>Expressions with “input time” variation may be used in many members that cannot accept any variation during the run. Many members documented in the <b>Input Data</b> Section as having “constant” variability may actually accept expressions with “input time” variation; to find out, try it: set the member to an expression containing a proposed probe and see if an error message results.<br>“Input time” differs from “constant” in that it includes object names (forward references are allowed, and resolved just before other data checks) and probes that are forward references to constant values. |
| constant   | does not vary. But a “constant” member of a class denoted as R (with no I) in the probes report produced by CSE -p is actually not available until run start time.   |

Also there are end-of varieties of all of the above; these are values computed during simulation: end of each

hour, end of run, etc. Such values may be reported (using a probe in a UDT report), but will produce an error message if probed in an expression for an input member value.

## 4 Input Data

This section describes the input for each CSE class (object type). For each object you wish to define, the usual input consists of the class name, your name for the particular object (usually), and zero or more member value statements of the form *name=expression*. The name of each subsection of this section is a class name (**HOLIDAY**, **MATERIAL**, **CONSTRUCTION**, etc.). The object name, if given, follows the class name; it is the first thing in each description (hdName, matName, conName, etc.). Exception: no statement is used to create or begin the predefined top-level object “Top” (of class **TOP**); its members are given without introduction.

After the object name, each member's description is introduced with a line of the form *name=type*. *Type* indicates the appropriate expression type for the value:

- *float*
- *int*
- *string*
- *\_\_\_\_\_name* (object name for specified type of object)
- *choice*
- *date*

These types discussed in the section on **expression types**.

Each member's description continues with a table of the form:

| Units           | Legal Range | Default               | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | x > 0       | wnHeight *<br>wnWidth | No       | constant    |

where the column headers have the following meaning:

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| <i>Units</i>       | units of measure (lb., ft, Btu, etc.) where applicable   |
| <i>Legal</i>       | limits of valid range for numeric inputs; valid choices  |
| <i>Range</i>       | for <i>choice</i> members, etc.  |
| <i>Default</i>     | value assumed if member not given; applicable only if not required   |
| <i>Required</i>    | YES if you must give this member   |
| <i>Variability</i> | how often the given expression can change: hourly, daily, etc. See sections on <b>expressions</b> , <b>statements</b> , and <b>variation frequencies</b> |

### 4.1 TOP Members

The top-level data items (TOP members) control the simulation process or contain data that applies to the modeled building as a whole. No statement is used to begin or create the TOP object; these statements can be given anywhere in the input (they do, however, terminate any other objects being specified – **ZONES**, **REPORTs**, etc.).

#### 4.1.1 TOP General Data Items

**doMainSim=choice**

Specifies whether the simulation is performed when a Run command is encountered. See also doAutoSize.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NO,YES      | YES     | No       | constant    |

#### **begDay=*date***

Date specifying the beginning day of the simulation performed when a Run command is encountered. See further discussion under endDay (next).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | Jan 1   | No       | constant    |

#### **endDay=*date***

Date specifying the ending day of the simulation performed when a Run command is encountered.

The program simulates 365 days at most. If begDay and endDay are the same, 1 day is simulated. If begDay precedes endDay in calendar sequence, the simulation is performed normally and covers begDay through endDay inclusive. If begDay follows endDay in calendar sequence, the simulation is performed across the year end, with Jan 1 immediately following Dec 31.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | Dec 31  | No       | constant    |

#### **jan1DoW=*choice***

Day of week on which January 1 falls.

| Units | Legal Range                                   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | SUN<br>MON<br>TUE<br>WED<br>THU<br>FRI<br>SAT | THU     | No       | constant    |

#### **workDayMask=*int* TODO**

| Units | Legal Range | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | Mon-fri? | No       | constant    |

#### **wuDays=*int***

Number of “warm-up” days used to initialize the simulator. Simulator initialization is required because thermal mass temperatures are set to arbitrary values at the beginning of the simulation. Actual mass temperatures must be established through simulation of a few days before thermal loads are accumulated. Heavier buildings require more warm-up; the default values are adequate for conventional construction.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 7       | No       | constant    |

**nSubSteps=***int*

Number of subhour steps used per hour in the simulation. 4 is the time-honored value for models using CNE zones. A value of 30 is typically for CSE zone models.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 4       | No       | constant    |

**tol=***float*

Endtest convergence tolerance for internal iteration in CNE models (no effect for CSE models) Small values for the tolerance cause more accurate simulations but slower performance. The user may wish to use a high number during the initial design process (to quicken the runs) and then lower the tolerance for the final design (for better accuracy). Values other than .001 have not been explored.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | .001    | No       | constant    |

**humTolF=***float*

Specifies the convergence tolerance for humidity calculations in CNE models (no effect in for CSE models), relative to the tolerance for temperature calculations. A value of .0001 says that a humidity difference of .0001 is about as significant as a temperature difference of one degree. Note that this is multiplied internally by “tol”; to make an overall change in tolerances, change “tol” only.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | .0001   | No       |             |

**ebTolMon=***float*

Monthly energy balance error tolerance for internal consistency checks. Smaller values are used for testing the internal consistency of the simulator; values somewhat larger than the default may be used to avoid error messages when it is desired to continue working despite a moderate degree of internal inconsistency.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 0.0001  | No       | constant    |

**ebTolDay=***float*

Daily energy balance error tolerance.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 0.0001  | No       | constant    |

**ebTolHour=float**

Hourly energy balance error tolerance.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 0.0001  | No       | constant    |

**ebTolSubhr=float**

Sub-hourly energy balance error tolerance.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 0.0001  | No       | constant    |

**grndMinDim=float**

The minimum cell dimension used in the two-dimensional finite difference calculations for **FOUNDATIONS**.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | 0.066   | No       | constant    |

**grndMaxGrthCoeff=float**

The maximum ratio of growth between neighboring cells in the direction away from the near-field area of interest. Used in the two-dimensional finite difference calculations for **FOUNDATIONS**.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 1.0$ | 1.5     | No       | constant    |

**grndTimeStep=choice**

Allows the user to choose whether to calculate foundation conduction on hourly or subhourly intervals. Hourly intervals require less overall computation time, but with less accuracy.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | HOURLY,<br>SUBHOURLY | HOURLY  | No       | constant    |

**humMeth=choice**

Developmental zone humidity computation method choice for CNE models (no effect for CSE models).

|      |  |
|------|--|
| ROB  | Rob's backward difference method. Works well within limitations of backward difference approach.   |
| PHIL | Phil's central difference method. Should be better if perfected, but initialization at air handler startup is unresolved, and ringing has been observed. |

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | ROB, PHIL   | ROB     | No       | constant    |

**dfExH=float**

Default exterior surface (air film) conductance used for opaque and glazed surfaces exposed to ambient conditions in the absence of explicit specification.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | 2.64    | No       | constant    |

**bldgAzm=float**

Reference compass azimuth (0 = north, 90 = east, etc.). All zone orientations (and therefore surface orientations) are relative to this value, so the entire building can be rotated by changing bldgAzm only. If a value outside the range  $0^\circ \leq x < 360^\circ$  is given, it is normalized to that range.

| Units       | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ° (degrees) | unrestricted | 0       | No       | constant    |

**elevation=float**

Elevation of the building site. Used internally for the computation of barometric pressure and air density of the location.

| Units | Legal Range | Default       | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0 (sea level) | No       | constant    |

**runTitle=string**

Run title for the simulation. Appears in report footers, export headers, and in the title lines to the INP, LOG, and ERR built-in reports (these appear by default in the primary report file; the ERR report also appears in the error message file, if one is created).

| Units | Legal Range   | Default          | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | blank (no title) | No       | constant    |

**runSerial=int**

Run serial number for the simulation. Increments on each run in a session; appears in report footers.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 999$ | 0       | No       | constant    |

**4.1.2 TOP Daylight Saving Time Items**

Daylight savings starts by default at 2:00 a.m. of the second Sunday in March. Internally, hour 3 (2:00-3:00 a.m.) is skipped and reports for this day show only 23 hours. Daylight savings ends by default at 2:00 a.m.



of the first Sunday of November; for this day 25 hours are shown on reports. CSE fetches weather data using standard time but uses daylight savings time to calculate variable expressions (and thus all schedules).

### **DT=choice**

Whether Daylight Savings Time is to be used for the current run.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | YES     | No       | constant    |

### **DTbegDay=date**

Start day for daylight saving time (assuming DT=Yes)

| Units       | Legal Range | Default                       | Required | Variability |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>date</i> |             | <i>second Sunday in March</i> | No       | constant    |

### **DTendDay=date**

End day for daylight saving time (assuming DT=Yes)

| Units       | Legal Range | Default                         | Required | Variability |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>date</i> |             | <i>first Sunday in November</i> | No       | constant    |

## 4.1.3 TOP Model Control Items

### **ventAvail=choice**

Indicates availability of outdoor ventilation strategies. CSE cannot model simultaneously-operating alternative ventilation strategies. For example, an **RSYS** central fan integrated (CFI) OAV system is never modeled while whole house fan ventilation is available. ventAvail controls which ventilation mode, if any, is available for the current hour. Note that mode availability means that the strategy could operate but may not operate due to other control assumptions.

| Choice        | Ventilation Strategy Available                                  |
|---------------|---|
| NONE          | None  |
| WHOLEBUILDING | IZXFER (window and whole-house fan)                             |
| RSYSOAV       | RSYS central fan integrated (CFI) outside air ventilation (OAV) |

As noted, ventAvail is evaluated hourly, permitting flexible control strategy modeling. The following example specifies that RSYSOAV (CFI) ventilation is available when the seven day moving average temperature is above 68 °F, otherwise whole building ventilation is available between 7 and 11 PM, otherwise no ventilation.

```
ventAvail = (@weather.taDbAvg07 > 68) ? RSYSOAV
           : ($hour >= 19 && $hour <= 23) ? WHOLEBUILDING
           : NONE
```

| Units | Legal Range          | Default       | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Choices above</i> | WHOLEBUILDING | No       | hourly      |

**dhwModel=choice**

Modifies aspects of DHW calculations.

| Choice | Effect                                       |
|--------|--|
| T24DHW | Matches results from T24DHW.DLL              |
| 2013   | Corrected CEC 2013 methods with 2016 updates |

  

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Choices above</i> | 2013    | No       | constant    |

**exShadeModel=choice**

Specifies advanced exterior shading model used to evaluate shading of **PVARRAYs** by **SHADEXs** or other **PVARRAYs**. Advanced shading is not implemented for building surfaces and this setting has no effect on walls or windows.

| Choice   | Effect                                     |
|----------|--|
| PENUMBRA | Calculate shading using the Penumbra model |
| NONE     | Disable advanced shading calculations      |

| Units | Legal Range          | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Choices above</i> | PENUMBRA | No       | constant    |

**ANTolAbs=float**

AirNet absolute convergence tolerance. Ideally, calculated zone air pressures should be such that the net air flow into each zone is 0 – that is, there should be a perfect mass balance. The iterative AirNet solution techniques are deemed converged when  $\text{netAirMassFlow} < \max(\text{ANTolAbs}, \text{ANTolRel} * \text{totAirMassFlow})$ .

| Units   | Legal Range | Default               | Required | Variability |
|---------|-------------|-----------------------|----------|-------------|
| lbm/sec | $x > 0$     | 0.00125 (about 1 cfm) | No       | constant    |

**ANTolRel=float**

AirNet relative convergence tolerance. See AnTolAbs just above.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | .0001   | No       | constant    |

The ASHWAT complex fenestration model used when **WINDOW** wnModel=ASHWAT yields several heat transfer results that are accurate over local ranges of conditions. Several values control when these value are recalculated. If any of the specified values changes more than the associated threshold, a full ASHWAT calculation is triggered. Otherwise, prior results are used. ASHWAT calculations are computationally expensive and conditions often change only incrementally between time steps.

**AWTrigT=float**

ASHWAT temperature change threshold – full calculation is triggered by a change of either indoor or outdoor environmental (combined air and radiant) temperature that exceeds AWTrigT.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x > 0$     | 1       | No       | constant    |

#### AWTrigSlr=*float*

ASHWAT solar change threshold – full calculation is triggered by a fractional change of incident solar radiation that exceeds AWTrigSlr.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | .05     | No       | constant    |

#### AWTrigH=*float*

ASHWAT convection coefficient change threshold – full calculation is triggered by a fractional change of inside surface convection coefficient that exceeds AWTrigH.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | .1      | No       | constant    |

#### 4.1.4 TOP Weather Data Items

The following system variables (4.6.4) are determined from the weather file for each simulated hour:

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| \$radBeam    | beam irradiance on tracking surface (integral for hour, Btu/ft <sup>2</sup> ).        |
| \$radDiff    | diffuse irradiance on a horizontal surface (integral for hour, Btu/ft <sup>2</sup> ). |
| \$tDbO       | dry bulb temp (°F).   |
| \$tWbO       | wet bulb temp (°F).   |
| \$wO         | humidity ratio  |
| \$windDirDeg | wind direction (degrees, NOT RADIANS; 0=N, 90=E).                                     |
| \$windSpeed  | wind speed (mph).   |

The following are the terms determined from the weather file for internal use, and can be referenced with the probes shown.

@Top.depressWbWet bulb depression (F).

@Top.windSpeedSquaredWind speed squared (mph<sup>2</sup>).

#### wfName=*string*

Weather file path name for simulation. The file should be in the current directory, in the directory CSE.EXE was read from, or in a directory on the operating system PATH. Weather file formats supported are CSW, EPW, and ET1. Only full-year weather files are supported.

Note: Backslash (\) characters in path names must be doubled to work properly (e.g. “\\wthr\\mywthr.epw”). Forward slash (/) may be used in place of backslash without doubling.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | file name,path optional |         | Yes      | constant    |

| Units | Legal Range             | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | file name,path optional |         | Yes      | constant    |

**skyModel=choice**

Selects sky model used to determine relative amounts of direct and diffuse irradiance.

|             |                                 |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| ISOTROPIC   | traditional isotropic sky model |
| ANISOTROPIC | Hay anisotropic model           |

| Units | Legal Range   | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | choices above | ANISOTROPIC | No       | constant    |

**skyModelLW=choice**

Selects the model used to derive sky temperature used in long-wave (thermal) radiant heat exchange calculations for **SURFACES** exposed to ambient conditions. See the RACM alorithms documentation for technical details.

| Choice        | Description   |
|---------------|---|
| DEFAULT       | Default: tSky from weather file if available else Berdahl-Martin  |
| BERDAHLMARTIN | Berdahl-Martin (tSky depends on dew point, cloud cover, and hour) |
| DRYBULB       | tSky = dry-bulb temperature (for testing)                         |
| BLAST         | Blast model (tSky depends on dry-bulb)                            |

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | choices above | DEFAULT | No       | constant    |

The reference temperature and humidity are used to calculate a humidity ratio assumed in air specific heat calculations. The small effect of changing humidity on the specific heat of air is generally ignored in the interests of speed, but the user can control the humidity whose specific heat is used through the refTemp and refRH inputs.

**refTemp=float**

Reference temperature (see above paragraph).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x \geq 0$  | 60°     | No       | constant    |

**refRH=float**

Reference relative humidity (see above).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.6     | No       | constant    |

### **grndRefl=float**

Global ground reflectivity, used except where other value specified with sfGrndRefl or wnGrndRefl. This reflectivity is used in computing the reflected beam and diffuse radiation reaching the surface in question. It is also used to calculate the solar boundary conditions for the exterior grade surface in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for **FOUNDATIONS**.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|----------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.2     | No       | Monthly-Hourly |

The following values modify weather file data, permitting varying the simulation without making up special weather files. For example, to simulate without the effects of wind, use windF = 0; to halve the effects of diffuse solar radiation, use radDiff = 0.5. Note that the default values for windSpeedMin and windF result in modification of weather file wind values unless other values are specified.

### **grndEmit=float**

Long-wave emittance of the exterior grade surface used in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for **FOUNDATIONS**.

| Units | Legal Range                   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 0.0 <i>le</i> x <i>le</i> 1.0 | 0.8     | No       | constant    |

### **grndRf**

Ground surface roughness. Used for convection and wind speed corrections in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for **FOUNDATIONS**.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0.0$ | 0.1     | No       | constant    |

### **windSpeedMin=float**

Minimum value for wind speed

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| mph   | $x \geq 0$  | 0.5     | No       | constant    |

### **windF=float**

Wind Factor: multiplier for wind speeds read from weather file. windF is applied *after* windSpeedMin. Note that windF does *not* effect infiltration rates calculated by the Sherman-Grimsrud model (see e.g. ZONE.infELA). However, windF does modify AirNet flows (see **IZXFER**).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 0.25    | No       | constant    |

**terrainClass=int**

Specifies characteristics of ground terrain in the project region.

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | ocean or other body of water with at least 5 km unrestricted expanse          |
| 2 | flat terrain with some isolated obstacles (buildings or trees well separated) |
| 3 | rural areas with low buildings, trees, etc.                                   |
| 4 | urban, industrial, or forest areas  |
| 5 | center of large city  |

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $1 \leq x \leq 5$ | 4       | No       | constant    |

**radBeamF=float**

Multiplier for direct normal (beam) irradiance

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 1       | No       | constant    |

**radDiffF=float**

Multiplier for diffuse horizontal irradiance.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 1       | No       | constant    |

**hConvMod=choice**

Enable/disable convection convective coefficient pressure modification factor.

$$0.24 + 0.76 \cdot P_{Location} / P_{SeaLevel}$$

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | YES     | No       | constant    |

**soilDiff=float**

*Note: soilDiff is used as part of the simple ground model, which is no longer supported. Use soilCond, soilSpHt, and SoilDens instead.*

Soil diffusivity, used in derivation of ground temperature. CSE calculates a ground temperature at 10 ft depth for each day of the year using dry-bulb temperatures from the weather file and soilDiff. Ground temperature is used in heat transfer calculations for **SURFACEs** with sfExCnd=GROUND. Note: derivation

of mains water temperature for DHW calculations involves a ground temperature based on soil diffusivity = 0.025 and does not use this soilDiff.

| Units               | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> /hr | $x > 0$     | 0.025   | No       | constant    |

**soilCond=float**

Soil conductivity. Used in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for FOUNDATIONs.

| Units                       | Legal Range | Default | Required | **Variability |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|---------------|
| Btuh-ft/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | 1.0     | No       | constant      |

**soilSpHt=float**

Soil specific heat. Used in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for FOUNDATIONs.

| Units     | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/lb-°F | $x > 0$     | 0.1     | No       | constant    |

**soilDens=float**

Soil density. Used in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for FOUNDATIONs.

| Units              | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| lb/ft <sup>3</sup> | $x > 0$     | 115     | No       | constant    |

**farFieldWidth=float**

Far-field width. Distance from foundation to the lateral, zero-flux boundary condition. Used in two-dimensional finite difference calculations for FOUNDATIONs.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | 130     | No       | constant    |

**deepGrndCnd=choice**

Deep-ground boundary condition type. Choices are WATERTABLE (i.e., a defined temperature) or ZEROFLUX.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| –     | WATERTABLE,<br>ZEROFLUX | ZEROFLUX | No       | constant    |

**deepGrndDepth=float**

Deep-ground depth. Distance from exterior grade to the deep-ground boundary. Used in two-dimensional

finite difference calculations for FOUNDATIONS.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | 130     | No       | constant    |

**deepGrndT**=*float*

Deep-ground temperature. Used when deepGrndCnd=WATERTABLE.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
| F     | $x > 0$     | Annual average<br>drybulb<br>temperature | No       | hourly      |

#### 4.1.5 TOP TDV (Time Dependent Value) Items

CSE supports an optional comma-separated (CSV) text file that provides hourly TDV values for electricity and fuel. TDV values are read along with the weather file and the values merged with weather data. Several daily statistics are calculated for use via probes. The file has no other effect on the simulation. Only full-year TDV files are supported.

The format of a TDV file is the same as an IMPORTFILE with the proviso that the 4 line header is not optional and certain header items must have specified values. In the following table, non-italic items must be provided as shown (with optional quotes).

| Line | Contents                | Notes   |
|------|-------------------------|---|
| 1    | TDV Data (TDV/Btu),     | <i>runNumber</i> is not checked                           |
| 2    | <i>runNumber</i>        | optionally in quotes                                      |
| 3    | <i>timestamp</i>        | accessible via @TOP.TDVFileTimeStamp                      |
| 3    | <i>title</i> , hour     | <i>title</i> (in quotes if it contains commas)            |
| 4    | tdvElec, tdvFuel        | accessible via @TOP.TDVFileTitle                          |
| 4    |                         | comma separated column names (optionally in quotes)       |
| 5 .. | <i>valElec, valFuel</i> | not checked   |
| 5 .. |                         | comma separated numerical values (8760 or 8784 rows)      |
| 5 .. |                         | tdvElec is always in column 1, tdvFuel always in column 2 |
| 5 .. |                         | column names in row 4 do not determine order              |

Example TDV file –

```
"TDV Data (TDV/Btu)","001"
"Wed 14-Dec-16 12:30:29 pm"
"BEMCmpMgr 2019.0.0 RV (758), CZ12, Fuel NatGas", Hour
"tdvElec","tdvFuel"
7.5638,2.2311
7.4907,2.2311
7.4478,2.2311
7.4362,2.2311
7.5255,2.2311
7.5793,2.2311
```



```

7.6151,2.2311
7.6153,2.2311
7.5516,2.2311
(... continues for 8760 or 8784 data lines ...)

```

Note: additional columns can be included and are ignored.

The table below shows probes available for accessing TDV data in expressions. Except as noted, daily values are updated based on standard time, so they may be inaccurate by small amounts when daylight savings time is in effect.

| Probe                          | Variability | Description  |
|--------------------------------|-------------|--|
| @Weather.tdvElec               | Hour        | current hour electricity TDV   |
| @Weather.tdvFuel               | Hour        | current hour fuel TDV  |
| @Weather.tdvElecPk             | Day         | current day peak electricity TDV (includes future hours). Updated at hour 23 during daylight savings.  |
| @Weather.tdvElecAvg            | Day         | current day average electricity TDV (includes future hours)  |
| @Weather.tdvElecPvPk           | Day         | previous day peak electricity TDV  |
| @Weather.tdvElecAvg0 1         | Day         | previous day average electricity TDV   |
| @weather.tdvElecHrRa nk        | Day         | hour ranking of TDVElec values. tdvElecHrRank[ 1] is the hour having the highest TDVElec, tdvElecHrRank[ 2] is the next highest, etc. The hour values are adjusted when daylight savings time is in effect, so they remain consistent with system variable \$hour. |
| @weatherFile.tdvFile TimeStamp | Constant    | TDV file timestamp (line 2 of header)  |
| @weatherFile.tdvFile Title     | Constant    | TDV file title (line 3 of header)  |
| @Top.tdvFName                  | Constant    | TDV file full path   |

**TDVfName=***string*

Note: Backslash (\) characters in path names must be doubled to work properly (e.g. "\\data\\mytdv.tdv"). Forward slash (/) may be used in place of backslash without doubling.

| Units | Legal Range              | Default       | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|-------------|
|       | file name, path optional | (no TDV file) | No       | constant    |

#### 4.1.6 TOP Report Data Items

These items are used in page-formatted report output files. See [REPORTFILE](#), Section 5.245.21, and [REPORT](#), Section 5.25.

**repHdrL=***string*

Report left header. Appears at the upper left of each report page unless page formatting (rfPageFmt) is OFF. If combined length of repHdrL and repHdrR is too large for the page width, one or both will be truncated.

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>blank</i> | No       | constant??  |

**repHdrR=string**

Report right header. Appears at the upper right of each report page unless page formatting (rfPageFmt) is OFF. If combined length of repHdrL and repHdrR is too large for the page width, one or both will be truncated.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>blank</i> (no right header) | No       | constant??  |

**repLPP=int**

Total lines per page to be assumed for reports. Number of lines used for text (including headers and footers) is repLPP - repTopM - repBotM.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| lines | $x \geq 50$ | 66      | No       | constant??  |

**repTopM=int**

Number of lines to be skipped at the top of each report page (prior to header).

| Units | Legal Range        | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| lines | $0 \leq x \leq 12$ | 3       | No       | constant    |

**repBotM=int**

Number of lines reserved at the bottom of each report page. repBotM determines the position of the footer on the page (blank lines after the footer are not actually written).

| Units | Legal Range        | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| lines | $0 \leq x \leq 12$ | 3       | No       | constant    |

**repCPL=int**

Characters per line for report headers and footers, user defined reports, and error messages. CSE writes simple ASCII files and assumes a fixed (not proportional) spaced printer font. Many of the built-in reports now (July 1992) assume a line width of 132 columns.

| Units      | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|------------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| characters | $78 \leq x \leq 132$ | 78      | No       | constant    |

**repTestPfx=string**

Report test prefix. Appears at beginning of report lines that are expected to differ from prior runs. This is useful for “hiding” lines from text comparison utilities in automated testing schemes. Note: the value specified with command line -x takes precedence over this input.

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>blank</i> | No       | constant??  |

#### 4.1.7 TOP Autosizing

**doAutoSize**=*choice*

Controls invocation of autosizing phase prior to simulation.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                               | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | NO, unless AUTOSIZE commands in input | No       | constant    |

**auszTol**=*float*

Autosize tolerance. Sized capacity results are deemed final when successive design day calculations produce results within auszTol of the prior iteration.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | .005    | No       | constant    |

**heatDsTDbO**=*float*

Heating outdoor dry bulb design temperature used for autosizing heating equipment.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required      | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|---------------|-------------|
| °F    |             |         | if autosizing | hourly      |

**heatDsTWbO**=*float*

Heating outdoor Wet bulb design temperature used for autosizing heating equipment.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             | derived assuming RH=.7 | No       | hourly      |

**coolDsDay**=*list of up to 12 days*

Specifies cooling design days for autosizing. Each day will be simulated repeatedly using weather file conditions for that day.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| dates |             | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**coolDsMo**=*list of up to 12 months*

Deprecated method for specifying cooling autosizing days. Design conditions are taken from ET1 weather file header, however, the limited available ET1 files do not contain design condition information.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| months |             | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

### 4.1.8 TOP Debug Reporting

**verbose=***int*

Controls verbosity of screen remarks. Most possible remarks are generated during autosizing of CNE models. Little or no effect in CSE models. TODO: document options

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 0 - 5       | 1       | No       | constant    |

The following dbgPrintMask values provide bitwise control of addition of semi-formatted internal results to the run report file. The values and format of debugging reports are modified as required for testing purposes.

**dbgPrintMaskC=***int*

Constant portion of debug reporting control.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 0       | No       | constant    |

**dbgPrintMask=***int*

Hourly portion of debug reporting control (generally an expression that evaluates to non-0 only on days or hours of interest).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 0       | No       | hourly      |

#### Related Probes:

- [@top](#)
- [@weatherFile](#)
- [@weather](#)
- [@weatherNextHour](#)

## 4.2 HOLIDAY

HOLIDAY objects define holidays. Holidays have no inherent effect, but input expressions can test for holidays via the \$DOWH, \$isHoliday, \$isHoliTrue, \$isWeHol, and \$isBegWeek system variables (4.6.4).

Examples and the list of default holidays are given after the member descriptions.

**hdName**

Name of holiday: must follow the word HOLIDAY.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | Yes      | constant    |

A holiday may be specified by date or via a rule such as “Fourth Thursday in November”. To specify by date, give hdDateTrue, and also hdDateObs or hdOnMonday if desired. To specify by rule, give all three of hdCase, hdMon, and hdDow.

**hdDateTrue=*date***

The true date of a holiday, even if not celebrated on that day.

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | <i>blank</i> | No       | constant    |

**hdDateObs=*date***

The date that a holiday will be observed. Allowed only if hdDateTrue given and hdOnMonday not given.

| Units | Legal Range | Default           | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | <i>hdDateTrue</i> | No       | constant    |

**hdOnMonday=*choice***

If YES, holiday is observed on the following Monday if the true date falls on a weekend. Allowed only if hdDateTrue given and hdDateObs not given.

Note: there is no provision to celebrate a holiday that falls on a Saturday on *Friday* (as July 4 was celebrated in 1992).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES NO      | YES     | No       | constant    |

**hdCase=*choice***

Week of the month that the holiday is observed. hdCase, hdMon, and hdDow may be given only if hdDateTrue, hdDateObs, and hdOnMonday are not given.

| Units | Legal Range                    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | FIRST SECOND THIRD FOURTH LAST | FIRST   | No       | constant    |

**hdMon=*choice***

Month that the holiday is observed.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default     | Required                    | Variability |
|-------|---|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
|       | JAN, FEB, MAR,<br>APR, MAY, JUN,<br>JUL, AUG, SEP,<br>OCT, NOV, DEC | <i>none</i> | required if<br>hdCase given | constant    |

**hdDow=*choice***

Day of the week that the holiday is observed.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required                    | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|-----------------------------|-------------|
|       | SUNDAY,<br>MONDAY,<br>TUESDAY,<br>WEDNES-<br>DAY,<br>THURSDAY,<br>FRIDAY,<br>SATURDAY | MONDAY  | required if<br>hdCase given | constant    |

**endHoliday**

Indicates the end of the holiday definition. Alternatively, the end of the holiday definition can be indicated by “END” or simply by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

Examples of valid HOLIDAY object specifications:

- Holiday on May first, observed date moved to following Monday if the first falls on a weekend (hdOnMonday defaults Yes).

```
HOLIDAY MAYDAY;
    hdDateTrue = May 1;
```

- Holiday on May 1, observed on May 3.

```
HOLIDAY MAYDAY;
    hdDateTrue = May 1;
    hdDateObs = May 3;
```

- Holiday observed on May 1 even if on a weekend.

```
HOLIDAY MAYDAY;
    hdDateTrue = May 1;
    hdOnMonday = No;
```

- Holiday observed on Wednesday of third week of March

```
HOLIDAY HYPOTHET;
    hdCase = third;
    hdDow = Wed;
    hdMon = MAR
```

As with reports, Holidays are automatically generated for a standard set of Holidays. The following are the default holidays automatically defined by CSE:

|                 |                         |
|-----------------|-------------------------|
| New Year's Day  | *January 1              |
| M L King Day    | *January 15             |
| President's Day | 3rd Monday in February  |
| Memorial Day    | last Monday in May      |
| Fourth of July  | *July 4                 |
| Labor Day       | 1st Monday in September |
| Columbus Day    | 2nd Monday in October   |
| Veterans Day    | *November 11            |

|              |                          |
|--------------|--------------------------|
| Thanksgiving | 4th Thursday in November |
| Christmas    | *December 25             |

\* *observed on the following Monday if falls on a weekend, except as otherwise noted:*

If a particular default holiday is not desired, it can be removed with a DELETE statement:

```
DELETE HOLIDAY Thanksgiving
```

```
DELETE HOLIDAY "Columbus Day" // Quotes necessary (due to space)
```

```
DELETE HOLIDAY "VETERANS DAY" // No case-sensitivity
```

Note that the name must be spelled *exactly* as listed above.

#### Related Probes:

- @holiday

### 4.3 MATERIAL

MATERIAL constructs an object of class MATERIAL that represents a building material or component for later reference a from LAYER (see below). A MATERIAL so defined need not be referenced. MATERIAL properties are defined in a consistent set of units (all lengths in feet), which in some cases differs from units used in tabulated data. Note that the convective and air film resistances for the inside wall surface is defined within the SURFACE statements related to conductances.

#### matName

Name of material being defined; follows the word "MATERIAL".

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | Yes      | constant    |

#### matThk=float

Thickness of material. If specified, matThk indicates the discreet thickness of a component as used in construction assemblies. If omitted, matThk indicates that the material can be used in any thickness; the thickness is then specified in each LAYER using the material (see below).

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | (omitted) | No       | constant    |

#### matCond=float

Conductivity of material. Note that conductivity is *always* stated for a 1 foot thickness, even when matThk is specified; if the conductance is known for a specific thickness, an expression can be used to derive matCond.

| Units                       | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh-ft/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | none    | Yes      | constant    |

#### matCondT=float

Temperature at which matCond is rated. See matCondCT (next).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x > 0$     | 70 °F   | No       | constant    |

**matCondCT=float**

Coefficient for temperature adjustment of matCond in the forward difference surface conduction model. Each hour (not subhour), the conductivity of layers using this material are adjusted as follows:  $\text{lrCond} = \text{matCond} * (1 + \text{matCondCT} * (T_{\text{layer}} - \text{matCondT}))$

| Units            | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F <sup>-1</sup> |             | 0       | No       | constant    |

Note: A typical value of matCondCT for fiberglass batt insulation is 0.00418 F<sup>-1</sup>

**matSpHt=float**

Specific heat of material.

| Units     | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-----------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/lb-°F | $x \geq 0$  | 0 (thermally massless) | No       | constant    |

**matDens=float**

Density of material.

| Units              | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
| lb/ft <sup>3</sup> | $x \geq 0$  | 0 (massless) | No       | constant    |

**matRNom=float**

Nominal R-value per foot of material. Appropriate for insulation materials only and *used for documentation only*. If specified, the current material is taken to have a nominal R-value that contributes to the reported nominal R-value for a construction. As with matCond, matRNom is *always* stated for a 1 foot thickness, even when matThk is specified; if the nominal R-value is known for a specific thickness, an expression can be used to derive matRNom.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> -°F/Btuh | $x > 0$     | (omitted) | No       | constant    |

**endMaterial**

Optional to indicate the end of the material. Alternatively, the end of the material definition can be indicated by “END” or simply by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**



- @material

## 4.4 CONSTRUCTION

CONSTRUCTION constructs an object of class CONSTRUCTION that represents a light weight or massive ceiling, wall, floor, or mass assembly (mass assemblies cannot, obviously, be lightweight). Once defined, CONSTRUCTIONS can be referenced from SURFACES (below). A defined CONSTRUCTION need not be referenced. Each CONSTRUCTION is optionally followed by LAYERs, which define the constituent LAYERs of the construction.

### conName

Name of construction. Required for reference from SURFACE and DOOR objects, below.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | Yes      | constant    |

### conU=float

U-value for the construction (NOT including surface (air film) conductances; see SURFACE statements). If omitted, one or more LAYERs must immediately follow to specify the LAYERs that make up the construction. If specified, no LAYERs can follow.

| Units                     | Legal Range | Default                   | Required                             | Variability |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> - °F | $x > 0$     | calculated<br>from LAYERs | if omitted,<br>LAYERs must<br>follow | constant    |

### endConstruction

Optional to indicates the end of the CONSTRUCTION. Alternatively, the end of the CONSTRUCTION definition can be indicated by “END” or by beginning another object. If END or endConstruction is used, it should follow the construction's LAYER subobjects, if any.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

### Related Probes:

- @construction

## 4.5 FOUNDATION

Foundation describes the two-dimensional relationship between ground-contact SURFACES (i.e., sfExCnd = GROUND) and the surrounding ground. A FOUNDATION is referenced by Floor SURFACES (see sfFnd). FOUNDATIONS are used to describe the two-dimensional features of foundation designs that cannot be captured by the typical one-dimensional constructions. Dimensions from the one-dimensional CONSTRUCTIONS associated with ground-contact floors and walls will automatically be interpreted into the two-dimensional context.

Any wall SURFACES in contact with the ground must refer to a Floor SURFACE object (see sfFndFloor) to indicate which floor shares the same ground domain as a boundary condition (and establish the two-dimensional context for the basis of the ground calculations).

Figure 1: Two-dimensional context

FOUNDATION objects are used to instantiate instances of heat transfer within Kiva.

**MATERIALs** used in a FOUNDATION cannot have variable properties at this time.

Most of the relevant dimensions and properties in the two-dimensional context are defined in the FOUNDATION object (and **FNDBLOCK** subobjects) with a few exceptions specified by specific SURFACES:

- sfFnd
- sfFndFloor
- sfHeight
- sfExpPerim
- sfCon

Some properties applying to all FOUNDATIONS are defined at the **TOP** level:

- soilCond
- soilSpHt
- soilDens
- grndEmiss
- grndRefl
- grndRf
- farFieldWidth
- deepGrndCnd
- deepGrndDepth
- deepGrndT
- grndMinDim
- grndMaxGrthCoeff
- grndTimeStep

The following data members describe the dimensions and properties of the foundation wall. For below-grade walls, the **CONSTRUCTION** (and corresponding width) of the foundation wall is defined by the Wall **SURFACES** referencing the FOUNDATION object. For on-grade floors, the **CONSTRUCTION** of the foundation wall must be defined using **fdFtCon**. The actual height of the foundation wall (from the top of the wall to the top of the slab) is defined by the corresponding **SURFACE** objects.

Other components of the foundation design (e.g., interior/exterior insulation) as well as other variations in thermal properties within the ground are defined using **FNDBLOCK** (foundation block) objects. Any number of **FNDBLOCKS** can appear after the definition of a FOUNDATION to be properly associated.

#### fdName

Name of foundation; give after the word FOUNDATION. Required for reference from **SURFACE** objects.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | 63 characters | none    | Yes      | constant    |

#### fdWlHtAbvGrd=*float*

Wall height above grade.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

#### fdWIDpBlwSlb=*float*

Wall depth below slab.

Figure 2: Foundation wall dimensions

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

**fdFtCon=conName**

Name of **CONSTRUCTION** of the footing wall. Only required **IF** it is a slab foundation (i.e., no wall surfaces reference this FOUNDATION object).

| Units | Legal Range                      | Default     | Required                | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| –     | Name of a<br><i>Construction</i> | <i>none</i> | if a slab<br>foundation | constant    |

**endFoundation**

Indicates the end of the foundation definition. Alternatively, the end of the foundation definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by END.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**4.6 FNDBLOCK**

Foundation blocks are materials within the two-dimensional domain beyond those defined by the slab and wall **SURFACES**. Each block is represented as a rectangle in the domain by specifying the X (lateral) and Z (vertical) coordinates of two opposite corners. The coordinate system for each point is relative to the X and Z references defined by the user. As a convention The positive X direction is away from the building, and the positive Z direction is down.

Options for X and Z references are illustrated in the figure below.

The default reference is WALLINT, WALLTOP.

An example of defining a block for interior wall insulation is shown below. Here the two points defining the block (P1 and P2) are both shown relative to their reference points (Ref1 and Ref2, respectively).

Note: X and Z point values of zero imply that a point is the same as the reference point. The default for X and Z point values is zero since points will often align with one or both of the reference values.

It does not matter which of the four corners of a block are used to define the two points as long as they are opposite corners.

**fbMat=matName**

Name of **MATERIAL** of the foundation block.

| Units | Legal Range                  | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| –     | Name of a<br><i>Material</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**fbX1Ref=choice**

Relative X origin for *fbX1* point. Options are:

- SYMMETRY

Figure 3: Foundation block references

Figure 4: Foundation block example

- WALLINT
- WALLCENTER
- WALLEXT
- FARFIELD

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | WALLINT | No       | constant    |

**fbZ1Ref=choice**

Relative Z origin for *fbZ1* point. Options are:

- WALLTOP
- GRADE
- SLABTOP
- SLABBOTTOM
- WALLBOTTOM
- DEEPGROUND

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | WALLTOP | No       | constant    |

**fbX1=float**

The X position of the first corner of the block relative to *fbX1Ref*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    |             | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

**fbZ1=float**

The Z position of the first corner of the block relative to *fbZ1Ref*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    |             | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

**fbX2Ref=choice**

Relative X origin for *fbX2* point. Options are:

- SYMMETRY
- WALLINT
- WALLCENTER
- WALLEXT
- FARFIELD

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | WALLINT | No       | constant    |

**fbZ2Ref=choice**



Relative Z origin for *fbZ2* point. Options are:

- WALLTOP
- GRADE
- SLABTOP
- SLABBOTTOM
- WALLBOTTOM
- DEEPGROUND

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | WALLTOP | No       | constant    |

**fbX2=float**

The X position of the second corner of the block relative to *fbX2Ref*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    |             | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

**fbZ2=float**

The Z position of the second corner of the block relative to *fbZ2Ref*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    |             | 0.0     | No       | constant    |

**endFndBlock**

Indicates the end of the foundation block definition. Alternatively, the end of the foundation block definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by END.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

## 4.7 LAYER

LAYER constructs a subobject of class LAYER belonging to the current **CONSTRUCTION**. LAYER is not recognized except immediately following **CONSTRUCTION** or another LAYER. The members represent one layer (that optionally includes framing) within the **CONSTRUCTION**.

The layers should be specified in inside to outside order. A framed layer (lrFrmMat and lrFrmFrac given) is modeled by creating a homogenized material with weighted combined conductivity and volumetric heat capacity. Caution: it is generally preferable to model framed constructions using two separate surfaces (one with framing, one without). At most one framed layer (lrFrmMat and lrFrmFrac given) is allowed per construction.

The layer thickness may be given by lrThk, or matThk of the material, or matThk of the framing material if any. The thickness must be specified at least one of these three places; if specified in more than one place and not consistent, an error message occurs.

**lrName**

Name of layer (follows “LAYER”). Required only if the LAYER is later referenced in another object, for example with LIKE or ALTER; however, we suggest naming all objects for clearer error messages and future flexibility.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>None</i> | No       | constant    |

**lrMat=matName**

Name of primary **MATERIAL** in layer.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>MATERIAL</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**lrThk=float**

Thickness of layer.

| Units | Legal Range | Default/Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | Required if <i>matThk</i> not specified in referenced <i>lrMat</i> | constant    |

**lrFrmMat=matName**

Name of framing **MATERIAL** in layer, if any. At most one layer with lrFrmMat is allowed per **CONSTRUCTION**. See caution above regarding framed-layer model.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>MATERIAL</i> | <i>no framed layer</i> | No       | constant    |

**lrFrmFrac=float**

Fraction of layer that is framing. Must be specified if frmMat is specified. See caution above regarding framed-layer model.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default                | Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|------------------------|--|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | <i>no framed layer</i> | Required if <i>lrFrmMat</i> specified, else disallowed | constant    |

**endLayer**

Optional end-of-LAYER indicator; LAYER definition may also be indicated by “END” or just starting the definition of another LAYER or other object.

**Related Probes:**

- **@layer**

## 4.8 GLAZETYPE

GLAZETYPE constructs an object of class GLAZETYPE that represents a glazing type for use in **WINDOWS**.

### gtName

Name of glazetype. Required for reference from WINDOW objects, below.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | Yes      | constant    |

### gtModel=choice

Selects model to be used for **WINDOWS** based on this GLAZETYPE.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | SHGC ASHWAT | SHGC    | No       | constant    |

### gtU=float

Glazing conductance (U-factor without surface films, therefore not actually a U-factor but a C-factor). Used as wnU default; an error message will be issued if the U value is not given in the window (wnU) nor in the glazeType (gtU). Preferred Approach: To use accurately with standard winter rated U-factor from ASHRAE or NFRC enter as:

$$gtU = (1/((1/U\text{-factor})-0.85))$$

Where 0.85 is the sum of the interior (0.68) and exterior (0.17) design air film resistances assumed for rating window U-factors. Enter wnInH (usually 1.5=1/0.68) instead of letting it default. Enter the wnExH or let it default. It is important to use this approach if the input includes gnFrad for any gain term. Using approach 2 below will result in an inappropriate internal gain split at the window.

Approach 2. Enter gtU=U-factor and let the wnInH and wnExH default. This approach systematically underestimates the window U-factor because it adds the wnExfilm resistance to 1/U-factor thereby double counting the exterior film resistance. This approach will also yield incorrect results for gnFrad internal gain since the high wnInH will put almost all the gain back in the space.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | none    | No       | constant    |

### gtUNFRC=float

Fenestration system (including frame) U-factor evaluated at NFRC heating conditions. For ASHWAT windows, a value for the NFRC U-factor is required, set via gtUNFRC or wnUNFRC.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | none    | No       | constant    |

### gtSHGC=float

Glazing Solar Heat Gain Coefficient: fraction of normal beam insolation which gets through glass to space inside. We recommend using this to represent the glass normal transmissivity characteristic only, before

shading and framing effects

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default     | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | <i>none</i> | Yes      | Constant    |

#### **gtSMSO=float**

SHGC multiplier with shades open. May be overridden in the specific window input.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1.0     | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

#### **gtSMSC=float**

SHGC multiplier with shades closed. May be overridden in the specific window input.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default            | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|--------------------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | gtSMSO (no shades) | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

#### **gtFMult=float**

Framing multiplier used if none given in window, for example .9 if frame and mullions reduce the solar gain by 10%. Default of 1.0 implies frame/mullion effects allowed for in gtSHGC's or always specified in Windows.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | gtSHGCO | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

#### **gtPySHGC =float**

Four float values separated by commas. Coefficients for incidence angle SHGC multiplier polynomial applied to gtSHGC to determine beam transmissivity at angles of incidence other than 90 degrees. The values are coefficients for first through fourth powers of the cosine of the incidence angle; there is no constant part. An error message will be issued if the coefficients do not add to one. They are used in the following computation:

angle = incidence angle of beam radiation, measured from normal to glass.

$\cos I = \cos(\text{angle})$

$\text{angMult} = a * \cos I + b * \cos I^2 + c * \cos I^3 + d * \cos I^4$

$\text{beamXmisvty} = \text{gtSHGCO} * \text{angMult}$  (shades open)

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| float | <i>any</i>  | <i>none</i> | Yes      | Constant    |

#### **gtDMSHGC=float**

SHGC diffuse multiplier, applied to gtSHGC to determine transmissivity for diffuse radiation.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | none    | yes      | Constant    |

**gtDMRBSol=float**

SHGC diffuse multiplier, applied to qtSHGC to determine transmissivity for diffuse radiation reflected back out the window. Misnamed as a reflectance. Assume equal to DMSHGC if no other data available.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | none    | yes      | Constant    |

**gtNGlz=int**

Number of glazings in the Glazetype (bare glass only, not including any interior or exterior shades).

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 4$ | 2       | no       | Constant    |

**gtExShd=choice**

Exterior shading type (ASHWAT only).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NONE INSCRN | NONE    | no       | Constant    |

**gtInShd=choice**

Interior shade type (ASHWAT only).

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NONE DRAPEMED | NONE    | no       | Constant    |

**gtDirtLoss=float**

Glazing dirt loss factor.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | no       | Constant    |

**endGlazeType**

Optional to indicate the end of the Glazetype. Alternatively, the end of the GLAZETYPE definition can be indicated by "END" or by beginning another object

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @glazeType

**4.9 METER**

A METER object is a user-defined “device” that records energy consumption of equipment as simulated by CSE. The user defines METERS with the desired names, then assigns energy uses of specific equipment to the desired meters using commands described under each equipment type’s class description (AIRHANDLER, TERMINAL, etc.). Additional energy use from equipment not simulated by CSE (except optionally for its effect on heating and cooling loads) can also be charged to METERS (see **GAIN**). The data accumulated by meters can be reported at hourly, daily, monthly, and annual (run) intervals by using **REPORTs** and **EXPORTs** of type MTR.

Meters account for energy use in the following pre-defined categories, called *end uses*. The abbreviations in parentheses are used in MTR report headings (and for gnMeter input, below). You also get a column for the net total on the meter (abbreviated “Tot”).

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|        |  |
|--------|--|
| Clg    | Cooling  |
| Htg    | Heating (includes heat pump compressor)  |
| HPHTG  | Heat pump backup heat  |
| DHW    | Domestic (service) hot water   |
| DHWBU  | Domestic (service) hot water heating backup (HPWH resistance)                  |
| DHWMFL | Domestic (service) hot water heating multi-family loop pumping and loss makeup |
| FANC   | Fans, AC and cooling ventilation   |
| FANH   | Fans, heating  |
| FANV   | Fans, IAQ venting  |
| FAN    | Fans, other purposes   |
| AUX    | HVAC auxiliaries such as pumps   |
| PROC   | Process  |
| LIT    | Lighting   |
| RCP    | Receptacles  |
| EXT    | Exterior lighting  |
| REFR   | Refrigeration  |
| DISH   | Dishwashing  |
| DRY    | Clothes drying   |
| WASH   | Clothes washing  |
| COOK   | Cooking  |
| USER1  | User-defined category 1  |
| USER2  | User-defined category 2  |
| BT     | Battery charge power   |
| PV     | Photovoltaic power generation  |

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The user has complete freedom over how many meters are defined and how equipment is assigned to them. At one extreme, a single meter “Electricity” could be defined and have all of electrical uses assigned to it. On the other hand, definition of separate meters “Elect\_Fan1”, “Elect\_Fan2”, and so forth allows accounting of the electricity use for individual pieces of equipment. Various groupings are possible: for example, in a building with several air handlers, one could separate the energy consumption of the fans from the coils, or one could separate the energy use by air handler, or both ways, depending on the information desired from the run.

The members that assign energy use to meters include:

- GAIN: gnMeter, gnEndUse
- ZONE: xfanMtr

- IZXFER: izfanMtr
- RSYS: rsElecMtr, rsFuelMtr
- DHWSYS: wsElecMtr, wsFuelMtr
- DHWHEATER: whElectMtr, whFuelMtr
- DHWPUMP: wpElecMtr
- DHWLOOPPUMP: wlpElecMtr
- PVARRAY: pvElecMeter
- TERMINAL: tuhcMtr, tfanMtr
- AIRHANDLER: sfanMtr, rfanMtr, ahhcMtr, ahccMtr, ahhcAuxOnMtr, ahhcAuxOffMtr, ahhcAuxFullOnMtr, ahhcAuxOnAtAllMtr, ahccAuxOnMtr, ahccAuxOffMtr, ahccAuxFullOnMtr, ahccAuxOnAtAllMtr
- BOILER: blrMtr, blrpMtr, blrAuxOnMtr, blrAuxOffMtr, blrAuxFullOnMtr, blrAuxOnAtAllMtr
- CHILLER: chMtr, chppMtr, chepMtr, chAuxOnMtr, chAuxOffMtr, chAuxFullOnMtr, chAuxOnAtAllMtr
- TOWERPLANT: tpMtr

The end use can be specified by the user only for **GAINS** and **PVARRAYs**; in other cases it is hard-wired to Clg, Htg, FanC, FanH, FanV, Fan, or Aux as appropriate.

#### mtrName

Name of meter: required for assigning energy uses to the meter elsewhere.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

#### endMeter

Indicates the end of the meter definition. Alternatively, the end of the meter definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by END.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

#### Related Probes:

- @meter

## 4.10 DHWMETER

A DHWMETER object is a user-defined “device” that records water consumption as simulated by CSE. The data accumulated by DHWMETERS can be reported at hourly, daily, monthly, and annual (run) intervals by using **REPORTs** and **EXPORTs** of type DHWMTR. Water use is reported in gallons.

DHWMETERS account for water use in the following pre-defined end uses. The abbreviations in parentheses are used in DHWMTR report headings.

- Total water use (Total)
- Unknown end use (Unknown)
- Miscellaneous draws (Faucet)
- Shower (Shower)
- Bathtub (Bath)
- Clothes washer (CWashr)
- Dishwasher (DWashr)

**DHWSYS** items wsWHhwMtr and wsFXhwMtr specify the DHWMETER(s) to which water consumption is accumulated.

### dhwMtrName

Name of meter: required for assigning water uses to the DHWMETER.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

### endDhwMeter

#### Related Probes:

- @DHWmeter

## 4.11 ZONE

ZONE constructs an object of class ZONE, which describes an area of the building to be modeled as having a uniform condition. ZONES are large, complex objects and can have many subobjects that describe associated surfaces, shading devices, HVAC equipment, etc.

### 4.11.1 ZONE General Members

#### znName

Name of zone. Enter after the word **ZONE**; no “=” is used.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

#### znModel=*choice*

Selects model for zone.

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| CNE | Older, central difference model based on original CALPAS methods. Not fully supported and not suitable for current compliance applications.              |
| CZM | Conditioned zone model. Forward-difference, short time step methods are used.  |
| UZM | Unconditioned zone model. Identical to CZM except heating and cooling are not supported. Typically used for attics, garages, and other ancillary spaces. |

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | CNE     | No       | constant    |

#### znArea=*float*



Nominal zone floor area.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**znVol=float**

Nominal zone volume.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>3</sup> | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**znAzm=float**

Zone azimuth with respect to bldgAzm. All surface azimuths are relative to znAzm, so that the zone can be rotated by changing this member only. Values outside the range 0° to 360° are normalized to that range.

| Units   | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| degrees | unrestricted | 0       | No       | constant    |

**znFloorZ=float**

Nominal zone floor height relative to arbitrary 0 level. Used re determination of vent heights

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | unrestricted | 0       | No       | constant    |

**znCeilingHt=float**

Nominal zone ceiling height relative to zone floor (typically 8 – 10 ft).

| Units | Legal Range | Default          | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | $znVol / znArea$ | No       | constant    |

**znEaveZ=float**

Nominal eave height above ground level. Used re calculation of local surface wind speed. This in turn influences outside convection coefficients in some surface models and wind-driven air leakage.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | $znFloorZ + infStories*8$ | No       | constant    |

**znCAir=float**

Zone “air” heat capacity: represents heat capacity of air, furniture, “light” walls, and everything in zone except surfaces having heat capacity (that is, non-QUICK surfaces).

| Units  | Legal Range | Default        | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|----------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/°F | $x \geq 0$  | $3.5 * znArea$ | No       | constant    |

**znHcAirX=float**

Zone air exchange rate used in determination of interior surface convective coefficients. This item is generally used only for model testing.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| ACH   | $x \geq 0$  | as modeled | No       | subhourly   |

**znHcFrcF=float**

Zone surface forced convection factor. Interior surface convective transfer is modeled as a combination of forced and natural convection.  $hcFrc = znHcFrcF * znHcAirX^{.8}$ . See CSE Engineering Documentation.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F |             | .2      | No       | hourly      |

**znHIRatio=float**

Zone hygric inertia ratio. In zone moisture balance calculations, the effective dry-air mass =  $znHIRatio * (zone\ dry\ air\ mass)$ . This enhancement can be used to represent the moisture storage capacity of zone surfaces and contents.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | No       | constant    |

**znSC=float**

Zone shade closure. Determines insolation through windows (see **WINDOW** members *wnSCSO* and *wnSCSC*) and solar gain distribution: see **SGDIST** members *sgFSO* and *sgFSC*. 0 represents shades open; 1 represents shades closed; intermediate values are allowed. An hourly variable CSE expression may be used to schedule shade closure as a function of weather, time of year, previous interval HVAC use or zone temperature, etc.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1 when cooling was used in <i>previous</i> hour, else 0 | No       | hourly      |

**znTH=float**

Heating set point for  $znModel=CZM$ .

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x \geq 0$  |         |          | subhourly   |

**znTD=float**

Desired set point (temperature maintained with ventilation if possible) for  $znModel=CZM$

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x \geq 0$  |         |          | subhourly   |

**znTC=float**

Cooling set point for znModel=CZM.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x \geq 0$  |         |          | subhourly   |

CZM zone heating and cooling is provided either via an **RSYS** HVAC system or by “magic” heat transfers specified by znQxxx items.

**znRSys=rsysName**

Name of **RSYS** providing heating, cooling, and optional central fan integrated ventilation to this zone.

| Units | Legal Range      | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>RSYS name</i> | (no RSYS) | No       | constant    |

**znQMxH=float**

Heating capacity at current conditions

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $x \geq 0$  |         |          | hourly      |

**znQMxHRated=float**

Rated heating capacity

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $x \geq 0$  |         |          | constant    |

**znQMxC=float**

Cooling capacity at current conditions

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $x \leq 0$  |         |          | hourly      |

**znQMxCRated=float**

Rated cooling capacity

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $x \leq 0$  |         |          | constant    |

### 4.11.2 ZONE Infiltration

The following control a simplified air change plus leakage area model. The Sherman-Grimsrud model is used to derive air flow rate from leakage area and this rate is added to the air changes specified with infAC. Note that TOP.windF does *not* modify calculated infiltration rates, since the Sherman-Grimsrud model uses its own modifiers. See also AirNet models available via [IZZFER](#).

**infAC=float**

Zone infiltration air changes per hour.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| 1/hr  | $x \geq 0$  | 0.5     | No       | hourly      |

**infELA=float**

Zone effective leakage area (ELA).

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| in <sup>2</sup> | $x \geq 0$  | 0.0     | No       | hourly      |

**infShld=int**

Zone local shielding class, used in derivation of local wind speed for ELA infiltration model, wind-driven AirNet leakage, and exterior surface coefficients. infShld values are –

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | no obstructions or local shielding  |
| 2 | light local shielding with few obstructions   |
| 3 | moderate local shielding, some obstructions within two house heights                        |
| 4 | heavy shielding, obstructions around most of the perimeter                                  |
| 5 | very heavy shielding, large obstructions surrounding the perimeter within two house heights |

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $1 \leq x \leq 5$ | 3       | No       | constant    |

**infStories=int**

Number of stories in zone, used in ELA model.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $1 \leq x \leq 3$ | 1       | No       | constant    |

**znWindFLkg=floatTODO**

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | constant    |

### 4.11.3 ZONE Exhaust Fan

Presence of an exhaust fan in a zone is indicated by specifying a non-zero design flow value (xfanVfDs).

Zone exhaust fan model implementation is incomplete as of July, 2011. The current code calculates energy use but does not account for the effects of air transfer on room heat balance. **IZZFER** provides a more complete implementation.

#### **xfanFOn=float**

Exhaust fan on fraction. On/off control assumed, so electricity requirement is proportional to run time.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1       | No       | hourly      |

Example: The following would run an exhaust fan 70% of the time between 8 AM and 5 PM:

```
xfanFOn = select( (\$hour >= 7 && \$hour < 5), .7,
                  default, 0 );
```

#### **xfanVfDs=float**

Exhaust fan design flow; 0 or not given indicates no fan.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required       | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| cfm   | $x \geq 0$  | 0 (no fan) | If fan present | constant    |

#### **xfanPress=float**

Exhaust fan external static pressure.

| Units                   | Legal Range            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| inches H <sub>2</sub> O | $0.05 \leq x \leq 1.0$ | 0.3     | No       | constant    |

Only one of xfanElecPwr, xfanEff, and xfanShaftBhp may be given: together with xfanVfDs and xfanPress, any one is sufficient for CSE to determine the others and to compute the fan heat contribution to the air stream.

#### **xfanElecPwr=float**

Fan input power per unit air flow (at design flow and pressure).

| Units | Legal Range | Default                               | Required                                | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------|
| W/cfm | $x > 0$     | derived from xfanEff and xfanShaftBhp | If xfanEff and xfanShaftBhp not present | constant    |

#### **xfanEff=float**

Exhaust fan/motor/drive combined efficiency.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.08    | No       | constant    |

**xfanShaftBhp=float**

Fan shaft power at design flow and pressure.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                     | Required                      | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|-------------------------------|-------------|
| BHP   | $x > 0$     | derived from<br>xfanElecPwr and<br>xfanVfDs | If xfanElecPwr not<br>present | constant    |

**xfanMtr=mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, by which fan's energy use is recorded (under end use category "fan").

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**endZone**

Indicates the end of the zone definition. Alternatively, the end of the zone definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by "END". If END or endZone is used, it should follow the definitions of the **ZONE's** subobjects such as **GAINS**, **SURFACES**, **TERMINALS**, etc.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- **@zone**
- **@znRes** (accumulated results)

**4.12 GAIN**

A GAIN object adds sensible and/or latent heat to the **ZONE**, and/or adds arbitrary energy use to a **METER**. GAINS may be subobjects of **ZONEs** and are normally given within the input for their **ZONE**. As many GAINS as desired (or none) may be given for each **ZONE**. Alternatively, GAINS may be subobjects of **TOP** and specify gnZone to specify their associate zone.

Each gain has an amount of power (gnPower), which may optionally be accumulated to a **METER** (gnMeter). The power may be distributed to the zone, plenum, or return as sensible heat with an optional fraction radiant, or to the zone as latent heat (moisture addition), or not.

**gnName**

Name of gain; follows the word GAIN if given.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**gnZone=znName**

Name of **ZONE** to which heat gains are added. Omitted when GAIN is given as a **ZONE** subobject. If a **TOP** subobject (i.e., not a **ZONE** subobject) and znZone is omitted, heat gains are discarded but energy use is still recorded to gnMeter. This feature can be used to represent energy uses that occur outside of conditioned zones (e.g. exterior lighting).

| Units | Legal Range         | Default                   | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|---------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of ZONE</i> | <i>parent zone if any</i> | No       | constant    |

**gnPower=float**

Rate of heat addition/energy use. Negative gnPower values may be used to represent heat removal/energy generation. Expressions containing functions are commonly used with this member to schedule the gain power on a daily and/or hourly basis. Refer to the functions section in Section 4 for details and examples.

All gains, including electrical, are specified in Btuh units unless associated with DHW use (see gnCtrlD-HWSYS), in which case gnPower is specified in Btuh/gal. Note that meter reporting of internal gain is in MBtu (millions of Btu) by default.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | <i>no restrictions</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | hourly      |

**gnMeter=choice**

Name of meter by which this GAIN's gnPower is recorded. If omitted, gain is assigned to no meter and energy use is not accounted in CSE simulation reports; thus, gnMeter should only be omitted for "free" energy sources.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of METER</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**gnEndUse=choice**

Meter end use to which the GAIN's energy use should be accumulated.

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| Clg    | Cooling  |
| Htg    | Heating (includes heat pump compressor)  |
| HPHTG  | Heat pump backup heat  |
| DHW    | Domestic (service) hot water   |
| DHWBU  | Domestic (service) hot water heating backup (HPWH resistance)                  |
| DHWMFL | Domestic (service) hot water heating multi-family loop pumping and loss makeup |
| FANC   | Fans, AC and cooling ventilation   |
| FANH   | Fans, heating  |
| FANV   | Fans, IAQ venting  |
| FAN    | Fans, other purposes   |
| AUX    | HVAC auxiliaries such as pumps   |
| PROC   | Process  |
| LIT    | Lighting   |
| RCP    | Receptacles  |
| EXT    | Exterior lighting  |
| REFR   | Refrigeration  |

|       |                               |
|-------|-------------------------------|
| DISH  | Dishwashing                   |
| DRY   | Clothes drying                |
| WASH  | Clothes washing               |
| COOK  | Cooking                       |
| USER1 | User-defined category 1       |
| USER2 | User-defined category 2       |
| BT    | Battery charge power          |
| PV    | Photovoltaic power generation |

| Units | Legal Range               | Default     | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|-------------|
|       | <i>Codes listed above</i> | <i>none</i> | Required if gnMeter is given | constant    |

The gnFrZn, gnFrPl, and gnFrRtn members allow you to allocate the gain among the zone, the zone's plenum, and the zone's return air flow. Values that total to more than 1.0 constitute an error. If they total less than 1, the unallocated portion of the gain is recorded by the meter (if specified) but not transferred into the building. By default, all of the gain not directed to the return or plenum goes to the zone.

#### **gnFrZn=float**

Fraction of gain going to zone. gnFrLat (below) gives portion of this gain that is latent, if any; the remainder is sensible.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1.      | No       | hourly      |

### **Gain Modeling in zones**

The radiant internal gain is distributed to the surfaces in the zone, rather than going directly to the zone "air" heat capacity (znCAir). A simple model is used – all surfaces are assumed to be opaque and to have the same (infrared) absorptivity – even windows. Along with the assumption that the zone is spherical (implicit in the current treatment of solar gains), this allows distribution of gains to surfaces in proportion to their area, without any absorptivity or transmissivity calculations. The gain for windows and quick-model surfaces is assigned to the znCAir, except for the portion which conducts through the surface to the other side rather than through the surface film to the adjacent zone air; the gain to massive (delayed-model) surfaces is assigned to the side of surface in the zone with the gain.

Radiant internal gains are included in the IgnS (Sensible Internal Gain) column in the zone energy balance reports. (They could easily be shown in a separate IgnR column if desired.) Any energy transfer shows two places in the ZEB report, with opposite signs, so that the result is zero – otherwise it wouldn't be an energy balance. The rest of the reporting story for radiant internal gains turns out to be complex. The specified value of the radiant gain (gnPower \* gnFrZn \* gnFrRad) shows in the IgnS column. To the extent that the gain heats the zone, it also shows negatively in the Masses column, because the zone CAir is lumped with the other masses. To the extent that the gain heats massive surfaces, it also shows negatively in the masses column. To the extent that the gain conducts through windows and quick-model surfaces, it shows negatively in the Conduction column. If the gain conducts through a quick-model surface to another zone, it shows negatively in the Izone (Interzone) column, positively in the Izone column of the receiving zone, and negatively in the receiving zone's Masses or Cond column.

#### **gnFrRad=float**

Fraction of total gain going to zone (gnFrZn) that is radiant rather than convective or latent.



| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.      | No       | hourly      |

**gnFrLat=float**

Fraction of total gain going to zone (gnFrZn) that is latent heat (moisture addition).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.      | No       | hourly      |

**gnDlFrPow=float**

Hourly power reduction factor, typically used to modify lighting power to account for daylighting.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1.      | No       | hourly      |

**gnCtrlDHWSYS=dhwsysName**

Name of a **DHWSYS** whose water use modulates gnPower. For example, electricity use of water-using appliances (e.g. dishwasher or clothes washer) can be modeled based on water use, ensuring that the uses are synchronized. When this feature is used, gnPower should be specified in Btuh/gal.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a DHWSYS</i> | no DHWSYS/GAIN linkage | No       | constant    |

**gnCtrlDHWEndUse=dhwEndUseName**

Name of the **DHWSYS** end use consumption that modulates gnPower. See **DHWMETER** for DHW end use definitions.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | DHW end use | Total   | No       | constant    |

**endGain**

Optional to indicate the end of the GAIN definition. Alternatively, the end of the gain definition can be indicated by END or by the declaration of another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- **@gain**

### 4.13 SURFACE

Surface constructs a **ZONE** subobject of class SURFACE that represents a surrounding or interior surface of the zone. Internally, SURFACE generates a QUICK surface (U-value only), a DELAYED (massive) surface (using the finite-difference mass model), interzone QUICK surface, or interzone DELAYED surface, as appropriate for the specified construction and exterior conditions.

#### sfName

Name of surface; give after the word SURFACE.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

#### sfType=*choice*

Type of surface:

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| FLOOR   | Surface defines part or all of the “bottom” of the zone; it is horizontal with inside facing up. The outside of the surface is not adjacent to the current zone. |
| WALL    | Surface defines a “side” of the zone; its outside is not adjacent to the current zone.   |
| CEILING | Surface defines part or all of the “top” of the zone with the inside facing down. The outside of the surface is not adjacent to the current zone.                |

sfType is used extensively for default determination and input checking, but does not have any further internal effect. The Floor, Wall, and Ceiling choices identify surfaces that form boundaries between the zone and some other condition.

| Units | Legal Range        | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | FLOOR WALL CEILING | none    | Yes      | constant    |

#### sfArea=*float*

Gross area of surface. (CSE computes the net area for simulation by subtracting the areas of any windows and doors in the surface.).

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x > 0$     | none    | Yes      | constant    |

#### sfTilt=*float*

Surface tilt from horizontal. Values outside the range 0 to 360 are first normalized to that range. The default and allowed range depend on sfType, as follows:

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| sfType = FLOOR   | sfTilt=180, default = 180 (fixed value) |
| sfType = WALL    | 60 < sfTilt < 180, default = 90         |
| sfType = CEILING | 0 ≤ sfTilt ≤ 60, default = 0            |

| Units   | Legal Range / Default                    | Required | Variability |
|---------|--|----------|-------------|
| degrees | Dependent upon <i>sfType</i> . See above | No       | constant    |

**sfAzm=float**

Azimuth of surface with respect to znAzm. The azimuth used in simulating a surface is bldgAzm + znAzm + sfAzm; the surface is rotated if any of those are changed. Values outside the range 0 to 360 are normalized to that range. Required for non-horizontal surfaces.

| Units   | Legal Range  | Default     | Required  | Variability |
|---------|--------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| degrees | unrestricted | <i>none</i> | Required if <i>sfTilt</i> $\neq 0$ and <i>sfTilt</i> $\neq 180$ | constant    |

**sfModel=choice**

Provides user control over how CSE models conduction for this surface.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| QUICK                                  | Surface is modeled using a simple conductance. Heat capacity effects are ignored. Either sfCon or sfU (next) can be specified.   |
| DELAYED, DELAYED_HOUR, DELAYED_SUBHOUR | Surface is modeled using a multi-layer finite difference technique that represents heat capacity effects. If the time constant of the surface is too short to accurately simulate, a warning message is issued and the Quick model is used. The program <b>cannot</b> use the finite difference model if sfU rather than sfCon is specified. |
| AUTO                                   | Program selects Quick or the appropriate Delayed automatically according to the time constant of the surface (if sfU is specified, Quick is selected).   |
| FD (or FORWARD_DIFFERENCE)             | Selects the forward difference model (used with short time steps and the CZM/UZM zone model).  |
| KIVA                                   | Uses a two-dimensional finite difference model to simulate heat flow through foundation surfaces.  |

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | QUICK, DELAYED, DELAYED_HOUR, DE-LAYED_SUBOUR, AUTO, 2D_FND | AUTO    | No       | constant    |

Either sfU or sfCon must be specified, but not both.

**sfU=float**

Surface U-value (NOT including surface (air film) conductances). For surfaces for which no heat capacity is to be modeled, allows direct entry of U-value without defining a **CONSTRUCTION**.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                      | Required                  | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | Determined from <i>sfCon</i> | if <i>sfCon</i> not given | constant    |

**sfCon=conName**

Name of **CONSTRUCTION** of the surface.

| Units | Legal Range                   | Default     | Required                | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
|       | Name of a <i>CONSTRUCTION</i> | <i>none</i> | unless <i>sfU</i> given | constant    |

**sfLThkF=float**

Sublayer thickness adjustment factor for FORWARD\_DIFFERENCE conduction model used with *sfCon* surfaces. Material layers in the construction are divided into sublayers as needed for numerical stability. *sfLThkF* allows adjustment of the thickness criterion used for subdivision. A value of 0 prevents subdivision; the default value (0.5) uses layers with conservative thickness equal to half of an estimated safe value. Fewer (thicker) sublayers improves runtime at the expense of accurate representation of rapid changes.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | .5      | No       | constant    |

**sfExCnd=choice**

Specifies the thermal conditions assumed at surface exterior, and at exterior of any subobjects (windows or doors) belonging to current surface. The conditions accounted for are dry bulb temperature and incident solar radiation.

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| AMBIENT    | Exterior surface is exposed to the “weather” as read from the weather file. Solar gain is calculated using solar geometry, <i>sfAz</i> , <i>sfTilt</i> , and <i>sfExAbs</i> .  |
| SPECIFIEDT | Exterior surface is exposed to solar radiation as in AMBIENT, but the dry bulb temperature is calculated with a user specified function ( <i>sfExT</i> ). <i>sfExAbs</i> can be set to 0 to eliminate solar effects. |
| ADJZN      | Exterior surface is exposed to another zone, whose name is specified by <i>sfAdjZn</i> . Solar gain is 0 unless gain is targeted to the surface with <i>SGDIST</i> below.  |
| GROUND     | The surface is in contact with the ground. Details of the two-dimensional foundation design are defined by <i>sfFnd</i> . Only floor and wall surfaces may use this option.  |
| ADIABATIC  | Exterior surface heat flow is 0. Thermal storage effects of delayed surfaces are modeled.  |

**sfExAbs=float**

Surface exterior absorptivity.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required  | **Variability  |
|--------|-------------------|---------|---|----------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.5     | Required if <i>sfExCnd</i> = AMBIENT or <i>sfExCnd</i> = SPECIFIEDT | monthly-hourly |

**sfInAbs=float**

Surface interior solar absorptivity.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default  | Required | **Variability  |
|--------|-------------------|--|----------|----------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | sfType = CEILING, 0.2;<br>sfType = WALL, 0.6;<br>sfType = FLOOR, 0.8 | No       | monthly-hourly |

**sfExEpsLW=float**

Surface exterior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.9     | No       | constant    |

**sfInEpsLW=float**

Surface interior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.9     | No       | constant    |

**sfExT=float**

Exterior air temperature.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default     | Required                                | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| °F    | <i>unrestricted</i> | <i>none</i> | Required if <i>sfExCnd</i> = SPECIFIEDT | hourly      |

**sfAdjZn=znName**

Name of adjacent zone; used only when *sfExCnd* is ADJZN. Can be the same as the current zone.

| Units | Legal Range           | Default     | Required                             | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>ZONE</i> | <i>none</i> | Required when <i>sfExCnd</i> = ADJZN | constant    |

**sfGrndRefl=float**

Ground reflectivity for this surface.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default  | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|----------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | grndRefl | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**sfInH=float**

Inside surface (air film) conductance. Ignored for sfModel = Forward\_Difference. Default depends on the surface type.

|                           |      |
|---------------------------|------|
| sfType = FLOOR or CEILING | 1.32 |
| other                     | 1.5  |

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | see above | No       | constant    |

**sfExH=float**

Outside combined surface (air film) conductance. Ignored for sfModel = Forward\_Difference. The default value is dependent upon the exterior conditions:

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| sfExCnd = AMBIENT    | dffExH (Top-level member, described above) |
| sfExCnd = SPECIFIEDT | dffExH (described above)                   |
| sfExCnd = ADJZN      | 1.5  |
| sfExCnd = ADIABATIC  | not applicable                             |

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | see above | No       | constant    |

When sfModel = Forward\_Difference, several models are available for calculating inside and outside surface convective coefficients. Inside surface faces can be exposed only to zone conditions. Outside faces may be exposed either to ambient conditions or zone conditions, based on sfExCnd. Only UNIFIED and INPUT are typically used. The other models were used during CSE development for comparison. For details, see CSE Engineering Documentation.

| Model      | Exposed to ambient | Exposed to zone        |
|------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| UNIFIED    | default CSE model  | default CSE model      |
| INPUT      | hc = sfExHcMult    | hc = sfxxHcMult        |
| AKBARI     | Akbari model       | n/a                    |
| WALTON     | Walton model       | n/a                    |
| WINKELMANN | Winkelmann model   | n/a                    |
| DOE2       | DOE2 model         | n/a                    |
| MILLS      | n/a                | Mills model            |
| ASHRAE     | n/a                | ASHRAE handbook values |
| TARP       | n/a                | TARP model             |

**sfExHcModel=choice**

Selects the model used for exterior surface convection when `sfModel = Forward_Difference`.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**sfExHcLChar=float**

Characteristic length of surface, used in derivation of forced exterior convection coefficients in some models when outside surface is exposed to ambient. See `sfExHcModel`.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | 10      | No       | constant    |

**sfExHcMult=float**

Exterior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When `sfExHcModel=INPUT`, `hc=sfExHcMult`. For other `sfExHcModel` choices, the model-derived `hc` is multiplied by `sfExHcMult`.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

**sfExRf=float**

Exterior surface roughness factor. Used only when surface is exposed to ambient (i.e. with wind exposure). Typical values:

| Roughness Index   | sfExRf | Example        |
|-------------------|--------|----------------|
| 1 (very rough)    | 2.17   | Stucco         |
| 2 (rough)         | 1.67   | Brick          |
| 3 (medium rough)  | 1.52   | Concrete       |
| 4 (Medium smooth) | 1.13   | Clear pine     |
| 5 (Smooth)        | 1.11   | Smooth plaster |
| 6 (Very Smooth)   | 1      | Glass          |

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | **Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|------------|-------------|
|       |             | <code>sfExHcModel =</code><br>WINKELMANN: 1.66<br>else 2.17 | No         | constant    |

**sfInHcModel=choice**

Selects the model used for the inside (zone) surface convection when `sfModel = Forward_Difference`.

| Units | Legal Range                            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above (see sfExHcModel)</i> | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**sfInHcMult=float**

Interior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When sfInHcModel=INPUT, hc=sfInHcMult. For other sfInHcModel choices, the model-derived hc is multiplied by sfInHcMult.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

The items below give values associated with CSE's model for below grade surfaces (sfExCnd=GROUND). See CSE Engineering Documentation for technical details.

**sfFnd=fdName**

Name of **FOUNDATION** applied to ground-contact Floor SURFACES; used only for Floor SURFACES when sfExCnd is GROUND.

| Units | Legal Range                    | Default     | Required   | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| –     | Name of a<br><i>Foundation</i> | <i>none</i> | when <i>sfExCnd</i> =<br>GROUND and <i>sfType</i> =<br>Floor | constant    |

**sfFndFloor=sfName**

Name of adjacent ground-contact Floor SURFACE; used only for Wall SURFACES when sfExCnd is GROUND.

| Units | Legal Range                 | Default     | Required  | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| –     | Name of a<br><i>Surface</i> | <i>none</i> | when <i>sfExCnd</i> =<br>GROUND and <i>sfType</i> =<br>Wall | constant    |

**sfHeight=float**

Needed for foundation wall height, otherwise ignored. Maybe combine with sfDepthBG?

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required  | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | when <i>sfType</i> is<br>WALL and<br><i>sfExtCnd</i> is<br>GROUND | constant    |

**sfExpPerim=float**

Exposed perimeter of foundation floors.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | <i>none</i> | when <i>sfType</i> is<br>FLOOR, <i>sfFnd</i> is<br>set, and <i>sfExtCnd</i> is<br>GROUND | constant    |



**sfDepthBG=float**

*Note: sfDepthBG is used as part of the simple ground model, which is no longer supported. Use sfHeight with sfFnd instead.*

Depth below grade of surface. For walls, sfDepthBG is measured to the lower edge. For floors, sfDepthBG is measured to the bottom face.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  |         | No       | constant    |

*Note: The following data members are part of the simple ground model, which is no longer supported. Use sfFnd instead.*

**sfExCTGrnd=float****sfExCTaDbAvg07=float****sfExCTaDbAvg14=float****sfExCTaDbAvg31=float****sfExCTaDbAvgYr=float**

Conductances from outside face of surface to the weather file ground temperature and the moving average outdoor dry-bulb temperatures for 7, 14, 31, and 365 days.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x \geq 0$  | see above | No       | constant    |

**sfExRConGrnd=float**

Resistance overall construction resistance. TODO: full documentation.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  |         | No       | constant    |

**endSURFACE**

Optional to indicates the end of the surface definition. Alternatively, the end of the surface definition can be indicated by END, or by beginning another SURFACE or other object definition. If used, should follow the definitions of the SURFACE's subobjects – **DOORS**, **WINDOWS**, **SHADEs**, **SGDISTs**, etc.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- **@surface**
- **@xsurf**
- **@mass**

## 4.14 WINDOW

WINDOW defines a subobject belonging to the current **SURFACE** that represents one or more identical windows. The azimuth, tilt, and exterior conditions of the window are the same as those of the surface to which it belongs. The total window area ( $wnHt \cdot wnWid \cdot wnMult$ ) is deducted from the gross surface area. A surface may have any number of windows.

Windows may optionally have operable interior shading that reduces the overall shading coefficient when closed.

### **wnName**

Name of window: follows the word "WINDOW" if given.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

### **wnHeight=float**

Overall height of window (including frame).

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

### **wnWidth=float**

Overall width of window (including frame).

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

### **wnArea=float**

Overall area of window (including frame).

| Units           | Legal Range | Default              | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|----------------------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x > 0$     | $wnHeight * wnWidth$ | No       | constant    |

### **wnMult=float**

Area multiplier; can be used to represent multiple identical windows.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | No       | constant    |

### **wnModel=choice**

Selects window model

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | SHGC, ASHWAT | SHGC    | No       | constant    |

**wnGt=choice**

**GLAZETYPE** for window. Provides many defaults for window properties as cited below.

**wnU=float**

Window conductance (U-factor without surface films, therefore not actually a U-factor but a C-factor).

Preferred Approach: To use accurately with standard winter rated U-factor from ASHRAE or NFRC enter as:

$$\text{wnU} = (1/((1/\text{U-factor}) - 0.85))$$

Where 0.85 is the sum of the interior (0.68) and exterior (0.17) design air film resistances assumed for rating window U-factors. Enter wnInH (usually 1.5=1/0.68) instead of letting it default. Enter the wnExH or let it default. It is important to use this approach if the input includes gnFrad for any gain term. Using approach 2 below will result in an inappropriate internal gain split at the window.

Approach 2. Enter wnU=U-factor and let the wnInH and wnExH default. Thormally this approach systematically underestimates the window U-factor because it adds the wnExfilm resistance to 1/U-factor thereby double counting the exterior film resistance. This approach will also yield incorrect results for gnFrad internal gain since the high wnInH will put almost all the gain back in the space.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | none    | Yes      | constant    |

**wnUNFRC=float**

Fenestration system (including frame) U-factor evaluated at NFRC heating conditions.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required                                       | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|--|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | gtUNFRC | Required when $\text{wnModel} = \text{ASHWAT}$ | constant    |

**wnExEpsLW=float**

Window exterior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.84    | No       | constant    |

**wnInEpsLW=float**

Window interior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.84    | No       | constant    |

**wnInH=float**

Window interior surface (air film) conductance.

Preferred Approach: Enter the appropriate value for each window, normally:

**wnInH** = 1.5

where 1.5 = 1/0.68 the standard ASHRAE value.

The large default value of 10,000 represents a near-0 resistance, for the convenience of those who wish to include the interior surface film in wnU according to approach 2 above.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | 10000   | No       | constant    |

**wnExH**=*float*

Window exterior surface (air film) conductance.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | same as owning surface | No       | constant    |

Several models are available for calculating inside and outside surface convective coefficients. Inside surface faces can be exposed only to zone conditions. Outside faces may be exposed either to ambient conditions or zone conditions, based on wnExCnd. Only UNIFIED and INPUT are typically used. The other models were used during CSE development for comparison. For details, see CSE Engineering Documentation.

| Model      | Exposed to ambient | Exposed to zone        |
|------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| UNIFIED    | default CSE model  | default CSE model      |
| INPUT      | hc = wnExHcMult    | hc = wnxxHcMult        |
| AKBARI     | Akbari model       | n/a                    |
| WALTON     | Walton model       | n/a                    |
| WINKELMANN | Winkelmann model   | n/a                    |
| MILLS      | n/a                | Mills model            |
| ASHRAE     | n/a                | ASHRAE handbook values |

**wnExHcModel**=*choice*

Selects the model used for exterior surface convection when wnModel = Forward\_Difference.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**wnExHcLChar**=*float*

Characteristic length of surface, used in derivation of forced exterior convection coefficients in some models when outside face is exposed to ambient (i.e. to wind).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | 10      | No       | constant    |

**wnExHcMult=float**

Exterior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When wnExHcModel=INPUT, hc=wnExHcMult. For other wnExHcModel choices, the model-derived hc is multiplied by wnExHcMult.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

**wnInHcModel=choice**

Selects the model used for the inside (zone) surface convection when wnModel = Forward\_Difference.

| Units | Legal Range                            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above (see wnExHcModel)</i> | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**wnInHcMult=float**

Interior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When wnInHcModel=INPUT, hc=wnInHcMult. For other wnInHcModel choices, the model-derived hc is multiplied by wnInHcMult.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

**wnSHGC=float**

Rated Solar Heat Gain Coefficient (SHGC) for the window assembly.

| Units    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 < x < 1$ | gtSHGC  | No       | constant    |

**wnFMult=float**

Frame area multiplier = areaGlaze / areaAssembly

| Units    | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 < x < 1$ | gtFMult or 1 | No       | constant    |

**wnSMSO=float**

SHGC multiplier with shades open. Overrides gtSMSO.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default     | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|-------------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | gtSMSO or 1 | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**wnSMSC=float**

SHGC multiplier with shades closed. Overrides gtSMSC

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default          | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | wnSMSO or gtSMSC | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**wnNGlz=*int***

Number of glazings in the window (bare glass only, not including any interior or exterior shades).

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required                              | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 4$ | gtNGLZ  | Required when <i>wnModel</i> = ASHWAT | Constant    |

**wnExShd=*choice***

Exterior shading type (ASHWAT only).

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NONE, INSCRN | gtExShd | no       | Constant    |

**wnInShd=*choice***

Interior shade type (ASHWAT only).

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NONE, DRAPEMED | gtInShd | no       | Constant    |

**wnDirtLoss=*float***

Glazing dirt loss factor.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | no       | Constant    |

**wnGrndRefl=*float***

Ground reflectivity for this window.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default    | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|------------|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | sfGrndRefl | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**wnVfSkyDf=*float***

View factor from this window to sky for diffuse radiation. For the shading effects of an overhang, a wnVfSkyDf value smaller than the default would be used

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default   | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|---|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.5 - 0.5 *<br>cos(tilt) = .5 for<br>vertical surface | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**wnVfGrndDf=*float***

View factor from this window to ground for diffuse radiation. For the shading effects of a fin(s), both wnVfSkyDf and wnVfGrndDf would be used.

| Units    | Legal Range       | Default   | Required | Variability      |
|----------|-------------------|---|----------|------------------|
| fraction | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | $0.5 + 0.5 *$<br>$\cos(\text{tilt}) = .5$ for<br>vertical surface | No       | Monthly - Hourly |

**endWINDOW**

Optionally indicates the end of the window definition. Alternatively, the end of the window definition can be indicated by END or the declaration of another object. END or endWindow, if used, should follow any subobjects of the window (**SHADEs** and/or **SGDISTs**).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @window
- @xsurf

**4.15 SHADE**

SHADE constructs a subobject associated with the current **WINDOW** that represents fixed shading devices (overhangs and/or fins). A window may have at most one SHADE and only windows in vertical surfaces may have SHADEs. A SHADE can describe an overhang, a left fin, and/or a right fin; absence of any of these is specified by omitting or giving 0 for its depth. SHADE geometry can vary on a monthly basis, allowing modeling of awnings or other seasonal shading strategies.

**shName**

Name of shade; follows the word “SHADE” if given.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**ohDepth=*float***

Depth of overhang (from plane of window to outside edge of overhang). A zero value indicates no overhang.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**ohDistUp=*float***

Distance from top of window to bottom of overhang.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**ohExL=float**

Distance from left edge of window (as viewed from the outside) to the left end of the overhang.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**ohExR=float**

Distance from right edge of window (as viewed from the outside) to the right end of the overhang.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**ohFlap=float**

Height of flap hanging down from outer edge of overhang.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**lfDepth=float**

Depth of left fin from plane of window. A zero value indicates no fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**lfTopUp=float**

Vertical distance from top of window to top of left fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**lfDistL=float**

Distance from left edge of window to left fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

**lfBotUp=float**



Vertical distance from bottom of window to bottom of left fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

### **rfDepth=float**

Depth of right fin from plane of window. A 0 value indicates no fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

### **rfTopUp=float**

Vertical distance from top of window to top of right fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

### **rfDistR=float**

Distance from right edge of window to right fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

### **rfBotUp=float**

Vertical distance from bottom of window to bottom of right fin.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability    |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | monthly-hourly |

### **endShade**

Optional to indicate the end of the SHADE definition. Alternatively, the end of the shade definition can be indicated by END or the declaration of another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

### **Related Probes:**

- @shade

## 4.16 SGDIST

SGDIST creates a subobject of the current window that distributes a specified fraction of that window's solar gain to a specified delayed model (massive) surface. Any remaining solar gain (all of the window's solar gain if no SGDISTS are given) is added to the air of the zone containing the window. A window may have up to three SGDISTS; an error occurs if more than 100% of the window's gain is distributed.

Via members sgFSO and sgFSC, the fraction of the insolation distributed to the surface can be made dependent on whether the zone's shades are open or closed (see **ZONE** member znSC).

### sgName

Name of solar gain distribution (follows "SGDIST" if given).

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

### sgSurf=sfName

Name of surface to which gain is targeted.

If there is more than surface with the specified name: if one of the surfaces is in the current zone, it is used; otherwise, an error message is issued.

The specified surface must be modeled with the Delayed model. If gain is targeted to a Quick model surface, a warning message is issued and the gain is redirected to the air of the associated zone.

| Units | Legal Range              | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>SURFACE</i> | none    | Yes      | constant    |

### sgSide=choice

Designates the side of the surface to which the gain is to be targeted:

|          |                                   |
|----------|-----------------------------------|
| INTERIOR | Apply gain to interior of surface |
| EXTERIOR | Apply gain to exterior of surface |

| Units | Legal Range           | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | INTERIOR,<br>EXTERIOR | Side of surface<br>in zone<br>containing<br>window; or<br>INTERIOR if<br>both sides are<br>in zone<br>containing<br>window. | Yes      | constant    |

### sgFSO=float

Fraction of solar gain directed to specified surface when the owning window's interior shading is in the open position (when the window's zone's shade closure (znSC) is 0).

| Units | Legal Range  | Default     | Required | Variability    |
|-------|--|-------------|----------|----------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ , and sum of window's sgFSO's $\leq 1$ | <i>none</i> | Yes      | monthly-hourly |

**sgFSC=float**

Fraction of solar gain directed to specified surface when the owning window's interior shading is in the closed position. If the zone's shades are partly closed (znSC between 0 and 1), a proportional fraction between sgFSO and sgFSC is used.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default      | Required | Variability    |
|-------|--|--------------|----------|----------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ , and sum of window's sgFSC's $\leq 1$ | <i>sgFSO</i> | No       | monthly-hourly |

**endSGDist**

Optionally indicates the end of the solar gain distribution definition. Alternatively, the end of the solar gain distribution definition can be indicated by END or by just beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @sgdist

**4.17 DOOR**

DOOR constructs a subobject belonging to the current **SURFACE**. The azimuth, tilt, ground reflectivity and exterior conditions associated with the door are the same as those of the owning surface, although the exterior surface conductance and the exterior absorptivity can be altered.

**drName**

Name of door.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**drArea=float**

Overall area of door.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**drModel=choice**

Provides user control over how CSE models conduction for this door:

|       |  |
|-------|--|
| QUICK | Surface is modeled using a simple conductance. Heat capacity effects are ignored. Either drCon or drU (next) can be specified. |
|-------|--|

|  |  |
|--|--|
| DELAYED, DELAYED_HOUR,<br>DELAYED_SUBOUR | Surface is modeled using a multi-layer finite difference technique which represents heat capacity effects. If the time constant of the door is too short to accurately simulate, a warning message is issued and the Quick model is used. drCon (next) must be specified – the program cannot use the finite difference model if drU rather than drCon is specified. |
| AUTO                                     | Program selects Quick or appropriate Delayed automatically according to the time constant of the surface (if drU is specified, Quick is selected).   |
| FD or FORWARD_DIFFERENCE                 | Selects the forward difference model (used with short time steps and the CZM/UZM zone models)  |

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | AUTO    | No       | constant    |

Either drU or drCon must be specified, but not both.

#### drU=*float*

Door U-value, NOT including surface (air film) conductances. Allows direct entry of U-value, without defining a **CONSTRUCTION**, when no heat capacity effects are to be modeled.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                      | Required                  | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | Determined from <i>drCon</i> | if <i>drCon</i> not given | constant    |

#### drCon=*conName*

Name of construction for door.

| Units | Legal Range                   | Default     | Required                | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <b>CONSTRUCTION</b> | <i>None</i> | unless <i>drU</i> given | constant    |

#### drLThkF=*float*

Sublayer thickness adjustment factor for FORWARD\_DIFFERENCE conduction model used with drCon surfaces. Material layers in the construction are divided into sublayers as needed for numerical stability. drLThkF allows adjustment of the thickness criterion used for subdivision. A value of 0 prevents subdivision; the default value (0.5) uses layers with conservative thickness equal to half of an estimated safe value. Fewer (thicker) sublayers improves runtime at the expense of accurate representation of rapid changes.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | .5      | No       | constant    |

#### drExAbs=*float*

Door exterior solar absorptivity. Applicable only if sfExCnd of owning surface is AMBIENT or SPECI-

FIEDT.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability    |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------|----------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | same as owning surface | No       | monthly-hourly |

**drInAbs=float**

Door interior solar absorptivity.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability    |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|----------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.5     | No       | monthly-hourly |

**drExEpsLW=float**

Door exterior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.9     | No       | constant    |

**drInEpsLW=float**

Door interior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.9     | No       | constant    |

**drInH=float**

Door interior surface (air film) conductance. Ignored if drModel = Forward\_Difference

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | same as owning surface | No       | constant    |

**drExH=float**

Door exterior surface (air film) conductance. Ignored if drModel = Forward\_Difference

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | same as owning surface | No       | constant    |

When drModel = Forward\_Difference, several models are available for calculating inside and outside surface convective coefficients. Inside surface faces can be exposed only to zone conditions. Outside faces may be exposed either to ambient conditions or zone conditions, based on drExCnd. Only UNIFIED and INPUT are typically used. The other models were used during CSE development for comparison. For details, see CSE Engineering Documentation.

| Model      | Exposed to ambient | Exposed to zone        |
|------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| UNIFIED    | default CSE model  | default CSE model      |
| INPUT      | hc = drExHcMult    | hc = drxxHcMult        |
| AKBARI     | Akbari model       | n/a                    |
| WALTON     | Walton model       | n/a                    |
| WINKELMANN | Winkelmann model   | n/a                    |
| MILLS      | n/a                | Mills model            |
| ASHRAE     | n/a                | ASHRAE handbook values |

**drExHcModel=choice**

Selects the model used for exterior surface convection when drModel = Forward\_Difference.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**drExHcLChar=float**

Characteristic length of surface, used in derivation of forced exterior convection coefficients in some models when outside face is exposed to ambient (i.e. to wind).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | x > 0       | 10      | No       | constant    |

**drExHcMult=float**

Exterior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When drExHcModel=INPUT, hc=drExHcMult. For other drExHcModel choices, the model-derived hc is multiplied by drExHcMult.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

**drExRf=float**

Exterior roughness factor. Typical roughness values:

| Roughness Index   | drExRf | Example        |
|-------------------|--------|----------------|
| 1 (very rough)    | 2.17   | Stucco         |
| 2 (rough)         | 1.67   | Brick          |
| 3 (medium rough)  | 1.52   | Concrete       |
| 4 (Medium smooth) | 1.13   | Clear pine     |
| 5 (Smooth)        | 1.11   | Smooth plaster |
| 6 (Very Smooth)   | 1      | Glass          |

| Units | Legal Range | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
|       |             | drExHcModel =<br>WINKELMANN:<br>1.66 else 2.17 | No       | constant    |

**drInHcModel=choice**

Selects the model used for the inside (zone) surface convection when drModel = Forward\_Difference.

| Units | Legal Range                     | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | choices above (see drExHcModel) | UNIFIED | No       | constant    |

**drInHcMult=float**

Interior convection coefficient adjustment factor. When drInHcModel=INPUT, hc=drInHcMult. For other drInHcModel choices, the model-derived hc is multiplied by drInHcMult.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1       | No       | subhourly   |

**endDoor**

Indicates the end of the door definition. Alternatively, the end of the door definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by END.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @door
- @xsurf
- @mass

**4.18 PERIMETER**

PERIMETER defines a subobject belonging to the current zone that represents a length of exposed edge of a (slab on grade) floor.

**prName**

Optional name of perimeter.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**prLen=float**

Length of exposed perimeter.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**prF2=float**

Perimeter conduction per unit length.

| Units      | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft-°F | $x > 0$     | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**endPerimeter**

Optionally indicates the end of the perimeter definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @perimeter
- @xsurf

**4.19 IZXFER**

IZXFER constructs an object that represents an interzone or zone/ambient heat transfer due to conduction and/or air transfer. The air transfer modeled by IZXFER transfers heat only; humidity transfer is not modeled as of July 2011. Note that **SURFACE** is the preferred way represent conduction between **ZONEs**.

The AIRNET types are used in a multi-cell pressure balancing model that finds zone pressures that produce net 0 mass flow into each zone. The model operates in concert with the znType=CZM or znType=UZM to represent ventilation strategies. During each time step, the pressure balance is found for two modes that can be thought of as “VentOff” (or infiltration-only) and “VentOn” (or infiltration+ventilation). The zone model then determines the ventilation fraction required to hold the desired zone temperature (if possible). AIRNET modeling methods are documented in the CSE Engineering Documentation.

Note that fan-driven types assume pressure-independent flow. That is, the specified flow is included in the zone pressure balance but the modeled fan flow does not change with zone pressure. The assumption is that in realistic configurations, zone pressure will generally be close to ambient pressure. Unbalanced fan ventilation in a zone without relief area will result in runtime termination due to excessively high or low pressure.

**izName**

Optional name of interzone transfer; give after the word “IZXFER” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**izNVType=choice**

Choice determining interzone ventilation



|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| NONE          | No interzone ventilation  |
| ONEWAY        | Uncontrolled flow from izZn1 to izZn2 when izZn1 air temperature exceeds izZn2 air temperature (using ASHRAE high/low vent model).  |
| TOWWAY        | Uncontrolled flow in either direction (using ASHRAE high/low vent model).   |
| AIRNETIZ      | Single opening to another zone (using pressure balance AirNet model). Flow is driven by buoyancy.   |
| AIRNETEXT     | Single opening to ambient (using pressure balance AirNet model). Flow is driven by buoyancy and wind pressure.  |
| AIRNETHORIZ   | Horizontal (large) opening between two zones, used to represent e.g. stairwells. Flow is driven by buoyancy; simultaneous up and down flow is modeled.                                  |
| AIRNETEXTFAN  | Fan from exterior to zone (flow either direction).  |
| AIRNETIZFAN   | Fan between two zones (flow either direction).  |
| AIRNETEXTFLOW | Specified flow from exterior to zone (either direction). Behaves identically to AIRNETEXTFAN except no electricity is consumed and no fan heat is added to the air stream.              |
| AIRNETIZFLOW  | Specified flow between two zones (either direction). Behaves identically to AIRNETIZFAN except no electricity is consumed and no fan heat is added to the air stream.                   |
| AIRNETHERV    | Heat or energy recovery ventilator. Supply and exhaust air are exchanged with the exterior with heat and/or moisture exchange between the air streams. Flow may or may not be balanced. |

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> | NONE    | No       | constant    |

**izZn1=znName**

Name of primary zone. Flow rates > 0 are into the primary zone.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a ZONE |         | Yes      | constant    |

**izZn2=znName**

Name of secondary zone.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|--|-------------|
|       | name of a<br>ZONE |         | required unless<br>izNVType =<br>AIRNETEXT,<br>AIRNETEXTFAN,<br>AIRNE-<br>TEXTFLOW, or<br>AIRNETHERV | constant    |

Give izHConst for a conductive transfer between zones. Give izNVType other than NONE and the following variables for a convective (air) transfer between the zones or between a zone and outdoors. Both may be given if desired. Not known to work properly as of July 2011

**izHConst=float**

Conductance between zones.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/°F | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**izALo=float**

Area of low or only vent (typically VentOff)

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**izAHi=float**

Additional vent area (high vent or VentOn). If used in AIRNET, izAHi > izALo typically but this is not required.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x \geq 0$  | izALo   | No       | hourly      |

**izL1=float**

Length or width of AIRNETHORIZ opening.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                  | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|---------------------------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     |         | if izNVType = AIRNETHORIZ | constant    |

**izL2=float**

Width or length of AIRNETHORIZ opening.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                  | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|---------------------------|-------------|
| ft    | $x > 0$     |         | if izNVType = AIRNETHORIZ | constant    |

**izStairAngle=float**

Stairway angle for AIRNETHORIZ opening. Use 90 for an open hole. Note that 0 prevents flow.

| Units   | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| degrees | $x > 0$     | 34      | No       | constant    |

**izHD=float**

Vent center-to-center height difference (for TWOWAY) or vent height above nominal 0 level (for AirNet types)

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    |             | 0       | No       | constant    |

**izNVEff=float**

Vent discharge coefficient.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.8     | No       | constant    |

**izfanVfDs=float**

Fan design or rated flow at rated pressure. For AIRNETHERV, this is the net air flow into the zone, gross flow at the fan is derived using izEATR (see below).

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required       | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| cfm   | $x \geq 0$  | 0 (no fan) | If fan present | constant    |

**izCpr=float**

Wind pressure coefficient (for AIRNETEXT).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 0.      | No       | constant    |

**izExp=float**

Opening exponent (for AIRNETEXT).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| none  | $x > 0$     | 0.5     | No       | constant    |

**izVfMin=float**

Minimum volume flow rate (VentOff mode).

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| cfm   | $x \geq 0$  | izfanVfDs | No       | subhourly   |

**izVfMax=float**

Maximum volume flow rate (VentOn mode)

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| cfm   | $x \geq 0$  | izVfMin | No       | subhourly   |

**izASEF=float**

Apparent sensible effectiveness for AIRNETHERV ventilator. ASEF is a commonly-reported HERV rating and is calculated as (supplyT - sourceT) / (returnT - sourceT). This formulation includes fan heat (in supplyT), hence the term “apparent”. Ignored if izSRE is given. CSE does not HRV exhaust-side condensation, so this model is approximate.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

**izSRE=float**

Sensible recovery efficiency (SRE) for AIRNETHERV ventilator. Used as the sensible effectiveness in calculation of the supply air temperature. Note that values of SRE greater than approximately 0.6 imply exhaust-side condensation under HVI rating conditions. CSE does not adjust for these effects. High values of izSRE will produce unrealistic results under mild outdoor conditions and/or dry indoor conditions.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

**izASRE=float**

Adjusted sensible recovery efficiency (ASRE) for AIRNETHERV ventilator. The difference izASRE - izSRE is used to calculate fan heat added to the supply air stream. See izSRE notes. No effect when izSRE is 0.

| Units | Legal Range                  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq \text{izSRE}$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

**izEATR=float**

Exhaust air transfer ratio for AIRNETHERV ventilator. NetFlow = (1 - EATR)\*(grossFlow).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| cfm   | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

**izLEF=float**

Latent heat recovery effectiveness for AIRNETHERV ventilator. The default value (0) results in sensible-only

heat recovery.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

#### **izRVFanHeatF=float**

Fraction of fan heat added to supply air stream for AIRNETHERV ventilator. Used only when when izSRE is 0 (that is, when izASEF specifies the sensible effectiveness).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0       | No       | subhourly   |

#### **izVfExhRat=float**

Exhaust volume flow ratio for AIRNETHERV ventilator = (exhaust flow) / (supply flow). Any value other than 1 indicates unbalanced flow that effects the zone pressure.

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | 1 (balanced) | No       | subhourly   |

#### **izfanPress=float**

Design or rated fan pressure.

| Units                   | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| inches H <sub>2</sub> O | $x > 0$     | .3      | No       | constant    |

Only one of izfanElecPwr, izfanEff, and izfanShaftBhp may be given: together with izfanVfDs and izfanPress, any one is sufficient for CSE to determine the others and to compute the fan heat contribution to the air stream.

#### **izfanElecPwr=float**

Fan input power per unit air flow (at design flow and pressure).

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                 | Required                                  | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|---|-------------|
| W/cfm | $x > 0$     | derived from izfanEff and izfanShaftBhp | If izfanEff and izfanShaftBhp not present | constant    |

#### **izfanEff=float**

Fan efficiency at design flow and pressure, as a fraction.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | derived from <i>izfanShaftBhp</i> if given, else 0.08 | No       | constant    |

**izfanShaftBhp=float**

Fan shaft brake horsepower at design flow and pressure.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| bhp   | $x > 0$     | derived from <i>izfanEff</i> . | No       | constant    |

**izfanCurvePy= $k_0, k_1, k_2, k_3, x_0$** 

$k_0$  through  $k_3$  are the coefficients of a cubic polynomial for the curve relating fan relative energy consumption to relative air flow above the minimum flow  $x_0$ . Up to five *floats* may be given, separated by commas. 0 is used for any omitted trailing values. The values are used as follows:

$$z = k_0 + k_1 \cdot (x - x_0) + k_2 \cdot (x - x_0)^2 + k_3 \cdot (x - x_0)^3$$

where:

- $x$  is the relative fan air flow (as fraction of *izfanVfDs*;  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ );
- $x_0$  is the minimum relative air flow (default 0);
- $(x - x_0)$  is the “positive difference”, i.e.  $(x - x_0)$  if  $x > x_0$ ; else 0;
- $z$  is the relative energy consumption.

If  $z$  is not 1.0 for  $x = 1.0$ , a warning message is displayed and the coefficients are normalized by dividing by the polynomial's value for  $x = 1.0$ .

| Units | Legal Range | Default                           | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-----------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | $0, 1, 0, 0, 0$ ( <i>linear</i> ) | No       | constant    |

**izFanMtr=mtrName**

Name of meter, if any, to record energy used by supply fan. End use category used is specified by *izFanEndUse* (next).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**izFanEndUse=choice**

End use to which fan energy is recorded (in **METER** specified by *izFanMtr*). See **METER** for available end use choices.

| Units | Legal Range           | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>end use choice</i> | Fan     | No       | constant    |

**endIZXFER**

Optionally indicates the end of the interzone transfer definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @izXfer

**4.20 RSYS**

RSYS constructs an object representing an air-based residential HVAC system.

**rsName**

Optional name of HVAC system; give after the word “RSYS” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**rsType=choice**

Type of system.

| rsType       | Description   |
|--------------|---|
| ACFURNACE    | Compressor-based cooling and fuel-fired heating. Primary heating input energy is accumulated to end use HTG of meter rsFuelMtr.   |
| ACRESISTANCE | Compressor-based cooling and electric (“strip”) heating. Primary heating input energy is accumulated to end use HTG of meter rsElecMtr.   |
| ASHP         | Air-source heat pump (compressor-based heating and cooling). Primary (compressor) heating input energy is accumulated to end use HTG of meter rsElecMtr. Auxiliary heating input energy is accumulated to end use HPHTG of meter rsElecMtr. |
| ASHPHYDRONIC | Air-to-water heat pump with hydronic distribution. Compressor performance is approximated using the air-to-air model with adjusted efficiencies.  |
| AC           | Compressor-based cooling; no heating.   |
| FURNACE      | Fuel-fired heating. Primary heating input energy is accumulated to end use HTG of meter rsFuelMtr.  |
| RESISTANCE   | Electric heating. Primary heating input energy is accumulated to end use HTG of meter rsElecMtr   |

| Units | Legal Range                 | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>one of above choices</i> | ACFURNACE | No       | constant    |

**rsDesc=string**

Text description of system, included as documentation in debugging reports such as those triggered by rsPerfMap=YES

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       | string      | <i>blank</i> | No       | constant    |

**rsModeCtrl=choice**

Specifies systems heating/cooling availability during simulation.

|      |  |
|------|--|
| OFF  | System is off (neither heating nor cooling is available)   |
| HEAT | System can heat (assuming rsType can heat)   |
| COOL | System can cool (assuming rsType can cool)   |
| AUTO | System can either heat or cool (assuming rsType compatibility). First request by any zone served by this RSYS determines mode for the current time step. |

| Units | Legal Range           | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | OFF, HEAT, COOL, AUTO | AUTO    | No       | hourly      |

**rsPerfMap=choice**

Generate performance map(s) for this RSYS. Comma-separated text is written to file PM\_[rsName].csv. This is a debugging capability that is not necessarily maintained.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NO, YES     | NO      | No       | constant    |

**rsFanTy=choice**

Specifies fan (blower) position relative to cooling coil.

| Units | Legal Range        | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       | BLOWTHRU, DRAWTHRU | BLOWTHRU | No       | constant    |

**rsFanMotTy=choice**

Specifies type of motor driving the fan (blower). This is used in the derivation of the coil-only cooling capacity for the RSYS.

|     |                                      |
|-----|--------------------------------------|
| PSC | Permanent split capacitor            |
| BPM | Brushless permanent magnet (aka ECM) |

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | PSC, BPM    | PSC     | No       | constant    |

**rsElecMtr=mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, by which system's electrical energy use is recorded (under appropriate end uses).



| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**rsFuelMtr** = *mtrName*

Name of **METER** object, if any, by which system's fuel energy use is recorded (under appropriate end uses).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**rsAFUE** = *float*

Heating Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE).

| Units | Legal Range    | Default                           | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1$ | 0.9 if furnace, 1.0 if resistance | No       | constant    |

**rsCapH** = *float*

Heating capacity, used when rsType is ACFURNACE, ACRESISTANCE, FURNACE, or RESISTANCE.

| Units  | Legal Range                   | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/hr | <i>AUTOSIZE</i> or $x \geq 0$ | 0       | No       | constant    |

**rsTdDesH** = *float*

Nominal heating temperature rise (across system, not at zone) used during autosizing (when capacity is not yet known) and to derive heating air flow rate from heating capacity.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x > 0$     | 30 °F if ASHP or ASHPHYDRONIC else 50 °F | No       | constant    |

**rsFxCapH** = *float*

Heating autosizing capacity factor. If AUTOSIZED, rsCapH or rsCap47 is set to  $\text{rsFxCapH} \times (\text{peak design-day load})$ . Peak design-day load is the heating capacity that holds zone temperature at the thermostat set point during the *last substep* of all hours of all design days.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1.4     | No       | constant    |

**rsFanPwrH** = *float*

Heating fan power. Heating air flow is calculated from heating capacity and rsTdDesH.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W/cfm | $x \geq 0$  | .365    | No       | constant    |

**rsHSPF=float**

For rsType=ASHP, Heating Seasonal Performance Factor (HSPF).

| Units  | Legal Range | Default | Required           | Variability |
|--------|-------------|---------|--------------------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | $x > 0$     |         | Yes if rsType=ASHP | constant    |

**rsCap47=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating capacity at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 47 °F.

If both rsCap47 and rsCapC are autosized, they are set to consistent values based on the relative values of heating and cooling loads. If the autosized capC is greater than 75% of the autosized cap47, then rsCapC is set to autosized capC and rsCap47 is derived from rsCapC. Otherwise, rsCap47 is set to 75% of autosized cap47 and rsCapC is derived from rsCap47.

| Units  | Legal Range                | Default                | Required | Variability |
|--------|----------------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | <i>AUTOSIZE</i> or $x > 0$ | Calculated from rsCapC | no       | constant    |

**rsCap35=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating capacity at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 35 °F. rsCap35 typically reflects reduced capacity due to reverse (cooling) heat pump operation for defrost.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default                             | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | $x > 0$     | Calculated from rsCap47 and rsCap17 | no       | constant    |

**rsCap17=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating capacity at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 17 °F.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default                 | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | $x > 0$     | Calculated from rsCap47 | no       | constant    |

**rsCOP47=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating coefficient of performance at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 47 °F.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | Estimated from rsHSPF, rsCap47, and rsCap17 | no       | constant    |

**rsCOP35=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating coefficient of performance at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 35 °F.

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | Calculated from rsCap35, rsCap47, rsCap17, rsCOP47, and rsCOP17 | no       | constant    |

**rsCOP17=float**

For rsType=ASHP, rated heating coefficient of performance at outdoor dry-bulb temperature = 17 °F.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | Calculated from rsHSPF, rsCap47, and rsCap17 | no       | constant    |

**rsCapAuxH=float**

For rsType=ASHP, auxiliary electric (“strip”) heating capacity. If AUTOSIZED, rsCapAuxH is set to the peak heating load evaluated at the heating design temperature (Top.heatDsTDbO).

| Units  | Legal Range            | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/hr | AUTOSIZE or $x \geq 0$ | 0       | no       | constant    |

**rsDefrostModel=choice**

Selects modeling options for ASHP outdoor coil defrosting when 17 °F < TDbO < 45 °F. In this temperature range, heating capacity and/or efficiency are typically reduced due to frost accumulation on the outdoor coil.

|             |   |  |  |  |
|-------------|---|--|--|--|
| REVCYCLE    | Reverse compressor (cooling) operation. Net capacity and efficiency is derived from rsCap17/rsCOP17 and rsCap35/rsCOP35 using linear interpolation. Auxiliary heat is not modeled.  |  |  |  |
| REVCYCLEAUX | Reverse compressor (cooling) operation with provision of sufficient auxiliary heat to make up the loss of heating capacity. Auxiliary heating is typically used to prevent cold air delivery to zones during the defrost cycle. |  |  |  |

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | one of above choices | REVCYCLEAUX | No       | constant    |

**rsFxCapAuxH=float**

Auxiliary heating autosizing capacity factor. If AUTOSIZED, rsCapAuxH is set to rsFxCapAuxH × (peak design-day load). Peak design-day load is the heating capacity that holds zone temperature at the thermostat set point during the *last substep* of all hours of all design days.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | No       | constant    |

**rsCOPAuxH=float**

For rsType=ASHP, auxiliary electric (“strip”) heating coefficient of performance. Energy use for auxiliary heat is accumulated to end use HPHTG of meter rsElecMtr (that is, auxiliary heat is assumed to be electric).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 1.0     | no       | constant    |

### rsSEER=float

Cooling rated Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER).

| Units  | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | $x > 0$     |         | Yes      | constant    |

### rsEER=float

Cooling Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) at standard AHRI rating conditions (outdoor drybulb of 95 °F and entering air at 80 °F drybulb and 67 °F wetbulb).

| Units  | Legal Range | Default             | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/Wh | $x > 0$     | Estimated from SEER | no       | constant    |

### rsCapC=float

Cooling capacity at standard AHRI rating conditions. If rsType=ASHP and both rsCapC and rsCap47 are autosized, both are set to the larger consistent value.

| Units  | Legal Range  | Default | Required                       | Variability |
|--------|--|---------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Btu/hr | <i>AUTOSIZE</i> or $x \leq 0$ ( $x > 0$ converted to $< 0$ ) |         | Yes if rsType includes cooling | constant    |

### rsTdDesC=float

Nominal cooling temperature fall (across system, not zone) used during autosizing (when capacity is not yet known).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $x < 0$     | -25     | No       | constant    |

### rsFxCapC=float

Cooling autosizing capacity factor. rsCapC is set to rsFxCapC  $\times$  (peak design-day load). Peak design-day load is the cooling capacity that holds zone temperature at the thermostat set point during the *last substep* of all hours of all design days.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1.4     | No       | constant    |

**rsFChg=float**

Cooling refrigerant charge adjustment factor. See rsFSize (below).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | no       | constant    |

**rsFSize=float**

Cooling compressor sizing factor. The effective cooling capacity is adjusted by the factor (rsFChg\*rsFSize) as specified by California Title 24 procedures.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | no       | constant    |

**rsVFPerTon=float**

Standard air volumetric flow rate per nominal ton of cooling capacity.

| Units   | Legal Range           | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| cfm/ton | $150 \leq x \leq 500$ | 350     | no       | constant    |

**rsFanPwrC=float**

Cooling fan power.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W/cfm | $x \geq 0$  | .365    | No       | constant    |

**rsASHPLockOutT=float**

Source air dry-bulb temperature below which the air source heat pump compressor does not operate.

| Units | Legal Range | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             | (no lockout) | No       | hourly      |

**rsCdH=float**

Heating cyclic degradation coefficient, valid only for compressor-based heating (heat pumps).

| Units | Legal Range         | Default  | **Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|--|------------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 0.5$ | ASHPHYDRONIC: 0.25<br>ASHP: derived from<br>rsHSPF | No         | hourly      |

**rsCdC=float**

Cooling cyclic degradation coefficient, valid for configurations having compressor-based cooling.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 0.5$ | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**rsFEffH=float**

Heating efficiency factor. At each time step, the heating efficiency is multiplied by rsFEffH.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | no       | subhourly   |

**rsFEffC=float**

Cooling efficiency factor. At each time step, the cooling efficiency is multiplied by rsEffC.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0$     | 1       | no       | subhourly   |

**rsCapNomH=float**

Heating nominal capacity. Provides type-independent probe source for RSYS heating capacity. Daily variability is specified to support value changes during AUTOSIZEing. Values set via input are typically constant.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default  | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
| Btu/hr | $x \geq 0$  | no heating: 0<br>heat pump: rsCap47 (input or AUTOSIZED)<br>other: rsCapH (input or AUTOSIZED) | no       | daily       |

**rsCapNomC=float**

Cooling nominal capacity. Provides type-independent probe source for RSYS cooling capacity. Daily variability is specified to support value changes during AUTOSIZEing. Values set via input are typically constant.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default  | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------|--|----------|-------------|
| Btu/hr | $x \geq 0$  | no cooling: 0<br>other: rsCap95 (input or AUTOSIZED) | no       | daily       |

**rsDSEH=float**

Heating distribution system efficiency. If given, (1-rsDSEH) of RSYS heating output is discarded. Cannot be combined with more detailed DUCTSEG model.

| Units | Legal Range | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x < 1$ | (use DUCTSEG model) | No       | hourly      |

**rsDSEC=float**

Cooling distribution system efficiency. If given, (1-rsDSEC) of RSYS cooling output is discarded. Cannot be combined with more detailed **DUCTSEG** model.

| Units | Legal Range | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x < 1$ | (use DUCTSEG model) | No       | hourly      |

**rsOAVType=choice**

Type of central fan integrated (CFI) outside air ventilation (OAV) included in this RSYS. OAV systems use the central system fan to circulate outdoor air (e.g. for night ventilation).

OAV cannot operate simultaneously with whole building ventilation (operable windows, whole house fans, etc.). Availability of ventilation modes is controlled on an hourly basis via **Top ventAvail**.

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| NONE     | No CFI ventilation capabilities  |
| FIXED    | Fixed-flow CFI (aka SmartVent). The specified rsOAVVfDs is used whenever the RSYS operates in OAV mode.  |
| VARIABLE | Variable-flow CFI (aka NightBreeze). Flow rate is determined at midnight based on prior day's average dry-bulb temperature according to a control algorithm defined by the NightBreeze vendor. |

| Units | Legal Range           | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | NONE, FIXED, VARIABLE | NONE    | No       | constant    |

**rsOAVVfDs=float**

Design air volume flow rate when RSYS is operating in OAV mode.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------|
| cfm   | $\geq 0$    | if rsOAVType $\neq$ NONE |          | constant    |

**rsOAVVfMinF=float**

Minimum air volume flow rate fraction when RSYS is operating in OAV mode. When rsOAVType=VARIABLE, air flow rate is constrained to rsOAVVfMinF \* rsOAVVfDs or greater.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.2     | No       | constant    |

**rsOAVFanPwr=float**

RSYS OAV-mode fan power.

| **Unit s | Legal Range    | Default  | Required | Variability |
|----------|----------------|--|----------|-------------|
| W/cfm    | $0 < x \leq 5$ | per rsOAVTYPE<br>FIXED: rsFanPwrC<br>VARIABLE: NightBreeze<br>vendor<br>curve based on rsOAVvfDs | No       | constant    |

**rsOAVTDbInlet=float**

OAV inlet (source) air temperature. Supply air temperature at the zone is generally higher due to fan heat. Duct losses, if any, also alter the supply air temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                   | Required | **Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|---------------|
| °F    |             | Dry-bulb temperature<br>from weather file | No       | hourly        |

**rsOAVTdiff=float**

OAV temperature differential. When operating in OAV mode, the zone set point temperature is  $\max(\text{znTD}, \text{inletT} + \text{rsOAVTdiff})$ . Small values can result in inadvertent zone heating, due to fan heat.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $> 0$       | 5 °F    | No       | hourly      |

**rsOAVReliefZn=znName**

Name of zone to which relief air is directed during RSYS OAV operation, typically an attic zone. Relief air flow is included in the target zone's pressure and thermal balance.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default                  | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of ZONE</i> | if rsOAVType $\neq$ NONE |          | constant    |

**rsParElec=float**

Parasitic electrical power. rsParElec is unconditionally accumulated to rsElecMtr (if specified) and has no other effect.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     |             | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**rsParFuel=float**

Parasitic fuel use. rsParFuel is unconditionally accumulated to rsFuelMtr (if specified) and has no other effect.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  |             | 0       | No       | hourly      |



**rsRhIn=float**

Entering air relative humidity (for model testing).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default                         | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| W/cfm | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | Derived from entering air state | No       | constant    |

**rsTdbOut=float**

Air dry-bulb temperature at the outdoor portion of this system.

| Units | Legal Range | Default           | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             | From weather file | No       | hourly      |

**endRSYS**

Optionally indicates the end of the RSYS definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @rsys
- @RSYSRes (accumulated results)

**4.21 DUCTSEG**

DUCTSEG defines a duct segment. Each **RSYS** has at most one return duct segment and at most one supply duct segment. That is, DUCTSEG input may be completely omitted to eliminate duct losses.

**dsName**

Optional name of duct segment; give after the word “DUCTSEG” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**dsTy=choice**

Duct segment type.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | SUPPLY, RETURN |         | Yes      | constant    |

The surface area of a DUCTSEG depends on its shape. 0 surface area is legal (leakage only). DUCTSEG shape is modeled either as flat or round –

- dsExArea specified: Flat. Interior and exterior areas are assumed to be equal (duct surfaces are flat and corner effects are neglected).

- **dsExArea** *not* specified: Round. Any two of **dsInArea**, **dsDiameter**, and **dsLength** must be given. Insulation thickness is derived from **dsInsulR** and **dsInsulMat** and this thickness is used to calculate the exterior surface area. Overall inside-to-outside conductance is also calculated including suitable adjustment for curvature.

**dsExArea=float**

Duct segment surface area at outside face of insulation for flat duct shape, see above.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x \geq 0$  |         | No       | constant    |

**dsInArea=float**

Duct segment inside surface area (at duct wall, duct wall thickness assumed negligible) for round shaped duct.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default                                    | Required                     | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|--|------------------------------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | $x \geq 0$  | Derived from<br>dsDiameter and<br>dsLength | (see above re duct<br>shape) | constant    |

**dsDiameter=float**

Duct segment round duct diameter (duct wall thickness assumed negligible)

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                  | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|------------------------------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | Derived from<br>dsInArea and<br>dsLength | (see above re duct<br>shape) | constant    |

**dsLength=float**

Duct segment length.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                    | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|------------------------------|-------------|
| ft    | $x \geq 0$  | Derived from<br>dsInArea and<br>dsDiameter | (see above re duct<br>shape) | constant    |

**dsExCnd=choice**

Conditions surrounding duct segment.

| Units | Legal Range                                    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | ADIABATIC,<br>AMBIENT,<br>SPECIFIEDT,<br>ADJZN | ADJZN   | No       | constant    |

**dsAdjZn=znName**

Name of zone surrounding duct segment; used only when dsExCon is ADJZN. Can be the same as a zone served by the **RSYS** owning the duct segment.

| Units | Legal Range           | Default     | Required                             | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>ZONE</i> | <i>none</i> | Required when <i>dsExCon</i> = ADJZN | constant    |

**dsEpsLW=float**

Exposed (i.e. insulation) outside surface exterior long wave (thermal) emittance.

| Units  | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| (none) | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 0.9     | No       | constant    |

**dsExT=float**

Air dry-bulb temperature surrounding duct segment.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default     | Required                                | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| °F    | <i>unrestricted</i> | <i>none</i> | Required if <i>sfExCnd</i> = SPECIFIEDT | hourly      |

**dsInsulR=float**

Insulation thermal resistance *not including* surface conductances. dsInsulR and dsInsulMat are used to calculate insulation thickness (see below). Duct insulation is modeled as a pure conductance (no mass).

| Units                       | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> -F-hr / Btu | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | constant    |

**dsInsulMat=matName**

Name of insulation **MATERIAL**. The conductivity of this material at 70 °F is combined with dsInsulR to derive the duct insulation thickness. If omitted, a typical fiberglass material is assumed having conductivity of 0.025 Btu/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F at 70 °F and a conductivity coefficient of .00418 1/F (see **MATERIAL**). In addition, insulation conductivity is adjusted during the simulation in response its average temperature. As noted with dsInsulR, duct insulation is modeled as pure conductance – **MATERIAL** matDens and matSpHt are ignored.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>MATERIAL</i> | fiberglass | No       | constant    |

**dsLeakF=float**

Duct leakage. Return duct leakage is modeled as if it all occurs at the segment inlet. Supply duct leakage is modeled as if it all occurs at the outlet.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1$ |         | No       | constant    |

**dsExH=float**

Outside (exposed) surface convection coefficient.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $x > 0$     | .54     | No       | subhourly   |

**endDuctSeg**

Optionally indicates the end of the DUCTSEG definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- **@ductSeg**
- **@izXfer** (generated as “<Zone Name>-DLkI” for supply or “<Zone Name>-DLkO” for return)

## 4.22 DHWDAYUSE

Defines an object that represents domestic hot water use for a single day. A DHWDAYUSE contains a collection of **DHWUSE** objects that specify the time, volume, and duration of individual draws. DHWDAYUSES are referenced by **DHWSYS** wsDayUse. Unreferenced DHWDAYUSES are allowed.

DHWDAYUSES and their child **DHWUSEs** are used to construct minute-by-minute hot water use schedules in addition to aggregated hourly schedules. The minute-by-minute schedules are used for modeling resistance and heat pump storage water heaters, see **DHWHEATER** whType=SmallStorage whHeatSrc=ResistanceX or whHeatSrc=ASHPX.

The following illustrates some features of DHWDAYUSE / **DHWUSE** –

DHWDAYUSE "Sample"

```
// 6 AM: 7 min shower, 2 gpm @ 105 F
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=6.0 wuDuration=7 wuFlow=2 wuTemp=105 wuEndUse=Shower wuEventID=1
```

```
// 7 AM: 1 min faucet draw, 100% hot
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=7.0 wuDuration=1 wuFlow=1 wuHotF=1 whEndUse=Faucet wuEventID=2
```

```
// 12:30 PM: dishwasher start, several draws over 70 mins; note common wuEventID
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=12.5 wuDuration=2 wuFlow=2 wuHotF=1 whEndUse=DWashr wuEventID=3
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=12.8 wuDuration=1.5 wuFlow=2 wuHotF=1 whEndUse=DWashr wuEventID=3
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=13.6 wuDuration=3 wuFlow=2 wuHotF=1 whEndUse=DWashr wuEventID=3
```

```
// 7 PM every 2nd day: clothes washer runs
```

```
// even days: 0 gpm (no draw)
```

```
// odd days: 3 gpm, 22% hot
```

```
DHWUSE whStart=19 wuDuration=30 wuFlow = ($dayOfYear%2)*3 whEndUse=CWashr whHotF=.22 wuEventID=4
```

```
// 11:54 PM: 20 min bath, 1.5 gpm, 80% hot water
```

```
// Duration spans midnight: draw is wrapped to beginning of *current* day
```

```
// In this case a 12 M - 12:14 AM draw is modeled -- before (!) the bath start.
```

```
DHWUSE whStart 23.9 wuDuration=20 wuFlow=1.5 wuHotF=.8 whEndUse=Bath wuEventID=99
```

endDHWDAYUSE

```
DHWSYS "DHWSYS1"
```

```
...
wsDayUse = "Sample"
...
```

During the simulation, **DHWUSEs** are evaluated each hour. Many **DHWUSE** values have hourly variability and this allows complicated schemes to be constructed very flexibly. For example:

```
DHWDAYUSE "HourlyFaucet"
// Every hour on the half hour: 5 minute, 2 gpm draw
// Same as 24 DHWUSEs, one for each hour
DHWUSE wuStart=$hour+.5 wuDuration=5 wuFlow=2 wuEndUse=Faucet
endDAYUSE
```

Some **DHWUSE** configurations involve mixing to specified wuTemp. Hot and cold water arriving at the point of use is assumed to be at **DHWSYS** wsUseTemp and wsMainsTemp respectively. It is possible to set up situations where wuTemp cannot be achieved (wuTemp > wsUseTemp, for example). Runtime error messages are produced when impossible conditions are detected.

When more than one **DHWSYS** references the same DHWDAYUSE, **DHWUSEs** are allocated to **DHWSYSs** in wuEventID rotation. This procedure divides the water heating load approximately equally while retaining the peak demand of individual events. When detailed information is available about which loads are served by specific systems, separate DHWDAYUSEs should be given.

### dhwDayUseName

Object name, given after “DHWDAYUSE”. Required for referencing from **DHWSYS**.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

### wduMult=float

Scale factor applied to all draws in this DHWDAYUSE.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

### endDHWDAYUSE

Indicates the end of the DHWDAYUSE definition. endDHWDAYUSE should follow all child **DHWUSEs**. Alternatively, the end of the meter definition can be indicated by the declaration of another object or by END.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

### Related Probes:

- @DHWDayUse

## 4.23 DHWUSE

Defines a single hot water draw as part of a **DHWDAYUSE**. See discussion and examples under **DHWDAYUSE**. As noted there, most DHWUSE values have hourly variability, allowing flexible representation.

### **wuName**

Optional name; give after the word “DHWUSE” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

### **wuStart=float**

The starting time of the hot water draw.

| Units | Legal Range        | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| hr    | $0 \leq x \leq 24$ | –       | Yes      | constant    |

### **wuDuration=float**

Draw duration.  $wuDuration = 0$  is equivalent to omitting the DHWUSE. Durations that extend beyond midnight are included in the current day.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| min   | $0 \leq x \leq 1440$ | 0       | N        | hourly      |

### **wuFlow=float**

Draw flow rate at the point of use (in other words, the mixed-water flow rate).  $wuFlow = 0$  is equivalent to omitting the DHWUSE. There is no enforced upper limit on  $wuFlow$ , however, unrealistically large values can cause runtime errors.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gpm   | $0 \leq x$  | 0       | N        | hourly      |

### **wuHotF=float**

Fraction of draw that is hot water. Cannot be specified with  $wuTemp$  or  $wuHeatRecEF$ .

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | 1       | N        | hourly      |

### **wuTemp=float**

Mixed-water use temperature at the fixture. Cannot be specified when  $wuHotF$  is given.

| **Unit s | Legal Range | **Default t | Required  | Variability |
|----------|-------------|-------------|---|-------------|
| °F       | $0 \leq x$  | 0           | when wuHeatRecEF is given<br>or parent DHWSYS includes<br>DHWHEATREC(s) | hourly      |

**wuHeatRecEF=float**

Heat recovery effectiveness, allows simple modeling of heat recovery devices such as drain water heat exchangers.

If non-0 (evaluated hourly), hot water use is reduced based on wuTemp, DHWSYS wsTUse, and DHWSYS wsTInlet. DHWHEATREC(s), if any, are ignored for this use. wuTemp must be specified.

If 0, detailed heat recovery modeling *may* apply, see DHWHEATREC.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $0 \leq x \leq 0.9$ | 0       | N        | hourly      |

**wuHWEndUse=choice**

Hot-water end use: one of Shower, Bath, CWashr, DWashr, or Faucet. wuHWEndUse has the following functions –

- Allocation of hot water use among multiple DHWSYSs (if more than one DHWSYS references a given DHWDAYUSE).
- DHWMETER end-use accounting (via DHWSYS).
- Activation of the detailed heat recovery model (available for end use Shower when wuHeatRecEF=0 and the parent DHWSYS includes DHWHEATREC(s)).

| Units | Legal Range          | Default                    | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------|-------------|
| –     | One of above choices | (use allocated to Unknown) | N        | constant    |

**wuEventID=integer**

User-defined identifier that associates multiple DHWUSEs with a single event or activity. For example, a dishwasher uses water at several discrete times during a 90 minute cycle and all DHWUSEs would be assigned the same wuEventID. All DHWUSEs having the same wuEventID should have the same wuHWEndUse.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $0 \leq x$  | 0       | N        | constant    |

**endDHWUSE**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWUSE definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWUse

## 4.24 DHWSYS

DHWSYS constructs an object representing a domestic hot water system consisting of one or more hot water heaters, storage tanks, loops, and pumps (DHWHEATER, DHWTANK, DHWLOOP, and DHWPUMP, see below) and a distribution system characterized by loss parameters. This model is based on Appendix B of the 2019 Residential ACM Reference Manual and the Ecotope HPWHSim air source heat pump water heater model (called HPWH herein).

The parent-child structure of DHWSYS components is determined by input order. For example, DHWHEATERs belong to the DHWSYS that precedes them in the input file. The following hierarchy shows the relationship among components. Note that any of the commands can be repeated any number of times.

- DHWSYS
  - DHWHEATER
  - DHWLOOPHEATER
  - DHWHEATREC
  - DHWTANK
  - DHWPUMP
  - DHWLOOP
    - \* DHWLOOPPUMP
    - \* DHWLOOPSEG
      - DHWLOOPBRANCH

Minimal modeling is included for physically realistic controls. For example, if several DHWHEATERs are included in a DHWSYS, an equal fraction of the required hot water is assumed to be produced by each heater, even if they are different types or sizes. Thus a DHWSYS is in some ways a collection of components as opposed to an explicitly connected system. This approach avoids requiring detailed input that would impose impractical user burden, especially in compliance applications.

### dhwsysName

Optional name of system; give after the word “DHWSYS” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

### wsCalcMode=*choice*

Enables preliminary simulation that derives values needed for simulation.

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| PRERUN   | Calculate hot water heating load; at end of run, derive whLDEF for all child DHWHEATERs for which that value is required and defaulted (this emulates methods used in the T24DHW.DLL implementation of CEC DHW procedures). Also derived are average number of draws per day by end use (used in the wsDayWaste scheme). |
| SIMULATE | Perform full modeling calculations   |

To use PRERUN efficiently, the recommended input file structure is:

- General input



- DHWSYS(s) and child objects
- RUN
- ALTER DHWSYS input (as needed)
- Building input
- RUN

This order avoids duplicate time-consuming simulation of the full building model.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Codes listed above</i> | SIMULATE | No       |             |

#### **wsCentralDHWSYS=***dhwsysName*

Name of the central DHWSYS that serves this DHWSYS, allowing representation of multiple units having distinct distribution configurations and/or water use patterns but served by a central DHWSYS. The child DHWSYS(s) may not include **DHWHEATERs** – they are “loads only” systems. wsCentralDHWSYS and wsLoadShareDHWSYS cannot both be given.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default              | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a DHWSYS</i> | DHWSYS is standalone | No       | constant    |

#### **wsLoadShareDHWSYS=***dhwsysName*

Name of a DHWSYS that serves the same loads as this DHWSYS, allowing representation of multiple water heating systems within a unit. If given, wsUse and wsDayUse are not allowed, hot water requirements are derived from the referenced DHWSYS. wsCentralDHWSYS and wsLoadShareDHWSYS cannot both be given.

For example, two DHWSYSs should be defined to model two water heating systems serving a load represented by wsDayUse DayUseTyp. Each DHWSYS should include **DHWHEATER(s)** and other components as needed. DHWSYS Sys1 should specify wsDayUse=DayUseTyp and DHWSYS Sys2 should have wsLoadShareDHWSYS=Sys1 in place of wsDayUse.

Loads are shared by assigning **DHWUSE** events sequentially by end use to all DHWSYS with compatible fixtures (determined by wsFaucetCount, wsShowerCount etc., see below) in the group. This algorithm approximately divides load for each end use by the number of compatible fixtures in the group. In addition, assigning 0 to a fixture type prevents assignment of an end use load to a DHWSYS – for example, wsDWashrCount=0 could be provided for a DHWSYS that does not serve a kitchen.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default         | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a DHWSYS</i> | No shared loads | No       | constant    |

#### **wsMult=***float*

Number of identical systems of this type (including all child objects). Any value > 1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWSYS. A value of 0 is equivalent to omitting the DHWSYS. Non-integral values scale all results; this may be useful in parameterized models, for example.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wsFaucetCount=integer**  
**wsShowerCount=integer**  
**wsBathCount=integer**  
**wsCWashrCount=integer**  
**wsDWashrCount=integer**

Specifies the count of fixtures served by this DHWSYS that can accommodate draws of each end use (see [DHWUSE](#)). These counts are used for distributing draws in shared load configurations (multiple DHWSYSs serving the same loads, see wsLoadShareDHWSYS above).

In addition, wsShowerCount participates in assignment of Shower draws to [DHWHEATRECs](#) (if any).

Unless this DHWSYS is part of a shared-load group or includes [DHWHEATREC\(s\)](#), these counts have no effect and need not be specified.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wsTInlet=float**

Specifies cold (mains) water temperature supplying this DHWSYS. [DHWHEATER](#) supply water temperature wsTInlet adjusted (increased) by any [DHWHEATREC](#) recovered heat and application of wsSSF (approximating solar preheating).

| Units | Legal Range | Default                      | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 32 °F     | Mains temp from weather file | No       | hourly      |

Hot water demand determination

**wsUse=float**

Hourly hot water use (at the point of use). See further info under wsDayUse.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gal   | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wsDayUse=dhwdayuseName**

Name of [DHWDAYUSE](#) object that specifies a detailed schedule of mixed water use at points of hot water use (that is, “at the tap”). The mixed water amounts are used to derive hot water requirements based on specified mixing fractions or mixed water temperature (see [DHWDAYUSE](#) and [DHWUSE](#)).

The total water use modeled by CSE is the sum of amounts given by wsUse and the DHWDAYUSE schedule. [DHWDAYUSE](#) draws are resolved to minute-by-minute bins compatible with the HPWH model and wsUse/60 is added to each minute bin. Conversely, the hour total of the [DHWDAYUSE](#) amounts is included in the draw applied to non-HPWH [DHWHEATERS](#).

wsDayUse variability is daily, so it is possible to select different schedules as a function of day type (or any other condition), as follows –

```

DHWSYS "DHW1"
...
wsDayUse = choose( $isWeHol, "DUSEWeekday", "DUSEWeHol")
...

```

Note that while **DHWDAYUSE** selection is updated daily, the **DHWUSE** values within the **DHWDAYUSE** can be altered hourly, providing additional scheduling flexibility.

| Units                      | Legal Range | Default              | Required | Variability |
|----------------------------|-------------|----------------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>name of a DHWDAYUSE</i> |             | (no scheduled draws) | No       | daily       |

**wsFaucetWaste**=*float*  
**wsShowerWaste**=*float*  
**wsBathWaste**=*float*  
**wsCWashrWaste**=*float*  
**wsDWashrWaste**=*float*

Specifies additional draw volume per **DHWUSE** event (at fixture, by end use). This can be used to account for water discarded during warmup or otherwise adjust the draw volume. Because the values are at the fixture, the impact on hot water demand additionally depends on **DHWUSE** parameters. The value is applied by lengthening (or shortening) the draw duration.

Note that **DHWUSE** draws can be referenced by multiple DHWSYSs; these adjustments apply only to the current DHWSYS.

These adjustments have not impact on draw specified by wsUse.

| Units    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|----------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gal/draw | –           | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wsBranchModel**=*choice*

ToDo

**wsDayWasteVol**=*float*

Average amount of waste per day.

| **Unit s | Legal Range | Default  | **Require d | Variabili t y |
|----------|-------------|--|-------------|---------------|
| gal/day  | $\geq 0$    | wsDayWasteBranchVolF *<br>(Total DHWLOOPBRANCH<br>vol) | No          | constant      |

**wsDayWasteBranchVolF**=*float*

Day waste scaling factor.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wsDayWasteFaucetF**=*float*  
**wsDayWasteShowerF**=*float*  
**wsDayWasteBathF**=*float*  
**wsDayWasteCWashrF**=*float*  
**wsDayWasteDWashrF**=*float*

ToDo

| *Units** * | *Legal Range** * | *Default** * | *Required** * | *Variability** |
|------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|
|            | $\geq 0$         | 0 N          | o s           | ubhourly       |

**wsTUse=float**

Hot water delivery temperature (at output of water heater(s) and at point of use). Delivered water is mixed down to wsTUse (with cold water) or heated to wsTUse (with extra electric resistance backup, see **DHWHEATER** whXBUEndUse). Note that draws defined via **DHWDAYUSE** / **DHWUSE** can specify mixing to a lower temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 32 °F     | 120     | No       | hourly      |

**wsTSetPoint=float**

Specifies the hot water setpoint temperature for all child **DHWHEATERs**. Used only for HPWH-based **DHWHEATERs** (HPWH models tank temperatures and heating controls), otherwise has no effect.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 32 °F     | wsTUse  | No       | hourly      |

**wsTSetPointLH=float**

Specifies the hot water setpoint temperature for all child **DHWLOOPHEATERs**. Used only for HPWH-based **DHWLOOPHEATERs** (HPWH explicitly models tank temperatures and heating controls), otherwise has no effect.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 32 °F     | wsTSetPoint | No       | hourly      |

**wsSDLM=float**

Specifies the standard distribution loss multiplier. See App B Eqn 4. To duplicate CEC 2019 methods, this value should be set according to the value derived with App B Eqn 5.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wsDSM=float**

Distribution system multiplier. See RACM App B Eqn 4. To duplicate CEC 2016 methods, wsDSM should be set to the appropriate value from App B Table B-2. Note the NCF (non-compliance factor) included in App B Eqn 4 is *not* a CSE input and thus must be applied externally to wsDSM.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wsWF=float**

Waste factor. See RACM App B Eqn 1. wsWF is applied to hot water draws. The default value (1) reflects the inclusion of waste in draw amounts. App B specifies wsWF=0.9 when the system has a within-unit pumped loop that reduces waste due to immediate availability of hot water at fixtures.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | hourly      |

**wsSSF=float**

NOTE: Deprecated. Use wsSolarSys instead.

Specifies the solar savings fraction, allowing recognition of externally-calculated solar water heating energy contributions. The contributions are modeled by deriving an increased water heater feed temperature –

$$tWHFeed = tInletAdj + wsSSF * (wsTUse - tInletAdj)$$

where tInletAdj is the source cold water temperature *including any DHWHEATREC tempering* (that is, wsTInlet + heat recovery temperature increase, if any). This model approximates the diminishing returns associated with combined preheat strategies such as drain water heat recovery and solar.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 0.99$ | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wsSolarSys=dhwSolarSys**

Name of DHWSOLARSYS object, if any, that supplies pre-heated water to this DHWSYS.

| Units | Legal Range                  | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a DHWSOLARSYS</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**wsParElec=float**

Specifies electrical parasitic power to represent recirculation pumps or other system-level electrical devices. Calculated energy use is accumulated to the METER specified by wsElecMtr (end use DHW). No other effect, such as heat gain to surroundings, is modeled.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wsElecMtr=mtrName**

Name of METER object, if any, to which DHWSYS electrical energy use is recorded (under end use DHW). In addition, wsElecMtr provides the default whElectMtr selection for all DHWHEATERs and DHWPUMPs in this DHWSYS.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**wsFuelMtr = mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, to which DHWSYS fuel energy use is recorded (under end use DHW). DHWSYS fuel use is usually (always?) 0, so the primary use of this input is to specify the default whFuelMtr choice for **DHWHEATERs** in this DHWSYS.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**wsWHhwMtr = dhwmtrName**

Name of **DHWMETER** object, if any, to which hot water quantities (at water heater) are recorded by hot water end use.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**wsFXhwMtr = dhwmtrName**

Name of **DHWMETER** object, if any, to which mixed hot water use (at fixture) quantities are recorded by hot water end use. **DHWDAYUSE** and wsUse input can be verified using **DHWMETER** results.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**wsWriteDrawCSV = choice**

If Yes, a comma-separated file is generated containing 1-minute interval hot water draw values for testing or linkage purposes.

| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Yes or No</i> | No      | No       | constant    |

**endDHWSys**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWSYS definition.

| Units      | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|------------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>n/a</i> | <i>n/a</i>  | <i>n/a</i> | No       | <i>n/a</i>  |

**Related Probes:**

- **@DHWSys**

## 4.25 DHWHEATER

DHWHEATER constructs an object representing a domestic hot water heater (or several if identical).

**whName**

Optional name of water heater; give after the word "DHWHEATER" if desired.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**whMult=integer**

Number of identical water heaters of this type. Any value > 1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWHEATER.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**whType=choice**

Type of water heater. This categorization is based on CEC and federal rating standards that change from time to time.

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| SMALLSTORAGE       | A storage water heater having an energy factor (EF) rating. Generally, a gas-fired storage water heater with input of 75,000 Btuh or less, an oil-fired storage water heater with input of 105,000 Btuh or less, an electric storage water heater with input of 12 kW or less, or a heat pump water heater rated at 24 amps or less.   |
| LARGESTORAGE       | Any storage water heater that is not SMALLSTORAGE.   |
| SMALLINSTANTANEOUS | A water heater that has an input rating of at least 4,000 Btuh per gallon of stored water. Small instantaneous water heaters include: gas instantaneous water heaters with an input of 200,000 Btu per hour or less, oil instantaneous water heaters with an input of 210,000 Btu per hour or less, and electric instantaneous water heaters with an input of 12 kW or less. |
| LARGEINSTANTANEOUS | An instantaneous water heater that does not conform to the definition of SMALLINSTANTANEOUS, an indirect fuel-fired water heater, or a hot water supply boiler.  |
| INSTANTANEOUSUEF   | An instantaneous water heater having a UEF rating (as opposed to EF).  |

| Units | Legal Range        | Default      | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------|--------------|----------|-------------|
|       | Codes listed above | SMALLSTORAGE | No       | constant    |

**whHeatSrc=choice**

Heat source for water heater. CSE implements uses efficiency-based models for all whTypes (as documented in RACM, App. B). In addition, the detailed Ecotope HPWH model is available for electric (air source heat pump and resistance) SMALLSTORAGE water heaters.

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| RESISTANCE  | Electric resistance heating element<br>Deprecated for whType=SMALLSTORAGE (use RESISTANCEX) |
| RESISTANCEX | Electric resistance heating element, detailed HPWH model                                    |
| ASHP        | Air source heat pump, EF model<br>Deprecated for whType=SMALLSTORAGE (use ASHPX)            |
| ASHPX       | Air source heat pump, detailed HPWH model   |
| FUEL        | Fuel-fired burner   |

| Units                     | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| <i>Codes listed above</i> |             | FUEL    | No       | constant    |

**whVol=float**

Storage tank volume. Must be omitted or 0 for instantaneous whTypes. Used by HPWH model (whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX or whHeatSrc=ASHPX). Required when whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX or whHeatSrc=ASHPX with whASHPType=GENERIC. For all other configurations, whVol is documentation-only.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default                        | Required                                | Variability |
|-------|---|--------------------------------|---|-------------|
| gal   | $\geq 0.1$ (caution: small values may cause runtime errors) | per whASHPType if HPWH else 50 | For some HPWH configurations, see above | constant    |

**whEF=float**

Rated energy factor that specifies DHWHEATER efficiency under test conditions. Used by CSE to derive annual water heating efficiency and/or other characteristics as described below. Calculation methods are documented in RACM, Appendix B.

| Configuration  | whEF default | Use  |
|--|--------------|--|
| whType=SMALLSTORAGE<br>whHeatSrc=RESISTANCE or FUEL          | 0.82         | Derivation of whLDEF   |
| whType=SMALLSTORAGE<br>whHeatSrc=ASHP                        | 0.82         | Derivation of whLDEF<br>note inappropriate default (deprecated, use ASHPX) |
| whType=SMALLSTORAGE<br>whHeatSrc=ASHPX<br>whASHPType=GENERIC | (req'd)      | Tank losses<br>Overall efficiency  |
| whType=SMALLSTORAGE<br>whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX                 | (req'd)      | Tank losses<br>Note: maximum whEF=0.98.                                    |
| whType=SMALLINSTANTANEOUS<br>whHeatSrc=RESISTANCE or FUEL    | 0.82         | Annual efficiency = whEF*0.92  |
| Any other  | (unused)     |  |



| Units | Legal Range   | **Default t | **Require d | Variability |
|-------|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|       | > 0<br><i>Caution: maximum not checked.<br/>Unrealistic values will cause<br/>runtime errors and/or invalid<br/>results</i> | See above   | See above   | constant    |

**whLDEF=float**

Load-dependent energy factor for DHWHEATERS with whType=SMALLSTORAGE and whHeatSrc=FUEL or whHeatSrc=RESISTANCE. If not given, whLDEF is derived using a preliminary simulation activated via **DHWSYS** wsCalcMode=PRERUN. See RACM Appendix B.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                                      | Required  | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|---|-------------|
|       | > 0         | Calculated via<br>DHWSYS PreRun<br>mechanism | When whType =<br>SMALLSTORAGE<br>and PreRun not<br>used | constant    |

**whUEF=float**

Water heater Uniform Energy Factor efficiency rating, used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | –       | when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF | constant    |

**whAnnualElec=float**

Annual electricity use assumed in UEF rating derivation. Used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------|
| kWh   | $\geq 0$    | –       | when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF | constant    |

**whAnnualFuel=float**

Annual fuel use assumed in UEF rating derivation, used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units  | Legal Range | Default | Required                     | Variability |
|--------|-------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------|
| therms | $\geq 0$    | –       | when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF | constant    |

**whRatedFlow=float**

Maximum flow rate assumed in UEF rating derivation. Used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                     | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------|
| gpm   | >0          | –       | when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF | constant    |

**whStbyElec=float**

Instantaneous water heater standby power (electricity consumed when heater is not operating). Used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | 4       | No       | constant    |

**whLoadCFwdF=float**

Instantaneous water heater load carry forward factor – approximate number of hours the heater is allowed to meet water heating demand that is unmet on a 1 minute basis, used when whType=INSTANTANEOUSUEF.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | Constant    |

**whZone=znName**

Name of zone where water heater is located, used only in detailed HPWH models (whHeatSrc=ASHPX or whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX), otherwise no effect. Zone conditions are used for tank heat loss calculations. Heat exchanged with the DHWHEATER are included in the zone heat balance. whZone also provides the default for whASHPSrcZn (see below). whZone and whTEx cannot both be specified.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default                                     | Required | **Variability |
|-------|----------------|---|----------|---------------|
|       | name of a ZONE | Not in a zone<br>(heat losses<br>discarded) | No       | constant      |

**whTEx=float**

Water heater surround temperature, used only in detailed HPWH models (whHeatSrc=ASHPX or whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX), otherwise no effect. whZone and whTEx cannot both be specified.

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $\geq 0$    | whZone air temperature if specified, else 70 °F | No       | hourly      |

**whASHPType=choice**

Air source heat pump type, valid only if whHeatSrc=ASHPX. These choices are supported by the detailed HPWH model. Except for Generic, all heater characteristics are set by HPWH based on whASHPType.

| Choice        | Specified type                                      |
|---------------|---|
| Generic       | General generic (parameterized by wh_EF and wh_vol) |
| AOSmithPHPT60 | 60 gallon Voltex                                    |
| AOSmithPHPT80 | 80 gallon Voltex                                    |
| AOSmithHPTU50 | 50 gallon AOSmith HPTU                              |
| AOSmithHPTU66 | 66 gallon AOSmith HPTU                              |
| AOSmithHPTU80 | 80 gallon AOSmith HPTU                              |
| Sanden40      | Sanden 40 gallon CO2 external heat pump             |
| Sanden80      | Sanden 80 gallon CO2 external heat pump             |

| Choice          | Specified type  |
|-----------------|---|
| GE2012          | 2012 era GeoSpring  |
| GE2014          | 2014 50 gal GE run in the efficiency mode   |
| GE2014StdMode   | 2014 50 gal GE run in standard mode   |
| GE2014StdMode80 | 2014 80 gal GE run in standard mode   |
| RheemHB50       | newish Rheem (2014 model?)  |
| RheemHBDR2250   | 50 gallon, 2250 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| RheemHBDR4550   | 50 gallon, 4500 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| RheemHBDR2265   | 65 gallon, 2250 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| RheemHBDR4565   | 65 gallon, 4500 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| RheemHBDR2280   | 80 gallon, 2250 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| RheemHBDR4580   | 80 gallon, 4500 W resistance Rheem HB Duct Ready  |
| Stiebel220E     | Stiebel Eltron (2014 model?)  |
| GenericTier1    | Generic Tier 1  |
| GenericTier2    | Generic Tier 2  |
| GenericTier3    | Generic Tier 3  |
| UEF2Generic     | Experimental UEF=2  |
| BasicIntegrated | Typical integrated HPWH   |
| ResTank         | Resistance heater (no compressor). Superseded by<br>whHeatSrc=RESITANCEX                        |
| ResTankNoUA     | Resistance heater (no compressor) with no tank losses.<br>Superseded by whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX.  |
| AOSmithHPTU80DR | 80 gallon AOSmith HPTU with fixed backup setpoint<br>(experimental for demand response testing) |
| AOSmithSHPT50   | 50 gal AOSmith SHPT   |
| AOSmithSHPT66   | 66 gal AOSmith SHPT   |
| AOSmithSHPT80   | 80 gal AOSmith SHPT   |

| Units | Legal Range               | Default | Required             | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|----------------------|-------------|
|       | <i>Codes listed above</i> | –       | When whHeatSrc=ASHPX | constant    |

**whASHPSrcZn=znName**

Name of zone that serves as heat pump heat source used when whHeatSrc=ASHPX. Used for tank heat loss calculations and default for whASHPSrcZn. Heat exchanges are included in zone heat balance. whASHPSrcZn and whASHPSrcT cannot both be specified.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|--|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a ZONE | Same as whZone if<br>whASHPSrcT not<br>specified. If no zone<br>is specified by input<br>or default, heat<br>extracted by ASHP<br>has no effect. | No       | constant    |

**whASHPSrcT=float**

Heat pump source air temperature used when whHeatSrc=ASHPX. Heat removed from this source is added to the heated water but has no other effect. whASHPSrcZn and whASHPSrcT cannot both be specified.

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $\geq 0$    | whASHPZn air temperature if specified, else 70 °F | No       | hourly      |

**whASHPResUse=float**

Specifies activation temperature difference for resistance heating, used only when whHeatSrc=ASHPX and whASHPType=GENERIC. Refer to HPWH engineering documentation for model details.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °C    | $\geq 0$    | 7.22    | N        | constant    |

**whResHtPwr=float**

Specifies resistance upper element power, used only with whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | 4500    | N        | constant    |

**whResHtPwr2=float**

Specifies resistance lower element power, used only with whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | whResHtPwr | N        | constant    |

**whUAMult=float**

Tank UA multiplier, used only with whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX. Used to account for e.g. tank wrap insulation. Note that tank UA is derived from whEF and cannot be directly set.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $> 0$       | 1       | N        | constant    |

**whInHtSupply=float****whInHtLoopRet=float**

Fractional tank height of inlets for supply water and DHWLOOP return, used only with HPWH types (whHeatSrc=RESISTANCEX or whHeatSrc=ASHPX). 0 indicates the bottom of the water heater tank and 1 specifies the top. Inlet height influences tank layer mixing and can impact heat pump COP and/or heating activation frequency.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default           | Required * | *Variability** |
|-------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|----------------|
| -     | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | HPWH default (0?) | N          | constant       |

**whHPAF=float**

Heat pump adjustment factor, applied to whLDEF when modeling whType=SMALLSTORAGE and whHeatSrc=ASHP. This value should be derived according to RACM App B Table B-6. Deprecated: the

detailed HPWH model (whHeatSrc=ASHPX) is recommended for air source heat pumps.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required                                    | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|---|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | When whType=SMALLSTORAGE and whHeatSrc=ASHP | constant    |

#### **whEff=float**

Water heating efficiency, used in modeling whType=LARGESTORAGE and whType=LARGEINSTANTANEOUS.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < \text{whEff} \leq 1$ | .82     | No       | constant    |

#### **whSBL=float**

Standby loss, used in modeling whType=LARGESTORAGE.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | constant    |

#### **whPilotPwr=float**

Pilot light consumption, included in fuel energy use of DHWHEATERS with whHeatSrc=FUEL.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | hourly      |

#### **whParElec=float**

Parasitic electricity power, included in electrical energy use of all DHWHEATERS.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | hourly      |

#### **whElecMtr=mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, by which DHWHEATER electrical energy use is recorded (under end use DHW).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>Parent DHWSYS wsElecMtr</i> | No       | constant    |

#### **whxBUEndUse=choice**

Specifies the whElecMtr end use, if any, to which extra backup energy is accumulated. In some water heater types, extra backup energy is modeled to maintain output temperature at wsTUse. By default, extra backup energy is included in end use dhwBU. whxBUEndUse allows specification of an alternative end use to which extra backup energy is accumulated.

| Units | Legal Range         | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>end use code</i> | (extra backup accums to dhwBU) | No       | constant    |

**whFuelMtr = *mtrName***

Name of **METER** object, if any, by which DHWHEATER fuel energy use is recorded (under end use DHW).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>Parent DHWSYS wsFuelMtr</i> | No       | constant    |

**endDHWHEATER**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWHEATER definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWHeater

## 4.26 DHWLOOPHEATER

DHWHEATERLOOP constructs an object representing a hot water heater dedicated to heating **DHWLOOP** return water (or several if identical).

Refer to **DHWHEATER**.

## 4.27 DHWHEATREC

DHWHEATREC constructs an object representing one or more heat recovery devices in a **DHWSYS**. Drain water heat recovered by the device increases parent **DHWSYS** wsInlet temperature and/or fixture cold water feed temperature. This reduces water heating energy consumption.

**wrName**

Optional name of device; give after the word “DHWHEATREC” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**wrMult = *integer***

Number of identical heat recovery devices of this type. Any value >1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWHEATREC.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wrHWEndUse = *choice***

Hot water end use to which this DHWHEATREC is applied: one of Shower, Bath, CWashr, DWashr, or Faucet. Selects **DHWUSE** draws for heat recovery calculations. Currently, only Shower is supported.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | Shower      | Shower  | No       | constant    |

**wrCountFXDrain=integer**

Number of fixtures (of type wrHWEndUse) whose drain lines pass through this heat recovery device. wrCountFXDrain=0 causes this DHWHEATREC to have no effect (that is, equivalent to omitting the DHWHEATREC command).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wrCountFXCold=integer**

Number of fixtures (of type wrHWEndUse) with cold water supply connected to the DHWHEATREC potable-side outlet and thus use tempered water to mix with hot water.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wrFeedsWH=choice**

Specifies whether the potable-side outlet of the DHWHEATREC is connected to the **DHWHEATER(s)** inlet.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | Yes, No     | No      | No       | constant    |

**wrType=choice**

Specifies the type of heat recovery device: Vertical, Horizontal, or SetEF. Horizontal and Vertical derive effectiveness from wrCSARatedEF, flow rates, and water temperatures. As of Feb. 2019, the same correlation is used for both Horizontal and Vertical, so these choices have no effect on results. Choice SetEF uses wrCSARatedEF without modification as the effectiveness (note hourly variability).

| Units | Legal Range                 | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| –     | Vertical, Horizontal, SetEF | Vertical | No       | constant    |

**wrCSARatedEF=float**

Specifies the heat recovery effectiveness, generally determined using CSA B55.2 rating conditions. This value is modified during simulation based on water flow rates and temperatures. If wrType=SetEF, wsCSARatedEF is used without modification.

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $0 \leq x \leq 1$ | –       | Yes      | hourly      |

**wrTDInDiff=***float*

Temperature drop between the fixture drain and DHWHEATREC drain-side inlet. The drain-side inlet temperature is thus **DHWUSE** wuTemp - wrTDInDiff.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $\geq 0$    | 4.6 °F  | N        | hourly      |

**wrTDInWarmup=***float*

Drain-side inlet water temperature during warmup. During the warmup portion of a draw (if any), the drain-side inlet temperature will initially be lower than that based on **DHWUSE** wuTemp. wrTDInWarmup allows input of user estimates for this temperature. Note wrTDInWarmup is *not* adjusted by wrTDInDiff.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $> 0$       | 65 °F   | N        | hourly      |

**endDHWHEATREC**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWHEATREC definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:****4.28 DHWTANK**

DHWTANK constructs an object representing one or more unfired water storage tanks in a **DHWSYS**. DHWTANK heat losses contribute to the water heating load.

**wtName**

Optional name of tank; give after the word “DHWTANK” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**wtMult=***integer*

Number of identical tanks of this type. Any value  $> 1$  is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWTANK.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $> 0$       | 1       | No       | constant    |

Tank heat loss is calculated hourly (note that default heat loss is 0) –

$$q_{\text{Loss}} = \text{wtMult} \cdot (\text{wtUA} \cdot (\text{wtTTank} - \text{wtTEx}) + \text{wtXLoss})$$



**wtUA=float**

Tank heat loss coefficient.

| Units   | Legal Range | Default                         | Required | Variability |
|---------|-------------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/°F | $\geq 0$    | Derived from wtVol and wtInsulR | No       | constant    |

**wtVol=float**

Specifies tank volume.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gal   | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | constant    |

**wtInsulR=float**

Specifies total tank insulation resistance. The input value should represent the total resistance from the water to the surroundings, including both built-in insulation and additional exterior wrap insulation.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> -°F/Btuh | $\geq .01$  | 0       | No       | constant    |

**wtTEx=float**

Tank surround temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $\geq 0$    | 70      | No       | hourly      |

**wtTTank=float**

Tank average water temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                 | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $> 32$ °F   | Parent DHWSYSTEM wsTUse | No       | hourly      |

**wtXLoss=float**

Additional tank heat loss. To duplicate CEC 2016 procedures, this value should be used to specify the fitting loss of 61.4 Btuh.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh  | (any)       | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**endDHWTank**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWTANK definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWTank

**4.29 DHWPUMP**

DHWPUMP constructs an object representing a domestic hot water circulation pump (or more than one if identical).

**wpName**

Optional name of pump; give after the word “DHWPUMP” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**wpMult=*integer***

Number of identical pumps of this type. Any value > 1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWPUMP.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wpPwr=*float***

Pump power.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | > 0         | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wpElecMtr=*mtrName***

Name of **METER** object, if any, to which DHWPUMP electrical energy use is recorded (under end use DHW).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default                        | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>Parent DHWSYS wsElecMtr</i> | No       | constant    |

**endDHWPump**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWPUMP definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHW Pump

**4.30 DHWLOOP**

DHWLOOP constructs one or more objects representing a domestic hot water circulation loop. The actual pipe runs in the DHWLOOP are specified by any number of DHWLOOPSEGS (see below). Circulation pumps are specified by DHWLOOPPUMPS (also below).

**wlName**

Optional name of loop; give after the word “DHWLOOP” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**wlMult=*integer***

Number of identical loops of this type. Any value > 1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same DHWLOOP (and all child objects).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wlFlow=*float***

Loop flow rate (when operating).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gpm   | ≥ 0         | 6       | No       | hourly      |

**wlTIn1=*float***

Inlet temperature of first DHWLOOPSEG.

| Units | Legal Range | Default       | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 0         | DHWSYS wsTUse | No       | hourly      |

**wlRunF=*float***

Fraction of hour that loop circulation operates.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | ≥ 0         | 1       | No       | hourly      |

**wlFUA=*float***

DHWLOOPSEG pipe heat loss adjustment factor. DHWLOOPSEG UA is derived (from wgSize, wgLength, wgInsulK, wgInsulThk, and wgExH) and multiplied by wlFUA. Note: does not apply to child DHWLOOP-

**BRANCHs** (see wbFUA).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wlLossMakeupPwr=float**

Specifies electrical power available to make up losses from **DHWLOOPSEGs** (loss from **DHWLOOP-BRANCHs** is not included). Separate loss makeup is typically used in multi-unit HPWH systems to avoid inefficiencies associated with high condenser temperatures. Loss-makeup energy is calculated hourly and is the smaller of loop losses and wlLossMakeupPwr. The resulting electricity use (including the effect of wlLossMakeupEff) is accumulated to the **METER** specified by wElecMtr (end use dhwMFL). No other effect, such as heat gain to surroundings, is modeled.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wlLossMakeupEff=float**

Specifies the efficiency of loss makeup heating if any. No effect when wlLossMakeupPwr is 0.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | > 0         | 1       | No       | hourly      |

**wElecMtr=mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, to which DHWLOOP electrical energy use is recorded (under end use dhwMFL).

| Units                  | Legal Range                    | Default | Required | Variability |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>Parent DHWSYS wsElecMtr</i> |         | No       | constant    |

**endDHWLoop**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWLOOP definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWLoop

## 4.31 DHWLOOPPUMP

DHWLOOPPUMP constructs an object representing a pump serving part a **DHWLOOP**. The model is identical to **DHWPUMP** *except* that that the electricity use calculation reflects wlRunF of the parent **DHWLOOP**.

**wlpName**

Optional name of pump; give after the word “DHWLOOPPUMP” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**wlpMult=integer**

Number of identical pumps of this type. Any value > 1 is equivalent to repeated entry of the same **DHW-PUMP**.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wlpPwr=float**

Pump power.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| W     | > 0         | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**wlpLiqHeatF=float**

Fraction of pump power that heats circulating liquid. The remainder is discarded.

| Units | Legal Range *   | *Default** * | *Required** * | *Variability** |
|-------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq$ | 1            | No            | hourly         |

**wlpElecMtr=mtrName**

Name of **METER** object, if any, to which DHWLOOPPUMP electrical energy use is recorded (under end use dhwMFL).

| Units | Legal Range            | Default                          | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>Parent DHWLOOP wlpElecMtr</i> | No       | constant    |

**endDHWLOOPPUMP**

Optionally indicates the end of the **DHWPUMP** definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWLoopPump

## 4.32 DHWLOOPSEG

DHWLOOPSEG constructs one or more objects representing a segment of the preceeding **DHWLOOP**. A **DHWLOOP** can have any number of DHWLOOPSEGs to represent the segments of the loop with possibly differing sizes, insulation, or surrounding conditions.

### wgName

Optional name of segment; give after the word "DHWLOOPSEG" if desired.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

### wgTy=*choice*

Specifies the type of segment. RETURN segments, if any, must follow SUPPLY segments.

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| SUPPLY | Indicates a supply segment (flow is sum of circulation and draw flow, child DHWLOOPBRANCHs permitted). |
| RETURN | Indicates a return segment (flow is only due to circulation, child DHWLOOPBRANCHs not allowed)         |

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     |             | –       | Yes      | constant    |

### wgLength=*float*

Length of segment.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | constant    |

### wgSize=*float*

Nominal size of pipe. CSE assumes the pipe outside diameter = size + 0.125 in.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| in    | $> 0$       | 1       | Yes      | constant    |

### wgInsulK=*float*

Pipe insulation conductivity

| Units                       | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh-ft/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $> 0$       | 0.02167 | No       | constant    |

### wgInsulThk=*float*

Pipe insulation thickness

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| in    | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wgExH=float**

Combined radiant/convective exterior surface conductance between insulation (or pipe if no insulation) and surround.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | $> 0$       | 1.5     | No       | hourly      |

**wgExT=float**

Surrounding equivalent temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $> 0$       | 70      | No       | hourly      |

**wgFNoDraw=float**

Fraction of hour when no draw occurs.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | $> 0$       | 70      | No       | hourly      |

**endDHWLoopSeg**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWLOOPSEG definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWLoopSeg

### 4.33 DHWLOOPBRANCH

DHWLOOPBRANCH constructs one or more objects representing a branch pipe from the preceeding **DHWLOOPSEG**. A **DHWLOOPSEG** can have any number of DHWLOOPBRANCHs to represent pipe runs with differing sizes, insulation, or surrounding conditions.

**wbName**

Optional name of segment; give after the word “DHWLOOPBRANCH” if desired.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |               |         |          |             |
| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**wbMult=float**

Specifies the number of identical DHWLOOPBRANCHs. Note may be non-integer.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | > 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wbLength=float**

Length of branch.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft    | $\geq 0$    | 0       | No       | constant    |

**wbSize=float**

Nominal size of pipe. CSE assumes the pipe outside diameter = size + 0.125 in.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| in    | > 0         | –       | Yes      | constant    |

**wbInsulK=float**

Pipe insulation conductivity

| Units                       | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh-ft/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | > 0         | 0.02167 | No       | constant    |

**wbInsulThk=float**

Pipe insulation thickness

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| in    | $\geq 0$    | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wbExH=float**

Combined radiant/convective exterior surface conductance between insulation (or pipe if no insulation) and surround.



| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> -°F | > 0         | 1.5     | No       | hourly      |

**wbFUA=float**

Adjustment factor applied to branch UA. UA is derived (from wbSize, wbLength, wbInsulK, wbInsulThk, and wbExH) and then multiplied by wbFUA. Used to represent e.g. imperfect insulation. Note that parent **DHWLOOP** wFUA does not apply to DHWLOOPBRANCH (only **DHWLOOPSEG**)

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | ≥ 0         | 1       | No       | constant    |

**wbExT=float**

Surrounding equivalent temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    | > 0         | 70      | No       | hourly      |

**wbFlow=float**

Branch flow rate assumed during draw.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gpm   | ≥ 0         | 2       | No       | hourly      |

**wbFWaste=float**

Number of times during the hour when the branch volume is discarded.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | ≥ 0         | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**endDHWLOOPBRANCH**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWLOOPBRANCH definition.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       |             |

**Related Probes:**

- @DHWLoopBranch

**4.34 DHWSOLARSYS**

Solar water heating system.

- DHWSOLARSYS
  - DHWSOLARCOLLECTOR
  - DHWSOLARTANK

May have any number of solar collectors, but only one tank.

May have no tank for direct system? What if system has multiple primary tanks?

**swElecMtr=*mtrName***

Name of **METER** object, if any, to which DHWSOLARSYS electrical energy use is recorded (under end use ???).

| Units | Legal Range                | Default             | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| F     | <i>name of a<br/>METER</i> | <i>not recorded</i> | No       | constant    |

**swEndUse**

End use of pump energy; defaults to “DHW”.

**swParElec=*float***

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**swFluidVolSpHt=*float***

Default specific heat for Ethylene Glycol.

| Units      | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/gal-°F |             | 5.31    | No       | constant    |

**swTankHXEff=*float***

Tank heat exchanger effectiveness.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 0.99$ | 0       | No       | hourly      |

**swTankUA=*float***

Heat transfer coefficient for the tank multiplied by area.

| Units   | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/°F |             |         | No       | constant    |

**swTankVol=*float***

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| gal   |             |         | No       | constant    |

**swTankInsulR=float**

Total tank insulation resistance, built-in plus exterior wrap.

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> -°F/Btuh |             |         | No       | constant    |

**swTankZn**

Pointer to tank zone location, use sw\_tankTEx if NULL

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             |         | No       | constant    |

**swTankTEx=float**

Surrounding temperature.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             |         | No       | hourly      |

**endDHWSOLARSYS**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWSOLARSYS definition.

| Units      | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|------------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>n/a</i> | <i>n/a</i>  | <i>n/a</i> | No       | <i>n/a</i>  |

**4.35 DHWSOLARCOLLECTOR**

Solar Collector Array. May be multiple collectors on the same DHWSOLARSYS system. All inlets come from the DHWSOLARTANK.

Uses SRCC Ratings.

**scArea=float**

Collector area.

| Units           | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| ft <sup>2</sup> | > 0         | 0       | Yes      | constant    |

**scMult**

Number of identical collectors, default 1

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $> 0$       | 1       | No       | constant    |

**scTilt=float**

Array tilt.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| deg   |             | 0       | Yes      | constant    |

**scAzm=float**

Array azimuth.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| deg   |             | 0       | Yes      | constant    |

**scFRUL=float**

Fit slope

| Units                    | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Btuh/ft <sup>2</sup> ·°F |             | -0.727  | No       | constant    |

**scFRTA=float**

Fit y-intercept

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| none  | $> 0$       | 0.758   | No       | constant    |

**scPumpFlow=float**

| Units | Legal Range | Default                            | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| gpm   | $x \geq 0$  | from <i>scArea</i> , <i>scMult</i> | No       | constant    |

**scPumpPwr=float**

| Units | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Btu/h | $x \geq 0$  | from <i>scPumpflow</i> | No       | constant    |

**scPumpOnDeltaT=float**

Temperature difference between the tank and collector outlet where pump turns on

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             | 10.0    | No       | constant    |

**scPumpOffDeltaT=float**

Temperature difference between the tank and collector outlet where pump turns off

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| °F    |             | 5.0     | No       | constant    |

**endDHWSOLARCOLLECTOR**

Optionally indicates the end of the DHWSOLARCOLLECTOR definition.

| Units      | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|------------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
| <i>n/a</i> | <i>n/a</i>  | <i>n/a</i> | No       | <i>n/a</i>  |

**4.36 PARRAY**

PARRAY describes a photovoltaic panel system. The algorithms are based on the [PVWatts calculator](#).

**pvName**

Name of photovoltaic array. Give after the word PARRAY.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**pvElecMtr=choice**

Name of meter by which this PARRAY's AC power out is recorded. Generated power is expressed as a negative value.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>name of a METER</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**pvEndUse=choice**

Meter end use to which the PARRAY's generated energy should be accumulated.

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| Clg    | Cooling  |
| Htg    | Heating (includes heat pump compressor)  |
| HPHTG  | Heat pump backup heat  |
| DHW    | Domestic (service) hot water   |
| DHWBU  | Domestic (service) hot water heating backup (HPWH resistance)                  |
| DHWMFL | Domestic (service) hot water heating multi-family loop pumping and loss makeup |
| FANC   | Fans, AC and cooling ventilation   |
| FANH   | Fans, heating  |
| FANV   | Fans, IAQ venting  |

|       |                                |
|-------|--------------------------------|
| FAN   | Fans, other purposes           |
| AUX   | HVAC auxiliaries such as pumps |
| PROC  | Process                        |
| LIT   | Lighting                       |
| RCP   | Receptacles                    |
| EXT   | Exterior lighting              |
| REFR  | Refrigeration                  |
| DISH  | Dishwashing                    |
| DRY   | Clothes drying                 |
| WASH  | Clothes washing                |
| COOK  | Cooking                        |
| USER1 | User-defined category 1        |
| USER2 | User-defined category 2        |
| BT    | Battery charge power           |
| PV    | Photovoltaic power generation  |

| Units                     | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| <i>Codes listed above</i> |             | PV      | No       | constant    |

**pvDCSysSize=float**

The rated photovoltaic system DC capacity/size as indicated by the nameplate.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| kW    | $x \geq 0$  | <i>none</i> | Yes      | constant    |

**pvModuleType=choice**

Type of module to model. The module type determines the refraction index and temperature coefficient used in the simulation. Alternatively, the “Custom” module type may be used in conjunction with user-defined input for *pvCoverRefrInd* and *pvTempCoeff*.

| Module Type | pvCoverRefrInd | pvTempCoeff  |
|-------------|----------------|--------------|
| Standard    | 1.3            | -0.00206     |
| Premium     | 1.3            | -0.00194     |
| ThinFilm    | 1.3            | -0.00178     |
| Custom      | User-defined   | User-defined |

| Units | Legal Range | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       | Standard    | Standard | No       | constant    |
|       | Premium     |          |          |             |
|       | ThinFilm    |          |          |             |
|       | Custom      |          |          |             |

**pvCoverRefrInd=float**

The refraction index for the coating applied to the module cover. A value of 1.0 represents refraction through air. Coatings have higher refraction indexes that capture more solar at lower angles of incidence.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 1.0$ | 1.3     | No       | constant    |

**pvTempCoeff=float**

The temperature coefficient how the efficiency of the module varies with the cell temperature. Values are typically negative.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| 1/°F  | <i>no restrictions</i> | -0.00206 | No       | constant    |

**pvArrayType=choice**

The type of array describes mounting and tracking options. Roof mounted arrays have a higher installed nominal operating cell temperature (INOCT) of 120 °F compared to the default of 113 °F. Array self-shading is not currently calculated for adjacent rows of modules within an array.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default       | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------------|----------|-------------|
|       | FixedOpenRack,<br>FixedRoofMount,<br>OneAxisTracking,<br>TwoAxisTracking | FixedOpenRack | No       | constant    |

**pvTilt=float**

The tilt of the photovoltaic array from horizontal. Values outside the range 0 to 360 are first normalized to that range. For one-axis tracking, defines the tilt of the rotation axis. Not used for two-axis tracking arrays. Should be omitted if pvVertices is given.

| Units   | Legal Range  | Default                              | **Required | Variability |
|---------|--------------|--------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| degrees | unrestricted | from pvVertices (if given)<br>else 0 | No         | hourly      |

**pvAzm=float**

Photovoltaic array azimuth (0 = north, 90 = east, etc.). If a value outside the range  $0^\circ \leq x < 360^\circ$  is given, it is normalized to that range. For one-axis tracking, defines the azimuth of the rotation axis. Not used for two-axis tracking arrays. Should be omitted if pvVertices is given.

| **Unit s | Legal Range  | Default                              | Required | Variability |
|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| degrees  | unrestricted | from pvVertices (if given)<br>else 0 | No       | hourly      |

**pvVertices=list of up to 36 floats**

Vertices of an optional polygon representing the position and shape of the photovoltaic array. The polygon is used to calculate the shaded fraction using an advanced shading model. Only PARRAYs and SHADEXs are considered in the advanced shading model – PARRAYs can be shaded by SHADEXs or other PARRAYs. If pvVertices is omitted, the PARRAY is assumed to be unshaded at all times. Advanced shading must be

enabled via **TOP exShadeModel**. Note that the polygon is used only for evaluating shading; array capacity is specified by `pvDCSysSize` (above).

The values that follow `pvVertices` are a series of X, Y, and Z values for the vertices of the polygon using a coordinate system defined from a viewpoint facing north. X and Y values convey east-west and north-south location respectively relative to an arbitrary origin (positive X value are to the east; positive Y values are to the north). Z values convey height relative to the building 0 level and positive values are upward.

The vertices are specified in counter-clockwise order when facing the receiving surface of the PARRAY. The number of values provided must be a multiple of 3. The defined polygon must be planar and have no crossing edges. When `pvMounting=Building`, the effective position of the polygon is modified in response to building rotation specified by **TOP bldgAzm**.

For example, to specify a rectangular photovoltaic array that is 10 x 20 ft, tilted 45 degrees, and facing south

`pvVertices = 0, 0, 15, 20, 0, 15, 20, 7.07, 22.07, 0, 7.07, 22.07`

| Units | Legal Range  | Default    | Required  | Variability |
|-------|--------------|------------|---|-------------|
| ft    | unrestricted | no polygon | 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, 33, or 36 values | constant    |

#### **pvSIF=float**

Shading Impact Factor (SIF) of the array used to represent the disproportionate impact on array output of partially shaded modules at the sub-array level. This impact is applied to the effective beam irradiance on the array:

$$I_{poa,beam,eff} = \max(I_{poa,beam} \cdot (1 - SIF \cdot f_{sh}), 0)$$

where  $f_{sh}$  is the fraction of the array that is shaded.

Default value is 1.2, which is representative of PV systems with sub-array microinverters or DC power optimizers. For systems without sub-array power electronics, values are closer to 2.0.

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| –     | $x \geq 1.0$ | 1.2     | No       | constant    |

#### **pvMounting=choice**

Specified mounting location of this PARRAY. `pvMounting=Site` indicates the array position is not altered by building rotation via **TOP bldgAzm**, while PARRAYs with `pvMounting=Building` are assumed to rotate with the building.

| Units | Legal Range      | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
|       | Building or Site | Building | No       | constant    |

#### **pvGrndRefl=float**

Ground reflectance used for calculating reflected solar incidence on the array.



| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1.0$ | 0.2     | No       | hourly      |

**pvDCtoACRatio=float**

DC-to-AC ratio used to intentionally undersize the AC inverter. This is used to increase energy production in the beginning and end of the day despite the possibility of clipping peak sun hours.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x > 0.0$   | 1.2     | No       | constant    |

**pvInverterEff=float**

AC inverter efficiency at rated DC power.

| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1.0$ | 0.96    | No       | constant    |

**pvSysLosses=float**

Fraction of total DC energy lost. The total loss from a system is aggregated from several possible causes as illustrated below:

| Loss Type                 | Default Assumption   |
|---------------------------|--|
| Soiling                   | 0.02   |
| <i>Shading</i>            | <i>0 (handled explicitly)</i>                              |
| Snow                      | 0  |
| <i>Mismatch</i>           | <i>0 (shading mismatch handled explicitly [see pvSIF])</i> |
| Wiring                    | 0.02   |
| Connections               | 0.005  |
| Light-induced degradation | 0.015  |
| Nameplate rating          | 0.01   |
| <i>Age</i>                | <i>0.05 (estimated 0.5% degradation over 20 years)</i>     |
| Availability              | 0.03   |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>0.14</b>  |

*Italic lines indicate differences from PVWatts assumptions.*

| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1.0$ | 0.14    | No       | hourly      |

**endPVARARRAY**

Optionally indicates the end of the PVARARRAY definition. Alternatively, the end of the definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @PVArray

**4.37 SHADEX**

SHADEX describes an object that shades other building surfaces using an advanced shading model. Advanced shading calculations are provided only for PVARARRAYs. Advanced shading must be enabled via Top exShadeModel.

**sxName**

Name of photovoltaic array. Give after the word SHADEX.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**sxMounting=choice**

Specifies the mounting location of the shade. sxMounting=Site indicates the SHADEX position is fixed and is not modified if the building is rotated. The position of SHADEXs with sxMounting=Building are modified to include the effect of building rotation specified via Top bldgAz

| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | Building or Site | Site    | No       | constant    |

**sxVertices=list of up to 36 floats**

Vertices of a polygon representing the shape of the shading object.

The values that follow sxVertices are a series of X, Y, and Z values for the vertices of the polygon. The coordinate system is defined from a viewpoint facing north. X and Y values convey east-west and north-south location respectively relative to an arbitrary origin (positive X value are to the east; positive Y values are to the north). Z values convey height relative to the building 0 level and positive values are upward.

The vertices are specified in counter-clockwise order when facing the shading object from the south. The number of values provided must be a multiple of 3. The defined polygon must be planar and have no crossing edges. When sxType=Building, the effective position of the polygon reflects building rotation specified by TOP bldgAzm.

For example, to specify a rectangular shade “tree” that is 10 x 40 ft, facing south, and 100 ft to the south of the nominal building origin –

```
sxVertices = 5, -100, 0, 15, -100, 0, 15, -100, 40, 5, -100, 40
```

| Units | Legal Range  | Default | Required                                       | Variability |
|-------|--------------|---------|--|-------------|
| ft    | unrestricted | none    | 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, 33 or 36 values | constant    |

**endSHADEX**

Optionally indicates the end of the SHADEX definition. Alternatively, the end of the definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @SHADEX

**4.38 BATTERY**

BATTERY describes input data for a model of an energy-storage system which is not tied to any specific energy storage technology. The battery model integrates the energy added and removed (accounting for efficiency losses). Note: although we use the term battery, the underlying model is flexible enough to model any energy storage system.

The modeler can set limits and constraints on capacities and flows and the associated efficiencies for this model.

**btName**

Name of the battery system. Given after the word BATTERY.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**btMeter=choice**

Name of a meter by which the BATTERY's power input/output (i.e., charge/discharge) is recorded. Charges to the BATTERY system would be seen as a positive powerflow while discharges from the BATTERY system would be seen as a negative value.

| Units | Legal Range | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | meter name  | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**btEndUse=choice**

Meter end use to which the BATTERY's charged/discharged energy should be accumulated. Note that the battery end use is seen from the standpoint of a "load" on the electric grid. That is, when the battery is being charged, the end use will show up as positive. When the battery is being discharged (i.e., when it is offsetting other loads), it is seen as negative.

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| Clg    | Cooling  |
| Htg    | Heating (includes heat pump compressor)  |
| HPHTG  | Heat pump backup heat  |
| DHW    | Domestic (service) hot water   |
| DHWBU  | Domestic (service) hot water heating backup (HPWH resistance)                  |
| DHWMFL | Domestic (service) hot water heating multi-family loop pumping and loss makeup |
| FANC   | Fans, AC and cooling ventilation   |
| FANH   | Fans, heating  |
| FANV   | Fans, IAQ venting  |
| FAN    | Fans, other purposes   |
| AUX    | HVAC auxiliaries such as pumps   |
| PROC   | Process  |

|       |                               |
|-------|-------------------------------|
| LIT   | Lighting                      |
| RCP   | Receptacles                   |
| EXT   | Exterior lighting             |
| REFR  | Refrigeration                 |
| DISH  | Dishwashing                   |
| DRY   | Clothes drying                |
| WASH  | Clothes washing               |
| COOK  | Cooking                       |
| USER1 | User-defined category 1       |
| USER2 | User-defined category 2       |
| BT    | Battery charge power          |
| PV    | Photovoltaic power generation |

| Units | Legal Range               | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>Codes listed above</i> | BT      | No       | constant    |

**btChgEff=float**

The charging efficiency of storing electricity into the BATTERY system. A value of 1.0 means that no energy is lost and 100% of charge energy enters and is stored in the battery.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1$ | 0.975   | No       | hourly      |

**btDschgEff=float**

The discharge efficiency for when the BATTERY system is discharging power. A value of 1.0 means that no energy is lost and 100% of discharge energy leaves the system.

| Units | Legal Range    | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 < x \leq 1$ | 0.975   | No       | hourly      |

**btMaxCap=float**

This is the maximum amount of energy that can be stored in the BATTERY system in kilowatt-hours. Once the BATTERY has reached its maximum capacity, no additional energy will be stored.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| KW hr | $x \geq 0$  | 16      | No       | constant    |

**btInitSOE=float**

The initial state of energy of the BATTERY system as a fraction of the total capacity. If **btInitSOE** is specified, the battery state-of-energy at the beginning of the actual simulation will be set to the amount specified, regardless of whether there was a warm-up period or not. If **btInitSOE** is NOT specified, it will default to 1.0 (i.e., 100%) at the beginning of the warmup period (if any).

| Units | Legal Range       | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $0 \leq x \leq 0$ | 1.0     | No       | constant    |

**btInitCycles**=*int*

The number of cycles on the battery at the beginning of the run.

| Units            | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|------------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| number of cycles | $x \geq 0$  | 0       | No       | runly       |

**btMaxChgPwr**=*float*

The maximum rate at which the BATTERY can be charged in kilowatts (i.e., energy flowing *into* the BATTERY).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| kW    | $x \geq 0$  | 4       | No       | hourly      |

**btMaxDschgPwr**=*float*

The maximum rate at which the BATTERY can be discharged in kilowatts (i.e., energy flowing *out of* the BATTERY).

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
| kW    | $x \geq 0$  | 4       | No       | hourly      |

**btControlAlg**=*choice*

Selects charge/discharge control algorithm. btChgReq (next) specifies the desired battery charge or discharge rate. btControlAlg allows selection of alternative algorithms for deriving btChgReq.

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| DEFAULT    | btChgReq is used as input or defaulted (see below)   |
| TDVPEAKSAV | btChgReq input (if any) is ignored. Instead, a California-specific algorithm is used   |
| E          | that saves battery charge until peak TDV (Time Dependant Valuation) hours of the day, shifting energy generated on site (e.g. PV) to supply feed the grid during critical periods. The algorithm requires availability of hourly TDV data, see Top.tdvFName. |

Note btControlAlg has hourly variability, allowing dynamic algorithm selection. In California compliance applications, TDVPEAKSAVE is typically used only on days with high TDV peaks.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | DEFAULT or TDVPEAKSAVE | DEFAULT | No       | hourly      |

**btChgReq**=*float*

The power request to charge (or discharge if negative) the battery. If omitted, the default strategy is used (attempt to satisfy all loads and absorb all available excess power). btChgReq and the default strategy

requested power are literally *requests*: that is, more power will not be delivered than is available; more power will not be absorbed than capacity exists to store; and the battery's power limits will be respected.

btChgReq can be set by an expression to allow complex energy management/dispatch strategies.

| Units | Legal Range | Default          | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------|----------|-------------|
| kW    |             | btMeter net load | No       | hourly      |

**btUseUsrChg=choice**

Former yes/no choice that currently has no effect. Deprecated, will be removed in a future version.

**endBATTERY**

Optionally indicates the end of the BATTERY definition. Alternatively, the end of the definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @battery

## 4.39 REPORTFILE

REPORTFILE allows optional specification of different or additional files to receive CSE reports.

By default, CSE generates several “reports” on each run showing the simulated HVAC energy use, the input statements specifying the run, any error or warning messages, etc. Different or additional reports can be specified using the **REPORT** object, described in Section 5.25, next.

All CSE reports are written to text files as plain ASCII text. The files may be printed (on most printers other than postscript printers) by copying them to your printer with the COPY command. Since many built-in reports are over 80 characters wide; you may want to set your printer for “compressed” characters or a small font first. You may wish to examine the report file with a text editor or LIST program before printing it. (?? Improve printing discussion)

By default, the reports are output to a file with the same name as the input file and extension .REP, in the same directory as the input file. By default, this file is formatted into pages, and overwrites any existing file of the same name without warning. CSE automatically generates a REPORTFILE object called “Primary” for this report file, as though the following input had been given:

```
REPORTFILE "Primary"
  rfFileName = <inputFile>.REP;
  // other members defaulted: rfFileStat=OVERWRITE; rfPageFmt=YES.
```

Using REPORTFILE, you can specify additional report files. **REPORTs** specified within a REPORTFILE object definition are output by default to that file; **REPORTs** specified elsewhere may be directed to a specific report file with the **REPORT** member *rpReportFile*. Any number of REPORTFILES and **REPORTs** may be used in a run or session. Any number of **REPORTs** can be directed to each REPORTFILE.

Using ALTER (Section 4.5.1.2) with REPORTFILE, you can change the characteristics of the Primary report output file. For example:

```
ALTER REPORTFILE Primary
  rfPageFmt = NO;      // do not format into pages
```

```
rfFileStat = NEW;    // error if file exists
```

**rfName**

Name of REPORTFILE object, given immediately after the word REPORTFILE. Note that this name, not the fileName of the report file, is used to refer to the REPORTFILE in **REPORTs**.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters |         | No       | constant    |

**rfFileName=path**

path name of file to be written. If no path is specified, the file is written in the current directory. The default extension is .REP.

| Units | Legal Range                            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | file name, path and extension optional |         | Yes      | constant    |

**rfFileStat=choice**

Choice indicating what CSE should do if the file specified by *rfFileName* already exists:

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| OVERWRITE | Overwrite pre-existing file.  |
| NEW       | Issue error message if file exists at beginning of session. If there are several runs in session using same file, output from runs after the first will append. |
| APPEND    | Append new output to present contents of existing file.   |

If the specified file does not exist, it is created and *rfFileStat* has no effect.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
|       | OVERWRITE, NEW, APPEND | OVERWRITE | No       | constant    |

**rfPageFmt=Choice**

Choice controlling page formatting. Page formatting consists of dividing the output into pages (with form feed characters), starting a new page before each report too long to fit on the current page, and putting headers and footers on each page. Page formatting makes attractive printed output but is a distraction when examining the output on the screen and may inappropriate if you are going to further process the output with another program.

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| Yes | Do page formatting in this report file.  |
| No  | Suppress page formatting. Output is continuous, uninterrupted by page headers and footers or large blank spaces. |

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | Yes, No     | Yes     | No       | constant    |

Unless page formatting is suppressed, the page formats for all report files are controlled by the **TOP** members

*repHdrL*, *repHdrR*, *repLPP*, *repTopM*, *repBotM*, and *repCPL*, described in Section 5.1.

Each page header shows the *repHdrL* and *repHdrR* text, if given.

Each page footer shows the input file name, run serial number within session (see *runSerial* in Section 5.1), user-input *runTitle* (see Section 5.1), date and time of run, and page number in file.

Vertical page layout is controlled by *repLPP*, *repTopM*, and *repBotM* (Section 5.1). The width of each header and footer is controlled by *repCPL*. Since many built-in reports are now over 80 columns wide, you may want to use *repCPL*=120 or *repCPL*=132 to make the headers and footers match the text better.

In addition to report file *page* headers and footers, individual **REPORTs** have **REPORT** headers and footers related to the report content. These are described under **REPORT**, Section 5.25.

### endReportFile

Optionally indicates the end of the report file definition. Alternatively, the end of the report file definition can be indicated by **END** or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

### Related Probes:

- **@reportFile**

## 4.40 REPORT

**REPORT** generates a report object to specify output of specific textual information about the results of the run, the input data, the error messages, etc. The various report types available are enumerated in the description of *rpType* in this section, and may be described at greater length in Section 6.

**REPORTs** are output by CSE to files, via the **REPORTFILE** object (previous section). After CSE has completed, you may print the report file(s), examine them with a text editor or by **TYPEing**, process them with another program, etc., as desired.

**REPORTs** that you do not direct to a different file are written to the automatically-supplied “Primary” report file, whose file name is (by default) the input file name with the extension changed to **.REP**.

Each report consists of a report header, one or more data rows, and a report footer. The header gives the report type (as specified with *rpType*, described below), the frequency (as specified with *rpFreq*), the month or date where appropriate, and includes headings for the report’s columns where appropriate.

Usually a report has one data row for each interval being reported. For example, a daily report has a row for each day, with the day of the month shown in the first column.

The report footer usually contains a line showing totals for the rows in the report.

The header-data-footer sequence is repeated as necessary. For example, a daily report extending over more than one month has a header-data-footer sequence for each month. The header shows the month name; the data rows show the day of the month; the footer contains totals for the month.

In addition to the headers and footers of individual reports, the report file has (by default) *page headers* and *footers*, described in the preceding section.

**Default Reports:** CSE generates the following reports by default for each run, in the order shown. They are output by default to the “Primary” report file. They may be **ALTERed** or **DELETED** as desired, using the object names shown.



| rpName | rpType | Additional members           |
|--------|--------|------------------------------|
| Err    | ERR    |                              |
| eb     | ZEB    | rpFreq=MONTH;<br>rpZone=SUM; |
| Log    | LOG    |                              |
| Inp    | INP    |                              |

Any reports specified by the user and not assigned to another file appear in the Primary report file between the default reports “eb” and “Log”, in the order in which the REPORT objects are given in the input file.

Because of the many types of reports supported, the members required for each REPORT depend on the report type and frequency in a complex manner. When in doubt, testing is helpful: try your proposed REPORT specification; if it is incomplete or overspecified, CSE will issue specific error messages telling you what additional members are required or what inappropriate members have been given and why.

### rpName

Name of report. Give after the word REPORT.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

### rpReportfile=rfname

Name of report file to which current report will be written. If omitted, if REPORT is within a **REPORTFILE** object, report will be written to that report file, or else to **REPORTFILE** “Primary”, which (as described in previous section) is automatically supplied and by default uses the file name of the input file with the extension .REP.

| Units | Legal Range                 | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------------|--|----------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>REPORTFILE</i> | current <i>REPORTFILE</i> , if any, else “Primary” | No       | constant    |

### rpType=choice

Choice indicating report type. Report types may be described at greater length, with examples, in Section 6.

|     |   |
|-----|---|
| ERR | Error and warning messages. If there are any such messages, they are also displayed on the screen <i>AND</i> written to a file with the same name as the input file and extension .ERR. Furthermore, * *many error messages are repeated in the INP report.   |
| LOG | Run “log”. As of July 1992, contains only CSE version number; should be enhanced or deleted.??  |
| INP | Input echo: shows the portion of the input file used to specify this run. Does not repeat descriptions of objects left from prior runs in the same session when CLEAR is not used.<br>Error and warning messages relating to specific lines of the input are repeated after or near the line to which they relate, prefixed with “?”. Lines not used due to a preprocessor #if command (Section 4.4.4) with a false expression are prefixed with a “0” in the leftmost column; all preprocessor command lines are prefixed with a “#” in that column. |
| SUM | Run summary. As of July 1992, <i>NOT IMPLEMENTED</i> : generates no output and no error message. Should be defined and implemented, or else deleted??.  |

|        |   |
|--------|---|
| ZDD    | Zone data dump. Detailed dump of internal simulation values, useful for verifying that your input is as desired. Should be made less cryptic (July 1992)?? Requires <i>rpZone</i> .   |
| ZST    | Zone statistics. Requires <i>rpZone</i> .   |
| ZEB    | Zone energy balance. Requires <i>rpZone</i> .   |
| MTR    | Meter report. Requires <i>rpMeter</i> .   |
| DHWMTR | DHW meter report. Requires <i>rpDHWMeter</i> .  |
| UDT    | User-defined table. Data items are specified with REPORTCOL commands (next section). Allows creating almost any desired report by using CSE expressions to specify numeric or string values to tabulate; "Probes" may be used in the expressions to access CSE internal data. |

| Units | Legal Range      | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>see above</i> |         | Yes      | constant    |

The next three members specify how frequently values are reported and the start and end dates for the REPORT. They are not allowed with *rpTypes* ERR, LOG, INP, SUM, and ZDD, which involve no time-varying data.

#### **rpFreq=choice**

Report Frequency: specifies interval for generating rows of report data:

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| YEAR        | at run completion   |
| MONTH       | at end of each month (and at run completion if mid-month) |
| DAY         | at end of each day  |
| HOURL       | at end of each hour                                       |
| HOURLANDSUB | at end of each subhour AND at end of hour                 |
| SUBHOURL    | at end of each subhour                                    |

*rpFreq* values of HOURLANDSUB and SUBHOURL are not supported in some combinations with data selection of ALL or SUM.

We recommend using HOURLy and more frequent reports sparingly, to report on only a few typical or extreme days, or to explore a problem once it is known what day(s) it occurs on. Specifying such reports for a full-year run will generate a huge amount of output and cause extremely slow CSE execution.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required   | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|------------|-------------|
|       | <i>choices above</i> |         | per rpType | constant    |

#### **rpDayBeg=date**

Initial day of period to be reported. Reports for which *rpFreq* = YEAR do not allow specification of *rpDayBeg* and *rpDayEnd*; for MONTH reports, these members default to include all months in the run; for DAY and shorter-interval reports, *rpDayBeg* is required and *rpDayEnd* defaults to *rpDayBeg*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default  | Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|--|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | first day of simulation if <i>rpFreq</i> = MONTH | Required for <i>rpTypes</i> ZEB, ZST, MTR, AH, and UDT if <i>rpFreq</i> is DAY, HOUR, HOURANDSUB, or SUBHOUR | constant    |

**rpDayEnd=***date*

Final day of period to be reported, except for YEAR reports.

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | last day of simulation if <i>rpFreq</i> = MONTH, else <i>rpDayBeg</i> | No       | constant    |

**rpZone=***znName*

Name of **ZONE** for which a ZEB, ZST, or ZDD report is being requested. For *rpType* ZEB or ZST, you may use *rpZone*=SUM to obtain a report showing only the sum of the data for all zones, or *rpZone*=ALL to obtain a report showing, for each time interval, a row of data for each zone plus a sum-of-zones row.

| Units | Legal Range                      | Default | Required                                       | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------------|---------|--|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>ZONE</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>rpTypes</i> ZDD, ZEB, and ZST. | constant    |

**rpMeter=***mtrName*

Specifies meter(s) to be reported, for *rpType*=MTR.

| Units | Legal Range                       | Default | Required                        | Variability |
|-------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>METER</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>rpType</i> =MTR | constant    |

**rpDHWMeter=***dhwMtrName*

Specifies DHW meter(s) to be reported, for *rpType*=DHW MTR.

| Units | Legal Range                          | Default | Required                            | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>DHWMETER</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>rpType</i> =DHW MTR | constant    |

**rpBtuSf=***float*

Scale factor to be used when reporting energy values. Internally, all energy values are represented in Btu. This member allows scaling to more convenient units for output. *rpBtuSf* is not shown in the output, so if you change it, be sure the readers of the report know the energy units being used. *rpBtuSf* is not applied in UDT reports, but column values can be scaled as needed with expressions.

| Units | Legal Range                | Default                             | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>any multiple of ten</i> | 1,000,000: energy reported in MBtu. | No       | constant    |

**rpCond=expression**

Conditional reporting flag. If given, report rows are printed only when value of expression is non-0. Permits selective reporting according to any condition that can be expressed as a CSE expression. Such conditional reporting can be used to shorten output and make it easy to find data of interest when you are only interested in the information under exceptional conditions, such as excessive zone temperature. Allowed with *rpTypes* ZEB, ZST, MTR, AH, and UDT.

| Units | Legal Range                   | Default               | Required | Variability              |
|-------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|--------------------------|
|       | <i>any numeric expression</i> | 1 (reporting enabled) | No       | subhour /end of interval |

**rpCPL=int**

Characters per line for a User-Defined report. If widths specified in **REPORTCOLs** add up to more than this, a message occurs; if they total substantially less, additional whitespace is inserted between columns to make the report more readable. If *rpCpl* = -1, the report width determined based on required space with a single between each column. Not allowed if *rpType* is not UDT.

| Units | Legal Range      | Default   | Required         | Variability |
|-------|------------------|-----------|------------------|-------------|
|       | x = -1 or x > 78 | top level | <i>repCPL</i> No | constant    |

**rpTitle=string**

Title for use in report header of User-Defined report. Disallowed if *rpType* is not UDT.

| Units | Legal Range | Default               | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-----------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | "User-defined Report" | No       | constant    |

**rpHeader=choice**

Use NO to suppress the report header which gives the report type, zone, meter, or air handler being reported, time interval, column headings, etc. One reason to do this might be if you are putting only a single report in a report file and intend to later embed the report in a document or process it with some other program (but for the latter, see also **EXPORT**, below).

Use with caution, as the header contains much of the identification of the data. For example, in an hourly report, only the hour of the day is shown in each data row; the day and month are shown in the header, which is repeated for each 24 data rows.

See **REPORTFILE** member *rfPageFmt*, above, to control report *FILE* page headers and footers, as opposed to *REPORT* headers and footers.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | YES     | No       | constant    |

**rpFooter=choice**

Use NO to suppress the report footers. The report footer is usually a row which sums hourly data for the day, daily data for the month, or monthly data for the year. For a report with *rpZone*, *rpMeter*, or *rpAh* = ALL, the footer row shows sums for all zones, meters, or air handlers. Sometimes the footer is merely a blank line.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | YES     | No       | constant    |

### endReport

Optionally indicates the end of the report definition. Alternatively, the end of the report definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

### Related Probes:

- @report

## 4.41 REPORTCOL

Each REPORTCOL defines a single column of a User Defined Table (UDT) report. REPORTCOLs are not used with report types other than UDT.

Use as many REPORTCOLs as there are values to be shown in each row of the user-defined report. The values will appear in columns, ordered from left to right in the order defined. Be sure to include any necessary values to identify the row, such as the day of month, hour of day, etc. CSE supplies *NO* columns automatically.

### colName

Name of REPORTCOL.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

### colReport=*rpName*

Name of report to which current report column belongs. If REPORTCOL is given within a **REPORT** object, then *colReport* defaults to that report.

| Units | Legal Range             | Default                | Required                  | Variability |
|-------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>REPORT</i> | current report, if any | Unless in a <i>REPORT</i> | constant    |

### colVal=*expression*

Value to show in this column of report.

| Units | Legal Range                      | Default | Required | Variability           |
|-------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|-----------------------|
|       | any numeric or string expression |         | Yes      | subhour /end interval |

**colHead=string**

Text used for column head.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                 | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>colName</i> or blank | No       | constant    |

**colGap=int**

Space between (to left of) column, in character positions. Allows you to space columns unequally, to emphasize relations among columns or to improve readability. If the total of the *colGaps* and *colWids* in the report's REPORTCOLs is substantially less than the **REPORT's** *rpCPL* (characters per line, see **REPORT**), CSE will insert additional spaces between columns. To suppress these spaces, use a smaller *rpCPL* or use *rpCPL* = -1.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 1       | No       | constant    |

**colWid=int**

Column width.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 10      | No       | constant    |

**colDec=int**

Number of digits after decimal point.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | <i>flexible format</i> | No       | constant    |

**colJust=choice**

Specifies positioning of data within column:

|       |                 |
|-------|-----------------|
| Left  | Left justified  |
| Right | Right justified |

**endReportCol**

Optionally indicates the end of the report column definition. Alternatively, the end of the report column definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another REPORTCOL or other object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @reportCol

## 4.42 EXPORTFILE

EXPORTFILE allows optional specification of different or additional files to receive CSE **EXPORTs**.

**EXPORTs** contain the same information as reports, but formatted for reading by other programs rather than by people. By default, CSE generates no exports. Exports are specified via the **EXPORT** object, described in Section 5.28 (next). As for **REPORTs**, CSE automatically supplies a primary export file; it has the same name and path as the input file, and extension .csv.

Input for EXPORTFILES and **EXPORTs** is similar to that for **REPORTFILES** and **REPORTs**, except that there is no page formatting. Refer to their preceding descriptions (Sections 5.24 and 5.25) for more additional discussion.

### xfName

Name of EXPORTFILE object.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> |         | No       | constant    |

### xfFileName=*string*

path name of file to be written. If no path is specified, the file is written in the current directory. If no extension is specified, .csv is used.

| Units | Legal Range                                   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>file name, path and extension optional</i> |         | Yes      | constant    |

### xfFileStat=*choice*

What CSE should do if file *xfFileName* already exists:

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| OVERWRITE | Overwrite pre-existing file.                            |
| NEW       | Issue error message if file exists.                     |
| APPEND    | Append new output to present contents of existing file. |

If the specified file does not exist, it is created and *xfFileStat* has no effect.

| Units | Legal Range            | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
|       | OVERWRITE, NEW, APPEND | OVERWRITE | No       | constant    |

### endExportFile

Optionally indicates the end of the export file definition. Alternatively, the end of the Export file definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default    | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>N/A</i> | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- @exportFile

**4.43 EXPORT**

Exports contain the same information as CSE reports, but in a “comma-quote” format intended for reading into a spreadsheet or other program for further processing, plotting, special print formatting, etc.

No exports are generated by default; each desired export must be specified with an EXPORT object.

Each row of an export contains several values, separated by commas, with quotes around string values. The row is terminated with a carriage return/line feed character pair. The first fields of the row identify the data. Multiple fields are used as necessary to identify the data. For example, the rows of an hourly ZEB export begin with the month, day of month, and hour of day. In contrast, reports, being subject to a width limitation, use only a single column of each row to identify the data; additional identification is put in the header. For example, an hourly ZEB Report shows the hour in a column and the day and month in the header; the header is repeated at the start of each day. The header of an export is never repeated.

Depending on your application, if you specify multiple exports, you may need to place each in a separate file. Generate these files with **EXPORTFILE**, preceding section. You may also need to suppress the export header and/or footer, with *exHeader* and/or *exFooter*, described in this section.

Input for EXPORTs is similar to input for **REPORTs**; refer to the **REPORT** description in Section 5.25 for further discussion of the members shown here.

**exName**

Name of export. Give after the word EXPORT.

| Units | Legal Range          | Default     | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>63 characters</i> | <i>none</i> | No       | constant    |

**exExportfile=fname**

Name of export file to which current export will be written. If omitted, if EXPORT is within an **EXPORT-FILE** object, report will be written to that export file, or else to the automatically-supplied **EXPORTFILE** “Primary”, which by default uses the name of the input file with the extension .csv.

| Units | Legal Range                  | Default  | Required | Variability |
|-------|------------------------------|--|----------|-------------|
|       | name of an <i>EXPORTFILE</i> | current <i>EXPORTFILE</i> , if any, else “Primary” | No       | constant    |

**exType=choice**

Choice indicating export type. See descriptions in Section 5.22, **REPORT**. While not actually disallowed, use of *exType* = ERR, LOG, INP, or ZDD is unexpected.

| Units | Legal Range                            | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | ZEB, ZST, MTR, DHWMTR, AH, UDT, or SUM |         | Yes      | constant    |

**exFreq=choice**

Export Frequency: specifies interval for generating rows of export data:



| Units | Legal Range                                 | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YEAR, MONTH, DAY, HOUR, HOURANDSUB, SUBHOUR |         | Yes      | constant    |

**exDayBeg=***date*

Initial day of export. Exports for which *exFreq* = YEAR do not allow specification of *exDayBeg* and *exDayEnd*; for MONTH exports, these members are optional and default to include the entire run; for DAY and shorter-interval exports, *exDayBeg* is required and *exDayEnd* defaults to *exDayBeg*.

| Units | Legal Range | Default  | Required   | Variability |
|-------|-------------|--|--|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | first day of simulation if <i>exFreq</i> = MONTH | Required for <i>exTypes</i> ZEB, ZST, MTR, AH, and UDT if <i>exFreq</i> is DAY, HOUR, HOURANDSUB, or SUBHOUR | constant    |

**exDayEnd=***date*

Final day of export period, except for YEAR exports.

| Units | Legal Range | Default   | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>date</i> | last day of simulation if <i>exFreq</i> = MONTH, else <i>exDayBeg</i> | No       | constant    |

**exZone=***znName*

Name of **ZONE** for which a ZEB, ZST, or ZDD export is being requested; ALL and SUM are also allowed except with *exType* = ZST.

| Units | Legal Range                      | Default | Required                                       | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------------|---------|--|-------------|
|       | name of a <i>ZONE</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>exTypes</i> ZDD, ZEB, and ZST. | constant    |

**exMeter=***mtrName*

Specifies meter(s) whose data is to be exported, for *exType*=MTR.

| Units | Legal Range                  | Default      | Required           | Variability |
|-------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------|
|       | name of a *M ETER*, ALL, SUM | Required for | <i>exType</i> =MTR | constant    |

**exDHWMeter=***dhwMtrName*

Specifies DHW meter(s) whose data is to be exported, for *exType*=DHW MTR.

| Units | Legal Range                          | Default | Required **V                        | ariability** |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
|       | name of a <i>DHWMETER</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>exType</i> =DHW MTR | constant     |

**exAh=ahName**

Specifies air handler(s) to be exported, for *exType*=AH.

| Units | Legal Range                             | Default | Required                       | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|--------------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of an <i>AIRHANDLER</i> , ALL, SUM |         | Required for <i>exType</i> =AH | constant    |

**exBtuSf=float**

Scale factor used for exported energy values.

| Units | Legal Range                | Default                             | Required | Variability |
|-------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | <i>any multiple of ten</i> | 1,000,000: energy exported in MBtu. | No       | constant    |

**exCond=expression**

Conditional exporting flag. If given, export rows are generated only when value of expression is non-0. Allowed with *exTypes* ZEB, ZST, MTR, AH, and UDT.

| Units | Legal Range                   | Default               | Required | Variability              |
|-------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|--------------------------|
|       | <i>any numeric expression</i> | 1 (exporting enabled) | No       | subhour /end of interval |

**exTitle=string**

Title for use in export header of User-Defined export. Disallowed if *exType* is not UDT.

| Units | Legal Range | Default               | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-----------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | "User-defined Export" | No       | constant    |

**exHeader=choice**

Use NO to suppress the export header which gives the export type, zone, meter, or air handler being exported, time interval, column headings, etc. You might do this if the export is to be subsequently imported to a program that is confused by the header information. Alternatively, one may use COLUMNSONLY to print only the column headings. This can be useful when plotting CSV data in a spreadsheet tool or [DView](#).

The choices YESIFNEW and COLUMNSONLYIFNEW cause header generation when the associated **EXPORTFILE** is being created but suppress headers when appending to an existing file. This is useful for accumulating results from a set of runs where typically column headings are desired only once.

If not suppressed, the export header shows, in four lines:

*runTitle* and *runSerial* (see Section 5.1); the run date and time the export type ("Energy Balance", "Statistics", etc., or *exTitle* if given) and frequency ("year", "day", etc.) a list of field names in the order they will be shown in the data rows ("Mon", "Day", "Tair", etc.)

The *specific* month, day, etc. is NOT shown in the export header (as it is shown in the report header), because it is shown in each export row.

The field names may be used by a program reading the export to identify the data in the rows which follow; if the program does this, it will not require modification when fields are added to or rearranged in the export in a future version of CSE.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, YESIFNEW,<br>NO,<br>COLUMNSONLY,<br>COLUMNSONLYIFNEW | YES     | No       | constant    |

**exFooter=choice**

Use NO to suppress the blank line otherwise output as an export “footer”. (Exports do not receive the total lines that most reports receive as footers.)

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES, NO     | YES     | No       | constant    |

**endExport**

Optionally indicates the end of the export definition. Alternatively, the end of the export definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- **@export**

**4.44 EXPORTCOL**

Each EXPORTCOL defines a single datum of a User Defined Table (UDT) export; EXPORTCOLs are not used with other export types.

Use as many EXPORTCOLs as there are values to be shown in each row of the user-defined export. The values will appear in the order defined in each data row output. Be sure to include values needed to identify the data, such as the month, day, and hour, as appropriate – these are NOT automatically supplied in user-defined exports.

EXPORTCOL members are similar to the corresponding **REPORTCOL** members. See Section 5.265.1.5 for further discussion.

**colName**

Name of EXPORTCOL.

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters | none    | No       | constant    |

**colExport=exName**

Name of export to which this column belongs. If the EXPORTCOL is given within an **EXPORT** object, then *colExport* defaults to that export.

| Units | Legal Range              | Default                       | Required                   | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
|       | name of an <i>EXPORT</i> | <i>current export, if any</i> | Unless in an <i>EXPORT</i> | constant    |

**colVal**=*expression*

Value to show in this position in each row of export.

| Units | Legal Range                             | Default | Required | Variability           |
|-------|---|---------|----------|-----------------------|
|       | <i>any numeric or string expression</i> |         | Yes      | subhour /end interval |

**colHead**=*string*

Text used for field name in export header.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                 | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | <i>colName</i> or blank | No       | constant    |

**colWid**=*int*

Maximum width. Leading and trailing spaces and non-significant zeroes are removed from export data to save file space. Specifying a *colWid* less than the default may reduce the maximum number of significant digits output.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | 13      | No       | constant    |

**colDec**=*int*

Number of digits after decimal point.

| Units | Legal Range | Default                | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|
|       | $x \geq 0$  | <i>flexible format</i> | No       | constant    |

**colJust**=*choice*

Specifies positioning of data within column:

|       |                 |
|-------|-----------------|
| Left  | Left justified  |
| Right | Right justified |

**endExportCol**

Optionally indicates the end of the EXPORTCOL. Alternatively, the end of the definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

**Related Probes:**

- `@exportCol`

**4.45 IMPORTFILE**

IMPORTFILE allows specification of a file from which external data can be accessed using the `import()` and `importStr()` functions. This allows external values to be referenced in expressions. Any number of IMPORTFILES can be defined and any number of `import()/importStr()` references can be made to a give IMPORTFILE.

Import files are text files containing an optional header and comma-separated data fields. With the header present, the structure of an import file matches that of an **EXPORT** file. This makes it convenient to import unmodified files EXPORTed from prior runs. The file structure is as follows (noting that the header in lines 1-4 should not be present when `imHeader=NO`) –

| Line | Contents                     | Notes   |
|------|------------------------------|---|
| 1    | <i>runTitle, runNumber</i>   | read but not checked  |
| 2    | <i>timestamp</i>             | in quotes, read but not checked                                       |
| 3    | <i>title, freq</i>           | should match <code>imTitle</code> and <code>imFreq</code> (see below) |
| 4    | <i>colName1,colName2,...</i> | comma separated column names optionally in quotes                     |
| 5 .. | <i>val1,val2,...</i>         | comma separated values (string values optionally in quotes)           |

Example import file `imp1.csv`

```
"Test run",001
"Fri 04-Nov-16 10:54:37 am"
"Daily Data","Day"
Mon,Day,Tdb,Twb
1,1,62.2263,53.2278
1,2,61.3115,52.8527
1,3,60.4496,52.4993
1,4,60.2499,52.4174
1,5,60.9919,52.7216
1,6,61.295,52.8459
1,7,62.3178,53.2654
1,8,62.8282,53.4747
(... continues for 365 data lines ...)
```

Example IMPORTFILE use (reading from `imp1.csv`)

```
// ... various input statements ...

IMPORTFILE Example imFileName="imp1.csv" imFreq=Day imTitle="Daily Data"
...
// Compute internal gain based on temperature read from import file.
// result is 3000 W per degree temperature is above 60.
// Note gnPower can have hourly variability, but here varies daily.
GAIN gnPower = 3000 * max( 0, import(Example,"Tdb") - 60) / 3.412
...
```

**Notes**

- As usual, file order is not important – IMPORTFILES can be referenced before they are defined.
- Columns are referenced by 1-based index or column names (assuming file header is present). In the example above, “Tdb” could be replaced by 3.

- Column names should be case-insensitive unique. CSE issues a warning for each non-unique name found. Reference to a non-unique name in `import()/importStr()` is treated as an error (no run).
- Heading or data string values generally do not need to be quoted except for values that include comma(s).

**imName**

Name of IMPORTFILE object (for reference from `Import()`).

| Units | Legal Range   | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | 63 characters |         | No       | constant    |

**imFileName=string**

Gives path name of file to be read. If directory is specified, CSE first looks for the file the current directory and searches include paths specified by the `-I` command line parameter (if any).

| Units | Legal Range              | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|--------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | file name, path optional |         | Yes      | constant    |

**imTitle=string**

Title expected to be found on line 3 of the import file. A warning is issued if a non-blank `imTitle` does not match the import file title.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | Text string | (blank) | No       | constant    |

**imFreq=choice**

Specifies the interval at which CSE reads from the import file. Data is read at the beginning of the indicated interval and buffered in memory for access in expressions via `import()` or `importStr()`.

| Units | Legal Range               | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YEAR, MONTH, DAY, or HOUR |         | Yes      | constant    |

**imHeader=choice**

Indicates whether the import file include a 4 line header, as described above. If NO, the import file should contain only comma-separated data rows and data items can be referenced only by 1-based column number.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       | YES NO      | YES     | No       | constant    |

**endImportFile**

Optionally indicates the end of the import file definition. Alternatively, the end of the import file definition can be indicated by END or by beginning another object.

| Units | Legal Range | Default | Required | Variability |
|-------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|
|       |             | N/A     | No       | constant    |

#### Related Probes:

- `@importFile`
- `@impFileFldNames`

## 5 Output Reports

CSE report data is accumulated during simulation and written to the report file at the end of the run. Some reports are generated by default and cannot be turned off. There are a set of predefined reports which may be requested in the input. The user may also define custom reports which include many CSE internal variables. Reports may accumulate data on an a variety of frequencies including subhourly, hourly, daily, monthly, and annual (run) intervals.

### 5.1 Units

The default units for CSE reports are:

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| Energy      | mBtu, millions of Btu (to convert to kWh divide by 292) |
| Temperature | degrees Fahrenheit                                      |
| Air Flow    | cfm (cubic feet per minute)                             |

### 5.2 Time

Hourly reports show hour 1 through 24 where hour 1 includes the time period from midnight to 1 AM. By default, CSE specifies that January first is a Thursday and the simulation occurs on a non-leap year. Daylight savings is in effect from the second Sunday of March on which CSE skips hour 3 until the first Sunday of November when CSE simulates 25 hours. These calendar defaults can be modified as required.

### 5.3 METER Reports

A Meter Report displays the energy use of a **METER** object, a user-defined “device” that records energy consumption of equipment as simulated by CSE. CSE allows the user to define as many meters as desired and to assign any energy using device to any meter.

Meters account for energy use in pre-defined categories, called *end uses*, that are documented with **METER**.

### 5.4 Energy Balance Report

The Energy Balance Report displays the temperature and sensible and latent heat flows into and out of the air of a single zone. Sign conventions assume that a positive flow increases the air temperature. Heat flow from a warm mass element such as a concrete wall into the zone air is defined as a positive flow, heat flow from air into mass is negative. Solar gain into the zone is defined as a positive heat flow. Solar gain that is incident on and absorbed directly into a mass element is shown as both a positive in the SOLAR column (gain to the zone) and a negative in the MASS column (lost from the zone to the mass).

In a real building zone energy and moisture flows must balance due to the laws of physics. CSE uses approximate solutions for the energy and moisture balances and displays the net balance which is a measure of internal calculation error.

The following items are displayed (using the abbreviations shown in the report headings):

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|       |   |
|-------|---|
| Tair  | Air temperature in the zone (since CSE uses combined films this is technically the effective temperature and includes radiant effects). |
| WBair | Wet Bulb temperature in the zone.   |
| Cond  | Heat flow through light weight surfaces from or to the outdoors.  |
| InfS  | Sensible infiltration heat flow from outdoors.  |
| Slr   | Solar gain through glazing (net) and solar gains absorbed by light surfaces and transmitted into the zone air.                          |
| IgnS  | Sensible internal gains from lights, equipment, people, etc.  |
| Mass  | Net heat flow to (negative) and from (positive) the mass elements of the zone.  |
| Izone | Net heat flows to other zones in the building.  |
| MechS | Net heat flows from heating, cooling and ventilation.   |
| BALS  | The balance (error) calculated by summing the sensible gains and losses.  |
| InfL  | Latent infiltration heat flow.  |
| IgnL  | Latent internal gains.  |
| AirL  | Latent heat absorbed (negative) or released (positive) by changes in the room air moisture content.                                     |
| MechL | Latent heat added or removed by cooling or ventilation.   |
| Ball  | The balance (error) calculated by summing the sensible gains and losses.  |

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## 5.5 Air Handler Load Report

The Air Handler Load Report displays conditions and loads at the peak load hours for the air handler for a single zone. The following items are displayed:

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|       |   |
|-------|---|
| PkVf  | Peak flow (cfm) at supply fan                         |
| VfDs  | Supply fan design flow (same as peak for E10 systems) |
| PkQH  | Peak heat output from heating coil.                   |
| Hcapt | Rated capacity of heat coil                           |

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The rest are about the cooling coil. Most of the columns are values at the time of peak part load ratio (plr). Note that, for example, the peak sensible load is the sensible load at the time of peak part load ratio, even if there was a higher sensible load at another time when the part load ratio was smaller.

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|       |   |
|-------|---|
| PkMo  | Month of cooling coil peak plr, 1-12                          |
| Dy    | Day of month 1-31 of peak                                     |
| Hr    | Hour of day 1-24 of cooling coil peak plr.                    |
| Tout  | Outdoor drybulb temperature at time of cooling coil peak plr. |
| Wbou  | Outdoor wetbulb similarly                                     |
| Ten   | Cooling coil entering air temperature at time of peak plr.    |
| Wben  | Entering wetbulb similarly                                    |
| Tex   | Exiting air temperature at plr peak                           |
|       | WbexExiting air wetbulb similarly                             |
| -PkQs | Sensible load at time of peak plr, shown positive.            |
| -PkQl | Latent load likewise  |
| -PkQC | Total load – sum of PkQs and PkQl                             |

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|       |   |
|-------|---|
| CPlr  | Peak part load ratio: highest fraction of coil's capacity used, reflecting both fraction of maximum output under current conditions used when on and fraction of the time the fan is on. The maximum output under actual conditions can vary considerably from the rated capacity for DX coils. The fraction of maximum output used can only be 1.0 if the sensible and total loads happen to occur in the same ratio as the sensible and total capacities. The time the fan is on can be less than 1.0 for residential systems in which the fan cycles on with the compressor. For example, if at the cooling peak the coil ran at .8 power with the fan on .9 of the time, a CPlr of .72 would be reported. The preceding 12 columns are values at the time this peak occurred. |
| Ccapt | Cooling coil rated total capacity   |
| Ccaps | Rated sensible capacity.  |

## 5.6 Air Handler Report

The Air Handler Load Report displays conditions and heat flows in the air handler for the time period specified. It is important to note that the air handler report only accumulates data if the air handler is on during an hour. The daily and monthly values are averages of the hours the air handler was on and DO NOT INCLUDE OFF HOUR VALUES. The following items are displayed:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Tout                  | Outdoor drybulb temperature during hours the air handler was on.   |
| Wbou                  | Outdoor wetbulb temperature similarly.   |
| Tret                  | Return air dry bulb temperature during hours the air handler was on before return duct losses or leaks.  |
| Wbre                  | Return air wetbulb similarly   |
| po                    | Fraction outside air including economizer damper leakage, but not return duct leakage.   |
| Tmix                  | Mixed air dry bulb temperature – after return air combined with outside air; after return fan, but before supply fan and coil(s).  |
| Wbmi                  | Mixed air wet bulb temperature, similarly.   |
| Tsup                  | Supply air dry bulb temperature to zone terminals – after coil(s) and air handler supply duct leak and loss; (without in zone duct losses after terminals).  |
| WBSu                  | Supply air wet bulb temperature similarly.   |
| HrsOn                 | Hours during which the fan operated at least part of the time.   |
| FOn                   | Fraction of the time the fan was on during the hours it operated (HrsOn).<br>CHECK FOR VAV, IS IT FLOW OR TIME   |
| VF                    | Volumetric flow, measured at mix point/supply fan/coils; includes air that leaks out of supply duct and is thus non-0 even when zone terminals are taking no flow  |
| Qheat                 | Heat energy added to air stream by heat coil, if any, MEASURED AT COIL not as delivered to zones (see Qload).  |
| Qsens, Qlat and Qcool | Sensible, latent, and total heat added to air stream (negative values) by cooling coil, MEASURED AT COIL, including heat cancelled by fan heat and duct losses, and heat added to air lost through supply duct leak.   |
| Qout                  | Net heat taken from outdoor air. Sum of sensible and latent, measured RELATIVE TO CURRENT RETURN AIR CONDITIONS.   |
| Qfan                  | Heat added to air stream by supply fan, plus return fan if any – but not relief fan..  |
| Qloss                 | Heat added to air stream by supply and return duct leaks and conductive loss. Computed in each case as the sensible and latent heat in the air stream relative to return air conditions after the leak or loss, less the same value before the leak or loss. |
| Qload                 | Net energy delivered to the terminals – Sensible and latent energy, measured relative to return air conditions. INCLUDES DUCT LOSSES after terminals; thus will differ from sum of zone qMech's + qMecLat's.   |

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|      |  |
|------|--|
| Qbal | Sum of all the 'Q' columns, primarily a development aid. Zero indicates consistent and accurate computation; the normal printout is something like .0000, indicating that the value was too small to print in the space allotted, but not precisely zero, due to computational tolerances and internal round-off errors. |
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## 6 Probe Definitions

### 6.1 ahRes

@ahRes[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| name      | –      | X        | string       | constant   | –           |
| Y.n       | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.tDbO    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.wO      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.tr      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.wr      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.tmix    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.wmix    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.ts      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.ws      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.po      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.frFanOn | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.vf      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qh      | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|--|-------------|
| Y.qc     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qs     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.ql     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qO     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qFan   | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qLoss  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qLoad  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qBal   | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.ph     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.pc     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.pAuxH  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.pAuxC  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.pFan   | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.hrsOn  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.nSubhr | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.nIter1 | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.nIter2 | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| Y.nIter4   | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.nIterFan | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| M.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.tDbO     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.wO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.tr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.wr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.tmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.wmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.ts       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.ws       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.po       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.frFanOn  | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.vf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qs       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.ql       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qLoss    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qLoad    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qBal     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.ph       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.pc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.pAuxH    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.pAuxC    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.pFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.nIter1   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.nIter2   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.nIter4   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.nIterFan | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| D.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.tDbO     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.wO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.tr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.wr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.tmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.wmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.ts       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.ws       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.po       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.frFanOn  | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.vf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|
| D.qs       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.ql       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.qO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.qLoss    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.qLoad    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.qBal     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.ph       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.pc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.pAuxH    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.pAuxC    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.pFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.nIter1   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.nIter2   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.nIter4   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| D.nIterFan | –      | X        | number       | end of each day     | –           |
| H.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.tDbO     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.wO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.tr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.wr       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.tmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.wmix     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.ts       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.ws       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.po       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.frFanOn  | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.vf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qs       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.ql       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qO       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qLoss    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qLoad    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.qBal     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.ph       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.pc       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.pAuxH    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.pAuxC    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.pFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.nIter1   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.nIter2   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.nIter4   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| H.nIterFan | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour    | –           |
| S.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.tDbO     | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|-------------|
| S.wO       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.tr       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.wr       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.tmix     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.wmix     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.ts       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.ws       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.po       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.frFanOn  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.vf       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qh       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qc       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qs       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.ql       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qO       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qFan     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qLoss    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qLoad    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.qBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.ph       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.pc       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.pAuxH    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.pAuxC    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.pFan     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.nIter1   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.nIter2   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.nIter4   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |
| S.nIterFan | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –           |

## 6.2 airHandler

@airHandler[1..].

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                            | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| name         | X      | X        | string | constant                               | –  |
| ahTsDsH      | X      | X        | number | hourly                                 | Heating design supply temperature, for sizing coil vs fan. defaulted hourly to ahtsmx. |
| ahTsDsC      | X      | X        | number | hourly                                 | Cooling ..   |
| ahccSHR      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Sensible heat ratio (caps/capt) for cooling coil                                       |
| coilOversize | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Fraction oversize for autosized heat/cool coils  |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| fanOversize    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Fraction oversize for autosized fan(s)                               |
| asRfan         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | True to autosize return/relief fan (to same capacity as supply fan)  |
| asFlow         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | True if autosizing supply fan and/or flow of any connected terminal: |
| hcAs.az_active | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| hcAs.az_a      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| hcAs.az_b      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| hcAs.ldPk      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| hcAs.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| hcAs.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| hcAs.plrPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| hcAs.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| hcAs.xPk       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| hcAs.xPkAs     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| ccAs.az_active  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each<br>phase,<br>autoSize<br>or<br>simulate) | –           |
| ccAs.az_a       | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| ccAs.az_b       | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| ccAs.ldPk       | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| ccAs.ldPkAs     | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |
| ccAs.ldPkAs1    | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |
| ccAs.plrPk      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| ccAs.plrPkAs    | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |
| ccAs.xPk        | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| ccAs.xPkAs      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |
| fanAs.az_active | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each<br>phase,<br>autoSize<br>or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fanAs.az_a      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fanAs.az_b      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fanAs.ldPk      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fanAs.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |
| fanAs.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each day   | –           |



| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| fanAs.plrPk   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| fanAs.plrPkAs | X      | X        | number         | end of each day     | –  |
| fanAs.xPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| fanAs.xPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day     | –  |
| bVfDs         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Sfan.vfds. see coil::bcaptrat for ahhc and ahcc.                       |
| qcPkS         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Sensible load @ peak total load  |
| qcPkL         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Latent cool coil load ditto  |
| qcPkH         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Hour 1-24 of peak total cool coil load                                 |
| qcPkD         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Day of month 1-31 of peak load, not used for autosizing                |
| qcPkM         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Month 1-12 of peak load, or 0 for heat design month                    |
| qcPkTDbO      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Outdoor temp at time of peak load                                      |
| qcPkWO        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Outdoor hum rat at time of peak load. w's must follow t's for reports. |
| qcPkTen       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Entering air temp  |
| qcPkWen       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Hum rat  |
| qcPkTex       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Exiting air temp (b4 remix w bypass air)                               |
| qcPkWex       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Hum rat (b4 remix w bypass air)  |
| qcPkSAs       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Sensible load @ peak total load  |
| qcPkLAs       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Latent cool coil load ditto  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| qcPkHAs     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Hour 1-24 of peak total cool coil load   |
| qcPkDAs     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Day of month 1-31 of peak load, not used for autosizing                                  |
| qcPkMAs     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Month 1-12 of peak load, or 0 for heat design month                                      |
| qcPkTDbOAs  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Outdoor temp at time of peak load  |
| qcPkWOAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Outdoor hum rat at time of peak load. w's must follow t's for reports.                   |
| qcPkTenAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Entering air temp  |
| qcPkWenAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Hum rat  |
| qcPkTexAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Exiting air temp (b4 remix w bypass air)   |
| qcPkWexAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Hum rat (b4 remix w bypass air)  |
| ahTsSp      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Supply temperature setpoint or control method: ra, wz, cz, zn, zn2, or number, hourly;   |
| ahFanCycles | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Yes if fan (and coil) cycles with zone thermostat; hourly;                               |
| ahTsMn      | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Hourly, default 40.  |
| ahTsMx      | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Hourly, default 250.   |
| ahTsRaMn    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Return air temp at which tssp is at ahtsmx. hourly.                                      |
| ahTsRaMx    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | .. ahtsmn. hourly. if return air moves outside this range, tssp does not change further. |
| ahCtu       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Terminal for determining whether to heat or cool under zn, zn2 tsu sp control.           |
| ahWzCzns[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively.      |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| ahWzCzns[1]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[2]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[3]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[4]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[5]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[6]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[7]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[8]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[9]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[10] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| ahWzCzns[11] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[12] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[13] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[14] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahWzCzns[15] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Zone names monitored for warmest zone and coolest zone ts sp control, respectively. |
| ahCzCzns[0]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.    |
| ahCzCzns[1]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.    |
| ahCzCzns[2]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.    |
| ahCzCzns[3]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.    |
| ahCzCzns[4]  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.    |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| ahCzCzns[5]  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[6]  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[7]  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[8]  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[9]  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[10] | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[11] | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[12] | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[13] | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |
| ahCzCzns[14] | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Each input may be all, all_but,<br>and/or zone names,<br>comma-separated. default all. |

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| ahCzCzns[15] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Each input may be all, all_but, and/or zone names, comma-separated. default all.               |
| oaMnCm       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Min oa flow control method, choice of vol or frac, default vol, constant.                      |
| oaMnFrac     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Fraction 0-1 of minimum oa to use now, hourly, default 1.0. eg to shut off oa during warmup.   |
| oaVfDsMn     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Design minimum outside air flow (cfm actual air), constant, dfl .15 * area.                    |
| oaEcoTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Choice of none, nonintegrated, two_stage, integrated. constant. default none.                  |
| oaLimT       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Economizer oa temp hi limit: number -50 to 999, or ra for current return air temp,             |
| oaLimE       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Economizer oa enthalpy hi limit: number or ra, constant, dfl 999 (enth limit disabled).        |
| oaOaLeak     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Outside air damper leakage to mixed air, fraction of supply fan design cfm if have economizer, |
| oaRaLeak     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Return air damper leakage to mixed air, fraction supply fan design cfm,                        |
| ahSOLeak     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Supply duct leakage to outdoors, 0-.1 of sfanvfds, default .01. use 0 if duct indoors.         |
| ahROLeak     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Return duct leakage from outdoors, 0-.1, of sfanvfds, default .01, use 0 if duct indoors.      |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description   |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|---|
| ahSOLoss        | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Supply duct loss/gain to outdoors, 0-.1, default .02? (taylor 0.5f), use 0 if duct indoors. |
| ahROLoss        | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Return duct heat loss/gain to outdoors, 0-.1, default .02? (ditto), use 0 if duct indoors.  |
| ahSch           | X      | X        | unrecognized | hourly   | Supply fan and thus air handler schedule; choice of on or off, hourly variable; default on. |
| sfan.fanTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| sfan.vfDs       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| sfan.vfDs_As    | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| sfan.vfDs_AsNov | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| sfan.vfMxF      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| sfan.press      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| sfan.eff        | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |

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| sfan.shaftPwr     | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sfan.elecPwr      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sfan.motTy        | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sfan.motEff       | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| sfan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| sfan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| sfan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| sfan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| sfan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |



| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
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| sfan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| sfan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| sfan.mtri         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| sfan.endUse       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| sfan.ausz         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each<br>phase,<br>autoSize<br>or<br>simulate) | –  |
| sfan.outPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | –  |
| sfan.airPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | –  |
| sfan.cMx          | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| sfan.c            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| sfan.t            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| sfan.frOn         | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| sfan.p            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| sfan.q            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | Average (not fan-on) output power<br>level for subhour   |
| sfan.dT           | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | How much warmer than outdoor<br>temp crankcase oil is assumed to be,<br>in subhrs when compr does not run. |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
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| sfan.qAround    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| rfan.fanTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.vfDs       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| rfan.vfDs_As    | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.vfDs_AsNov | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.vfMxF      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.press      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| rfan.eff        | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| rfan.shaftPwr   | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| rfan.elecPwr      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| rfan.motTy        | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| rfan.motEff       | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |
| rfan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| rfan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| rfan.mtri         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| rfan.endUse       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| rfan.ausz         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each<br>phase,<br>autoSize<br>or<br>simulate) | –  |
| rfan.outPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | –  |
| rfan.airPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | –  |
| rfan.cMx          | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| rfan.c            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| rfan.t            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| rfan.frOn         | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| rfan.p            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |
| rfan.q            | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | Average (not fan-on) output power<br>level for subhour   |
| rfan.dT           | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | How much warmer than outdoor<br>temp crankcase oil is assumed to be,<br>in subhrs when compr does not run. |
| rfan.qAround      | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour  | –  |

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| cch.cchCM | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Crankcase heater presence and control method choice. niles cchctlmtd.                                |
| cch.pMx   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Crankcase resistance heater input power; maximum power if cchcm is ptc or ptc_clo.                   |
| cch.pMn   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Min cch input power. default .04kw. entered in kw, internally in btuh. niles pcchmn.                 |
| cch.tMx   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Low temp (max power) setpoint... default 0 f. niles tcchptcmx.                                       |
| cch.tMn   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | High temp (min power) setpoint for cchcm = ptc or ptc_clo. default 150 f. niles tcchptcmn.           |
| cch.dt    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | How much warmer than outdoor temp crankcase oil is assumed to be, in subhrs when compr does not run. |
| cch.tOn   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | —  |
| cch.tOff  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —  |
| cch.mtri  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | —  |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| cch.p47Off         | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Power input during off part of one cycle of ari 47 degree cycling test, kwh.                  |
| cch.p17            | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Power input to crankcase heater in ari 17 degree continuous operation test, kw. niles pcch17. |
| cch.p47            | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto 47 degree test. niles pcch47. p17 and p47 always the same; p47 may be used in code as   |
| cch.frCprOn        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cch.tState         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Thermostat state for cchcm = tstat: must remember to implement hysteresis                     |
| cch.p              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| ahhc.coilTy        | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Coil type choice according to application, as follows. constant.                              |
| ahhc.sched         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Avail when coil available, off when disabled, hourly, default avail.                          |
| ahhc.captRat       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| ahhc.captRat_As    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| ahhc.captRat_AsNoX |        | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
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| ahhc.bCaptRat       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                    | Start-subhr captrat, to undo size increases not in use as converged at end subhr (ahhc,ahcc).           |
| ahhc.eirRat         | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Rated load energy input ratio===heat input ratio===input/output===1/efficiency for dx,gas,oil at least. |
| ahhc.mtri           | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahhc.auxOn          | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Additional input energy used in proportion to plr when coil on, as for induced draft fan,               |
| ahhc.auxOnMtri      | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr to which to charge “auxon”  |
| ahhc.auxOff         | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Addl input energy when off for part or all of subhr (proportional to 1-plr), for unforeseen uses.       |
| ahhc.auxOffMtri     | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr for “auxoff”  |
| ahhc.auxOnAtall     | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Addl input energy used in toto when coil on for any part of subhour, for unforeseen uses.               |
| ahhc.auxOnAtallMtrX |        | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr for “auzonatall”  |
| ahhc.auxFullOff     | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Additional input energy when off for entire subhour (as opposed to in proportion to 1-plr).             |
| ahhc.auxFullOffMtrX |        | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr to which auxfulloff is charged  |
| ahhc.q              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                    | Average (not fan-on) output power level for subhour   |
| ahhc.qPr            | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                    | Output at which coil's plant last computed, for call-flagging plant. set: cnhp.cpp. used: cncoil.cpp    |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                            | Description   |
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| ahhc.p           | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | –   |
| ahhc.plr         | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Current fan-on (or furnace-on) relative load (part load ratio)                                |
| ahhc.plrAv       | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Current average relative load (plr * frfanon)   |
| ahhc.eir         | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Energy input ratio: current input/output, fan on===average. rob's addition, for probes, 5-92. |
| ahhc.pAuxOn      | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Coil-on proporotinal aux power this subhour   |
| ahhc.pAuxOff     | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Coil-off proportional aux power this subhour  |
| ahhc.pAuxOnAtall | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Coil on-at-all aux power this subhour   |
| ahhc.pAuxFullOff | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                    | Auxfulloff (doe2 pilot) power this subhour  |
| ahhc.effRat      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Efficiency @ rated load: alternate eir input, converted into eirrat in setup.                 |
| ahhc.pyEi.k[0]   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahhc.pyEi.k[1]   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahhc.pyEi.k[2]   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahhc.pyEi.k[3]   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |



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| ahhc.pyEi.k[4]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time hourly        | –  |
| ahhc.stackEffect | X      | X        | number         |  | Fraction of unused capacity that must be used (increasing plr) to make up for increased        |
| ahhc.hpi         | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Subscript of heatplant serving hw coil   |
| ahhc.nxTu4hp     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Tub subscr of next tu with hw coil on same heatplant. 1st is heatplant.tu1.                    |
| ahhc.nxAh4hp     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ahb subscr of next ah with hw coil on same heatplant. 1st is heatplant.ah1.                    |
| ahhc.flueLoss    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Part-load flue loss this subhour, gas and oil only   |
| ahhc.qWant       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Hw: desired output===input, dohwcoil to hpcompute, used in determining capf.                   |
| ahhc.cap17       | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Ari steady state rated cap @ 17 out, 70 indoor (return) air, btuh, rqd for ahp, nils pcapss17. |
| ahhc.cap47       | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Ari steady state rated cap @ 47 out, 70 indoor (return) air, btuh, rqd for ahp, nils pcapss47. |
| ahhc.cap35       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ari steady state rated cap @ 35f outdoor, btuh, default per fd35df, nils pcapss35.             |

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| ahhc.fd35Df | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Default frost/defrost degradation factor at 35 f, default .85, niles fdf35dft.              |
| ahhc.capIa  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Capacity correction factor for indoor (return) air temperature, default .004, niles iaccap. |
| ahhc.supRh  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Input (& output) of supplemental resistance reheat coil, kw, default 10, niles psuprh.      |
| ahhc.tFrMn  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Lowest temp for frost buildup & defrost effects, default 17f, niles tfrstmn.                |
| ahhc.tFrMx  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Highest temp for frost buildup & defrost effects, default 47f, niles tfrstmx.               |
| ahhc.tFrPk  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Temp for peak frost buildup & defrost effects, default 42f, niles tfrstp.                   |
| ahhc.dfrFMn | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Min frac time in reverse cycle cooling, default .0222 (2/90 min), niles tmfcredefmn.        |
| ahhc.dfrFMx | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Max frac time in reverse cycle cooling, default .0889 (8/90 min), niles tmfcredefmx.        |
| ahhc.dfrCap | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Cooling capacity (to ah supply air) during defrosting, default 2 * cap17, niles pdefcool.   |
| ahhc.dfrRh  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Input (& output) power of addl reheat coil run during defrost, default 5kw, niles pdefrh.   |

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| ahhc.tOff  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| ahhc.tOn   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| ahhc.in17  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Steady state power input @ 17 outdoor, 70 indoor (return). rqd for ahp. niles pinss17.      |
| ahhc.in47  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Steady state power input @ 47 outdoor, 70 indoor (return). rqd for ahp. niles pinss47.      |
| ahhc.inIa  | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Indoor (return) air temp power input correction factor, default .004, niles iacin.          |
| ahhc.cd    | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Ari cycling degradation coefficient, default .25, niles cd.                                 |
| ahhc.in17c | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Compressor input power @ 17 degrees out, 70 in: in17 with cch power removed. niles pinss17. |
| ahhc.in47c | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto 47 degrees. niles pinss47.  |
| ahhc.cdm   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Modified cd: cycling degradation coefficient adjusted to remove cch. niles cdm.             |

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|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| ahhc.tIa        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Indoor air temp: copy of tmix or whatever ah variable is chosen                                  |
| ahhc.qSupLim    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Caller-set heat output limit for when suppl heat in use: kludge when fan cycling                 |
| ahhc.frFanOn    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| ahhc.loTLockout | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | True if compressor locked out due to low outdoor temp (see toff, ton)                            |
| ahhc.supOn      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | True if supplementary heat enabled (frfanon is ~1.0, with hysteresis to keep ah stable).         |
| ahhc.capCon     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Continuous cpr capac incl frost/defrost @ actual indoor temp, excl def & reg rh. niles pcapmx.   |
| ahhc.pDfrhCon   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Continuous avg power input to defrost heater @ outdoor temp (not cycling). niles pdefrhmx.       |
| ahhc.cap        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Capacity this subhour incl suppl heaters. rob's addition, used by doahpheatcoil re tpossh.       |
| ahhc.frCprOn    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| ahhc.pCpr       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Power input to compressor (niles pincomp): copy to .p in coilsendsubhr.                          |
| ahhc.pRh        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Input===output of reg & dfr supplemental resistance heaters. included in q, not in p. niles prh. |
| ahccBypass      | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Fraction of air flow which bypasses cool coil (for better humidity control), constant, dfl 0.    |
| ahcc.coilTy     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Coil type choice according to application, as follows. constant.                                 |
| ahcc.sched      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Avail when coil available, off when disabled, hourly, default avail.                             |
| ahcc.captRat    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|---------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| ahcc.captRat_As     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahcc.captRat_AsNoX  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahcc.bCaptRat       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour hourly             | Start-subhr captrat, to undo size increases not in use as converged at end subhr (ahhc,ahcc).           |
| ahcc.eirRat         | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Rated load energy input ratio===heat input ratio===input/output===1/efficiency for dx,gas,oil at least. |
| ahcc.mtri           | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| ahcc.auxOn          | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Additional input energy used in proportion to plr when coil on, as for induced draft fan,               |
| ahcc.auxOnMtri      | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr to which to charge “auxon”  |
| ahcc.auxOff         | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Addl input energy when off for part or all of subhr (proportional to 1-plr), for unforeseen uses.       |
| ahcc.auxOffMtri     | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr for “auxoff”  |
| ahcc.auxOnAtall     | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Addl input energy used in toto when coil on for any part of subhour, for unforeseen uses.               |
| ahcc.auxOnAtallMtri | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Mtr for “auzonatall”  |
| ahcc.auxFullOff     | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Additional input energy when off for entire subhour (as opposed to in proportion to 1-plr).             |

| Name                 | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| ahcc.auxFullOffMtrIX |        | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Mtr to which auxfulloff is charged   |
| ahcc.q               | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Average (not fan-on) output power level for subhour  |
| ahcc.qPr             | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Output at which coil's plant last computed, for call-flagging plant. set: cnhp.cpp. used: cncoil.cpp |
| ahcc.p               | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | –  |
| ahcc.plr             | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Current fan-on (or furnace-on) relative load (part load ratio)                                       |
| ahcc.plrAv           | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Current average relative load (plr * frfanon)  |
| ahcc.eir             | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Energy input ratio: current input/output, fan on===average. rob's addition, for probes, 5-92.        |
| ahcc.pAuxOn          | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Coil-on proporotinal aux power this subhour  |
| ahcc.pAuxOff         | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Coil-off proportional aux power this subhour   |
| ahcc.pAuxOnAtall     | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Coil on-at-all aux power this subhour  |
| ahcc.pAuxFullOff     | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Auxfulloff (doe2 pilot) power this subhour   |
| ahcc.capsRat         | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour                          | Dx: sensible rated capacity <= captrat btu/hr, const for input, *s cuz varies during autosize.       |
| ahcc.capsRat_As      | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.capsRat_AsNoX   |        | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| ahcc.minTEvap   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Dx: min evaporator (effective surface) temp (below which compressor cuts out), default 35f. (40f til 8-95) |
| ahcc.k1         | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Dx, chw: power of relative air flow to which outside number of transfer units is proportional.             |
| ahcc.dsTDdBnd   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design (rating) (dx) condenser temp (outdoor temp pending water option), default = ari = 95f.              |
| ahcc.dsTDdBEn   | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design (rating) (dx,chw) entering air dry bulb temp, default = ari = 80f.                                  |
| ahcc.dsTWBEn    | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design (rating) (dx) entering air wet bulb temp, default = ari = 67f. replaces taylor's dseawb.            |
| ahcc.vfR        | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Rating (dx,chw) air flow (cfm). default: dx: per vfrperTon. chw: sfan.vfds.                                |
| ahcc.vfRperTon  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Dx default vfr per ton (12000 btuh) of captrat. default: 400.  |
| ahcc.minUnldPlr | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Part load ratio (fraction of full load) at/above which "compressor unloading" is used. dfl 1.              |
| ahcc.minFsldPlr | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Plr above which "false loading" is used (up to minunldplr). dfl minunldplr: no false loading.              |

| Name                 | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description |
|----------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|-------------|
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[0]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[1]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[2]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[3]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[4]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[5]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptT.k[6]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptF.k[0]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptF.k[1]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |
| ahcc.pydxCaptF.k[2]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | —           |



| Name                 | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description                                    |
|----------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| ahcc.pydxCaptF.k[3]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxCaptF.k[4]X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxCaptFLimX   |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | Upper limit for value of pydxcaptf,<br>8-28-95 |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[0] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[1] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[2] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[3] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[4] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[5] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirT.k[6] X |        | X        | number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time | –  |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|---------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| ahcc.pydxEirUl.k[0] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirUl.k[1] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirUl.k[2] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirUl.k[3] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| ahcc.pydxEirUl.k[4] | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | –  |
| ahcc.cpi            | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | Subscript of coolplant serving chw coil, rqd for chw.                                |
| ahcc.gpmDs          | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | Design (i.e. maximum) chilled water flow, gpm, rqd for chw. nils mwd[g].             |
| ahcc.ntuoDs         | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | Outside number of transfer units at design air flow (vfr), default 2. nils ntuoD.    |
| ahcc.ntuiDs         | X      | X        | number            | autosize<br>and<br>simulate<br>phase<br>start time                     | Inside number of transfer units at design water flow (gpmDs), default 2. nils ntuid. |
| ahcc.wsatMinTEvap   | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each<br>phase,<br>autoSize<br>or<br>simulate) | Hum ratio of saturated air at mintevap (minimum evaporator temp)                     |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|---------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| ahcc.hsatevaporX    |        | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Enthalpy of saturated air at mintevap  |
| ahcc.efecOR         | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | (outside) effectiveness at rated conditions (in record for probing only)                       |
| ahcc.ntuR           | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Number of transfer units (like time constants) at rated conditions                             |
| ahcc.eirMinUnldPlrX |        | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Pydxeirul(minunldplr): precomputed dx input correction for falseloading; prorated for cycling. |
| ahcc.menR           | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chw/dx coil rating air flow (lb/hr) (for chw, nils 'mad')                                      |
| ahcc.nxAh4cp        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or subscr of next ah with chw coil served by same coolplant. 1st is coolplant.ah1.           |
| ahcc.mwDs           | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —  |
| ahcc.wantQflag      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Nz if cooling desired (textwant < ten) regardless of sched, etc. docoils->cpeestimate.         |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|---|
| ahcc.tewd        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.chwQ        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.tr          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.cpTsPr      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Cp ts for which coil last computed, re compute-flagging coil from plant |
| ahcc.trPr        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Coil tr at last coil compute, re call-flagging cp from coil model       |
| ahcc.fullLoadWet | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | True if chw coil wet @ full load,                                       |
| ahcc.frCprOn     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.tWbEn       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.hen         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.tDbCnd      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.efecO       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.capt        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.caps        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.plrVf       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.plrSens     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.qs          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahcc.ql          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| ahcc.xLGain    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Condensation heat added to air (const enthalpy) to fix supersaturated wen, this subhr.       |
| ahcc.xLGainYr  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | .. cumulative over run, for message at end run.  |
| ahcc.nSubhrsLX | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Number of subhours in which supersaturated entering air fixed                                |
| ahcc.minTLtd   | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Output limited by mintevap b4 reaching ahtsmn (dx, 7-95)                                     |
| ahcc.cfm2Few   | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Too little flow to permit sizing coil to meet load at min temp (dx, 7-95)                    |
| tu1            | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain head: tub ss of 1st terminal for air handler. next is tu.nxtu4a.                       |
| zhx1           | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain head of ah's zhx's (zone hvac xfers): 0 or zhxb subscript of first. next: zhx.nxzhx4a. |
| ahMode         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | What ah is doing: set to: ahoff/ahfan/ahheating/ahcooling/ahon(normal).                      |
| ts             | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| ws             | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| wsls           | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | –  |
| airxTs         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tsMnFo         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tsMnFoOk       | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | True if tsmnfo has been calc'd since last ahestimate/ahcompute. set/used in gettsmnfo().     |
| tsMxFo         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability               | Description   |
|---------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------|---|
| tsMxFoOk            | X      | X        | integer<br>number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | True if tsmxfo has been calc'd since<br>last ahestimate/ahcompute.<br>set/used in gettsmxfo().  |
| tr                  | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| wr                  | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| cr                  | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| cMxfcc              | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| frFanOn             | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| leakCO <sub>n</sub> | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| tr1                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| wr1                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| cr1                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| tr2                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| r <sub>fanQ</sub>   | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | Return fan power copied at<br>commitment to this iteration (r <sub>fan.q</sub><br>is next iter) |
| tmix                | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| wen                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| cmix                | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| dtMixEn             | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |
| ten                 | X      | X        | number            | end of<br>each<br>subhour | –   |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability               | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------------|-------------|
| cen       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| men       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| tex       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| wex       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| tex1      | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| dtExSen   | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| tSen      | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| dtSenS    | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| aTs       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| aWs       | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| trNx      | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| wrNx      | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| crNx      | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| cMxnx     | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| frFanOnNx | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| leakCOnNx | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |
| tr1Nx     | X      | X        | number | end of<br>each<br>subhour | —           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| wr1Nx       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| cr1Nx       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| tr2Nx       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| uUseAr      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour | ‘or’ of tu.usear’s at refine() entry, for detecting pegged terminals, set in zrat, tentative.                                      |
| fcc         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each hour    | True if fan cycles: fan runs only fraction of subhour requested by control terminal, else off.                                     |
| isZNorZN2   | X      | X        | integer number | end of each hour    | True if ahtssp is zn or zn2 this hour. 5-95.   |
| tsSp1       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| tsFullFlow  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |
| ecoEnabled  | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | True if economizer present and currently enabled   |
| coilLockout | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | True if cooling coil disabled by full-open non-integrated economizer   |
| po          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Current fraction outside air   |
| coilUsed    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour | Coil in use, docoils to coilsendsubhr: cunone, cuheat, or cucool. 12-3-92.   |
| fanF        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | “fan factor” used in determining current max flows. reduce when fan overloads.   |
| fanFMax     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Fanf value for full flow: max tu vfm <sub>x</sub> /vfd <sub>s</sub> , reflecting both vfm <sub>xh</sub> ’s & vfm <sub>xc</sub> ’s. |
| fanLimited  | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | True if using full capacity of fan without getting desired flow  |
| coilLimited | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | True if using full capacity of available coil without getting desired delta-t  |
| tPossH      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –  |



| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description   |
|--------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|---|
| tPossC | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| ahClf  | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Call-flag: set nz if must call ahcompute so it can test tr,cr etc to see if computation needed. |
| ahPtf  | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Compute-flag: set if must call ahcompute and it should unconditionally recompute this ah:       |
| ahPtf2 | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Secondary flag for compute only after zones computed again, for non-convergence.                |

### 6.3 Battery

@Battery[1..].

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description                                     |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name        | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| meter       | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Meter for system electricity production         |
| endUse      | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | End use of energy. defaults to “bt”             |
| useUsrChg   | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Yes: user specifies charge request;             |
| controlAlg  | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Control algorithm choice                        |
| maxCap      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Maximum (usable) battery capacity in kwh        |
| initSOE     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Initial state of energy (0 <= soe <= 1)         |
| initCycles  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Initial number of cycles on battery (>= 0)      |
| chgEff      | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Battery efficiency while charging               |
| dschgEff    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Battery efficiency while discharging (fraction) |
| maxChgPwr   | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Maximum allowable charging power (kw)           |
| maxDschgPwr | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Maximum discharge power (kw)                    |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|--|
| chgReq    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Battery charge request (kw)<br>+=charge;-=discharge          |
| soeBegIvl | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Battery soe at beginning of interval                         |
| loadSeen  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | The adjusted load seen by the battery for current hour (kw)  |
| soe       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Battery state of energy (soe) ( $0 \leq \text{soe} \leq 1$ ) |
| soelh     | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Battery state of energy (soe) at end of prior hour           |
| cycles    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Accumulated battery cycles                                   |
| cycleslh  | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Accumulated battery cycles, end of prior hour                |
| energy    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Current amount of energy in battery (kwh)                    |
| energylh  | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Amount of energy in battery (kwh)                            |

## 6.4 boiler (owner: heatPlant)

@boiler[1..].

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                            | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| name         | X      | X        | string | constant                               | –   |
| blrCap       | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Capacity (btuh). required input.                              |
| blrEffR      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Efficiency at steady-state full load, default .80.            |
| blrEirR      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | Energy input ratio (1/eff): alternate input; used internally. |
| blrPyEi.k[0] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| blrPyEi.k[1] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| blrPyEi.k[2] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| blrPyEi.k[3] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| blrPyEi.k[4] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| mtri         | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Subscript of mtr to which to charge boiler input power, default none                            |
| blrp.gpm     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| blrp.hdLoss  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| blrp.motEff  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| blrp.hydEff  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| blrp.ovrunF  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| blrp.mtri    | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Subscript of mtr to which to charge boiler input power, default none                            |
| blrp.mw      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| blrp.q       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Current output power level (excluding pump heat), share of total of connected coils & hx's      |
| blrp.p       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Current input power   |
| auxOn        | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy used in proportion to plr when on, default 0, hourly vbl for future flexblty. |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| auxOnMtri      | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr to which to charge "auxon"  |
| auxOff         | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy when off for part or all of subhr (proportional to 1-plr), for unforeseen uses. |
| auxOffMtri     | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr for "auxoff"  |
| auxOnAtall     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy used in toto when blr on for any part of subhour, for unforeseen uses.          |
| auxOnAtallMtri | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr for "auzonatall"  |
| auxFullOff     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Additional input energy when off for entire subhour (as opposed to in proportion to 1-plr).       |
| auxFullOffMtri | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr to which auxfulloff is charged, default c.mtri.   |
| nxBlr4hp       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or subscript of next boiler for same heatplant. 1st is heatplant.blr1.                          |
| used           | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | During input checking (cncult6.cpp), true if a stage uses this boiler                             |
| blrMode        | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | Mode this subhour: off or on. can be on with 0 q if in heatplant's 1st stage.                     |
| plr            | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Part load ratio   |
| q              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Current output power level (excluding pump heat), share of total of connected coils & hx's        |
| p              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Current input power   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description                                       |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|---|
| pAuxOn      | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Blr-on<br>proportional aux<br>power this subhour  |
| pAuxOff     | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Blr-off<br>proportional aux<br>power this subhour |
| pAuxOnAtall | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Blr on-at-all aux<br>power this subhour           |
| pAuxFullOff | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Auxfulloff power<br>this subhour                  |

## 6.5 chiller (owner: coolPlant)

@chiller[1..].

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| name          | X      | X        | string | constant   | –  |
| chCapDs       | X      | X        | number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Capacity at<br>chdsts,chdstend, btuh.<br>required. negative<br>internally. nils<br>capdsn. |
| chTsDs        | X      | X        | number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Temp leaving chiller at<br>which chcapds applies,<br>default 44. nils<br>twsudsn.          |
| chTcndDs      | X      | X        | number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Temp entering<br>condenser (twodel<br>value) for chcapds,<br>default 85. nils<br>twcnddsn. |
| chPyCapT.k[0] | X      | X        | number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| chPyCapT.k[1] | X      | X        | number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| chPyCapT.k[2] | X      | X        | number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| chPyCapT.k[3] | X      | X        | number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| chPyCapT.k[4] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyCapT.k[5] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyCapT.k[6] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chCop         | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Full-load coefficient of performance (output btu/input btu) @ chtsds/chtcndds, reflecting     |
| chEirDs       | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Full-load eir (energy input ratio) @ chtsds/chtcndds, relecting motor and chiller efficiency. |
| chPyEirT.k[0] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirT.k[1] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirT.k[2] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirT.k[3] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirT.k[4] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| chPyEirT.k[5]  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirT.k[6]  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirU1.k[0] | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirU1.k[1] | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirU1.k[2] | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirU1.k[3] | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chPyEirU1.k[4] | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| chMinUnldPlr   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Min unloading loading part load ratio, default 0.1. nils minunldplr.                      |
| chMinFsldPlr   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Min false loading part load ratio, default 0.1. nils minfsldplr. must be <= chminunldplr. |
| chMotEff       | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Motor efficiency (poorly named), default 1.0, nils motoreff, used only to determine       |
| mtri           | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Meter name (“chmtr”) for accumulating compressor energy used by chiller,                  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| chpp.gpm    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chpp.hdLoss | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| chpp.motEff | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| chpp.hydEff | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| chpp.ovrunF | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chpp.mtri   | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Meter name (“chmtr”) for accumulating compressor energy used by chiller,                    |
| chpp.mw     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chpp.q      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | This chiller’s current primary output power to pri loop                                     |
| chpp.p      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Compressor power input. also see chpp.p, chcp.p. (niles cndpmppwrin, prmpmppwrin, totpwrin) |
| chcp.gpm    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chcp.hdLoss | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |



| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| chcp.motEff | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| chcp.hydEff | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| chcp.ovrunF | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chcp.mtri   | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Meter name (“chmtr”) for accumulating compressor energy used by chiller,                          |
| chcp.mw     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| chcp.q      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | This chiller's current primary output power to pri loop   |
| chcp.p      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Compressor power input. also see chpp.p, chcp.p. (niles cndpmppwrin, prmpmppwrin, totpwrin)       |
| auxOn       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy used in proportion to plr when on, default 0, hourly vbl for future flexblty.   |
| auxOnMtri   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr to which to charge “auxon”  |
| auxOff      | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy when off for part or all of subhr (proportional to 1-plr), for unforeseen uses. |
| auxOffMtri  | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr for “auxoff”  |
| auxOnAtall  | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Addl input energy used in toto when chiller on for any part of subhour, for unforeseen uses.      |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| auxOnAtallMtri | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr for “auxonatal”  |
| auxFullOff     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Additional input energy when off for entire subhour (as opposed to in proportion to 1-plr).  |
| auxFullOffMtri | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mtr to which auxfulloff is charged, default c.mtri.  |
| nxCh4cp        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or subscript of next chiller in same coolplant. 1st is coolplant.ch1.                      |
| used           | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Non-0 if a coolplant uses this chiller – else warning  |
| eirMinUnldPlr  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chpyeirul(minunldplr): precomputed energy input corr for false loading, prorated for cycling |
| chMode         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | C_offonch_off or _on: whether this chiller is running, set by staging code.                  |
| cap            | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| q              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | This chiller's current primary output power to pri loop                                      |
| p              | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Compressor power input. also see chpp.p, chcp.p. (niles cndpmppwrin, prmpmppwrin, totpwrin)  |
| pAuxOn         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Chiller-on proportional aux power this subhour   |
| pAuxOff        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Chiller-off proportional aux power this subhour  |
| pAuxOnAtall    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Chiller on-at-all aux power this subhour   |
| pAuxFullOff    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Auxfulloff power this subhour  |

## 6.6 construction

@construction[1..].

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|--------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name   | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –   |
| conU   | X      | –        | number         | input time   | U-value. entered by user or calculated from associated layers (lrs). 0 allowed. |
| nLr    | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or number of layers (in lr rat). layers are entered in order from inside out. |
| nFrmLr | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # framed layers: error if > 1; is-framed flag.                                  |
| r      | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Thermal resistance of layers accumulated here for conu                          |
| hc     | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Accumulated heat capacity per square foot                                       |
| rNom   | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Nominal r value   |

## 6.7 coolPlant

@coolPlant[1..].

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name        | X      | X        | string         | constant                               | –   |
| cpSched     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly                                 | Schedule, hourly choice of off, avail (default), on.                                  |
| cpTsSp      | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Supply temp cooling setpoint, hourly variable, default 44.                            |
| cpPipeLossF | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time | Pipe “loss”: heat gain equal to this fraction of largest stage <– change **           |
| cpTowi      | X      | X        | integer number | input time                             | Subscript of towerplant supporting this coolplant. input as name “cptowerplant”. rqd. |
| cpStage1[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| cpStage1[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| cpStage1[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| cpStage1[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage1[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage1[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage1[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage1[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage2[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage2[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no cpstage values<br>entered: |
| cpStage3[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                  | Description                                  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| cpStage3[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage3[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage4[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage4[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none(0). |
| cpStage5[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage5[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage5[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage5[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| cpStage5[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                  | Description |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| cpStage5[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage5[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage5[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage6[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |
| cpStage7[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|---|
| cpStage7[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| cpStage7[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| ch1         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st chiller<br>in this coolplant. next<br>is chiller.nxch4cp.                    |
| ah1         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st ah<br>with chw coil served by<br>this coolplant. next is<br>ah.ahcc.nxah4cp. |
| nxCp4tp     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of next<br>coolplant using same<br>towerplant. 1st is<br>towerplant.c1.             |
| mwDsCoils   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[0]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[1]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[2]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[3]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[4]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[5]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPPQ[6]   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|---|-------------|
| stgCPQ[0] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[1] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[2] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[3] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[4] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[5] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgCPQ[6] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[0] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[1] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[2] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[3] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[4] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stgPMw[5] | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |



| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| stgPMw[6] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[0] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[1] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[2] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[3] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[4] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[5] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgCMw[6] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| stgN      | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Max+1 used stage<br>subscript 1-7 (used<br>stages need not be<br>contiguous) |
| stgMxCap  | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript 0-6 of stage<br>with most design power                             |
| mxCapDs   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| mxPMw     | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| mxPMwOv   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| mxCondQ   | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| mxCondGpm | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| qPipeLoss | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| cpTs      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| q         | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| qTow      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| tTow      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| mwTow     | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| tCnd      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| cpClf     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Call-flag: set nz if must<br>call cpcompute so it<br>can test tr, etc to see if<br>computation needed.   |
| cpPtf     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Compute-flag: set if<br>must call cpcompute<br>and it should<br>unconditionally<br>recompute this plant  |
| cpMode    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each<br>subhour  | Mode this subhour: off<br>or on: per cpsched; per<br>demand for avail. set in<br>cpeestimate, cpcompute. |
| qLoadNx   | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| qLoad     | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| tr        | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| stgi      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Stage in use, 0-6 for<br>cpstage1-7.   |
| qNeed     | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| cap       | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |
| plr       | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –  |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|--|
| puteTs    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| cpTsSpPr  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpeestimate  |
| cpTsEstPr | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpeestimate  |
| cpModePr  | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | For cpcompute  |
| trMxPr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpcompute: tr-assuming-max-flow when last computed |
| qLoadPr   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpcompute  |
| mwTowPr   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpcompute, set by tpcompute                        |
| tTowPr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For cpcompute, set by tpcompute                        |

## 6.8 DESCOND

@DESCOND[1..].

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type    | Variability | Description                        |
|------------|--------|----------|---------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| name       | X      | X        | string  | constant    | –                                  |
| doy        | X      | X        | integer | input time  | Calc date for this descond (1-365) |
| DB         | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Design dry-bulb temp, f            |
| MCDBR      | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Coincident daily db range, f       |
| MCWB       | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Coincident wet-bulb temp, f        |
| MCWBR      | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Coincident daily wb range, f       |
| wndSpd     | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Wind speed, mph                    |
| tauB       | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Beam tau                           |
| tauD       | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Diffuse tau                        |
| ebnSlrNoon | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Solar noon beam normal, btuh/ft2   |
| edhSlrNoon | X      | X        | number  | input time  | Solar noon diffuse horiz, btuh/ft2 |

## 6.9 DHWDayUse

@DHWDayUse[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description |
|------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| name | X      | X        | string | constant    | –           |

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description                                    |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| mult    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Multiplier applied to all child dhwise wuflows |
| wuSsBeg | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Initial ss                                     |
| wuSsEnd | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Last ss+1                                      |
| wuCount | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Count of child dhwses                          |

## 6.10 DHWHeater (owner: DHWSys)

@DHWHeater[1..].

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name        | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| mult        | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Count of identical water heaters (default 1)                |
| heatSrc     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Heat source   |
| type        | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Heater type   |
| desc        | X      | X        | string         | input time   | Probe-able description text                                 |
| fcn         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Function of this dhwheater per whfcnxxx enum                |
| ashpTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Air source heat pump type, required iff ashpx, else ignored |
| znTi        | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Dhwheater location zone re tank loss                        |
| tEx         | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | –   |
| ashpSrcZnTi | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ashp source zone  |
| ashpTsrc    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Ashp source temperature, f                                  |
| ashpResUse  | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Resistance heat parameter for                               |
| vol         | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Actual storage tank vol, gal (not rated)                    |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|---|---|
| UA          | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Hpwh-type tank<br>ua, btuh/f  |
| insulR      | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Hpwh-type tank<br>insulation<br>resistance,<br>hr-f/btuh                          |
| inHtSupply  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Fractional tank<br>height of supply<br>inlet (0=bottom,<br>1=top)                 |
| inHtLoopRet | X      | X        | number | input time  | Fractional tank<br>height of loop<br>return inlet(s)<br>(0=bottom,<br>1=top)      |
| EF          | X      | X        | number | input time  | Rated energy<br>factor  |
| LDEF        | X      | X        | number | input time  | Load-dependent<br>energy factor   |
| UEF         | X      | X        | number | input time  | Rated uniform<br>energy factor  |
| ratedFlow   | X      | X        | number | input time  | Max rated flow<br>per uef test, gpm   |
| annualFuel  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Annual fuel use<br>per uef method,<br>therms/yr                                   |
| annualElec  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Annual<br>electricity use<br>per uef method,<br>kwh/yr                            |
| cycLossFuel | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Derived startup<br>fuel use (=cyclic<br>loss) for instuef,<br>btu/cycle           |
| cycLossElec | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Derived startup<br>electricity use<br>(=cyclic loss) for<br>instuef,<br>btu/cycle |
| maxFlowX    | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Derived max<br>flow for instuef,<br>gal/tick-f                                    |
| maxInpX     | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Input at max<br>flow, btu/tick  |
| eff         | X      | X        | number | input time  | Efficiency (aka<br>recovery<br>efficiency)  |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| SBL           | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Standby loss, btuh   |
| pilotPwr      | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Pilot light power, btuh                                      |
| parElec       | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Parasitic electric use, w                                    |
| tHWOOut       | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | –  |
| stbyTicks     | X      | X        | unrecognized | subhourly  | Time since last draw, for hpwh and instuef, ticks            |
| loadCFwdF     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Load carry-forward allowed (user input frac of capacity)     |
| loadCFwdMax   | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Max load carry-forward energy (from wh_loadcfwdf), btu       |
| loadCFwd      | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Current load carry forward, btu                              |
| nTickFullLoad | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Instuef: current subhour equiv full load ticks (fractional)  |
| nColdStarts   | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Instuef: current subhour # of cold startups                  |
| effSh         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Current subhour efficiency, used to support former hourly    |
| operElec      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Electrical power during operation at rating conditions, btuh |
| stbyElec      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Electrical power during standby, w                           |
| resHtPwr      | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Upper element resistance heating power, w                    |
| resHtPwr2     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Lower element resistance heating power, w                    |
| HPWH.HSCount  | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | # of hpwh heatsources in use for current config              |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description   |
|--------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|---|
| HPWH.tEx           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.tASHPSrc      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Temp of heat pump air source, f   |
| HPWH.qTXTick       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Current tick extra tank heat added lower tank nodes, btu                  |
| HPWH.nQTXNodes     | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | # of tank 1/12s used in hw_qtx extra tank heat                            |
| HPWH.fMixUse       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Factor for draw adjustment re hpwh setpoint > dhwsys::ws_tuse             |
| HPWH.fMixRL        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Factor for loop return flow adjustment re hpwh setpoint > dhwsys::ws_tuse |
| HPWH.inElec[0]     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.inElec[1]     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.HPWHxBU       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.qEnv          | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.qLoss         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.qHW           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| HPWH.qTX           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Current subhr extra heat tank heat, kwh (not btu)                         |
| HPWH.tankTempSet   | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | Nz iff hpwh tank temp has been initialized                                |
| HPWH.tankHCNominal | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Nominal hpwh tank heat content, kwh (at 40 c)                             |
| HPWH.tankHCStart   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Current step starting tank heat content, kwh                              |
| HPWH.tHWOutF       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Current substep working total re calc of hw_thwout                        |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|---|
| HPWH.nzDrawCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| HPWH.tHWOOut     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| HPWH.bWriteCSV   | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| HPWH.balErrCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| HPWH.balErrMax   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Maximum substep energy balance error for run, kwh         |
| HPWHxBU          | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| qEnv             | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| qLoss            | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| qHW              | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| nzDrawCount      | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| bWriteCSV        | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | –   |
| totHARL          | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Cumulative recovery load at heater, btu                   |
| hrCount          | X      | X        | unrecognized | hourly   | # of hourly values included in wh_totharl                 |
| totOut           | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Total heat delivered to hot water, btu                    |
| inElecSh         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Primary electricity (including wh_parelec) (note not kwh) |
| inElecBUSh       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Backup electricity (>0 only for hpwh resistance heat)     |
| inElecXBUSH      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | “extra” backup (reheating to maintain ws_tuse)            |
| inFuelSh         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Fuel (including wh_pilotpwr)                              |
| inElec           | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –   |



| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| inElecBU    | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Backup electricity (>0 only for hpwh resistance heat)            |
| inElecXBU   | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | “extra” backup (reheating to maintain ws_tuse)                   |
| inFuel      | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Fuel (including wh_pilotpwr)                                     |
| inElecTot   | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total electricity, btu                                    |
| inFuelTot   | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total fuel, btu   |
| elecMtri    | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Meter for system electricity use (default = parent ws_elecmttri) |
| fuelMtri    | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Meter for system fuel use (default = parent ws_electmttri)       |
| xBUEndUse   | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Wh_elecmttri end use for separate accounting of wh_hpwhxbu       |
| unMetSh     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                 | Count of subhrs in this hour                                     |
| unMetHrs    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual count of hrs having any wh_unmetsh                        |
| balErrCount | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                              | –  |

## 6.11 DHWHeatRec (owner: DHWSys)

@DHWHeatRec[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description                    |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| name     | X      | X        | string         | constant    | –                              |
| mult     | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Multiplier                     |
| hwEndUse | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | End use source for this device |
| type     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Type:<br>c_dwhrtych_           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| nFXDrain   | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Number of fixtures (of type wr_whenduse) draining            |
| nFXCold    | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Number of fixtures (of type wr_whenduse) draining            |
| feedsWH    | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Iff c_noyesch_yes, potable output is plumbed to water heater |
| effRated   | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Rated effectiveness (generally csa rating value)             |
| tdInDiff   | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Drain-side inlet water temp drop from fixture mixed temp, f  |
| tdInWarmup | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Drain-side inlet temp during warmup portion of draw          |
| eff        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Effectiveness under current conditions                       |
| tpO        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Most recent potable-side output temp, f                      |
| vp         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Most recent potable-side flow, gpm                           |

## 6.12 DHWLoop (owner: DHWSys)

@DHWLoop[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description                                   |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name     | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| mult     | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Multiplier: number of identical loops         |
| wlpCount | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total # of child dhwlooppumps                 |
| flow     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Current loop recirculation max flow, gpm      |
| runF     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Current hour recirculation operation fraction |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tIn1                | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Entering temperature at 1st dhwloopseg                        |
| fUA                 | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Ua adjustment factor for child dhwloopsegs                    |
| lossMakeupPwr       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Loss makeup heating (electrical) power, w                     |
| lossMakeupEff       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Loss makeup heating efficiency                                |
| elecMtri            | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Meter for loop electricity use (default = parent ws_elecMtri) |
| segTotals.count     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| segTotals.len       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| segTotals.vol       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| segTotals.exArea    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| segTotals.UA        | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| branchTotals.count  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| branchTotals.len    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| branchTotals.vol    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| branchTotals.exArea | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|---|--|
| branchTotals.UA | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| volRL           | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour<br>volume returned<br>to water heater,<br>gal |
| qLiqLP          | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Heat added to<br>liquid by<br>dhwlooppump(s),<br>btu       |
| HRLL            | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour loop<br>seg pipe losses,<br>btu               |
| HRLLnet         | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Wl_hrll adjusted<br>for pump by<br>pump heat and           |
| HRBL            | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour<br>branch pipe loss,<br>btu                   |
| t24WL           | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour<br>branch waste loss<br>volume, gal           |
| tRL             | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour<br>average return<br>temp, f                  |

### 6.13 DHWLoopBranch (owner: DHWLoopSeg)

@DHWLoopBranch[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability            | Description |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|------------------------|-------------|
| name     | X      | X        | string         | constant               | –           |
| absSlr   | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| awAbsSlr | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| epsLW    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| zi       | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly              | –           |
| F        | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| Fp       | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| frRad    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| fSky     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| fAir     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly              | –           |
| hcNat    | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour | –           |
| hcFrc    | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour | –           |
| hcMult   | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour | –           |
| hxa      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour | –           |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| hxr          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| hxtot        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| uRat         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| fRat         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| cx           | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| sgTarg.bm    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| sgTarg.df    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| sgTarg.tot   | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| sg           | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| tSrf         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| tSrfls       | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | —           |
| qrAbs        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| txa          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| txr          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| txe          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| w            | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| qSrf         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —           |
| pDS          | X      | X        | unrecognized   | subhourly  | —           |
| len          | X      | X        | number         | input time   | —           |
| size         | X      | X        | number         | input time   | —           |
| insulK       | X      | X        | number         | input time   | —           |
| insulThk     | X      | X        | number         | input time   | —           |
| exH          | X      | X        | number         | input time   | —           |
| exCnd        | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | —           |
| exT          | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | —           |
| totals.count | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| totals.len   | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description                          |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--------------------------------------|
| totals.vol    | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –                                    |
| totals.exArea | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –                                    |
| totals.UA     | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –                                    |
| fRhoCpX       | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –                                    |
| fvf           | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| tIn           | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| tOut          | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| PLWF          | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| PLCD          | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| PL            | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | –                                    |
| mult          | X      | X        | number | input time   | # of identical branches              |
| fUA           | X      | X        | number | input time   | Ua adjustment factor for this branch |
| fWaste        | X      | X        | number | hourly   | Waste fraction                       |
| flow          | X      | X        | number | hourly   | Assumed flow during use, gpm         |
| HBUL          | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | ... when water in use                |
| HBWL          | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | ... waste loss                       |
| t24WL         | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | ... waste loss volume, gal           |

## 6.14 DHWLoopHeater

@DHWLoopHeater[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|---------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| name    | –      | X        | string       | constant   | –           |
| mult    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| heatSrc | –      | X        | unrecognized | input time   | –           |
| type    | –      | X        | unrecognized | input time   | –           |
| desc    | –      | X        | string       | input time   | –           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|-------------|
| fcn         | –      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| ashpTy      | –      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | –           |
| znTi        | –      | X        | integer number | input time  | –           |
| tEx         | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| ashpSrcZnTi | –      | X        | integer number | input time  | –           |
| ashpTsrc    | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| ashpResUse  | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| vol         | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UA          | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| insulR      | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| inHtSupply  | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| inHtLoopRet | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| EF          | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| LDEF        | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| UEF         | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| ratedFlow   | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| annualFuel  | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| annualElec  | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| cycLossFuel | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| cycLossElec | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| maxFlowX    | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| maxInpX     | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| eff         | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| SBL         | –      | X        | number         | input time  | –           |
| pilotPwr    | –      | X        | number         | hourly  | –           |
| parElec     | –      | X        | number         | hourly  | –           |
| tHWOut      | –      | X        | number         | hourly  | –           |
| stbyTicks   | –      | X        | unrecognized   | subhourly   | –           |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|--------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| loadCFwdF          | –      | X        | number       | input time  | –           |
| loadCFwdMax        | –      | X        | number       | input time  | –           |
| loadCFwd           | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| nTickFullLoad      | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| nColdStarts        | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| effSh              | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| operElec           | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| stbyElec           | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| resHtPwr           | –      | X        | number       | input time  | –           |
| resHtPwr2          | –      | X        | number       | input time  | –           |
| HPWH.HSCount       | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.tEx           | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.tASHPSrc      | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.qTXTick       | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.nQTXNodes     | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.fMixUse       | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.fMixRL        | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.inElec[0]     | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.inElec[1]     | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.HPWHxBU       | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.qEnv          | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.qLoss         | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.qHW           | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.qTX           | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.tankTempSet   | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.tankHCNominal | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| HPWH.tankHCStart   | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| HPWH.tHWOuF      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWH.nzDrawCount | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWH.tHWOuT      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWH.bWriteCSV   | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWH.balErrCount | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWH.balErrMax   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| HPWHxBU          | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| qEnv             | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| qLoss            | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| qHW              | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| nzDrawCount      | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| bWriteCSV        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| totHARL          | –      | X        | number       | hourly   | –           |
| hrCount          | –      | X        | unrecognized | hourly   | –           |
| totOut           | –      | X        | number       | hourly   | –           |
| inElecSh         | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| inElecBUSh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| inElecXBUSh      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| inFuelSh         | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| inElec           | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| inElecBU         | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| inElecXBU        | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| inFuel           | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| inElecTot        | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate)     | –           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| inFuelTot   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| elecMtri    | –      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | –           |
| fuelMtri    | –      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | –           |
| xBUEndUse   | –      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | –           |
| unMetSh     | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| unMetHrs    | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| balErrCount | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                              | –           |

### 6.15 DHWLoopPump (owner: DHWLoop)

@DHWLoopPump[1..].

| Name                  | Input? | Runtime? | Type                  | Variability      | Description |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|
| name                  | X      | X        | string                | constant         | –           |
| mult                  | X      | X        | integer number        | input time       | –           |
| elecMtri              | X      | X        | integer number        | input time       | –           |
| pwr                   | X      | X        | number                | hourly           | –           |
| liqHeatF              | X      | X        | number                | hourly           | –           |
| inElec                | X      | X        | number                | end of each hour | –           |
| U0026: Internal error | –      | –        | ous class name 'DHWLo | opHeater':       | –           |
| there are TWO run     | –      | –        | h that .what. Change  | one of them.     | –           |

### 6.16 DHWLoopSeg (owner: DHWLoop)

@DHWLoopSeg[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| name     | X      | X        | string         | constant    | –           |
| absSlr   | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| awAbsSlr | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| epsLW    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| zi       | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | –           |
| F        | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| Fp       | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| frRad    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| fSky     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| fAir     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|-------------|
| hcNat      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| hcFrc      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| hcMult     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| hxa        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| hxr        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| hxtot      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| uRat       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| fRat       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| cx         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| sgTarg.bm  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| sgTarg.df  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| sgTarg.tot | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| sg         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| tSrf       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| tSrfls     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly           | —           |
| qrAbs      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| txa        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| txr        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| txe        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| w          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| qSrf       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | —           |
| pDS        | X      | X        | unrecognized   | subhourly           | —           |
| len        | X      | X        | number         | input time          | —           |
| size       | X      | X        | number         | input time          | —           |
| insulK     | X      | X        | number         | input time          | —           |
| insulThk   | X      | X        | number         | input time          | —           |
| exH        | X      | X        | number         | input time          | —           |
| exCnd      | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | —           |
| exT        | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | —           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|--|
| totals.count  | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| totals.len    | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| totals.vol    | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| totals.exArea | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| totals.UA     | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| fRhoCpX       | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –  |
| fvf           | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| tIn           | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| tOut          | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| PLWF          | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| PLCD          | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| PL            | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | –  |
| ty            | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time  | Type:<br>c_dhwlsegtych_sup<br>/ _ret               |
| wbCount       | X      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Total # of child<br>dhwloopbranchs                 |
| fNoDraw       | X      | X        | number       | hourly  | Fraction of hour<br>when there is no<br>draw       |
| LL            | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour loop<br>loss, btu                     |
| BL            | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour   | Current hour child<br>dhwloopbranch<br>losses, btu |

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description   |
|-------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|---|
| t24WL | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Current hour child dhwloopbranch waste loss volume, gal |

## 6.17 DHWmeter

@DHWmeter[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|--|-------------|
| name      | X      | X        | string | constant   | –           |
| Y.total   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.unknown | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.faucet  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.shower  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.bath    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.cwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.dwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| M.total   | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.unknown | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.faucet  | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.shower  | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.bath    | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.cwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.dwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each month                                | –           |
| D.total   | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.unknown | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.faucet  | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.shower  | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.bath    | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.cwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.dwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                  | –           |
| H.total   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.unknown | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.faucet  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.shower  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.bath    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.cwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.dwashr  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | –           |

## 6.18 DHWPump (owner: DHWSys)

@DHWPump[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability      | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|-------------------|------------------|--|
| name     | X      | X        | string            | constant         | –  |
| mult     | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time       | Count of identical dhw pumps (default 1)                       |
| elecMtri | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time       | Meter for pump electricity use (default = parent ws_elecmttri) |
| pwr      | X      | X        | number            | hourly           | Pump power, w  |
| liqHeatF | X      | X        | number            | hourly           | Fraction of wp_pwr added to liquid stream                      |
| inElec   | X      | X        | number            | end of each hour | Electricity (note not kwh)                                     |

## 6.19 DHWSolarCollector (owner: DHWSolarSys)

@DHWSolarCollector[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description                                     |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| name     | X      | X        | string | constant   | –   |
| mult     | X      | X        | number | input time   | Multiplier (for multiple panels). default 1.    |
| multLR   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate)     | Last run multiplier, re probing in chained runs |
| area     | X      | X        | number | input time   | Srcc collector area, ft2                        |
| areaTot  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total area, ft2 (=sc_area*sc_mult)              |
| FRUL     | X      | X        | number | input time   | Srcc slope                                      |
| FRTA     | X      | X        | number | input time   | Srcc intercept                                  |
| tilt     | X      | X        | number | input time   | Array tilt, radians (input as degrees)          |
| azm      | X      | X        | number | input time   | Array azimuth, radians (input as degrees)       |
| poa      | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Plane of array incidence, btu/h-ft2             |
| Qpoa     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Plane of array incident heat, btu               |
| eff      | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Fraction of incident heat added to the fluid    |
| Qfluid   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Heat added to the fluid, btu                    |
| tOutlet  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Outlet temperature, f                           |
| tOutletP | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Potential outlet temperature, f                 |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability            | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------------|---|
| pumpPwr       | X      | X        | number       | input time             | Pump power, w                                       |
| pumpLiqHeatF  | X      | X        | number       | input time             | Fraction of<br>sc_pumppwr added<br>to liquid stream |
| pumpFlow      | X      | X        | number       | input time             | Rated flow rate,<br>gpm                             |
| pumpOnDeltaT  | X      | X        | number       | input time             | Temperature<br>difference between<br>the            |
| pumpOffDeltaT | X      | X        | number       | input time             | Temperature<br>difference between<br>the            |
| tickVol       | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | Volume moved<br>during this tick, gal               |
| tickOp        | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each<br>subhour | Nz iff pump is<br>operating during<br>prior tick    |
| mdot          | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour    | Actual mass flow<br>rate, lb/hr                     |
| pumpInElec    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour    | Actual electricity<br>use (note not kwh)            |

## 6.20 DHWSolarSys

@DHWSolarSys[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| name      | X      | X        | string            | constant   | –  |
| elecMtri  | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Meter for pump and<br>parasitic electricity<br>use                   |
| endUse    | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | End use of pump<br>energy. defaults to<br>“dhw”                      |
| parElec   | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | Parasitic electricity<br>use, w                                      |
| wsCount   | X      | X        | unrecognized      | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | # of dhwsyss<br>supplied by this<br>dhwsolarsys                      |
| scAreaTot | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Total of child<br>dhwsolarcollectors,<br>ft2                         |
| scCount   | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | # of child<br>dhwsolarcollectors<br>(not necessarily #<br>of panels) |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description      |
|--------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|------------------|
| tank.HSCount       | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tEx           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tASHPSrc      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.qTXXick       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.nQTXNodes     | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.fMixUse       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.fMixRL        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.inElec[0]     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.inElec[1]     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.HPWHxBU       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.qEnv          | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.qLoss         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.qHW           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.qTX           | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tankTempSet   | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tankHCNominal | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tankHCStart   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tHWOutF       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.nzDrawCount   | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.tHWOut        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.bWriteCSV     | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.balErrCount   | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tank.balErrMax     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –                |
| tankVol            | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Tank volume, gal |



| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description   |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|---|
| tankUA          | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Tank water-to-air ua, btuh/f                                |
| tankInsulR      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total tank insulation resistance, hr-f/btuh                 |
| tankZnTi        | X      | X        | integer      | input time   | Tank location zone  |
| tankTEx         | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | re tank loss<br>Surrounding temperature, f for tank loss    |
| tankQLoss       | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Current hour's total tank loss, btu                         |
| tankHXEff       | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Tank heat exchanger effectiveness                           |
| tankTHxLimit    | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Tank temp limit, f; collector heat                          |
| overHeatTkCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | # of ticks in this hour when collector did not run          |
| tickVol         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Current tick draw to dhwsyss, gal                           |
| tickVolT        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Current tick (vol * inlet temp), gal-f                      |
| drawVol         | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Current hour total draw, gal                                |
| tankQGain       | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Current hour's total gain from solar hx, btu                |
| tankTInlet      | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Tank inlet temperature, f                                   |
| tankTOutlet     | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Tank outlet temperature, f                                  |
| tankTHx         | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Nominal tank heat exchange temp, f                          |
| scFluidSpHt     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Collector working fluid specific heat, btu/lbm-f            |
| scFluidDens     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Collector working fluid density, lb/ft3                     |
| scFluidVHC      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Collector working fluid volumetric heat capacity, btu/gal-f |
| scTInlet        | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Mixed collector inlet temperature, f                        |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description                                    |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| scTOutlet       | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | Mixed collector outlet temperature, f          |
| overHeatHrCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Number of hours during which collector did not |
| SSFAnnual       | X      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual solar savings fraction                  |

## 6.21 DHWSys

@DHWSys[1..].

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name           | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| calcMode       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time                                       | Calculation mode  |
| centralDHWSYSi | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Index of central (parent) dhwsys, 0 if none                 |
| mult           | X      | X        | number         | input time                                       | Multiplier: model as ws_mult identical systems              |
| elecMtri       | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Meter for system electricity use                            |
| fuelMtri       | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Meter for system fuel use                                   |
| inElec         | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Electricity (note not kwh)                                  |
| inFuel         | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Fuel (for generality, always 0?)                            |
| swTi           | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Dhwsolarsys serving preheated water to this system          |
| SSFAnnualSolar | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual solar heat added (numerator to calculate ssf), gal-f |
| SSFAnnualReq   | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual heat required (denominator to calculate ssf), gal-f  |
| SSFAnnual      | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual solar savings fraction                               |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tInlet           | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Current hour cold water inlet temp, f for this dhwsys         |
| tInletX          | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Hour average adjusted cold water temp, f                      |
| hwUse            | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Current hour hot water use (at fixtures), gal                 |
| iTk0DWHR         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                 | 1st tick with possible dwhr                                   |
| iTkNDWHR         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                 | Last+1 tick with possible dwhr                                |
| qDWHR            | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Hour total heat recovered by all dhwheatrec devices, btu      |
| WHhwMtri         | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Dhwmtr for hot water use at water heater(s) (= ws_whuse), gal |
| FXhwMtri         | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Dhwmtr for hot water use at fixtures (= ws_fxusemix), gal     |
| whUseNoHR        | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | Current hour virtual hot water use w/o heat recovery, gal     |
| fxUseMix.total   | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.unknown | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.faucet  | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.shower  | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.bath    | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.cwashr  | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMix.dwashr  | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                 | –   |
| fxUseMixTot[0]   | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal               |
| fxUseMixTot[1]   | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal               |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description                                     |
|--------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| fxUseMixTot[2]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixTot[3]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixTot[4]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixTot[5]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixTot[6]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixTot[7]     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total (mixed) water use at fixtures, gal |
| fxUseMixLH.total   | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.unknown | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.faucet  | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.shower  | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.bath    | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.cwashr  | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| fxUseMixLH.dwashr  | X      | X        | number | hourly   | —   |
| whUse.total        | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.unknown      | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.faucet       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.shower       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.bath         | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.cwashr       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUse.dwashr       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                 | —   |
| whUseTot[0]        | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal    |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| whUseTot[1] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[2] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[3] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[4] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[5] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[6] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| whUseTot[7] | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Annual total hot water use (at ws_tuse), gal                 |
| drawMaxDur  | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Draw duration window, hr (user input, default 4)             |
| drawMax     | X      | X        | number         | input time                                       | Largest draw total in any conseq ws_drawmaxdur hrs, gal      |
| loadMaxDur  | X      | X        | integer number | input time                                       | Load duration window, hr (user input, default 12)            |
| loadMax     | X      | X        | number         | input time                                       | Largest load total in any conseq ws_loadmaxdur hrs, btu      |
| tUse        | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Hot water use temp, f  |
| tSetpoint   | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Dhwheater set point (for all dhwheaters using hpwh model), f |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| tSetpointLH        | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Dhwloopheater set point (for all child dhwloopheaters using hpwh model), f |
| tOutPrimLT         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Primary water heater outlet temp, f  |
| dayUsei            | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | Idx of dhwdayuse   |
| dayUseName         | X      | X        | string         | daily  | Name of dhwdayuse (resolved at runtime)                                    |
| childDHWDAYUSEFlag | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Nz iff at least one child dhwsys has specified ws_dayusername              |
| parElec            | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Electrical parasitic power, w  |
| SDLM               | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Standard distribution loss multiplier                                      |
| DSM                | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Distribution system multiplier (appe table re-2)                           |
| SSF                | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Solar savings fraction   |
| WF                 | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Waste factor applied to ws_hwuse and dhwuses                               |
| drawCount[0]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawCount[1]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawCount[2]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawCount[3]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawCount[4]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawCount[5]       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| drawsPerDay[0]     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|---|
| drawsPerDay[1] | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| drawsPerDay[2] | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| drawsPerDay[3] | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| drawsPerDay[4] | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| drawsPerDay[5] | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| drawDurF[0]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| drawDurF[1]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| drawDurF[2]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| drawDurF[3]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| drawDurF[4]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| drawDurF[5]    | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Water heater<br>draw duration<br>factors by end use |
| branchModel    | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time   | Branch model<br>selection                           |
| drawWaste[0]   | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Water waste per<br>draw, gal                        |
| drawWaste[1]   | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Water waste per<br>draw, gal                        |
| drawWaste[2]   | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Water waste per<br>draw, gal                        |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description                                    |
|--------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| drawWaste[3]       | X      | X        | number | hourly   | Water waste per draw, gal                      |
| drawWaste[4]       | X      | X        | number | hourly   | Water waste per draw, gal                      |
| drawWaste[5]       | X      | X        | number | hourly   | Water waste per draw, gal                      |
| dayWasteDrawF[0]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteDrawF[1]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteDrawF[2]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteDrawF[3]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteDrawF[4]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteDrawF[5]   | X      | X        | number | input time   | Relative draw for day waste scheme             |
| dayWasteVol        | X      | X        | number | input time   | Base daily total draw waste, gal/day           |
| dayWasteBranchVolF | X      | X        | number | input time   | Additional daily draw waste, discards/day      |
| dayWaste           | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Daily draw waste, gal/day                      |
| dayWasteScale      | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate)     | –  |
| childDHWSYSCount   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of child dhwsyss iff central system (else 0) |
| whCount            | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of (primary) dhwheaters serving this dhwsys  |
| wlhCount           | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of dhwloopheaters in this dhwsys             |



| Name                 | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| whCountUseTS         | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of dhwheaters serving this dhwsys that respond to ws_tsetpoint       |
| wlhCountUseTS        | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of dhwloopheaters serving this dhwsys that respond to ws_tsetpointlh |
| wtCount              | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of child dhwtanks  |
| wpCount              | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of child dhwpumps  |
| wlCount              | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of child dhwloops (aka nloopk)                                       |
| configChecked        | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Set non-0 when configuration has been checked (see ws_init())          |
| loopSegTotals.count  | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of segments included in totals                                       |
| loopSegTotals.len    | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Length, ft   |
| loopSegTotals.vol    | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Volume, gal  |
| loopSegTotals.exArea | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Outside surface area (at insulation surface), ft2                      |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| loopSegTotals.UA    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fluid-to-surround loss, btuh/f-hr                             |
| branchTotals.count  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of segments included in totals                              |
| branchTotals.len    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Length, ft  |
| branchTotals.vol    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Volume, gal   |
| branchTotals.exArea | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Outside surface area (at insulation surface), ft2             |
| branchTotals.UA     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fluid-to-surround loss, btuh/f-hr                             |
| wrCount             | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total child dhwheatrecs                                       |
| wrFeedWHCount       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Count of child dhwheatrecs that provide                       |
| wrFxDrainCount      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Count of fixture drains feeding (possibly shared) dhwheatrecs |
| fxCount[0]          | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| fxCount[1]        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fxCount[2]        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fxCount[3]        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fxCount[4]        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fxCount[5]        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| loadShareDHWSYSi  | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Index of dhwsys with which this dhwsys shares load |
| loadShareCount[0] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| loadShareCount[1] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| loadShareCount[2] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| loadShareCount[3] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| loadShareCount[4] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| loadShareCount[5] | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| loadShareWS0[0]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| loadShareWS0[1]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| loadShareWS0[2]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| loadShareWS0[3]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| loadShareWS0[4]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| loadShareWS0[5]   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day                                      | Re allocation of shared load                          |
| drawCSV           | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Iff c_noyesch_yes, write tick-level draw data to      |
| HHWO              | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Hourly hot water output (at water heater), btu        |
| DLM               | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Distribution loss multiplier (calc'd)                 |
| volRL             | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Current hour all-dhwloop return volume, gal           |
| tRL               | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Current hour all-dhwloop return temp, f               |
| HRBL              | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Current hour all-dhwloopbranch losses, btu            |
| t24WL             | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Current hour all-dhwloopbranch waste loss volume, gal |
| t24WLTot          | X      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate)     | Annual total ws_t24wl                                 |
| HRDL              | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Current hour recirculation loss, btu                  |

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description  |
|-------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|--|
| HJLsh | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Current subhour jacket losses (from dhwtanks), btu |
| HJL   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour    | Hour total jacket losses (from dhwtanks), btu      |
| HARL  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour    | Hour total adjusted recovery load, btu             |

## 6.22 DHWTank (owner: DHWSys)

@DHWTank[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description                                 |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|---|
| name    | X      | X        | string         | constant            | –   |
| mult    | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Count of identical dhw tanks (default 1)    |
| UA      | X      | X        | number         | input time          | Tank water-to-air ua, btuh/f                |
| vol     | X      | X        | number         | input time          | Tank volume, gal                            |
| insulR  | X      | X        | number         | input time          | Total tank insulation resistance, hr-f/btuh |
| tTank   | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Assumed tank water temperature, f           |
| znTi    | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Dhwtank location zone re tank loss          |
| tEx     | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Surrounding temperature, f for tank loss    |
| xLoss   | X      | X        | number         | hourly              | Other tank temp-independent losses, btuh    |
| qLossSh | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Current subhr loss rate, btuh               |
| qLoss   | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | Current hour's total loss, btu              |

## 6.23 DHWUse (owner: DHWDayUse)

@DHWUse[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| name     | X      | X        | string         | constant    | –  |
| hwEndUse | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Hot water end use  |
| eventID  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | User-defined index that identifies dhwuses belonging to a single |
| start    | X      | X        | number         | hourly      | Draw starting hour of day, 0 - 23.999                            |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description                            |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| dur       | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Flow duration, min                     |
| flow      | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Mixed flow rate, gpm                   |
| hotF      | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Fraction hot water, default = 1        |
| temp      | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Use temperature, f. if given,          |
| heatRecEF | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Heat recovery effectiveness            |
| drawSeqN  | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Sequence number of draw by ws_hwenduse |

## 6.24 door (owner: surface)

@door[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type    | Variability  | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|---------|--|-------------|
| name      | X      | –        | string  | constant   | –           |
| ty        | X      | –        | integer | input time   | –           |
| area      | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| azm       | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| tilt      | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| dircos[0] | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| dircos[1] | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| dircos[2] | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| depthBG   | X      | –        | number  | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description                               |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| height        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)<br>input time | ... and to compute area b4<br>mutliplier. |
| model         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| modelr        | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| lThkF         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| gti           | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sco           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| scc           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.absSlr   | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.awAbsSlr | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.epsLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sbcI.zi       | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sbcI.F        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sbcI.Fp       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sbcI.frRad    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |
| sbcI.fSky     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate)               | –   |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.fAir       | X      | —        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| sbcI.hcNat      | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.hcFrc      | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.hcMult     | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.hxa        | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.hxr        | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.hxtot      | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.uRat       | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.fRat       | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.cx         | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.bm  | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.df  | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.tot | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.sg         | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.tSrf       | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.tSrfls     | X      | —        | number       | subhourly   | —           |
| sbcI.qrAbs      | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.txa        | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.txr        | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.txe        | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.w          | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.qSrf       | X      | —        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | —           |
| sbcI.pXS        | X      | —        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |



| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenCharNat | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenEffWink | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosTilt    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.atvDeg     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosAtv     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcModel    | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcLChar    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg31  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg14  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg07  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTGrnd      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rGrnd       | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rConGrnd    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.absSlr      | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.awAbsSlr    | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.epsLW       | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.zi         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.F          | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.Fp         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.frRad      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fSky       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fAir       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcNat      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcFrc      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcMult     | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxa        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxr        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxtot      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.uRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.fRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.cx         | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.bm  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.df  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.tot | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sg         | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrf       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.tSrfls     | X      | –        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcO.qrAbs      | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txa        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txr        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txe        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.w          | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.qSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.pXS        | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenCharNat | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenEffWink | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosTilt    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.atvDeg      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosAtv      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcModel     | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcLChar     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg31  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg14  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg07  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTGrnd      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.rGrnd    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rConGrnd | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fenModel      | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| SHGC          | X      | –        | number       | input time  | –           |
| fMult         | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNFRC         | X      | –        | number       | input time  | –           |
| NGlz          | X      | –        | integer      | input time  | –           |
|               |        |          | number       |   |             |
| exShd         | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| inShd         | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| dirtLoss      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExCnd       | X      | –        | integer      | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
|               |        |          | number       |   |             |
| sfExT         | X      | –        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sfAdjZi       | X      | –        | integer      | input time  | –           |
|               |        |          | number       |   |             |
| uI            | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uC            | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uX            | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| Rf            | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| grndRefl      | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfSkyDf       | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfGrndDf      | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| vfSkyLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| vfGrndLW   | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| uval       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| UNom       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| UANom      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| rSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| rSrfNom[1] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| hSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| hSrfNom[1] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| cFctr      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| iwshad     | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| msi        | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr<br>which will be used if<br>delayed model |
| tLrB[0]    | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[1]    | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| tLrB[2]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[3]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[4]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[5]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[6]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[7]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[8]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[9]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| nsgdist          | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sgdist[2].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[6].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[6].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| sgdist[7].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sfClass          | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time   | Sfcnul, sfcsurf, sfcdoor, sfcwindow                              |
| sfArea           | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Surface: gross area, net in x.xs_area.                           |
| sfU              | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Uval input if no sfcon given (excl surf films)                   |
| sfCon            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface construction (optional)                                  |
| sfTy             | X      | –        | integer number | constant   | Wall/floor/ceil/[intmass1/2]: for input cking.                   |
| sfFnd            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation object (floors only, optional)                |
| sfFndFloor       | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation floor object (walls only, optional)           |
| sfExpPerim       | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Foundation floor exposed perimeter (floors only)                 |
| width            | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Width and height: used to compute shading,                       |
| height           | X      | –        | number         | input time   | ... and to compute area b4 mutliplier.                           |
| mult             | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Area multiplier (for multiple identical windows)                 |
| xi               | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript in runtime xsrat, to facilitate access by probers 1-92 |
| msi              | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr which will be used if delayed model        |

## 6.25 DuctSeg (owner: RSYS)

@DuctSeg[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description |
|------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| name | X      | X        | string | constant    | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability            | Description                    |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ty         | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time             | Type: c_ducttych_ret /<br>_sup |
| absSlr     | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| awAbsSlr   | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| epsLW      | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| zi         | X      | X        | integer      | subhourly              | —                              |
|            |        |          | number       |                        |                                |
| F          | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| Fp         | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| frRad      | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| fSky       | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| fAir       | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| hcNat      | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| hcFrc      | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| hcMult     | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| hxa        | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| hxr        | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| hxtot      | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| uRat       | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| fRat       | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| cx         | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| sgTarg.bm  | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| sgTarg.df  | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| sgTarg.tot | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| sg         | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| tSrf       | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| tSrfls     | X      | X        | number       | subhourly              | —                              |
| qrAbs      | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| txa        | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| txr        | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| txe        | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |
| w          | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour | —                              |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| qSrf        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| pDS         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | subhourly  | Pointer to parent ductseg  |
| exArea      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Exterior heat transfer surface area, ft <sup>2</sup> (outside of insulation) |
| diam        | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Duct diameter (w/o insulation), ft   |
| len         | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Total length (all branches), ft  |
| branchLen   | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Average branch length, ft  |
| branchCount | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | # of branches  |
| branchCFA   | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Floor area served per per branch, ft <sup>2</sup>                            |
| airVelDs    | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Design air velocity, fpm   |
| inArea      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Interior surface area, ft <sup>2</sup>                                       |
| insulR      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Rated insulation resistance, ft <sup>2</sup> -f/btuh                         |
| insulMati   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Insulation material, 0 if none   |
| insulKA     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Constants for insul conductivity: $k_{insul} = k_a + k_b \cdot t$            |
| insulKB     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| insulThk    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Insulation actual thickness, ft  |
| insulThkEff | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Effective insulation thickness, ft   |
| RconvIn     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Inside surfce convection resistance, ft <sup>2</sup> -f/btuh                 |
| Rduct       | X      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Total resistance from duct air to exterior surface of insulation             |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type    | Variability         | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|---------|---------------------|---|
| Uduct      | X      | X        | number  | end of each hour    | 1/ds_rduct  |
| insulREff  | X      | X        | number  | end of each hour    | Effective insulation resistance, ft <sup>2</sup> -f/btuh              |
| exCnd      | X      | X        | integer | input time          | Adjacent cond:  |
| leakF      | X      | X        | number  | input time          | adiabatic/ambient/spect/adjzn.  |
| uaTot      | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | Leakage fraction, 0-1   |
| beta       | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | Cur step total conductance between duct air                           |
| air[0].tdb | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | Cur step conduction loss parameter (1 - effectiveness)                |
| air[0].w   | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[1].tdb | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[1].w   | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[2].tdb | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[2].w   | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[3].tdb | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| air[3].w   | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | –   |
| amfFL      | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | Dry air mass flow rate at full load, lbm/hr                           |
| qCondFL    | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | Full load total conduction losses to surround (+ = out of duct), btuh |
| qCondAirFL | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | ... to txa (air)  |
| qCondRadFL | X      | X        | number  | end of each subhour | ... to txr (radiant)  |

## 6.26 export (owner: exportFile)

@export[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description   |
|------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|---|
| name | X      | –        | string         | constant    | –   |
| zi   | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Zone for zone-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all.                    |
| mtri | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Meter to report/export for meter-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all. |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| ahi      | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Air handler to report/export for air-handler-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all.                  |
| tui      | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Terminal to report/export for terminal-specific reports. can be ti_all                                 |
| dhwMtri  | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Dhw meter to report/export for dhw meter-specific reports. can be ti_all.                              |
| isExport | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | 1 if export not report, so same fens can be used with rib and xib records                              |
| rpTy     | X      | —        | integer number | constant   | Report/export type c_rptych_eb etc   |
| rpFreq   | X      | —        | integer number | constant   | R/xport frequency c_ivlch_m etc  |
| rpDayBeg | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Start 1-based julian day of year, where applicable   |
| rpDayEnd | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | End ..   |
| rpBtuSf  | X      | —        | number         | input time   | Energy (btu) scale factor  |
| rpCond   | X      | —        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Condition: if given, rpt lines omitted when false (si; li used to hold nan) (li currently unprobeable) |
| rpTitle  | X      | —        | string         | input time   | Title, for udt, in dm  |
| rpCpl    | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Chars per line, inputtable re udt's  |
| rpHeader | X      | —        | unrecognized   | input time   | Table header or export header yes/no (default yes)   |
| rpFooter | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Table footer (summary line) or export footer (just blank line?) yes/no (default yes)                   |
| coli     | X      | —        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Rcolb/xcolb subscript of first column (thence linked by .nxcoli).                                      |
| nCol     | X      | —        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # columns  |
| wid      | X      | —        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total col width for user-defined report  |

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| vrh  | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Assigned virtual report handle, used from here to build unspoolinfo. |

## 6.27 exportCol (owner: export)

@exportCol[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| name    | X      | X        | string         | constant            | –  |
| colHead | X      | X        | string         | input time          | Column head string, in dm. *i cuz veoi in cncult.cpp:rpcolt[].   |
| colGap  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Space to left of column, default 1   |
| colWid  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Column width   |
| colDec  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Coldecimals: max digits after point  |
| colJust | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Justification: c_justch_1 or _r  |
| colVal  | X      | X        | un-probe-able  | end of each subhour | Value .val and data type .dt (tyfl/tystr in input, dtfloat/dtchp in run), used at end report interval. |
| nxColi  | X      | X        | integer number | constant            | For runtime: col subscript of next column in this report, 0 if last one                                |

## 6.28 exportFile

@exportFile[1..].

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| name            | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –  |
| fileName        | X      | –        | string         | input time   | File name, path optional, in dm (or pseudocode, but not “text”). *i cuz veoi in cncult.        |
| fileStat        | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fresh(overwrite,default)/new(err if exists)/append   |
| pageFmt         | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Page formatting on no/yes  |
| fileStatChecked | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Check filestat only once to prevent “file exists” error or re-setting “overwrite” on later run |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|--|
| overWrite   | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Append if 0. set by<br>filestat=fresh, cleared on use, so<br>addl runs do not erase earlier<br>output. |
| wasNotEmpty | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Nz if existed and size > 0 at<br>filestat check  |

## 6.29 foundation

@foundation[1..].

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|-------------|---|
| name       | X      | –        | string            | constant    | –   |
| wlHtAbvGrd | X      | –        | number            | input time  | Height of foundation<br>wall above grade                  |
| wlDpBlwSlb | X      | –        | number            | input time  | Depth of foundation<br>wall below the slab                |
| ftWlConi   | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time  | Foundation wall<br>construction (con<br>subscript) rqd if |

## 6.30 foundationBlock (owner: foundation)

@foundationBlock[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description                                       |
|-------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|---|
| name  | X      | –        | string         | constant    | –   |
| mati  | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Material (mat<br>subscript) for this<br>component |
| x1Ref | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Point 1 x reference                               |
| z1Ref | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Point 1 z reference                               |
| x1    | X      | –        | number         | input time  | Point 1 x value<br>(relative to reference)        |
| z1    | X      | –        | number         | input time  | Point 1 x value<br>(relative to reference)        |
| x2Ref | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Point 2 x reference                               |
| z2Ref | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Point 2 z reference                               |
| x2    | X      | –        | number         | input time  | Point 2 x value<br>(relative to reference)        |
| z2    | X      | –        | number         | input time  | Point 2 x value<br>(relative to reference)        |



**6.31 gain (owner: zone)**

@gain[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| name      | X      | X        | string         | constant                               | –  |
| gnPower   | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Amount of gain (demand – b4 reduction by gndlfrpow), btuh, hourly expression                     |
| mtri      | X      | X        | integer number | input time                             | Meter to which gain is charged   |
| gnEndUse  | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | End use of energy: cooling, heating, receptacles, etc. reqd if gnmeter != none, else disallowed. |
| gnFrLat   | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction of gain which is latent (0 - 1, hourly expression)                                      |
| gnFrRad   | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction of gain which is radiant, added 11-95   |
| gnFrZn    | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction of gain going to zone (0 - 1, hourly expression)  |
| gnFrPl    | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction of gain going to plenum (0 - 1, hourly expression)                                      |
| gnFrRtn   | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction of gain going to return (0 - 1, hourly expression)                                      |
| gnDlFrPow | X      | X        | number         | hourly                                 | Fraction power on for daylighting, 0-1, default 1.0, hourly expression                           |
| dhwsysi   | X      | X        | integer number | input time                             | Controlling dhwsys, 0 if none  |
| dhwEndUse | X      | X        | integer number | input time                             | With gn_dhwsysi, specifies controlling hw end use  |

**6.32 glazeType**

@glazeType[1..].

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description            |
|--------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|------------------------|
| name   | X      | X        | string | constant    | –                      |
| gtSHGC | X      | X        | number | input time  | Rated shgc of assembly |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                            | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| gtSMSO        | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                         | Optional solar heat gain coef multiplier, shades open, used if not spec'd in window, dflt 1.0.  |
| gtSMSC        | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                         | Ditto shades closed, defaults at window level.  |
| gtFMult       | X      | X        | number | input time                             | Optional frame/mullion multiplier for use when not spec'd in window. constant.                  |
| gtPySHGC.k[0] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtPySHGC.k[1] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtPySHGC.k[2] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtPySHGC.k[3] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtPySHGC.k[4] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtPySHGC.k[5] | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time | —   |
| gtDMSHGC      | X      | X        | number | input time                             | Diffuse shgc multiplier used (in place of polynomial). reqd. constant.                          |
| gtDMRBSol     | X      | X        | number | input time                             | Reflectance for diffuse solar on inside of glass, for cavity absorptance calc'ns (cgsolar.cpp). |
| gtU           | X      | X        | number | input time                             | Optional u-value for use when not spec'd in window. constant.                                   |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| gtUNFRC    | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Overall u-factor evaluated under per nfrc heating conditions |
| gtNGlz     | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | # of glazings bare-glass assembly                            |
| gtFenModel | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Fenestration model: user input                               |
| gtExShd    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Exterior shade (ashwat only)                                 |
| gtInShd    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Interior shade (ditto)                                       |
| gtDirtLoss | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Dirt loss fraction (all solar gain reduced by this factor)   |

### 6.33 *heatPlant*

@heatPlant[1..].

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name        | X      | X        | string         | constant                               | –   |
| hpSched     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly                                 | Hourly choice of off, avail (default; plant runs on demand), or on (at least 1st stage runs). |
| hpPipeLossF | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time | Pipe loss, default .01, fraction of largest stage boiler capac whenever any boiler running    |
| hpStage1[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| hpStage1[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| hpStage1[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| hpStage1[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| hpStage1[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |
| hpStage1[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | –   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| hpStage1[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage1[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage2[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage2[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | Defaulted by code, if<br>no hpstage values<br>entered: |
| hpStage3[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |
| hpStage3[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                  | Description                                   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| hpStage3[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage4[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage4[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | ... stage 1: ti_all.<br>stages 2-7: none (0). |
| hpStage5[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |
| hpStage5[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time | –   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|---|
| hpStage6[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage6[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[0] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[1] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[2] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[3] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[4] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[5] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[6] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| hpStage7[7] | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –   |
| blr1        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st<br>boiler for this<br>heatplant. next is<br>boiler.nxb1r4hp. |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description   |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|---|---|
| tu1       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st tu<br>with hw coil served<br>by this heatplant.<br>next is<br>tu.tuhc.nxtu4hp. |
| ah1       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st ah<br>with hw coil served<br>by this heatplant.<br>next is<br>ah.ahhc.nxah4hp. |
| hl1       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscript of 1st<br>hploop with hx for<br>this heatplant  |
| qPipeLoss | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[0] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[1] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[2] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[3] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[4] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[5] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgCap[6] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| stgPQ[0]  | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| stgPQ[1] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgPQ[2] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgPQ[3] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgPQ[4] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgPQ[5] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgPQ[6] | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —  |
| stgN     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Max+1 used stage<br>subscript 1-7 (used<br>stages need not be<br>contiguous)                                   |
| stgMxQ   | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Most powerful stage<br>subscript 0-6   |
| hpClf    | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Call-flag: set nz if<br>must call hpcompute<br>so it can test tr, etc<br>to see if computation<br>needed.      |
| hpPtf    | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Compute-flag: set if<br>must call hpcompute<br>and it should<br>unconditionally<br>recompute this plant.       |
| hpMode   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each<br>subhour  | Mode this subhour:<br>off or on: per<br>hpsched; per demand<br>for avail. set in<br>hpeestimate,<br>hpcompute. |
| capF     | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | —  |
| stgi     | X      | X        | integer number | end of each<br>subhour  | Stage in use, 0-6 for<br>hpstage1-7.   |



| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|---|
| qNx      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| q        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| qPk      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Peak load re error autosizing overload message                                      |
| qPkAs    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Peak load on a converged autosizing design day re error autosizing overload message |
| hpModePr | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | –   |
| qPr      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| capFPr   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |

### 6.34 holiday

@holiday[1..].

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| name       | X      | –        | string         | constant    | –  |
| hdDateTrue | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | True date of holiday, 1-365  |
| hdDateObs  | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Day holiday is observed, 1-365                                     |
| hdOnMonday | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Yes if holiday that falls on weekend is observed on monday         |
| hdCase     | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Case:<br>c_holicasech_first,<br>_second, _third,<br>_fourth, _last |
| hdDow      | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Day of week, sun=1. subtract 1 before using.                       |
| hdMon      | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time  | Month 1-12   |

### 6.35 impFileFldNames

@impFileFldNames[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|-------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| name  | –      | X        | string         | constant    | –  |
| impfi | –      | X        | integer number | input time  | 0 or subscript of impf record for file in impfib/impfb |

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description   |
|-------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|---|
| fnmiN | –      | X        | integer number | input time  | Number of named fields seen for this file / max fnmi (+ 1 if 0-based) |

## 6.36 importFile

@importFile[1..].

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| name         | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –  |
| fileName     | X      | X        | string         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | File name, path optional, in heap or pseudocode. *i cuz veoi in cncult. rqd.     |
| imTitle      | X      | X        | string         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Title string. if given, file's must match.                                       |
| imPhaseSpare | X      | X        | integer number | constant   | For possible future autosize/mainsim/both choice 6-95                            |
| imFreq       | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Frequency of record reads, y m d h; hs and subhour not allowed. rqd.             |
| hasHeader    | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | File has header no/yes, default yes.   |
| iffnmi       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript of import file field record in ifnmb. holds used names b4 file opened; |
| isOpen       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Non-0 if file is open and buffer has been allocated successfully                 |
| fh           | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | File handle. caution: initial value, 0, is a valid file handle.                  |
| posEndHdr    | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | File pointer after header, for repositioning file after warmup                   |
| bufSz        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or allocated size of buffer (actually 1 larger to hold 0)                      |
| bufN         | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Number of characters in buffer === subscript of 1st unused byte                  |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| eofRead        | X      | X        | integer<br>number | hourly  | True after end file has<br>been input to buffer<br>(unused records may<br>remain in buffer) |
| eof            | X      | X        | integer<br>number | hourly  | True after last record<br>has been used   |
| bufI1          | X      | X        | integer<br>number | hourly  | Buffer subscript 1: start<br>or next unscanned field<br>in current record                   |
| bufI2          | X      | X        | integer<br>number | hourly  | Buffer subscript 2: end<br>current record. ==bufI1<br>if no current record.                 |
| lineNo         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | hourly  | 1-based line number (n<br>count) in file  |
| lineNoEndHdr   | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Lineno corresponding to<br>posendhdr  |
| nFieldsScanned | X      | X        | integer<br>number | end of each<br>hour   | 0 or number of fields<br>already scanned in<br>current record                               |
| eorScanned     | X      | X        | integer<br>number | end of each<br>hour   | Non-0 if all fields in<br>record have been<br>scanned                                       |

### 6.37 Inverse

@Inverse[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|-------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| name  | X      | –        | string            | constant  | –           |
| freq  | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time (of each<br>phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| X0    | X      | –        | number            | run start time (of each<br>phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y0    | X      | –        | number            | run start time (of each<br>phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| YTarg | X      | –        | number            | run start time (of each<br>phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| X     | X      | –        | number            | end of each subhour                                     | –           |
| Y     | X      | –        | number            | end of each subhour                                     | –           |
| XEst  | X      | –        | number            | input time  | –           |

### 6.38 izXfer

@izXfer[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description |
|------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| name | X      | X        | string | constant    | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| zi1        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Subscripts of zones<br>involved (air flow<br>> 0 = into zone 1)      |
| zi2        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Iz_zi2 = -1 iff not<br>interzone                                     |
| ua         | X      | X        | number         | hourly  | Air-to-air coupling<br>const (btuh/f)<br>thru walls etc.             |
| nventrl    | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Control type for<br>nat vents:                                       |
| a1         | X      | X        | number         | hourly  | Vent area 1, ft <sup>2</sup>   |
| a2         | X      | X        | number         | hourly  | Vent area 2, ft <sup>2</sup>   |
| L1         | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Opening dim 1, ft<br>(_anhoriz)                                      |
| L2         | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Opening dim 2, ft  |
| hz         | X      | X        | number         | input time  | _an (non fan):<br>height of iz_a1<br>relative to<br>arbitrary 0 (ft) |
| stairAngle | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Stair angle, deg<br>(_anhoriz) (90 =<br>vert)                        |
| cd         | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Orifice coefficient,<br>dimless (user input,<br>default 0.8)         |
| exp        | X      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Power law<br>exponent, (user<br>input, default 0.5)                  |
| cpr        | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Wind pressure<br>coefficient (ignored<br>if not _anext)              |
| vfMin      | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Min vent flow rate,<br>cfm (for fixed flow<br>types)                 |
| vfMax      | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Max vent flow rate,<br>cfm (for fixed flow<br>types)                 |
| ASEF       | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Apparent sensible<br>effectiveness (for<br>_anherv)                  |
| LEF        | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Latent<br>effectiveness (for<br>_anherv)                             |
| SRE        | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Hvi sensible<br>recovery efficiency<br>(for _anherv)                 |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| ASRE           | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Hvi adjusted sensible recovery efficiency (for _anherv)          |
| RVFanHeatF     | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Fraction of herv fan power that heats supply air (experimental)  |
| vfExhRat       | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Exhaust ratio (for _anherv) = (vfgross exhaust)/(vfgross supply) |
| EATR           | X      | X        | number       | subhourly  | Exhaust air transfer ratio (for _anherv)                         |
| fan.fanTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| fan.vfDs       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| fan.vfDs_As    | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| fan.vfDs_AsNov | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| fan.vfMxF      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| fan.press      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fan.eff        | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fan.shaftPwr   | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fan.elecPwr    | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| fan.motTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|-------------|
| fan.motEff       | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.mtri         | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | –           |
| fan.endUse       | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | –           |
| fan.ausz         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fan.outPower     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| fan.airPower     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly   | –           |
| fan.cMx          | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.c            | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.t            | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.frOn         | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.p            | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.q            | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.dT           | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| fan.qAround      | X      | X        | number         | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|---|---|
| nvcoeff      | X      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Nat vent overall<br>coeff btuh/(dt <sup>.5</sup> ).<br>set by izxsetup(). |
| air1.tdb     | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | —   |
| air1.w       | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | —   |
| air2.tdb     | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | —   |
| air2.w       | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | —   |
| rho1         | X      | X        | number | subhourly   | Z1 moist air<br>density, lb/cf  |
| rho2         | X      | X        | number | subhourly   | Z2 moist air<br>density, lb/cf (may<br>be ambient)                        |
| ad[0].Ae     | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Effective vent area,<br>ft2; function of<br>vent type and<br>iz_cd        |
| ad[0].AeLin  | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Modified iz_ae,<br>ft2; prevents<br>discontinuity at<br>delplinear        |
| ad[0].delP   | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Pressure diff across<br>element, lbf/sf (+<br>= pz1 > pz2)                |
| ad[0].mdotP  | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Air mass flow rate,<br>(lbm moist air)/sec<br>(+ into z1)                 |
| ad[0].dmdp   | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Derivative of<br>iz_mdotp wrt<br>pressure (0 for fix<br>flow)             |
| ad[0].mdotB  | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Add'l<br>buoyancy-driven<br>mass flow, (lbm<br>moist air)/sec             |
| ad[0].mdotX  | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Air mass exhaust<br>flow, (lbm moist<br>air)/sec (+ out of<br>z2)         |
| ad[0].xDelpF | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Buoyancy flooding<br>pressure factor                                      |
| ad[0].xMbm   | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Buoyancy max<br>possible flow factor                                      |
| ad[0].tdFan  | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Air stream temp<br>rise across fan, f                                     |
| ad[0].pFan   | X      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | Fan (electrical)<br>power for meter,<br>btuh ( <i>not</i> w)              |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|--|
| ad[1].Ae     | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Effective vent area, ft <sup>2</sup> ; function of vent type and iz_cd |
| ad[1].AeLin  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Modified iz_ae, ft <sup>2</sup> ; prevents discontinuity at delplinear |
| ad[1].delP   | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Pressure diff across element, lbf/sf (+ = pz1 > pz2)                   |
| ad[1].mdotP  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Air mass flow rate, (lbm moist air)/sec (+ into z1)                    |
| ad[1].dmdp   | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Derivative of iz_mdotp wrt pressure (0 for fix flow)                   |
| ad[1].mdotB  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Add'l buoyancy-driven mass flow, (lbm moist air)/sec                   |
| ad[1].mdotX  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Air mass exhaust flow, (lbm moist air)/sec (+ out of z2)               |
| ad[1].xDelpF | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Buoyancy flooding pressure factor                                      |
| ad[1].xMbm   | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Buoyancy max possible flow factor                                      |
| ad[1].tdFan  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Air stream temp rise across fan, f                                     |
| ad[1].pFan   | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Fan (electrical) power for meter, btuh ( <i>not w</i> )                |
| amfNom       | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Nominal air mass flow, lbm/sec   |

### 6.39 kiva

@kiva[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description     |
|-------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-----------------|
| name  | –      | X        | string         | constant   | –               |
| floor | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Floor reference |



| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| perimWeight | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Weight of this kiva instance for results of corresponding floor |

## 6.40 layer (owner: construction)

@layer[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name    | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –   |
| thk     | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Thickness of layer, ft. dfl mt_thk else rqd. *i cuz veoi in cncult:lrt[]. |
| mati    | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Primary material (mat subscript). rqd.                                    |
| frmMati | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Framing material in layer, 0 if unframed layer                            |
| frmFrac | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Fraction framing in layer. rqd if lrfmmati nz.                            |
| uvy     | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Conductivity: weighted combo of pri & framing; not specific to thickness. |
| r       | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Layer r-value (for thk, per ft2)  |
| vhc     | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Volumetric heat capac (dens*spht, framing-weighted)                       |

## 6.41 mass

@mass[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description                                   |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name    | –      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| sfi     | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Associated surface subscript                  |
| sfClass | –      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Associated surface class (sfcsurf or sfcdoor) |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| xri          | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Xsrat subscript: ditto  |
| area         | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Area, ft2   |
| isSubhrly    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | True iff this mass simulated subhourly (else hourly)  |
| isFD         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | True iff this mass used forward-difference model (always subhourly)                             |
| inside.msi   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Parent mass subscr  |
| inside.ty    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Bound cond type: msbcadiabatic, msbcambient, msbcground, msbczone, or msbcspect.                |
| inside.zi    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone subscr if .bc_ty == msbczone.  |
| inside.exTa  | –      | X        | number         | hourly   | Adjacent air temp, f  |
| inside.exTr  | –      | X        | number         | hourly   | Adjacent radiant temp, f  |
| inside.rsurf | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Extra surf resis, from masstype, for “light” surf lyrs eg carpet: res for solar to 1st hvy lyr. |
| inside.h     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Combined surface conductance, air to 1st “heavy” layer (btuh/ft2-f)                             |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| inside.ha       | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Bc_h * area, btuh/f  |
| inside.rIg      | –      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | Radiant internal gain target (float) (btuh). pointed to by znr.rigdist; set/used in cnloads. 11-95 |
| inside.qxhnet   | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Net heat xfer for hour (btu, + = into mass): signed sum of all transfers.                          |
| inside.qxdnet   | –      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | ... ditto current day  |
| inside.qxmnet   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month                                    | ... ditto current month  |
| inside.qxhtot   | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour                                     | Total xfer for hour (btu): sum of abs(xfer). used as divisor for determining relative error.       |
| inside.qxdtot   | –      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | ... ditto current day  |
| inside.qxmtot   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month                                    | ... ditto current month  |
| inside.surfTemp | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Probe-able duplicate copy of inside or outside layer surface temp, set in loadssurfaces.           |
| outside.msi     | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Parent mass subscr   |
| outside.ty      | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Bound cond type: msbcadiabatic, msbcambient, msbcground, msbczone, or msbcspect.                   |
| outside.zi      | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone subscr if .bc_ty == msbczone.   |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| outside.exTa     | –      | X        | number       | hourly   | Adjacent air temp, f   |
| outside.exTr     | –      | X        | number       | hourly   | Adjacent radiant temp, f   |
| outside.rsurf    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Extra surf resis, from masstype, for “light” surf lyrs eg carpet: res for solar to 1st hvy lyr.    |
| outside.h        | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Combined surface conductance, air to 1st “heavy” layer (btuh/ft2-f)                                |
| outside.ha       | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Bc_h * area, btuh/f  |
| outside.rIg      | –      | X        | unrecognized | hourly   | Radiant internal gain target (float) (btuh). pointed to by znr.rigdist; set/used in cnloads. 11-95 |
| outside.qxhnet   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Net heat xfer for hour (btu, + = into mass): signed sum of all transfers.                          |
| outside.qxdnet   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                      | ... ditto current day  |
| outside.qxmnet   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                    | ... ditto current month  |
| outside.qxhtot   | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Total xfer for hour (btu): sum of abs(xfer). used as divisor for determining relative error.       |
| outside.qxdtot   | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                      | ... ditto current day  |
| outside.qxmtot   | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                    | ... ditto current month  |
| outside.surfTemp | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Probe-able duplicate copy of inside or outside layer surface temp, set in loadssurfaces.           |

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type          | Variability  | Description   |
|------|--------|----------|---------------|--|---|
| UNom | –      | X        | number        | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Overall uval incl nominal surface films, btuh/ft2-f                                       |
| tc   | –      | X        | number        | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Time constant (con->hc/sfinh) as used to default sfmodel & issubhrly, for reporting, 1-95 |
| pMM  | –      | X        | un-probe-able | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Pointer to runtime mass model for this mass (type determined per input)                   |

## 6.42 material

@material[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| name     | X      | –        | string | constant   | –  |
| thk      | X      | –        | number | input time   | -1 or optional default thickness, ft               |
| cond     | X      | –        | number | input time   | Conductivity, btuh-ft/ft2-f (at mt_condtrat)       |
| condTRat | X      | –        | number | input time   | Rating temp for mt_cond, f (typically 70 f)        |
| condCT   | X      | –        | number | input time   | Conductivity temp coefficient, 1/f                 |
| spHt     | X      | –        | number | input time   | Specific heat, btu/lb-f                            |
| dens     | X      | –        | number | input time   | 0 (massless) or density, lb/ft3                    |
| rNom     | X      | –        | number | input time   | Nominal r of insulation, ft2-f/btuh-ft             |
| vhc      | X      | –        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Volumetric heat capac (btu/ft3-f): mt_spht*mt_dens |

## 6.43 meter

@meter[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description         |
|------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---------------------|
| name | X      | X        | string | constant    | –                   |
| rate | X      | X        | number | input time  | Cost per btu of use |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| dmdRate  | X      | X        | number | input time                                       | Dmdcost per btu of demand, for a month                            |
| Y.tot    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total of following specific end uses. code assumes precedes them. |
| Y.clg    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Space cooling. code assumes 1st member.                           |
| Y.htg    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Space heating incl heat pump compressor                           |
| Y.hp     | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Heat pump auxiliary (backup) heat                                 |
| Y.dhw    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Domestic (service) hot water heating                              |
| Y.dhwBU  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Domestic (service) hot water backup                               |
| Y.dhwMFL | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Domestic (service) multi-family loop energy                       |
| Y.fanC   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fans - cooling and cooling ventilation                            |
| Y.fanH   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fans - heating  |
| Y.fanV   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fans - iaq ventilation  |
| Y.fan    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fans - other  |
| Y.aux    | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Hvac auxiliaries and parasitics, not including fans               |

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description                          |
|--------|--------|----------|--------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Y.proc | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Process energy                       |
| Y.lit  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Lighting                             |
| Y.rcp  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Receptacles                          |
| Y.ext  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | External – outdoor lights, etc       |
| Y.refr | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Refrigeration                        |
| Y.dish | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Dish washing                         |
| Y.dry  | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Clothes drying                       |
| Y.wash | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Clothes washing                      |
| Y.cook | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Cooking                              |
| Y.usr1 | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | User-defined end use 1               |
| Y.usr2 | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | User-defined end use 2               |
| Y.bt   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Battery output (negative)            |
| Y.pv   | X      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Photovoltaic array output (negative) |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| Y.allEU   | X      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subtotal, clg .. usr2 (= load w/o bt and pv)                               |
| Y.cost    | X      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Accumulated tot*rate   |
| Y.dmdCost | X      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Largest dmd*dmdrate to month level, then accumulates (cnguts.cpp:mtraccum) |
| Y.dmd     | X      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Peak use in interval; hourly value same as .tot.                           |
| Y.dmdShoy | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Peak time as subhour of year, subhr unused: $4(hr+24jday)$ .               |
| M.tot     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Total of following specific end uses. code assumes precedes them.          |
| M.clg     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Space cooling. code assumes 1st member.                                    |
| M.htg     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Space heating incl heat pump compressor                                    |
| M.hp      | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Heat pump auxiliary (backup) heat  |
| M.dhw     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Domestic (service) hot water heating                                       |
| M.dhwBU   | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Domestic (service) hot water backup  |
| M.dhwMFL  | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Domestic (service) multi-family loop energy                                |
| M.fanC    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Fans - cooling and cooling ventilation                                     |
| M.fanH    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Fans - heating   |
| M.fanV    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Fans - iaq ventilation   |
| M.fan     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Fans - other   |
| M.aux     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Hvac auxiliaries and parasitics, not including fans                        |
| M.proc    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Process energy   |
| M.lit     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Lighting   |
| M.rcp     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | Receptacles  |



| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability       | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------------|--|
| M.ext     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | External – outdoor lights, etc   |
| M.refr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Refrigeration  |
| M.dish    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Dish washing   |
| M.dry     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Clothes drying   |
| M.wash    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Clothes washing  |
| M.cook    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Cooking  |
| M.usr1    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | User-defined end use 1   |
| M.usr2    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | User-defined end use 2   |
| M.bt      | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Battery output (negative)  |
| M.pv      | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Photovoltaic array output (negative)                                       |
| M.allEU   | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Subtotal, clg .. usr2 (= load w/o bt and pv)                               |
| M.cost    | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Accumulated tot*rate   |
| M.dmdCost | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Largest dmd*dmdrate to month level, then accumulates (cnguts.cpp:mtraccum) |
| M.dmd     | X      | X        | number       | end of each month | Peak use in interval; hourly value same as .tot.                           |
| M.dmdShoy | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each month | Peak time as subhour of year, subhr unused: $4(hr+24jday)$ .               |
| D.tot     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Total of following specific end uses. code assumes precedes them.          |
| D.clg     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Space cooling. code assumes 1st member.                                    |
| D.htg     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Space heating incl heat pump compressor                                    |
| D.hp      | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Heat pump auxiliary (backup) heat  |
| D.dhw     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Domestic (service) hot water heating                                       |
| D.dhwBU   | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Domestic (service) hot water backup  |
| D.dhwMFL  | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Domestic (service) multi-family loop energy                                |
| D.fanC    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day   | Fans - cooling and cooling ventilation                                     |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability      | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------|--|
| D.fanH    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Fans - heating   |
| D.fanV    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Fans - iaq ventilation   |
| D.fan     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Fans - other   |
| D.aux     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Hvac auxiliaries and parasitics, not including fans                        |
| D.proc    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Process energy   |
| D.lit     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Lighting   |
| D.rcp     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Receptacles  |
| D.ext     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | External – outdoor lights, etc   |
| D.refr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Refrigeration  |
| D.dish    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Dish washing   |
| D.dry     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Clothes drying   |
| D.wash    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Clothes washing  |
| D.cook    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Cooking  |
| D.usr1    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | User-defined end use 1   |
| D.usr2    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | User-defined end use 2   |
| D.bt      | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Battery output (negative)  |
| D.pv      | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Photovoltaic array output (negative)                                       |
| D.allEU   | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Subtotal, clg .. usr2 (= load w/o bt and pv)                               |
| D.cost    | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Accumulated tot*rate   |
| D.dmdCost | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Largest dmd*dmdrate to month level, then accumulates (cnguts.cpp:mtraccum) |
| D.dmd     | X      | X        | number       | end of each day  | Peak use in interval; hourly value same as .tot.                           |
| D.dmdShoy | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each day  | Peak time as subhour of year, subhr unused: $4(hr+24jday)$ .               |
| H.tot     | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | Total of following specific end uses. code assumes precedes them.          |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|---|
| H.clg    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Space cooling. code assumes 1st member.             |
| H.htg    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Space heating incl heat pump compressor             |
| H.hp     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Heat pump auxiliary (backup) heat                   |
| H.dhw    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Domestic (service) hot water heating                |
| H.dhwBU  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Domestic (service) hot water backup                 |
| H.dhwMFL | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Domestic (service) multi-family loop energy         |
| H.fanC   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Fans - cooling and cooling ventilation              |
| H.fanH   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Fans - heating                                      |
| H.fanV   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Fans - iaq ventilation                              |
| H.fan    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Fans - other  |
| H.aux    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Hvac auxiliaries and parasitics, not including fans |
| H.proc   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Process energy                                      |
| H.lit    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Lighting  |
| H.rcp    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Receptacles   |
| H.ext    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | External – outdoor lights, etc                      |
| H.refr   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Refrigeration                                       |
| H.dish   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Dish washing  |
| H.dry    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Clothes drying                                      |
| H.wash   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Clothes washing                                     |
| H.cook   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Cooking   |
| H.usr1   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | User-defined end use 1                              |
| H.usr2   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | User-defined end use 2                              |
| H.bt     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Battery output (negative)                           |
| H.pv     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Photovoltaic array output (negative)                |
| H.allEU  | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Subtotal, clg .. usr2 (= load w/o bt and pv)        |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability      | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------|--|
| H.cost    | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | Accumulated tot*rate   |
| H.dmdCost | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | Largest dmd*dmdrate to month level, then accumulates (cnguts.cpp:mtraccum) |
| H.dmd     | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | Peak use in interval; hourly value same as .tot.                           |
| H.dmdShoy | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour | Peak time as subhour of year, subhr unused: $4(hr+24jday)$ .               |

#### 6.44 perimeter (owner: zone)

@perimeter[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| name  | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –  |
| prLen | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Length. input.   |
| prF2  | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Conduction per unit length. input.                                   |
| xi    | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript in runtime xsurf rat, to facilitate access by probers 1-92 |

#### 6.45 PVArray

@PVArray[1..].

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability      | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| name          | X      | X        | string       | constant         | –           |
| mounting      | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time       | –           |
| pnIdx         | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time       | –           |
| area          | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| fBeam         | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | –           |
| fBeamErrCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour | –           |
| vrtInp[0]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[1]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[2]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[3]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[4]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[5]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[6]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[7]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[8]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[9]     | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |
| vrtInp[10]    | X      | X        | number       | input time       | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|---|
| vrtInp[11] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[12] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[13] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[14] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[15] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[16] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[17] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[18] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[19] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[20] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[21] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[22] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[23] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[24] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[25] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[26] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[27] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[28] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[29] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[30] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[31] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[32] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[33] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[34] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[35] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| vrtInp[36] | X      | X        | number         | input time  | —   |
| elecMtri   | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Meter for system electricity production                     |
| endUse     | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | End use of energy. defaults to “pv”                         |
| dcCap      | X      | X        | number         | input time  | System capacity/size (dc nameplate), kw                     |
| moduleType | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Type of module (standard, premium, thinfilm)                |
| tempCoeff  | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Temperature coefficient, 1/f                                |
| covRefrInd | X      | X        | number         | input time  | Refraction index for coating applied to cover               |
| arrayType  | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time  | Type of array (fixed, fixedroof, 1axis, backtracked, 2axis) |
| tilt       | X      | X        | number         | hourly      | Array tilt, radians (input as degrees)                      |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|--|
| azm         | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Array azimuth, radians (input as degrees)  |
| grndRefl    | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Ground reflectance   |
| gcr         | X      | X        | number | input time       | Ground coverage ratio (what fraction of the ground is covered by the array). 1.0 implies no spacing. |
| dcacRat     | X      | X        | number | input time       | Dc to ac ratio   |
| sif         | X      | X        | number | hourly           | Shading impact factor  |
| invEff      | X      | X        | number | input time       | Inverter efficiency at rated power   |
| sysLoss     | X      | X        | number | hourly           | System losses  |
| tCell       | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Cell temperature, f  |
| aoi         | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Angle of incidence (radians)   |
| panelTilt   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Tilt of pv panel (different from array tilt for tracking systems), radians                           |
| panelAzm    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Azimuth of pv panel (different from array tilt for tracking systems), radians                        |
| poa         | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Plane of array incidence (before shading), btu/h-ft2   |
| poaBeam     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Plane of array beam incidence (before shading), btu/h-ft2  |
| radIBeam    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Beam radiation incident on array, btu/h-ft2  |
| radIBeamEff | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Effective beam radiation incident on array (accounts for shading impact factor), btu/h-ft2           |
| radI        | X      | X        | number | end of each hour | Total radiation incident on array, btu/h-ft2   |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| radIEff    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Effective total radiation incident on array (accounts for shading impact factor), btu/h-ft2 |
| radTrans   | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Transmitted radiation (after accounting for shading impact), btu/h-ft2                      |
| dcOut      | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Dc power output, btu  |
| acOut      | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Ac power output, btu  |
| tauNorm    | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Transmittance at normal incidence   |
| inoct      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Installed nominal operating cell temperature, f   |
| convRatio  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ratio of back convection to front convection  |
| tGrndRatio | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ratio of ground-cell temperature diff. to air-cell temperature diff.                        |
| radILs     | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Last step (currently hour) total radiation incident on array, btu/h-ft2                     |
| tCellLs    | X      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Last step (currently hour) cell temperature, f  |

## 6.46 report (owner: reportFile)

@report[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| name | X      | –        | string         | constant    | –  |
| zi   | X      | –        | integer number | input time  | Zone for zone-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all. |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| mtri     | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Meter to report/export for meter-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all.                              |
| ahi      | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Air handler to report/export for air-handler-specific reports. can be ti_sum, ti_all.                  |
| tui      | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Terminal to report/export for terminal-specific reports. can be ti_all                                 |
| dhwMtri  | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Dhw meter to report/export for dhw meter-specific reports. can be ti_all.                              |
| isExport | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | 1 if export not report, so same fcn's can be used with rib and xib records                             |
| rpTy     | X      | —        | integer number | constant   | Report/export type c_rptych_eb etc   |
| rpFreq   | X      | —        | integer number | constant   | R/xport frequency c_ivlch_m etc  |
| rpDayBeg | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Start 1-based julian day of year, where applicable   |
| rpDayEnd | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | End ..   |
| rpBtuSf  | X      | —        | number         | input time   | Energy (btu) scale factor  |
| rpCond   | X      | —        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Condition: if given, rpt lines omitted when false (si; li used to hold nan) (li currently unprobeable) |
| rpTitle  | X      | —        | string         | input time   | Title, for udt, in dm  |
| rpCpl    | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Chars per line, inputtable re udt's  |
| rpHeader | X      | —        | unrecognized   | input time   | Table header or export header yes/no (default yes)   |
| rpFooter | X      | —        | integer number | input time   | Table footer (summary line) or export footer (just blank line?) yes/no (default yes)                   |
| coli     | X      | —        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Rcolb/xcolb subscript of first column (thence linked by .nxcoli).                                      |
| nCol     | X      | —        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # columns  |



| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| wid  | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total col width for user-defined report                              |
| vrh  | X      | –        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Assigned virtual report handle, used from here to build unspoolinfo. |

### 6.47 reportCol (owner: report)

@reportCol[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|---------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| name    | X      | X        | string         | constant            | –  |
| colHead | X      | X        | string         | input time          | Column head string, in dm. *i cuz veoi in cncult.cpp:rpcolt[].   |
| colGap  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Space to left of column, default 1   |
| colWid  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Column width   |
| colDec  | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Coldecimals: max digits after point  |
| colJust | X      | X        | integer number | input time          | Justification: c_justch_1 or _r  |
| colVal  | X      | X        | un-probe-able  | end of each subhour | Value .val and data type .dt (tyfl/tystr in input, dtfloat/dtchp in run), used at end report interval. |
| nxColi  | X      | X        | integer number | constant            | For runtime: col subscript of next column in this report, 0 if last one                                |

### 6.48 reportFile

@reportFile[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name     | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –   |
| fileName | X      | –        | string         | input time   | File name, path optional, in dm (or pseudocode, but not “text”). *i cuz veoi in cncult. |
| fileStat | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Fresh(overwrite,default)/new(err if exists)/append                                      |
| pageFmt  | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Page formatting on no/yes   |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| fileStatChecked | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Check filestat only once to prevent “file exists” error or re-setting “overwrite” on later run |
| overWrite       | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Append if 0. set by filestat=fresh, cleared on use, so addl runs do not erase earlier output.  |
| wasNotEmpty     | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Nz if existed and size > 0 at filestat check   |

## 6.49 RSYS

@RSYS[1..].

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name        | X      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| type        | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | System type (acfurn, acres, ashp, ac, furn, res)            |
| desc        | X      | X        | string         | input time   | Optional description string (e.g. model #)                  |
| perfMap     | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | If yes, make performance map (development aid)              |
| areaServed  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total zone floor area served by this rsys, ft2              |
| zonesServed | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of zones served by this rsys                              |
| elecMtri    | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Meter for system electricity use                            |
| fuelMtri    | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Meter for system fuel use                                   |
| parElec     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Electrical parasitic power, w                               |
| parFuel     | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Fuel parasitic consumption, btuh                            |
| capNomH     | X      | X        | number         | daily  | Nominal heating capacity, btuh. default=rs_caph or rs_cap47 |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|---|
| capNomC        | X      | X        | number       | daily  | Nominal cooling capacity, btuh.<br>default=rs_cap95 |
| fan.fanTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.vfDs       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| fan.vfDs_As    | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.vfDs_AsNov | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.vfMxF      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.press      | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.eff        | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.shaftPwr   | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.elecPwr    | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| fan.motTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| fan.motEff       | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized      | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.mtri         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| fan.endUse       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description                                   |
|--------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| fan.ausz     | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —   |
| fan.outPower | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —   |
| fan.airPower | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —   |
| fan.cMx      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.c        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.t        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.frOn     | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.p        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.q        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.dT       | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| fan.qAround  | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asRet.tdb    | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asRet.w      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asIn.tdb     | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asIn.w       | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| twbIn        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | Entering air wet bulb<br>(after return ducts) |
| asOut.tdb    | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asOut.w      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asOutAux.tdb | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asOutAux.w   | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asSup.tdb    | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asSup.w      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asSupAux.tdb | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| asSupAux.w   | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —   |
| tSupLs       | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | ... supply dry-bulb at<br>last step, f        |
| DSEH         | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | Heating                                       |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| DSEC       | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Cooling  |
| isAuszH    | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | True iff currently<br>autosizing heating                                       |
| isAuszC    | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Ditto cooling<br>rsys_cap95  |
| tdDesH     | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Design temperature<br>difference (rise) across<br>rsys for heating             |
| tdDesC     | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Design temperature<br>difference (fall) across<br>rsys for cooling             |
| fxCap[0]   | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour   | Current step excess<br>capacity factor =<br>amfavailable / max(<br>amfrequest) |
| fxCap[1]   | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour   | Current step excess<br>capacity factor =<br>amfavailable / max(<br>amfrequest) |
| fxCapCDay  | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Current day excess<br>cooling capacity factor                                  |
| fxCapHDay  | X      | X        | number       | end of each<br>hour  | Ditto heating  |
| fxCapHTarg | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Target excess capacity<br>factor for heating<br>autosize                       |
| fxCapHAsF  | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Working excess<br>capacity factor for<br>heating autosize                      |
| fxCapCTarg | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Target excess capacity<br>factor for cooling<br>autosize                       |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| fxCapCAsF       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Working excess capacity factor for cooling autosize |
| fxCapAuxHTarg   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Target excess capacity factor for auxh autosize     |
| auszH.az_active | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| auszH.az_a      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszH.az_b      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszH.ldPk      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszH.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszH.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszH.plrPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszH.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszH.xPk       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszH.xPkAs     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszC.az_active | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —   |
| auszC.az_a      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszC.az_b      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszC.ldPk      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszC.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszC.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| auszC.plrPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszC.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| auszC.xPk   | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                                  | —   |
| auszC.xPkAs | X      | X        | number | end of each day                                      | —   |
| HSPF        | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Rated hspf, btuh/w                                    |
| cap47       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Full speed heating capacity at odb=47 f               |
| COP47       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Cop at odb=47 f                                       |
| cap35       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Ditto 35 f  |
| COP35       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | —   |
| cap17       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Ditto 17 f  |
| COP17       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | —   |
| CdH         | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Heating cycling degradation factor                    |
| inp47       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Input power at outdoor dry-bulb = 47 f (btuh (not w)) |
| inp35       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Ditto 35 f  |
| inp17       | X      | X        | number | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Ditto 17 f  |



| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| ASHPCapF[0]  | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Capacity slope: $\text{cap}(t) = \text{cap17} + \text{capf}^*(t - 17)$ |
| ASHPCapF[1]  | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Capacity slope: $\text{cap}(t) = \text{cap17} + \text{capf}^*(t - 17)$ |
| ASHPInpF[0]  | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Input slope: $\text{inp}(t) = \text{inp17} + \text{inpf}^*(t - 17)$    |
| ASHPInpF[1]  | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Input slope: $\text{inp}(t) = \text{inp17} + \text{inpf}^*(t - 17)$    |
| capAuxH      | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Auxiliary heating capacity (not including fan heat), btuh              |
| capAuxHInp   | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Rs_capauxh as input (may be autosize)                                  |
| COPAuxH      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Auxiliary heating cop (assumed constant), default 1                    |
| ASHPLockOutT | X      | X        | number       | hourly   | Air source heat pump compressor lockout temp, f                        |
| defrostModel | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Defrost model  |
| AFUE         | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Heating system rated afue, $0 < \text{afue} \leq 1$                    |
| capH         | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | Rated heating output (including fan), btuh                             |
| capH_As      | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase (autosize or simulate)             | –  |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                 | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|---|---|
| capH_AsNov   | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | –   |
| fanHRtdH     | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Fan heat included in ashp rated cap/cop/hspf, btuh                        |
| fanPwrH      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Heating fan power, w/cfm  |
| fanHeatH     | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Heating fan total electrical power, btuh                                  |
| amfH         | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Heating dry air mass flow rate, lbm/hr                                    |
| effHt        | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                         | Current step full load heating efficiency, dimless                        |
| capHt        | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                         | Current step heating capacity (including fan and ashp defrost heat), btuh |
| capDefrostHt | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                         | Current step defrost heating capacity, btuh                               |
| PLF          | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour                         | Efficiency degradation due to cycling                                     |
| SEER         | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Cooling ahri rated seer, btuh/w   |
| EER95        | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Cooling ahri rated eer at 95 f, btuh/w                                    |
| cap95        | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Rated total cooling capacity at 95 f, btuh<br>todo: decide on sign        |
| cap95_As     | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | –   |
| cap95_AsNov  | X      | X        | number | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | –   |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                 | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|--|
| vfPerTon   | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Air flow ratio, cfm/ton (= cfm/(rs_cap95/12000))                     |
| fanPwrC    | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Cooling fan operating power ratio, w/cfm (default 0.365)             |
| fanHeatC   | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Cooling fan operating electrical power, btuh                         |
| fanDeltaTC | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Cooling fan heat temperature rise, f                                 |
| amfC       | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Cooling dry air mass flow rate, lbm/hr                               |
| CdC        | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Cooling cycling degradation factor                                   |
| rhInTest   | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour                            | Specified entering air relnum (for testing), 0-1                     |
| rhIn       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Plenum entering air relnum, 0-1                                      |
| twbCoilIn  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Coil entering wet bulb, f (after blow-thru fan if any)               |
| tdbCoilIn  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Coil entering dry bulb, f (ditto)                                    |
| wetCoil    | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                         | 1 = wet coil, 0 = dry coil   |
| SHR        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Cooling sensible heat ratio (derived using coil model)               |
| fChg       | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Refrigerant charge factor (default 1, 0.9 or 0.96 for ca compliance) |
| fSize      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Compressor sizing factor (default 1, 0.95 or 1 for ca compliance)    |
| fanHRtdC   | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Fan heat included in rated rs_cap95, btuh                            |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                 | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|--|
| capnfX      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | Constant for rs_capct calc                                       |
| capAdjF     | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate<br>phase start time   | —  |
| SEERnfX     | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Constant for rs_seernf calc                                      |
| EERnfX      | X      | X        | number       | end of each phase<br>(autosize or simulate) | Constant for rs_eernfcalc  |
| fCondCap    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Conditions factor, capacity                                      |
| fCondSEER   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Conditions factor, seer  |
| fCondeER    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Conditions factor, eer   |
| SEERnf      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Seer w/o fan power   |
| EERnf       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Eer w/o fan power  |
| EERt        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Compressor eer, btuh/w (temperature weighted mix of              |
| effCt       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Temp adjusted compressor efficiency (= cet in acm)               |
| capTotCt    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Coil total cooling capacity at current conditions, btuh (<0)     |
| capLatCt    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Coil latent cooling capacity at current conditions, btuh (<0)    |
| capSenCt    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                         | Coil sensible cooling capacity at current conditions, btuh (<0)  |
| OAVType     | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time                                  | Type: none, fixedflow (aka smartvent), varflow (aka smartbreeze) |
| OAVReliefZi | X      | X        | integer      | input time                                  | Oav relief zone index  |
| OAVTdbInlet | X      | X        | number       | subhourly                                   | Oav inlet dry-bulb temp, f                                       |
| OAVTdiff    | X      | X        | number       | hourly                                      | Oav temperature differential, f                                  |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|--|
| OAVAvfDs   | X      | X        | number       | input time          | Oav design air flow rate, cfm actual air                             |
| OAVFanPwr  | X      | X        | number       | input time          | Oav design fan power (based on rs_oavvfds), w/cfm                    |
| OAVAvfMinF | X      | X        | number       | input time          | Oav minimum volume flow (rs_avfoav always >= rs_oavvfmf *rs_oavvfds) |
| avfOAV     | X      | X        | number       | daily               | Oav current air volume flow, cfm (set at beg of each day)            |
| fanHeatOAV | X      | X        | number       | daily               | Ditto fan power, btuh  |
| amfOAV     | X      | X        | number       | daily               | Ditto air mass flow, lbm/hr  |
| tdbOut     | X      | X        | number       | subhourly           | Outdoor dry-bulb temp at condensor or other outdoor components, f    |
| modeCtrl   | X      | X        | unrecognized | hourly              | Mode control (off, heat, cool, auto }                                |
| mode       | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | Mode (rsmoff, rsmheat, rsmcool, rsmoav )                             |
| modeLs     | X      | X        | unrecognized | subhourly           | Last step mode (rsmoff, rsmheat, rsmcool, rsmoav )                   |
| amf        | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Full-load (maximum) dry air mass flow rate, lbm/hr                   |
| amfReq[0]  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Total amf (at system) requested by zones, lbm/hr                     |
| amfReq[1]  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Total amf (at system) requested by zones, lbm/hr                     |
| runF       | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Run fraction   |
| runFLs     | X      | X        | number       | subhourly           | Last step run fraction (for probe access at step beg)                |
| runFAux    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Auxiliary run fraction   |
| outSen     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Average primary sensible heat delivery rate for last subhr, btuh     |
| outLat     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Ditto latent, btuh   |
| outFan     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Ditto fan heat added to air stream, btuh                             |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|---|
| outDefrost | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Ditto defrost heat, btuh                                  |
| outAux     | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Ditto auxiliary heat added to air stream, btuh (for ashp) |
| FEffH      | X      | X        | number | subhourly           | Heating   |
| FEffC      | X      | X        | number | subhourly           | Cooling   |
| inPrimary  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Primary input, btuh (compressor, burner, )                |
| inFan      | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Fan electricity input, btuh (not kwh)                     |
| inDefrost  | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Defrost heating input, btuh (ashp only)                   |
| inAux      | X      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Auxiliary heating input, btuh                             |

## 6.50 RSYRes

@RSYRes[1..].

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| name       | –      | X        | string       | constant   | –           |
| Y.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability                                      | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| Y.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| Y.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| M.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| M.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | end of each month                                | –           |
| D.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| D.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | end of each day                                  | –           |
| H.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| H.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                 | –           |
| S.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour                              | –           |
| S.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                              | –           |
| S.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                              | –           |
| S.qh       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                              | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| S.qcSen          | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| S.qcLat          | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| S.qFan           | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| S.qDefrost       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| S.qAux           | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| prior.Y.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qh       | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.Y.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| prior.M.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | monthly  | –           |
| prior.M.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | monthly  | –           |
| prior.M.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | monthly  | –           |
| prior.M.qh       | –      | X        | number       | monthly  | –           |
| prior.M.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | monthly  | –           |
| prior.M.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | monthly  | –           |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| prior.M.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | monthly     | –           |
| prior.M.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | monthly     | –           |
| prior.M.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | monthly     | –           |
| prior.D.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qh       | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.D.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | daily       | –           |
| prior.H.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qh       | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.H.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | –           |
| prior.S.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.hrsOn    | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.hrsOnAux | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qh       | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qcSen    | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qcLat    | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qFan     | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qDefrost | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| prior.S.qAux     | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |

**6.51 sgdist (owner: window)**

@sgdist[1..].

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description   |
|--------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| name   | X      | –        | string            | constant   | –   |
| sgSide | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time   | C_sidech_interior or<br>_exterior - side rcving<br>gain |
| targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time (of each<br>phase, autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time   | –   |
| FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-hourly   | –   |
| FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-hourly   | –   |

**6.52 shade (owner: window)**

@shade[1..].

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| name     | X      | X        | string | constant   | —   |
| wWidth   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Wwidth window width. *r: set (from window) by input check/setup (topckf).           |
| wHeight  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Wheight window height   |
| ohDepth  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Ohdepth depth of overhang. *mh: may change monthly-hourly: m-h user exprs accepted. |
| ohDistUp | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Ohwd distance from top of window to bot of oh                                       |
| ohExL    | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Ohlx overhang extension beyond left edge of window                                  |
| ohExR    | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Ohrx ditto right edge   |
| ohFlap   | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Ohflap len of flap hanging down from front of overhang                              |
| lfDepth  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Fldepth left fin depth  |
| lfTopUp  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Fltx left fin top of window to top of fin   |
| lfDistL  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Flwd left fin distance to left edge of window                                       |
| lfBotUp  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Flwbx left fin bottom to window bottom distance                                     |
| rfDepth  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Frdepth right fin values analogous to left  |
| rfTopUp  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Frtx  |
| rfDistR  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Frwd  |
| rfBotUp  | X      | X        | number | monthly-hourly                                       | Frwbx   |

### 6.53 SHADEX

@SHADEX[1..].

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability      | Description                            |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------------|------------------|--|
| name          | X      | X        | string       | constant         | —                                      |
| mounting      | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time       | Mounting                               |
| pnIdx         | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time       | Penumbra surface index                 |
| area          | X      | X        | number       | input time       | Area derived from polygon, ft2         |
| fBeam         | X      | X        | number       | end of each hour | Fraction of area receiving direct beam |
| fBeamErrCount | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour | Counter for fbeam > 1 errors           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description                     |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| virtInp[0]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[1]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[2]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[3]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[4]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[5]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[6]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[7]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[8]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[9]  | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[10] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[11] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[12] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[13] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[14] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[15] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[16] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[17] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[18] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[19] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[20] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[21] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[22] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[23] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[24] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| virtInp[25] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description                     |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| vrtInp[26] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[27] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[28] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[29] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[30] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[31] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[32] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[33] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[34] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[35] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |
| vrtInp[36] | X      | X        | number | input time  | Input vertices<br>(x, y, z), ft |

### 6.54 *surface* (owner: zone)

@surface[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type    | Variability   | Description |
|-----------|--------|----------|---------|---|-------------|
| name      | X      | –        | string  | constant  | –           |
| ty        | X      | –        | integer | input time  | –           |
| area      | X      | –        | number  | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| azm       | X      | –        | number  | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tilt      | X      | –        | number  | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| dircos[0] | X      | –        | number  | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| dircos[1] | X      | –        | number  | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description                               |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| dircos[2]     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| depthBG       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| height        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | ... and to compute area b4<br>mutliplier. |
| model         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time  | –   |
| modelr        | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| lThkF         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| gti           | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sco           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| scc           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.absSlr   | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.awAbsSlr | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.epsLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sbcI.zi       | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sbcI.F        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sbcI.Fp       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.frRad      | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fSky       | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fAir       | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcNat      | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcFrc      | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcMult     | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxa        | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxr        | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxtot      | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.uRat       | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.fRat       | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.cx         | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.bm  | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.df  | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.tot | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sg         | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.tSrf       | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.tSrfls     | X      | –        | number | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcI.qrAbs      | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txa        | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txr        | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txe        | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.w          | X      | –        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| sbcI.qSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcI.pXS        | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcI.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenCharNat | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenEffWink | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosTilt    | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.atvDeg     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosAtv     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcModel    | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.hcLChar     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg31  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg14  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg07  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTGrnd      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rGrnd       | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rConGrnd    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.absSlr      | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.awAbsSlr    | X      | –        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |



| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.epsLW      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.zi         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.F          | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.Fp         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.frRad      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fSky       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fAir       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcNat      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcFrc      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcMult     | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxa        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxr        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxtot      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.uRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.fRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.cx         | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.bm  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.df  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.tot | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| sbcO.sg         | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrfls     | X      | –        | number       | subhourly  | –           |
| sbcO.qrAbs      | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.txa        | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.txr        | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.txe        | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.w          | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.qSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.pXS        | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcO.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenCharNat | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenEffWink | X      | –        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.cosTilt     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.atvDeg      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosAtv      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcModel     | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcLChar     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg31  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg14  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg07  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.cTGrnd   | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rGrnd    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rConGrnd | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fenModel      | X      | –        | unrecognized      | input time  | –           |
| SHGC          | X      | –        | number            | input time  | –           |
| fMult         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNFRC         | X      | –        | number            | input time  | –           |
| NGlz          | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time  | –           |
| exShd         | X      | –        | unrecognized      | input time  | –           |
| inShd         | X      | –        | unrecognized      | input time  | –           |
| dirtLoss      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExCnd       | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExT         | X      | –        | number            | subhourly   | –           |
| sfAdjZi       | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time  | –           |
| uI            | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uC            | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uX            | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| Rf            | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| grndRefl      | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| vfSkyDf    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| vfGrndDf   | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| vfSkyLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| vfGrndLW   | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| uval       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| UNom       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| UANom      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| rSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| rSrfNom[1] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| hSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| hSrfNom[1] | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| cFctr      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| iwshad     | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| msi        | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr<br>which will be used if<br>delayed model |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| tLrB[0]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[1]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[2]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[3]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[4]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[5]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[6]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[7]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[8]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| tLrB[9]          | X      | –        | number         | end of each hour                                     | –           |
| nsgdist          | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sgdist[2].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| sgdist[6].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[6].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[7].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sfClass          | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time   | Sfcnul, sfcsurf, sfcdoor, sfcwindow                              |
| sfArea           | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Surface: gross area, net in x.xs_area.                           |
| sfU              | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Uval input if no sfcon given (excl surf films)                   |
| sfCon            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface construction (optional)                                  |
| sfTy             | X      | –        | integer number | constant   | Wall/floor/ceil/[intmass1/2]: for input cking.                   |
| sfFnd            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation object (floors only, optional)                |
| sfFndFloor       | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation floor object (walls only, optional)           |
| sfExpPerim       | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Foundation floor exposed perimeter (floors only)                 |
| width            | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Width and height: used to compute shading,                       |
| height           | X      | –        | number         | input time   | ... and to compute area b4 mutliplier.                           |
| mult             | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Area multiplier (for multiple identical windows)                 |
| xi               | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript in runtime xsrat, to facilitate access by probers 1-92 |
| msi              | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr which will be used if delayed model        |

## 6.55 terminal (owner: zone)

@terminal[1..].



| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| name           | X      | X        | string            | constant   | –   |
| tuVfMxHC       | X      | X        | unrecognized      | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Autosize tuvfmhx and -c<br>same or (default)<br>different.  |
| tuOversize     | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Fraction oversize to make<br>autosized terminal values  |
| asHcSame       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | True to autosize tuvfmhx<br>and -c the same –<br>specified with “tuvfmhx<br>= same”                     |
| asKVol         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | True to autosize for<br>constant volume –<br>specified with “autosize<br>tuvfmn” (implies<br>ashcsame). |
| hcAs.az_active | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| hcAs.az_a      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| hcAs.az_b      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| hcAs.ldPk      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| hcAs.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>day   | –   |
| hcAs.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>day   | –   |
| hcAs.plrPk     | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| hcAs.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>day   | –   |
| hcAs.xPk       | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| hcAs.xPkAs     | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>day   | –   |
| vhAs.az_active | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| vhAs.az_a      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |
| vhAs.az_b      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | –   |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| vhAs.ldPk      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vhAs.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vhAs.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vhAs.plrPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vhAs.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vhAs.xPk       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vhAs.xPkAs     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vcAs.az_active | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| vcAs.az_a      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vcAs.az_b      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vcAs.ldPk      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vcAs.ldPkAs    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vcAs.ldPkAs1   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vcAs.plrPk     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vcAs.plrPkAs   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| vcAs.xPk       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| vcAs.xPkAs     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | –  |
| qhPk           | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qcPk           | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Peak values of qh and qc, for load reports and -pkas's. qc negative. |
| qhPkAs         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qcPkAs         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Peak values for all autosize converged design days, for size reports |
| bVfMn          | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| bVfMxH         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| bVfMxC        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| dtLoHSh       | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| dtLoCSh       | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | .. this subhr, set in cnztu.cpp:ztumode, cleared in ztuabs.                                      |
| aDtLoHSh      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| aDtLoCSh      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | .. this subhr, set at end of cnah1.cpp:ahcompute   |
| aDtLoTem      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Cnah2:antratts to ahcompute temp flag re adtlohsh, csh   |
| dtLoH         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| dtLoC         | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | .. on this autosizing design day iteration (or poss run)   |
| dtLoHAs       | X      | X        | integer number | end of each day                                      | –  |
| dtLoCAs       | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | .. on any converged pass 2 design day: invokes endautosizing() message.                          |
| tuTLh         | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Local heating set point for tstat control. hourly. default: no tstat control.                    |
| tuQMnLh       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Desired continuous output (btuh) if no setpoint, or minimum if tutlh given, hourly, default 0.   |
| tuQMxLh       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Max desired power, subject to plant limits, btuh, hourly, rqd if tutlh given, else disallowed.   |
| tuPriLh       | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Priority if setpoint equals another, low #'s used first, dfl 100, disallowed if tutlh not given. |
| tuLhNeedsFlow | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Yes to disable lh when tu fan off and central fan off or vav flow 0 (coil in terminal).          |
| tuhc.coilTy   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| tuhc.sched    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | –  |
| tuhc.captRat  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |

| Name                | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability                                     | Description |
|---------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| tuhc.captRat_As     | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.captRat_AsNov  | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.bCaptRat       | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.eirRat         | X      | X        | number            | hourly  | –           |
| tuhc.mtri           | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.auxOn          | X      | X        | number            | hourly  | –           |
| tuhc.auxOnMtri      | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.auxOff         | X      | X        | number            | hourly  | –           |
| tuhc.auxOffMtri     | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.auxOnAtall     | X      | X        | number            | hourly  | –           |
| tuhc.auxOnAtallMtri | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.auxFullOff     | X      | X        | number            | hourly  | –           |
| tuhc.auxFullOffMtri | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time | –           |
| tuhc.q              | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.qPr            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.p              | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.plr            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.plrAv          | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.eir            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.pAuxOn         | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |
| tuhc.pAuxOff        | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour                          | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| tuhc.pAuxOnAtall | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tuhc.pAuxFullOff | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tuhc.effRat      | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.pyEi.k[0]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.pyEi.k[1]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.pyEi.k[2]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.pyEi.k[3]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.pyEi.k[4]   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.stackEffect | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | –  |
| tuhc.hpi         | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –  |
| tuhc.nxTu4hp     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| tuhc.nxAh4hp     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| tuhc.flueLoss    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tuhc.qWant       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| tuTH             | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Air heating set point (f). hourly. default: no tstat-controlled air heating. |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tuTC          | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Air cooling set point (f). hourly. default: no tstat-controlled air cooling.                          |
| tuVfMn        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Min flow (cfm actual air); if no setpoints given, this is "specified output". hourly, dlf 0.          |
| tuVfMn_As     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tuVfMn_AsNov  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| ai            | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | 0 or ah ss (subscript) for air handler serving tu (input as air handler name). rqd if sp or mn given. |
| tuVfMxH       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Heating max flow (cfm actual air) b4 ah limits, hourly, rqd if tuth given else disallowed             |
| tuVfMxH_As    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tuVfMxH_AsNov | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tuVfMxC       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Cooling max flow (cfm actual air) b4 ah limits, hourly, rqd if tutc given else disallowed             |
| tuVfMxC_As    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tuVfMxC_AsNov | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tuVfDs        | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Design flow (cfm actual air), constant, to apportion flow when ah fan overloads.                      |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tuPriH          | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Heat setpoint priority: lowest # used first when equal setpoints in zone. const. default: 1.    |
| tuPriC          | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Cool likewise. ... rqd if corress sp given, else disallowed.                                    |
| tuSRLeak        | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Leakage 0-.5 of supply air to return, increasing supply vol and return temp. constant; dfl .05. |
| tuSRLoss        | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Supply air to return plenum heat loss as a fraction 0 - .5 of supply air to return air          |
| tfanSch         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Terminal fan schedule, choice of off, on, heating, or vav, hourly, rqd if tfantype not none.    |
| tfanOffLeak     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Backdraft leakage when fan off, 0 to .25 of tfanvfds, constant, dfl .1, or 0 if no fan.         |
| tfan.fanTy      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tfan.vfDs       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.vfDs_As    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tfan.vfDs_AsNov | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tfan.vfMxF      | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tfan.press      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |

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|-------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| tfan.eff          | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tfan.shaftPwr     | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tfan.elecPwr      | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tfan.motTy        | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tfan.motEff       | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| tfan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |



| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tfan.mtri     | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | –   |
| tfan.endUse   | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | –   |
| tfan.ausz     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| tfan.outPower | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | –   |
| tfan.airPower | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | –   |
| tfan.cMx      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.c        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.t        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.frOn     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.p        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.q        | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.dT       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tfan.qAround  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| nxTu4z        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain: 0 or ss (subscript) of next tu in zone chain. head is znr.tu1.       |
| nxTu4a        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain: 0 or ss (subscript) of next tu in air handler chain. head is ah.tu1. |
| xiLh          | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript of zhx for terminal's local heat capability                       |
| xiArH         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ss of zhx for setout air heat/cool or settemp air heat capability           |

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|---------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| xiArC   | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ss of zhx for tu's settemp air cool, if any   |
| cmLh    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Was tucmlh // local heat: none=0; settmph: tstat-controlled (setpoint given); or setout (only output/flow given). |
| cmAr    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Tucmar // air heat and cool: none=0, setout, settmph, settmph, settmphboth = settmph/settmph.                     |
| ctrlsAi | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ss of ah ctrl'd by this tu under zn/zn2 control method, this hour (setup time).                                   |
| wantMd  | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | Terminal request to ctrl'd ah: heating, cooling, off. set in tu::estimate, ztucompute, ah::wzczxxxx.              |
| lhMn    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| lhMx    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| lhMxMx  | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cMn     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cMxH    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cMxC    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| useLh   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | Local heat use this subhour: unone(0)/uso/umn/usth/umxh.  |
| useAr   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour                                  | Air cool/heat use this subhour, same plus ustc/umxc.  |
| qLhWant | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cv      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| cz      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| aCv     | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |

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|-------------|--------|----------|-------------------|------------------------|--|
| tfanRunning | X      | X        | integer<br>number | end of each<br>subhour | True if terminal fan<br>running this subhour (no<br>backflow). |
| tfanBkC     | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour | –  |

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| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| name         | X      | X        | string            | constant   | –   |
| bAutoSizeCmd | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Non-0 if any autosize commands<br>seen in input, set via arg to cul()<br>from cse.cpp. 6-95.  |
| chAutoSize   | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Whether to do autosizing, default<br>per bautosizecmd   |
| chSimulate   | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Whether to do main simulation,<br>default true, can input false for<br>autosizing only. 6-95. |
| begDay       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | 1st 1-based julian day of year of<br>run  |
| endDay       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Last ditto, inclusive   |
| nDays        | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Derived: # days in run  |
| jan1DoW      | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | January 1 day of week, sun=1<br>subtract 1 for most internal uses                             |
| year         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Derived: tdpak generic non-leap<br>year, -1 = jan 1 is monday ... -7 =<br>jan 1 is sunday.    |
| wuDays       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Number of warmup days   |
| nSubSteps    | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | # subhours per hour, determines<br>subhour duration.  |
| wfName       | X      | X        | string            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Weather file path string  |
| TDVfName     | X      | X        | string            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Tdv (time dependent value) file<br>path string  |

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|-------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|--|
| elevation         | X      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Site elevation (for determining air density) (ft). defaults from weather file 1-95.      |
| refTemp           | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Temp for computing the hum ratio (w) used in air-density calculations, default 70 f      |
| refRH             | X      | X        | number       | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Relative humidity (as fraction) ditto, default .6 (60%).                                 |
| grndRefl          | X      | X        | number       | monthly-hourly                                       | Ground surface reflectivity, re solar gain.  |
| grndEmit          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Ground surface emittance, re long wave exchange in kiva. dflt .8.                        |
| grndRf            | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Ground surface roughnes, ft, re exterior convection in kiva. dflt 0.1.                   |
| soilDiff          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Local soil diffusivity, ft <sup>2</sup> /hr, re annual deep ground temp cycle estimation |
| soilCond          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Local soil conductivity, btuh-ft/ft <sup>2</sup> -f, re kiva calcs. dflt=1.0.            |
| soilSpHt          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Local soil specific heat, btu/lb-f, re kiva calcs. dflt=0.1.                             |
| soilDens          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Local soil density, lb/ft <sup>3</sup> , re kiva calcs. dflt=115.                        |
| farFieldWidth     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Far-field boundary distance, ft, re kiva calcs. dflt=130.                                |
| deepGrndCnd       | X      | X        | unrecognized | input time   | Deep ground boundary type  |
| deepGrndDepth     | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Deep-ground boundary distance, ft, re kiva calcs. dflt=130.                              |
| deepGrndT         | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Deep-ground boundary temperature, f, re kiva calcs. dflt=annual average db.              |
| tol               | X      | X        | number       | input time   | (relative) tolerance used in many hvac calculations, default .001f or as changed         |
| humTolF           | X      | X        | number       | input time   | W change to consider as important as 1f temp re convergedness                            |
| ebTolMon          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Monthly tolerance  |
| ebTolDay          | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Daily ..   |
| ebTolHour         | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Hourly ..  |
| ebTolSubhr        | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Subhourly ..   |
| grndMinDim        | X      | X        | number       | input time   | Minimum cell dimension in kiva, ft, default .066f  |
| grndMaxGrthCoeffX |        | X        | number       | input time   | Maximum cell growth in kiva, default 1.5f  |

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| grndTimeStep | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Kiva time step   |
| AWTrigT      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Inside or outside environmental temperature, f (default = 1)                           |
| AWTrigSlr    | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Incident solar, fraction (default = .05)   |
| AWTrigH      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Total surface coefficient (conv+rad), fraction (default=.1)                            |
| ANTolAbs     | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Absolute tolerance, lbm/sec, dflt=.00125 (about 1 cfm)                                 |
| ANTolRel     | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Relative tolerance, dflt = .0001   |
| bldgAzm      | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Angle to add to all zone/surface azms  |
| skyModel     | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Sky model: c_..._iso or _aniso   |
| skyModelLW   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Long-wave sky model  |
| exShadeModel | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Exterior shading model (other than overhang/fins)                                      |
| dhwModel     | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Runtime dhw model selection (debug aid)  |
| humMeth      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | input time   | Humidity calculation method: rob (w = wa/wb) or phil (central difference), 6-92        |
| dflExH       | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Default ext (air film) cond for os & gz. 2-91  |
| workDayMask  | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Mask with bits set for "work" days, clear for "non-work" days, default mon..fri, 5-95. |
| DT           | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Yes (default) to enable daylight saving time   |
| DTBegDay     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Daylight saving start day, 1-365, default 1st sun (sun after 1st sat?) in april        |
| DTEndDay     | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Daylight saving end day, 1-365, defaulted by cncult2.cpp code to last sun in october   |
| windSpeedMin | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Minimum, mph (default=.5)  |
| windF        | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Factor (default=1)   |
| terrainClass | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Terrain class (1-5) re wind speed adjustment   |
| radBeamF     | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Beam radiation fctr. appl sees aniso( ) * beamradfactor. cgwthr.cpp.                   |
| radDiffF     | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Diffuse variant of beamradfactor, ditto.   |
| ventAvail    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly   | All-zone ventilation availability (default=c_ventavailch_wholehouse)                   |

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| hConvMod      | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Enable/disable convection convective coefficient pressure modification factor (tp_hconvf below) |
| verbose       | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Screen messages: autosizing: 0 none, 1 some (dflt?), 2-5 more                                   |
| dbgPrintMask  | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Debug print mask, controls dbprintf() etc., schedulable via std capabilities                    |
| dbgPrintMaskC | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Ditto, constant portion (value known during setup)  |
| auszTol       | X      | X        | number         | input time   | Autosizing result tolerance, dfl .005   |
| heatDsTDbo    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Heat design outdoor temp, dfl per et1 wthr file hdr.  |
| heatDsTWbo    | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Heating design outdoor wetbulb temp, dfl for 70% rh @ heatdstdbo.                               |
| coolDsMo[0]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[1]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[2]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[3]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[4]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[5]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[6]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[7]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[8]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |
| coolDsMo[9]   | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr.              |

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|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| coolDsMo[10]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr. |
| coolDsMo[11]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr. |
| coolDsMo[12]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Si[13] cooling design month(s) 1-12 + 0 terminator. default per et1 wthr file hdr. |
| coolDsDay[0]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[1]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[2]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[3]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[4]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[5]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[6]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[7]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[8]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[9]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[10] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[11] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsDay[12] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Doy[13] design day(s) read from weather file + 0 terminator                        |
| coolDsCond[0] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[1] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[2] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[3] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[4] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[5] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[6] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |
| coolDsCond[7] | X      | X        | integer number | input time  | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator  |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| coolDsCond[8]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator   |
| coolDsCond[9]  | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator   |
| coolDsCond[10] | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator   |
| coolDsCond[11] | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator   |
| coolDsCond[12] | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Ti[ 13] descond idx(s) + 0 terminator   |
| exePath        | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Full path to current .exe   |
| exeInfo        | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Info about current .exe (from header)   |
| exeCodeSize    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Code size, bytes (from exe header)  |
| progVersion    | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Program version identifier as string (for probing); set from ::progversion                      |
| HPWHVersion    | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ecotope hpwh (heat pump water heater) model version   |
| cmdLineArgs    | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Command line args for current input file  |
| runSerial      | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Run #, 000-999, per (future 11-91) status file (meanwhile, see cnguts:cnrunserial 7-92).        |
| runTitle       | X      | X        | string         | input time   | User text for report titles, footers, export title 11-22-91.                                    |
| runDateTime    | X      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Run date & time string, set by cncult2.cpp:topstarprf2(), used in reports & bin res file, 9-94. |



| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| brs           | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Yes to generate basic binary results file, default no. from input file or cmd line switch.  |
| brHrly        | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Yes to generate hourly binary results file, default no. from input file or cmd line.        |
| brFileName    | X      | X        | string         | input time   | File name for binary results, extension .brs and/or .bhr added. default: input file name.   |
| brMem         | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Put binary results in windows global memory and return handles; do not write file.          |
| brDiscardable | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Put binary results in discardable memory as well as file, return handles. overrides brfmem. |
| repHdrL       | X      | X        | string         | input time   | User-spec'd text for left end of report header line   |
| repHdrR       | X      | X        | string         | input time   | .. right  |
| repCpl        | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Report characters per line  |
| repLpp        | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Total number of lines per page (paper size)   |
| repTopM       | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Top margin in lines; # newlines written above header  |
| repBotM       | X      | X        | integer number | input time   | Bottom margin in lines; not actually output   |
| repTestPfx    | X      | X        | string         | input time   | Prefix pre-pended to e.g. footer lines re hiding lines re automated testing                 |
| exshNShade    | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of shading surfaces in model  |
| exshNRec      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of receiving surfaces in model (may also be shading)                                      |
| latitude      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Degrees north   |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| longitude | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Degress west   |
| timeZone  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Hours west (fraction ok)   |
| presAtm   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Nominal atmospheric pressure at top.elevation (in hg)                                |
| refW      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Humidity ratio for reftemp, refrh (ratio)  |
| refWX     | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | $1/(1.+rp\_refw)$  |
| airSH     | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Air specific heat (btu/lbdryair-f) @ tp_refw   |
| airVK     | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Specific volume per temp(ft3/lb-f): multiply by abs temp.                            |
| airRhoK   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Density*temp (lb-f/ft3): divide by abs temp to get density.                          |
| airVshK   | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Volumetric specific heat/temp (btu/ft3-f): div by abs temp for heat capacity per ft3 |
| airXK     | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Divide by abs temp for specific heat of flow (btuh/cfm-f)                            |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| hConvF     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Convective coefficient pressure modification factor                    |
| nDesDays   | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Number of design days: 1 for heating + number of non-0 cooldsmo's.     |
| auszSmTol  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Autosizing small tolerance, eg ausztol/10 (.001)                       |
| auszTol2   | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Half of given tolerance – added to values; used in convergence tests.  |
| auszHiTol2 | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 1 + half of tolerance, eg 1 + ausztol/2.                               |
| vrSum      | X      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Vrh for summary report (not written to as of 11/22/91)                 |
| dvriY      | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | 0 or dvrib subscript of 1st rpfreq=year report or export               |
| dvriM      | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | .. month report/export currently active                                |
| dvriD      | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | .. day report/export to write to today                                 |
| dvriH      | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | .. hourly ..   |
| dvriHS     | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | .. hourly and subhourly. a vr can only be in one list, so this list is |
| dvriS      | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | .. subhourly ..  |
| hrxFlg     | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | Nz if any hour reporting or exporting today: dvrih   -hs               |
| shrxFlg    | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | Nz if any subhour reporting or exporting today: dvris   -hs            |
| tmrInput   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | Input processing time, sec   |
| tmrAusz    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | Autosizing time, sec   |
| tmrRun     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | Main simulation time, sec  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| tmrTotal    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | Total execution time (not including reports), sec   |
| tmrAirNet   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | Add'l timers active iff detailed_timing   |
| tmrAWTot    | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| tmrAWCalc   | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| tmrCond     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| tmrKiva     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| tmrBC       | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| tmrZone     | X      | X        | number         | end of each day                                      | —   |
| subhrDur    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Duration of subhour, hr (= 1/nsubsteps)   |
| nSubhrTicks | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of subhour ticks for e.g. hpwh simulation   |
| tickDurMin  | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Duration of subhr tick, min   |
| tickDurHr   | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Duration of subhr tick, hr  |
| monStr      | X      | X        | string         | monthly  | Month being simulated as (non-heap) string  |
| dateStr     | X      | X        | string         | daily  | Date being simulated as heap string   |
| date        | X      | X        | un-probe-able  | daily  | Date: .month is 1-12, .mday 1-31, .wday 0-6. set/used: cnguts. used:cuparse;cgsolar;cgresult;cgenbal. |
| jDay        | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | Day of year now simulating, 1..365. set: tp_mainsimi; used:cnguts;cuparse;cgwthr;cgsolar;cgresult.    |
| xJDay       | X      | X        | integer number | daily  | Extended jday: same for main sim, 512 heat autosizing, 529-540 cooling autosizing.                    |
| iHr         | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Hour of day, 0-23. set/used: tp_mainsim()   |
| iSubhr      | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly  | Subhour of hour being simulated, 0.. set cnguts.cpp, used cnztu,cnvhac,cnguts,cgresult.cpp.           |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                            | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| shoy         | X      | X        | unrecognized   | subhourly                              | Extended subhour of year, for reporting peaks: subhr + 4 * (hr + 24*xjday). set/used: cnguts.       |
| isDT         | X      | X        | integer number | hourly                                 | 1 if daylight saving time in effect, 0 if not. unspecified time/date variables are daylight.        |
| iHrST        | X      | X        | integer number | hourly                                 | Standard time hour of day now simulating, 0-23. set/used cnguts, used cgsolar.cpp.                  |
| jDayST       | X      | X        | integer number | hourly                                 | Standard time day of year, 1..365. changes @ 1am ->*h. set/used cnguts, used cgsolar.cpp.           |
| autoSizing   | X      | X        | integer number | autosize and simulate phase start time | True if setting up for or doing autosizing, 0 for main simulation setup/run                         |
| pass1        | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | True autosizing pass 1 (a or b) thru dsn days: find big-enuf sizes with open-ended models           |
| pass1A       | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | True for pass 1a of each dsn day: use idealized const-supply-temp models                            |
| pass1B       | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | True for pass 1b of each dsn day: use real models   |
| pass2        | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | True autosizing for pass 2 thru dsn days: determine loads, reduce oversize sizes.                   |
| sizing       | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | True when can increase sizes. eg false during pass 2: warming up.                                   |
| dsDayI       | X      | X        | unrecognized   | daily                                  | Index of design day being simulated: 0 heat, 1-12 cooldsmo[..-1]. set in cnausz.cpp. 6-95.          |
| dsDay        | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | 0 main sim, 1 heating autosize design day, 2 cooling ausz   |
| auszMon      | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | Cool design day month 1-12 or generic month 0 for heat. 6-95.                                       |
| ivl          | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly                              | Interval now starting or ending (c_ivlch_y, _m, etc),   |
| isBegOf      | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly                              | 0 or interval now starting (for exprssion eval) (c_ivlch_y, _m, etc; 0 except during expr eval) ... |
| isEndOf      | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly                              | Ditto ending. ... set in cnguts.cpp, tested in cueval.cpp.  |
| isBegRun     | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly                              | 1st subhr of warmup, not set for run unless no warmup.  |
| isBegMainSim | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly                              | 1st subhr of main sim (not warmup, not autosize)  |
| isFirstMon   | X      | X        | integer number | monthly                                | True if 1st month of main sim. set: dobeg/endivl. used: doivlaccum.                                 |
| isLastDay    | X      | X        | integer number | daily                                  | Last day of main sim  |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|-----------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| isLastWarmupDay | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | True iff last day of main sim warmup. set: cgmainssimi. used: cgwthr.cpp. 1-95.                              |
| isBegHour       | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | True if subhour 0 of hour. set cnztu.cpp/cnguts.cpp, used cnguts.cpp, .                                      |
| isEndHour       | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | True if last subhour of hour. set cnguts.cpp, used cnguts, cgresult.cpp.                                     |
| isBegDay        | X      | X        | integer number | hourly      | True if hour 0. set: dobegivl. used: dobegivl,doivlaccum; cgresult.cpp                                       |
| isEndDay        | X      | X        | integer number | hourly      | True if hour 23. set: dobegivl. used: doendivl,doivlaccum; cgresult.cpp                                      |
| isBegMonth      | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | 1st day of month/run/warmup or 1st rep of dsn day.   |
| isEndMonth      | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Mon/run, not warmup, last day.   |
| isSolarCalcDay  | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | True if 1st day of month/run or 1st rep of dsn day: do 24 hours of solar calcs today. cnguts.                |
| isWarmup        | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | True if main sim warmup. set/used: cgmainssimi. used: dobegivl,doendivl,doivlaccum,doivlreports; exman,impf. |
| dowh            | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Autosizing: 8 heat 9 cool, else 7 if observed holiday, else day of week 0-6, for \$dowh.                     |
| isHoliday       | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | True on observed holiday: monday after certain true holidays on weekend. same as old isholiobs, 7-92.        |
| isHoliTrue      | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | True (non-0) on true date of holiday   |
| isWeHol         | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Weekend or holiday   |
| isWeekend       | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Saturday or sunday   |
| isBegWeek       | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Non-wehol after wehol  |
| isWeekday       | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Mon-fri  |
| isWorkDay       | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Workday per top.workdaymask (default mon-fri), 5-95  |
| isNonWorkDay    | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Non-workday ditto 5-95   |
| isBegWorkWeek   | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Workday after non-workday ditto 5-95   |
| notDone         | X      | X        | integer number | daily       | Combined results of autosize pass endtests   |

| Name           | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability | Description  |
|----------------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|--|
| dsDayNI        | X      | X        | unrecognized | daily       | Number of times this design day has been iterated  |
| radBeamHrAv    | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Beam irradiance on tracking surface, hour energy = average power, from weather file      |
| radBeamPvHrAv  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. previous hour (used to generate -shav)  |
| radBeamNxHrAv  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. next hour (wthr file read ahead) (used to generate -shav)                             |
| radBeamShAv    | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. current beam subhour average power, interpolated, btuh/ft2                            |
| radBeamShSpare | X      | X        | number       | constant    | –  |
| radDiffHrAv    | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Diffuse irradiance on horizontal surface, hour energy = average power, from weather file |
| radDiffPvHrAv  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. flavors as for radbeam  |
| radDiffNxHrAv  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | ..   |
| radDiffShAv    | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. current diffuse subhour power, interpolated by cgwthr.cpp, btuh/ft2                   |
| radDiffShSpare | X      | X        | number       | constant    | –  |
| tDbOHr         | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Outdoor dry bulb temp at end of hour, from wthr file, deg f.                             |
| tDbOPvHr       | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. previous hour (used to compute -hrav and -sh)   |
| tDbOHrAv       | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. average over hour (used re hourly masses, bin res files, \$variable)                  |
| tDbOSh         | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. end subhour, interpolated (used re zone temp heat balance)                            |
| tDbOPvSh       | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. end previous subhr (used to compute -shav)  |
| tDbOShAv       | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. average over subhour (used re subhourly masses)                                       |
| tWbOHr         | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Outdoor wet bulb temp at end of hour, from wthr file wb depression, deg f.               |
| tWbOPvHr       | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. previous hour (used to compute -hrav, -sh)  |
| tWbOHrAv       | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. hour average (for \$ variable)  |
| tWbOSh         | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. end subhour, interpolated (used re zone temp heat balance)                            |
| tSkyHr         | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Sky temperature, f   |
| tSkyPvHr       | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. previous hour (used to compute -sh)   |
| tSkySh         | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. end subhr, interpolated)  |
| windSpeedHr    | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | Wind speed, mph, at end hour   |
| windSpeedPvHr  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. previous hour (used to compute -hrav, -sh)  |
| windSpeedHrAv  | X      | X        | number       | hourly      | .. hour average (for \$ variable)  |
| windSpeedSh    | X      | X        | number       | subhourly   | .. end subhour, mph, interpolated: for \$variable and ..                                 |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| windSpeedSquaredSh | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | .. end subhour squared (re zone infiltration), $\text{mph}^2$                                  |
| windSpeedSqrtSh    | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | .. end subhour sqrt (re outside surface convection), $\text{mph}^{.5}$                         |
| windSpeedPt8Sh     | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | .. end subhour $^{.8}$ (re outside surface convection), $\text{mph}^{.8}$                      |
| windDirDegHr       | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Wind direction at end hour from wthr file, degrees, 0=n, 90=e. (used for \$variable)           |
| wOHr               | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Outdoor humidity ratio at end current hour, computed from tdbo and twbo (used for \$ variable) |
| wOPvHr             | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | .. previous hour (used to compute -hrav)   |
| wOHrAv             | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | .. hour average (for \$ variable)  |
| wOSh               | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | .. at end current subhour: used throughout zones and systems models in program                 |
| hOSh               | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Outdoor enthalpy at end subhour. used at in ah::doeco, towerplant::towmodel. 9-92.             |
| airxOSh            | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Air flow heat transfer @tdbosh ( $\text{vhc} \cdot 60$ ) ( $\text{btuh}/\text{cfm-f}$ ).       |
| rhoMoistOSh        | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Outdoor moist air density at end of subhour, $\text{lbm}/\text{ft}^3$                          |
| rhoDryOSh          | X      | X        | number         | subhourly  | Outdoor dry air density at end of subhour, $\text{lbm}/\text{ft}^3$                            |
| iter               | X      | X        | integer number | subhourly  | Hvac terminal / air handler / plant iteration counter for cnztu.cpp:hvacitersubhr.             |
| qcPeak             | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Maximum cooling load for an hour for entire building. negative (if not 0).                     |
| qcPeakH            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Hour 1-24 of peak cooling load   |
| qcPeakD            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Day of month 1-31 of peak load   |
| qcPeakM            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Month 1-12 of peak load  |
| qhPeak             | X      | X        | number         | hourly   | Maximum heating load for entire building during an hour  |
| qhPeakH            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Hour 1-24 of peak heating load   |
| qhPeakD            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Day of month 1-31 of peak load   |
| qhPeakM            | X      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Month 1-12 of peak load  |
| ck5aa5             | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Stuffed with 0x5aa5 from topcult for verifying initialization & matching versions              |



**6.57 towerPlant**

@towerPlant[1..].

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| name         | X      | X        | string            | constant   | –   |
| ctN          | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Number of towers. nils' ctno. default 1.  |
| tpStg        | X      | X        | unrecognized      | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Staging choice, default together. nils' stgop.  |
| tpTsSp       | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | Towers delivered water setpoint temperature (niles' twosp). degrees f, hourly, default 85f. |
| tpMtr        | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | Subscript of meter object to which tower fan energy input will be posted,                   |
| ctTy         | X      | X        | unrecognized      | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Cooling tower fan control type choice: onespeed (default), twospeed, or variable.           |
| ctLoSpd      | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Low speed for a twospeed fan, as a fraction of full cfm. default 0.5.                       |
| ctShaftPwr   | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Shaft power of one tower fan motor. rqd. user name 'shaftbhp'.                              |
| ctMotEff     | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | Motor (and drive, if any) efficiency, default 0.88  |
| ctFcOne.k[0] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| ctFcOne.k[1] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| ctFcOne.k[2] | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of each<br>phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|--|-------------|
| ctFcLo.k[0]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcLo.k[1]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcLo.k[2]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcHi.k[0]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcHi.k[1]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcHi.k[2]  | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcVar.k[0] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcVar.k[1] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcVar.k[2] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |
| ctFcVar.k[3] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —           |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| ctFcVar.k[4] | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| ctCapDs      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Design capacity, btuh. (replaces niles' design water inlet temperature.)                        |
| ctVfDs       | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design air flow volume rate through tower / full speed fan flow??, cfm, rqd.                    |
| ctGpmDs      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Design water flow rate, gpm. default: sum of connected heat rejection pump capacities / ctn.    |
| ctTDbODs     | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design outdoor drybulb temperature, f, rqd. (only needed to convert ctvfds from cfm to lb/hr).  |
| ctTWbODs     | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design outdoor wetbulb temperature, f, rqd.   |
| ctTwoDs      | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Design leaving water temperature, f, default 85.  |
| ctCapOd      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Off-design capacity, btuh. (replaces niles' design water inlet temperature.)                    |
| ctVfOd       | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Off-design air flow volume rate through one tower, cfm, must != ctvfds.                         |
| ctGpmOd      | X      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Off-design water flow rate, gpm. default: sum of connected heat rejection pump capacities/ ctn. |
| ctTDbOOD     | X      | X        | number | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Off-design outdoor drybulb temperature, f. (only needed to convert ctvfod from cfm to lb/hr).   |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| ctTWbOOd  | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Off-design outdoor wetbulb temperature, f.   |
| ctTwoOd   | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Off-design leaving water temperature, f, default 85.   |
| ctK       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Exponent in formula $ntua = \text{const} * (mw/ma)^{ctk}$ , as alternative to “off design” inputs. |
| ctStkFlFr | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Stack effect flow: air flow that occurs thru tower when fan is off, as a fraction of ctvfd.        |
| ctBldn    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Blowdown rate: frac inflowing water bled down drain, to reduce impurities buildup. default .01.    |
| ctDrft    | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Drift rate: frac inflowing water blown out of tower as droplets, w/o evaporating. default 0.       |
| ctTWm     | X      | X        | number         | autosize and simulate phase start time               | Temperature of water in mains, for makeup water. default 60.                                       |
| cp1       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript of 1st coolplant served by this towerplant. next is coolplant.nxcp4tp.                   |
| hl1       | X      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript of 1st hploop with hx served by this towerplant. next is hploop.nxhl4tp.                 |
| oneFanP   | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —  |
| maDs      | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | —  |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| maOd       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| mwDs       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| mwOd       | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| maOverMwDs | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Mads/mwds, precomputed in setup.  |
| ntuADs     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Number of transfer units for air side at design conditions (niles ntuad)                      |
| ntuAOd     | X      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | .. at off-design conditions, if given. member only as debug aid.                              |
| tpTs       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tpClf      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Call-flag: set nz if must call tpcompute so it can test tr, etc to see if computation needed. |
| tpPtf      | X      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour                                  | Compute-flag: set if must call tpcompute and it should unconditionally recompute.             |
| trNx       | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| mwAllNx    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| qLoadNx    | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| tr         | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| mwAll      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |
| qLoad      | X      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | –   |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability         | Description   |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------------|---------------------|---|
| mwil      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| qNeed     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| qMax1     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| qMin1     | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| towldCase | X      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | Tower load case, tpcompute to endsubhr: facilitates deferring fan power calc            |
| qMaxGuess | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For internal values for towmodel initial guess at next call for various towmodel calls. |
| qMinGuess | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | ..  |
| qLoGuess  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | ..  |
| qVarGuess | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | .., used via varspeedf  |
| qVarTem   | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| puteTs    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –   |
| nCtOp     | X      | X        | integer      | end of each subhour | Number of tower fans operating  |
| f         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Fraction of full speed (fraction on for one speed fan), for lead tower only if lead.    |
| fanP      | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Plant's fan input pwr this subhour (btuh!)  |
| q         | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Power imparted to water, for change detection/probes/reports 10-19-92                   |
| tpTsSpPr  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For tpeestimate   |
| tpTsEstPr | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For tpeestimate   |
| tpTsPr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For tpcompute   |
| tDbOShPr  | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For tpcompute   |
| wOShPr    | X      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | For tpcompute   |

## 6.58 weather

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| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability | Description   |
|--------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|---|
| name   | –      | X        | string       | constant    | –   |
| sunup  | –      | X        | unrecognized | hourly      | Nz if sun is up for any portion of current hour   |
| slAzm  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Azimuth, radians (0=n, +clockwise)  |
| slAlt  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Altitude, radians (0=horizon, +upwards)   |
| db     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Air dry bulb temp, deg f  |
| DNI    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Direct normal irradiance from weather file (integrated value for hour, btu/ft2)             |
| DHI    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Diffuse horizontal irradiance from weather file (integrated value for hour, btu/ft2)        |
| bmrad  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Dni as adjusted per anisotropic sky, top.radbeamf, etc (integrated value for hour, btu/ft2) |
| dfrad  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Dhi as adjusted per anisotropic sky, top.raddiff, etc (integrated value for hour, btu/ft2)  |
| wb     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Air wet bulb temp, deg f  |
| wndDir | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Wind direction, deg, 0=n, 90=e  |
| wndSpd | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Wind speed, mph   |
| glrad  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Global irradiance on horizontal surface, for daylighting calculations                       |
| cldCvr | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Total cloud cover in tenths, 0-11, or 15 for missing data                                   |
| tSky   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Sky temperature, f from weather file or calcskytemp() (berdahl-martin)                      |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|---|
| tGrnd            | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Ground temperature, f                                 |
| taDp             | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Air dew point temp, f                                 |
| tMains           | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Cold water mains temp, f                              |
| tdvElec          | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Electricity   |
| tdvFuel          | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Fuel  |
| taDbPk           | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day peak db (includes future hours), f        |
| taDbAvg          | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day average db (includes future hours), f     |
| taDbPvPk         | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day peak db, f                               |
| taDbAvg01        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day avg db (not including current day), f    |
| taDbAvg07        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 7-day avg db (not including current day), f  |
| taDbAvg14        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 14-day avg db (not including current day), f |
| taDbAvg31        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 31-day avg db (not including current day), f |
| tdvElecPk        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day peak tdvelec (includes future hours)      |
| tdvElecPkRank    | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Current day wd_tdvelecpk rank within year (1-365/366) |
| tdvElecAvg       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day avg tdvelec (includes future hours)       |
| tdvElecPvPk      | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day peak tdvelec                             |
| tdvElecAvg01     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day avg tdvelec (not including current day)  |
| tdvElecHrRank[0] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day            |



| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description                                |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| tdvElecHrRank[1]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[2]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[3]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[4]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[5]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[6]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[7]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[8]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[9]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[10] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[11] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[12] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[13] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[14] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[15] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[16] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[17] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description                                |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| tdvElecHrRank[18] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[19] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[20] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[21] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[22] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[23] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[24] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |

## 6.59 *weatherFile*

@weatherFile.

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| name        | –      | X        | string         | constant   | –  |
| wFileFormat | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | File format enum: unk, bsgs, et1, etc.                 |
| loc         | –      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Char loc[] location (for et, is loc 1 only: city etc). |
| lid         | –      | X        | string         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Char lid[] location id                                 |
| yr          | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Year of weather data (00 - 99, -1 if n/a)              |
| jd1         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Julian day of first weather record (-1 if not known)   |
| jd1         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Julian day of last weather record (ditto)              |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| lat         | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Latitude,<br>degrees n (-90.0<br>to 90.0)  |
| lon         | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Longitude,<br>degrees w (-180.<br>to 180.0). us<br>locations are<br>>0, note<br>non-standard               |
| tz          | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Time zone,<br>hours w of<br>greenwich (est<br>= +5, note<br>non-standard                                   |
| elev        | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Elevation of<br>locn in ft (-9999.<br>to 99999.)   |
| taDbAvgYr   | –      | X        | number         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Annual average<br>dry-bulb temp,<br>f  |
| tMainsAvgYr | –      | X        | number         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | Annual average<br>cold water<br>temp, f  |
| solartime   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | True if file is in<br>solar time   |
| loc2        | –      | X        | string         | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Char[] location<br>2 (state or<br>country, etc)  |
| isLeap      | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Non-0 if<br>weather file is<br>for a leap year<br>(feb 29 counted<br>in dates) –<br>possible future<br>use |
| firstDdm    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Month 1-12 of<br>first design day<br>in file   |
| lastDdm     | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Month 1-12 of<br>last design day<br>in file  |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability   | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|
| winMOE           | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Winter median<br>of extremes<br>(deg f)                  |
| win99TDdb        | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Winter 99%<br>design temp<br>(deg f)                     |
| win97TDdb        | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Winter 97.5%<br>design temp<br>(deg f)                   |
| sum1TDdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 1%<br>design temp<br>(deg f)                      |
| sum1TWdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 1%<br>design<br>coincident wb<br>(deg f)          |
| sum2TDdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 2.5%<br>design temp<br>(deg f)                    |
| sum2TWdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 2.5%<br>design<br>coincident wb<br>(deg f)        |
| sum5TDdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 5%<br>design temp<br>(deg f)                      |
| sum5TWdb         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Summer 5%<br>design<br>coincident wb<br>(deg f)          |
| range            | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Mean daily<br>range (deg f)                              |
| sumMonHi         | –      | X        | integer number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Month of<br>hottest design<br>day, 1-12                  |
| TDVFileTimeStamp | –      | X        | string         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | Timestamp<br>string                                      |
| TDVFileTitle     | –      | X        | string         | autosize and<br>simulate phase<br>start time                  | Title string<br>(identifies file cz,<br>fuel, vintage, ) |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|---|
| TDVFileJHr | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Last hour (row)<br>in file that has<br>read (1 based) |

## 6.60 weatherNextHour

@weatherNextHour.

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability | Description  |
|--------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|--|
| name   | –      | X        | string       | constant    | –  |
| sunup  | –      | X        | unrecognized | hourly      | Nz if sun is up for<br>any portion of<br>current hour  |
| slAzm  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Azimuth, radians<br>(0=n, +clockwise)  |
| slAlt  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Altitude, radians<br>(0=horizon,<br>+upwards)  |
| db     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Air dry bulb<br>temp, deg f  |
| DNI    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Direct normal<br>irradiance from<br>weather file<br>(integrated value<br>for hour, btu/ft2)                |
| DHI    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Diffuse horizontal<br>irradiance from<br>weather file<br>(integrated value<br>for hour, btu/ft2)           |
| bmrad  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Dni as adjusted<br>per anisotropic<br>sky, top.radbeamf,<br>etc (integrated<br>value for hour,<br>btu/ft2) |
| dfrac  | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Dhi as adjusted<br>per anisotropic<br>sky, top.raddiff,<br>etc (integrated<br>value for hour,<br>btu/ft2)  |
| wb     | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Air wet bulb<br>temp, deg f  |
| wndDir | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Wind direction,<br>deg, 0=n, 90=e  |
| wndSpd | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Wind speed, mph  |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|---------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| glrad         | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Global irradiance on horizontal surface, for daylighting calculations  |
| cldCvr        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Total cloud cover in tenths, 0-11, or 15 for missing data              |
| tSky          | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Sky temperature, f from weather file or calcskytemp() (berdahl-martin) |
| tGrnd         | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Ground temperature, f  |
| taDp          | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Air dew point temp, f  |
| tMains        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Cold water mains temp, f   |
| tdvElec       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Electricity  |
| tdvFuel       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Fuel   |
| taDbPk        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day peak db (includes future hours), f                         |
| taDbAvg       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day average db (includes future hours), f                      |
| taDbPvPk      | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day peak db, f  |
| taDbAvg01     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day avg db (not including current day), f                     |
| taDbAvg07     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 7-day avg db (not including current day), f                   |
| taDbAvg14     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 14-day avg db (not including current day), f                  |
| taDbAvg31     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Trailing 31-day avg db (not including current day), f                  |
| tdvElecPk     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day peak tdvelec (includes future hours)                       |
| tdvElecPkRank | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Current day wd_tdvelecpk rank within year (1-365/366)                  |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| tdvElecAvg        | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Current day avg tdvelec (includes future hours)      |
| tdvElecPvPk       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day peak tdvelec                            |
| tdvElecAvg01      | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Previous-day avg tdvelec (not including current day) |
| tdvElecHrRank[0]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[1]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[2]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[3]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[4]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[5]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[6]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[7]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[8]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[9]  | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[10] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[11] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[12] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |
| tdvElecHrRank[13] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description                                |
|-------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| tdvElecHrRank[14] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[15] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[16] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[17] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[18] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[19] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[20] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[21] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[22] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[23] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |
| tdvElecHrRank[24] | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Hour ranking of tdv values for current day |

### 6.61 window (owner: surface)

@window[1..].

| Name | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description |
|------|--------|----------|----------------|--|-------------|
| name | X      | –        | string         | constant   | –           |
| ty   | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | –           |
| area | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| azm  | X      | –        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |



| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description                               |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| tilt          | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| dircos[0]     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| dircos[1]     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| dircos[2]     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| depthBG       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| height        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | ... and to compute area b4<br>mutliplier. |
| model         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | input time  | –   |
| modelr        | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| lThkF         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| gti           | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sco           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| scc           | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.absSlr   | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.awAbsSlr | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sbcI.epsLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.zi         | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.F          | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.Fp         | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.frRad      | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fSky       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fAir       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcNat      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcFre      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcMult     | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxa        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxr        | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxtot      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.uRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.fRat       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.cx         | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.bm  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.df  | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.tot | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sg         | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.tSrf       | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcl.tSrfls     | X      | –        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcl.qrAbs      | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.txa        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.txr        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.txe        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.w          | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.qSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.pXS        | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcl.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.lenNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.lenCharNat | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.lenEffWink | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcl.cosTilt    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.atvDeg      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosAtv      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcModel     | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcLChar     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg31  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg14  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg07  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTGrnd      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.rGrnd    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rConGrnd | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.absSlr   | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.awAbsSlr | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.epsLW    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.zi       | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.F        | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.Fp       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.frRad    | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fSky     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fAir     | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcNat    | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcFrc    | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcMult   | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxa      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxr      | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxtot    | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.uRat       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.fRat       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.cx         | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.bm  | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.df  | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.tot | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sg         | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrfls     | X      | –        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcO.qrAbs      | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txa        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txr        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txe        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.w          | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.qSrf       | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.pXS        | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.si         | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind2    | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.eta        | X      | –        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.widNom     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.lenNom      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenCharNat  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenEffWink  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosTilt     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.atvDeg      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosAtv      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcModel     | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcLChar     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[0]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[1]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[2]  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.groundModel | X      | –        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvgYr  | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg31 | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg14 | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg07 | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTGrnd     | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rGrnd      | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rConGrnd   | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fenModel        | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| SHGC            | X      | –        | number       | input time  | –           |
| fMult           | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNFRC           | X      | –        | number       | input time  | –           |
| NGlz            | X      | –        | integer      | input time  | –           |
|                 |        |          | number       |   |             |
| exShd           | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| inShd           | X      | –        | unrecognized | input time  | –           |
| dirtLoss        | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExCnd         | X      | –        | integer      | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
|                 |        |          | number       |   |             |
| sfExT           | X      | –        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sfAdjZi         | X      | –        | integer      | input time  | –           |
|                 |        |          | number       |   |             |
| uI              | X      | –        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |



| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|---|-------------|
| uC         | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uX         | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| Rf         | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| grndRefl   | X      | –        | number | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfSkyDf    | X      | –        | number | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfGrndDf   | X      | –        | number | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfSkyLW    | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| vfGrndLW   | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uval       | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNom       | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UANom      | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| rSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| rSrfNom[1] | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| hSrfNom[0] | X      | –        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| hSrfNom[1]       | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| cFctr            | X      | –        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| iwshad           | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| msi              | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr<br>which will be used if<br>delayed model |
| tLrB[0]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[1]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[2]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[3]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[4]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[5]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[6]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[7]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[8]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| tLrB[9]          | X      | –        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –   |
| nsgdist          | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sgdist[0].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sgdist[0].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| sgdist[0].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |
| sgdist[0].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –   |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sgdist[1].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTi | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSO    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSC    | X      | –        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTy | X      | –        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| sgdist[5].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[5].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[5].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[6].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[6].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[6].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[6].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[7].targTy | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].targTi | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSO    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sgdist[7].FSC    | X      | –        | number         | monthly-hourly                                       | –  |
| sfClass          | X      | –        | unrecognized   | input time   | Sfcnul, sfcsurf, sfcdoor, sfcwindow                    |
| sfArea           | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Surface: gross area, net in x.xs_area.                 |
| sfU              | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Uval input if no sfcon given (excl surf films)         |
| sfCon            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface construction (optional)                        |
| sfTy             | X      | –        | integer number | constant   | Wall/floor/ceil/[intmass1/2]: for input cking.         |
| sfFnd            | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation object (floors only, optional)      |
| sfFndFloor       | X      | –        | integer number | input time   | Surface foundation floor object (walls only, optional) |
| sfExpPerim       | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Foundation floor exposed perimeter (floors only)       |
| width            | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Width and height: used to compute shading,             |

| Name   | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
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| height | X      | –        | number         | input time   | ... and to compute area b4 mutliplier.                           |
| mult   | X      | –        | number         | input time   | Area multiplier (for multiple identical windows)                 |
| xi     | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscript in runtime xsrat, to facilitate access by probers 1-92 |
| msi    | X      | –        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or msrat msr subscr which will be used if delayed model        |

## 6.62 xsurf

@xsurf[1..].

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|-----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name      | –      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| nxXsurf   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or xsrat subscr of next record for zone. chain head is znr.xsurf1.                    |
| nxXsSpecT | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Addl chain of records w/ x.sfexcnd==c_excndch_spect: used hourly. head is znr.xsspect1. |
| ty        | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| area      | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| azm       | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| tilt      | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| dircos[0] | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |
| dircos[1] | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –   |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| dircos[2]     | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| depthBG       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| height        | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| model         | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| modelr        | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| lThkF         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| gti           | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sco           | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| scc           | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcI.absSlr   | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcI.awAbsSlr | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcI.epsLW    | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.zi       | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.F        | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.Fp       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.frRad      | –      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fSky       | –      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fAir       | –      | X        | number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcNat      | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcFrc      | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hcMult     | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxa        | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxr        | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.hxtot      | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.uRat       | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.fRat       | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.cx         | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.bm  | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.df  | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sgTarg.tot | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.sg         | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.tSrf       | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.tSrfls     | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcI.qrAbs      | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txa        | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txr        | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.txe        | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcI.w          | –      | X        | number | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| sbcI.qSrf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcI.pXS        | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.si         | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.fcWind2    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.eta        | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –           |
| sbcI.widNom     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenNom     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenCharNat | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.lenEffWink | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosTilt    | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.atvDeg     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cosAtv     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcModel    | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –           |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcI.hcLChar     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[0]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[1]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.hcConst[2]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.groundModel | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvgYr  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg31  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg14  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTaDbAvg07  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.cTGrnd      | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rGrnd       | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcI.rConGrnd    | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.absSlr      | –      | X        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sbcO.awAbsSlr    | –      | X        | number       | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.epsLW      | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.zi         | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.F          | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.Fp         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.frRad      | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fSky       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fAir       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcNat      | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcFrc      | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hcMult     | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxa        | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxr        | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.hxtot      | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.uRat       | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.fRat       | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.cx         | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.bm  | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.df  | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.sgTarg.tot | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |

| Name            | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.sg         | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.tSrfls     | –      | X        | number       | subhourly   | –           |
| sbcO.qrAbs      | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txa        | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txr        | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.txe        | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.w          | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.qSrf       | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.pXS        | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.si         | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.fcWind2    | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.eta        | –      | X        | number       | end of each<br>subhour  | –           |
| sbcO.widNom     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenNom     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenCharNat | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.lenEffWink | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.cosTilt     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.atvDeg      | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cosAtv      | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcModel     | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcLChar     | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[0]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[1]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.hcConst[2]  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.groundModel | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvgYr  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg31  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg14  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.cTaDbAvg07  | –      | X        | number       | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name          | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sbcO.cTGrnd   | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rGrnd    | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sbcO.rConGrnd | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fenModel      | –      | X        | unrecognized      | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| SHGC          | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| fMult         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNFRC         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| NGlz          | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| exShd         | –      | X        | unrecognized      | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| inShd         | –      | X        | unrecognized      | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| dirtLoss      | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExCnd       | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sfExT         | –      | X        | number            | subhourly   | –           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sfAdjZi    | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uI         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uC         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uX         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| Rf         | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| grndRefl   | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfSkyDf    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfGrndDf   | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| vfSkyLW    | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| vfGrndLW   | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| uval       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UNom       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| UANom      | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| rSrfNom[0] | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| rSrfNom[1]       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| hSrfNom[0]       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| hSrfNom[1]       | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| cFctr            | –      | X        | number            | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| iwshad           | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| msi              | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| tLrB[0]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[1]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[2]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[3]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[4]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[5]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[6]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[7]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[8]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| tLrB[9]          | –      | X        | number            | end of each<br>hour   | –           |
| nsghost          | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sgdist[0].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[0].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[1].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[2].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[3].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[4].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability   | Description |
|------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|-------------|
| sgdist[4].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[4].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[5].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[6].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[6].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[6].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[7].targTy | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[7].targTi | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| sgdist[7].FSO    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |
| sgdist[7].FSC    | –      | X        | number            | monthly-<br>hourly  | –           |

### 6.63 zhx (owner: zone)

@zhx[1..].

| Name  | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability   | Description  |
|-------|--------|----------|--------------|---|--|
| name  | –      | X        | string       | constant  | –  |
| zhxTy | –      | X        | unrecognized | run start time<br>(of each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Zhx type<br>(cndtypes.def): lhso,<br>lhsth, arso, arsth,<br>arstc, or (future) nv. |

| Name     | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description   |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| sp       | –      | X        | number         | hourly   | Setpoint if heat xfer is tstat controlled (settmp), else unused (hourly variability)                  |
| spPri    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Setpoint priority: low #'s used first if setpoints equal, so can eg peg air heat b4 using local heat. |
| ui       | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Terminal tu subscript if a term cap type  |
| zi       | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone znr subscript always – for term cap or vent zhx. when stable, just use ownti?                    |
| ai       | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or ah ss (subscript) of air handler supplying ar zhx (copied from tu).                              |
| xiLh     | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subscr of local heat zhx for same terminal if any, else 0; not set for self.                          |
| xiArH    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Was xiheat. subscr of air heat or air set output zhx for same terminal, if any, else 0                |
| xiArC    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Xicool. subscr of air cool zhx for same terminal, if any, else 0                                      |
| nxZh4z   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain: 0 or subscript of next terminal zhx for this zone; 0?? if vent; head znr.zhx1.                 |
| nxZhSt4z | –      | X        | integer number | hourly   | Chain: 0 or ss of next settmp zhx for this zone; head znr.zhx1st; kept sorted on sp/pri at runtime.   |
| nxZh4a   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Chain: 0 or subscript of next terminal zhx for this air handler; head ah.zhx1.                        |
| mda      | –      | X        | integer number | hourly   | For settmp, mode (mdseq[] subscr) in which this is active (ctrl'd by its sp) zhx.                     |

**6.64 znRes**

@znRes[1..].

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|---|
| name         | –      | X        | string         | constant   | –   |
| Y.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                   |
| Y.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”            |
| Y.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto cooling   |
| Y.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto fan vent  |
| Y.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto natural vent  |
| Y.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                        |
| Y.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of iterations   |
| Y.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours |
| Y.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto heating   |
| Y.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating       |
| Y.nSubhr     | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subhour counter (convenience)   |
| Y.nSubhrLX   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                     |

| Name      | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description  |
|-----------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Y.tAir    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| Y.tRad    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| Y.PMV7730 | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| Y.PPD7730 | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| Y.ivAirX  | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| Y.pz0     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| Y.wAir    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| Y.qCond   | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| Y.qsInfil | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| Y.qSlr    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| Y.qsIg    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability                                      | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| Y.qMass     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.            |
| Y.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Interzone gain to zone, btu   |
| Y.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| Y.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                    |
| Y.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| Y.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| Y.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| Y.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| Y.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| Y.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |
| Y.qlBal     | –      | X        | number | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability                                      | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| Y.qlX      | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation<br>=== heat of condensation.    |
| Y.unMetHDH | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)            |
| Y.unMetCDH | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)            |
| Y.qcMech   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone accumulated cooling (negative) ...  |
| Y.qhMech   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| Y.qvMech   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| Y.litDmd   | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| Y.litEu    | –      | X        | number         | end of run (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| M.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each month                                | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| M.nHrHeat  | –      | X        | integer number | end of each month                                | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| M.nHrCool  | –      | X        | integer number | end of each month                                | Ditto cooling  |
| M.nHrFanv  | –      | X        | integer number | end of each month                                | Ditto fan vent   |
| M.nHrNatv  | –      | X        | integer number | end of each month                                | Ditto natural vent   |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability       | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------------|--|
| M.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | end of each month | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                     |
| M.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | # of iterations  |
| M.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours              |
| M.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Ditto heating  |
| M.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| M.nSubhr     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| M.nSubhrLX   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| M.tAir       | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| M.tRad       | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| M.PMV7730    | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| M.PPD7730    | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| M.ivAirX     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| M.pz0        | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| M.wAir       | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability       | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------------|---|
| M.qCond     | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum          |
| M.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu  |
| M.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone solar gain, btu  |
| M.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone internal sensible gain, btu  |
| M.qMass     | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.            |
| M.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Interzone gain to zone, btu   |
| M.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| M.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                    |
| M.qIInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| M.qIIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| M.qIIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| M.qIAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| M.qIMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| M.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |
| M.qIBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each month | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.           |



| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability       | Description   |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------------|---|
| M.qlX        | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation<br>=== heat of condensation.       |
| M.unMetHDH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)               |
| M.unMetCDH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)               |
| M.qcMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)   |
| M.qhMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | ... and heating (positive)<br>mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| M.qvMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)  |
| M.litDmd     | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...  |
| M.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | end of each month | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.      |
| D.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each day   | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                     |
| D.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each day   | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                              |
| D.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each day   | Ditto cooling   |
| D.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each day   | Ditto fan vent  |
| D.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each day   | Ditto natural vent  |
| D.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | end of each day   | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”  |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability     | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|-----------------|--|
| D.nIter     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | # of iterations  |
| D.nHrUnMetH | –      | X        | number | end of each day | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours              |
| D.nHrUnMetC | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Ditto heating  |
| D.nShVentH  | –      | X        | number | end of each day | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| D.nSubhr    | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| D.nSubhrLX  | –      | X        | number | end of each day | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| D.tAir      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| D.tRad      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| D.PMV7730   | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| D.PPD7730   | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| D.ivAirX    | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| D.pz0       | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| D.wAir      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| D.qCond     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability     | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|-----------------|--|
| D.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| D.qsSlr     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| D.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |
| D.qMass     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.             |
| D.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Interzone gain to zone, btu  |
| D.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                  |
| D.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                     |
| D.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu   |
| D.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone internal latent gain, btu   |
| D.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                            |
| D.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.      |
| D.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum    |
| D.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp.  |
| D.qlBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.            |
| D.qlX       | –      | X        | number | end of each day | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation === heat of condensation. |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability      | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|------------------|--|
| D.unMetHDDH  | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr ( $\leq 0$ )     |
| D.unMetCDH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr ( $\geq 0$ )     |
| D.qcMeh      | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)  |
| D.qhMeh      | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| D.qvMeh      | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| D.litDmd     | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| D.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | end of each day  | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| H.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each hour | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| H.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each hour | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| H.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each hour | Ditto cooling  |
| H.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each hour | Ditto fan vent   |
| H.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each hour | Ditto natural vent   |
| H.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | end of each hour | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                       |
| H.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour | # of iterations  |
| H.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours                |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description  |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|--|
| H.nHrUnMetC | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Ditto heating  |
| H.nShVentH  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| H.nSubhr    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| H.nSubhrLX  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| H.tAir      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| H.tRad      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| H.PMV7730   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| H.PPD7730   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| H.ivAirX    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| H.pz0       | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| H.wAir      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| H.qCond     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| H.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| H.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| H.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability      | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|------------------|---|
| H.qMass     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.            |
| H.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Interzone gain to zone, btu   |
| H.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| H.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                    |
| H.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| H.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| H.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| H.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| H.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| H.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |
| H.qlBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.           |
| H.qlX       | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation == heat of condensation. |
| H.unMetHDH  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)     |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability         | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|--|
| H.unMetCDH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr ( $\geq 0$ )     |
| H.qcMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)  |
| H.qhMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| H.qvMech     | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| H.litDmd     | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| H.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | end of each hour    | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| S.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | end of each subhour | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| S.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| S.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Ditto cooling  |
| S.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Ditto fan vent   |
| S.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Ditto natural vent   |
| S.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                       |
| S.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | # of iterations  |
| S.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours                |
| S.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Ditto heating  |
| S.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | # of substeps in this interval when ventilation caused heating                       |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description  |
|------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|--|
| S.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| S.nSubhrLX | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| S.tAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| S.tRad     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| S.PMV7730  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| S.PPD7730  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| S.ivAirX   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| S.pz0      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| S.wAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| S.qCond    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| S.qsInfil  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| S.qSlr     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| S.qsIg     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |
| S.qMass    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.                 |
| S.qsIz     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Interzone gain to zone, btu  |



| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability         | Description   |
|-------------|--------|----------|--------|---------------------|---|
| S.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| S.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                    |
| S.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| S.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| S.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| S.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| S.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| S.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |
| S.qlBal     | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.           |
| S.qlX       | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation == heat of condensation. |
| S.unMetHDH  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)     |
| S.unMetCDH  | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)     |
| S.qcMech    | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)<br>...                                    |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| S.qhMech           | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| S.qvMech           | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| S.litDmd           | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| S.litEu            | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour                                  | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| prior.Y.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| prior.Y.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| prior.Y.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto cooling  |
| prior.Y.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto fan vent   |
| prior.Y.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto natural vent   |
| prior.Y.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                       |
| prior.Y.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of iterations  |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| prior.Y.nHrUnMetH | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours              |
| prior.Y.nHrUnMetC | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ditto heating  |
| prior.Y.nShVentH  | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| prior.Y.nSubhr    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| prior.Y.nSubhrLX  | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| prior.Y.tAir      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| prior.Y.tRad      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| prior.Y.PMV7730   | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| prior.Y.PPD7730   | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| prior.Y.ivAirX    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description   |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|---|
| prior.Y.pz0       | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0) |
| prior.Y.wAir      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                          |
| prior.Y.qCond     | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum    |
| prior.Y.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu                                    |
| prior.Y.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone solar gain, btu  |
| prior.Y.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone internal sensible gain, btu  |
| prior.Y.qMass     | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.      |
| prior.Y.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Interzone gain to zone, btu   |
| prior.Y.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                           |
| prior.Y.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                              |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability  | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------|--|--|
| prior.Y.qlInfil  | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu   |
| prior.Y.qlIg     | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone internal latent gain, btu   |
| prior.Y.qlIz     | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                            |
| prior.Y.qlAir    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.      |
| prior.Y.qlMech   | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum    |
| prior.Y.qsBal    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp.  |
| prior.Y.qlBal    | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.            |
| prior.Y.qlX      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation === heat of condensation. |
| prior.Y.unMetHDH | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)      |
| prior.Y.unMetCDH | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)      |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| prior.Y.qcMech     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone accumulated cooling (negative) ...  |
| prior.Y.qhMech     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| prior.Y.qvMech     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| prior.Y.litDmd     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| prior.Y.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| prior.M.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | monthly  | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| prior.M.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | monthly  | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| prior.M.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | monthly  | Ditto cooling  |
| prior.M.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | monthly  | Ditto fan vent   |
| prior.M.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | monthly  | Ditto natural vent   |
| prior.M.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | monthly  | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                       |
| prior.M.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | monthly  | # of iterations  |
| prior.M.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | monthly  | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours                |
| prior.M.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | monthly  | Ditto heating  |
| prior.M.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | monthly  | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                      |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|--|
| prior.M.nSubhr   | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| prior.M.nSubhrLX | –      | X        | number | monthly     | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| prior.M.tAir     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| prior.M.tRad     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| prior.M.PMV7730  | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| prior.M.PPD7730  | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| prior.M.ivAirX   | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| prior.M.pz0      | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| prior.M.wAir     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| prior.M.qCond    | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| prior.M.qsInfil  | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.M.qSlr     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| prior.M.qsIg     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.M.qMass    | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.                 |
| prior.M.qsIz     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Interzone gain to zone, btu  |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description   |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---|
| prior.M.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| prior.M.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)                                    |
| prior.M.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| prior.M.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| prior.M.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| prior.M.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| prior.M.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| prior.M.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |
| prior.M.qlBal     | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.           |
| prior.M.qlX       | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation == heat of condensation. |
| prior.M.unMetHDH  | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)     |
| prior.M.unMetCDH  | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)     |
| prior.M.qcMech    | –      | X        | number | monthly     | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)<br>...                                    |



| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| prior.M.qhMech     | –      | X        | number         | monthly     | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| prior.M.qvMech     | –      | X        | number         | monthly     | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| prior.M.litDmd     | –      | X        | number         | monthly     | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| prior.M.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | monthly     | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| prior.D.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | daily       | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |
| prior.D.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | daily       | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                           |
| prior.D.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | daily       | Ditto cooling  |
| prior.D.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | daily       | Ditto fan vent   |
| prior.D.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | daily       | Ditto natural vent   |
| prior.D.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | daily       | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                       |
| prior.D.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | daily       | # of iterations  |
| prior.D.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | daily       | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours                |
| prior.D.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | daily       | Ditto heating  |
| prior.D.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | daily       | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                      |
| prior.D.nSubhr     | –      | X        | number         | daily       | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| prior.D.nSubhrLX   | –      | X        | number         | daily       | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                    |
| prior.D.tAir       | –      | X        | number         | daily       | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|--|
| prior.D.tRad      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| prior.D.PMV7730   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| prior.D.PPD7730   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| prior.D.ivAirX    | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| prior.D.pz0       | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| prior.D.wAir      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| prior.D.qCond     | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| prior.D.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.D.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| prior.D.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.D.qMass     | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.                 |
| prior.D.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Interzone gain to zone, btu  |
| prior.D.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                      |
| prior.D.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | daily       | Equivalent full vent hours = sum(zn_fvent)   |
| prior.D.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu   |
| prior.D.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone internal latent gain, btu   |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description   |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---|
| prior.D.qlIz     | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                                     |
| prior.D.qlAir    | –      | X        | number | daily       | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.               |
| prior.D.qlMech   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum             |
| prior.D.qsBal    | –      | X        | number | daily       | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp.           |
| prior.D.qlBal    | –      | X        | number | daily       | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.                     |
| prior.D.qlX      | –      | X        | number | daily       | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation<br>=== heat of condensation.       |
| prior.D.unMetHDH | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)               |
| prior.D.unMetCDH | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)               |
| prior.D.qcMech   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)   |
| prior.D.qhMech   | –      | X        | number | daily       | ... and heating (positive)<br>mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| prior.D.qvMech   | –      | X        | number | daily       | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)  |
| prior.D.litDmd   | –      | X        | number | daily       | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...  |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| prior.D.litEu      | –      | X        | number         | daily       | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94. |
| prior.H.n          | –      | X        | unrecognized   | hourly      | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                |
| prior.H.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                         |
| prior.H.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Ditto cooling  |
| prior.H.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Ditto fan vent   |
| prior.H.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Ditto natural vent   |
| prior.H.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | hourly      | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                     |
| prior.H.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | # of iterations  |
| prior.H.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours              |
| prior.H.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Ditto heating  |
| prior.H.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| prior.H.nSubhr     | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| prior.H.nSubhrLX   | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| prior.H.tAir       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| prior.H.tRad       | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| prior.H.PMV7730    | –      | X        | number         | hourly      | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description  |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|--|
| prior.H.PPD7730   | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| prior.H.ivAirX    | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |
| prior.H.pz0       | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)            |
| prior.H.wAir      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                     |
| prior.H.qCond     | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum               |
| prior.H.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.H.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone solar gain, btu   |
| prior.H.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone internal sensible gain, btu   |
| prior.H.qMass     | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.                 |
| prior.H.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Interzone gain to zone, btu  |
| prior.H.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                      |
| prior.H.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Equivalent full vent hours = sum( zn_fvent)  |
| prior.H.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu   |
| prior.H.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone internal latent gain, btu   |
| prior.H.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                                |
| prior.H.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | hourly      | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.          |

| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|--|
| prior.H.qlMech   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum          |
| prior.H.qsBal    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp.        |
| prior.H.qlBal    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.                  |
| prior.H.qlX      | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation<br>=== heat of condensation.    |
| prior.H.unMetHDH | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)            |
| prior.H.unMetCDH | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)            |
| prior.H.qcMech   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)  |
| prior.H.qhMech   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| prior.H.qvMech   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| prior.H.litDmd   | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| prior.H.litEu    | –      | X        | number       | hourly      | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |
| prior.S.n        | –      | X        | unrecognized | subhourly   | Accumulate call count (to convert sums to averages)                                  |

| Name               | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability | Description  |
|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------|--|
| prior.S.nHrHeat    | –      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | # of hours in which any heating occurred; 1st “# of hours”                         |
| prior.S.nHrCool    | –      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | Ditto cooling  |
| prior.S.nHrFanv    | –      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | Ditto fan vent   |
| prior.S.nHrNatv    | –      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | Ditto natural vent   |
| prior.S.nHrCeilFan | –      | X        | integer number | subhourly   | Ditto ceiling fan operation; last “# of hours”                                     |
| prior.S.nIter      | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | # of iterations  |
| prior.S.nHrUnMetH  | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | # of hours in this intervals having <i>any</i> unmet heating subhours              |
| prior.S.nHrUnMetC  | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Ditto heating  |
| prior.S.nShVentH   | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | # of substeps int this interval when ventilation caused heating                    |
| prior.S.nSubhr     | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Subhour counter (convenience)  |
| prior.S.nSubhrLX   | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | # subhours with condensation (excess latent gain)                                  |
| prior.S.tAir       | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Zone air temp; must be 1st float, is first float to average (see cnguts.h)         |
| prior.S.tRad       | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Zone radiant temp; meaningful iff convective/radiant model active for this zone    |
| prior.S.PMV7730    | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Iso7730 predicted mean vote = predicted comfort per ashrae thermal sensation scale |
| prior.S.PPD7730    | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Iso7730 predicted percent dissatisfied = % of people not satisfied with conditions |
| prior.S.ivAirX     | –      | X        | number         | subhourly   | Zone air exchange rate not including hvac or ducts, ach                            |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description   |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|---|
| prior.S.pz0       | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone air pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf (from zn_pz0)       |
| prior.S.wAir      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone air humidity ratio; last float to average                                |
| prior.S.qCond     | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone wall conduction gain, btu; 1st heat flow and first float to sum          |
| prior.S.qsInfil   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone infiltration sensible gain, btu  |
| prior.S.qSlr      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone solar gain, btu  |
| prior.S.qsIg      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone internal sensible gain, btu  |
| prior.S.qMass     | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone net sensible transfer from mass, btu. see qlair for moisture.            |
| prior.S.qsIz      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Interzone gain to zone, btu   |
| prior.S.qsMech    | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone total sensible mechanical heat gain, btu                                 |
| prior.S.eqfVentHr | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Equivalent full vent hours = sum( zn_fvent)                                   |
| prior.S.qlInfil   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone infiltration latent gain, btu  |
| prior.S.qlIg      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone internal latent gain, btu  |
| prior.S.qlIz      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone izxfer latent gain (infil, vent, duct leakage)                           |
| prior.S.qlAir     | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Latent heat of moisture removed from zone air: moisture analog of zncair.     |
| prior.S.qlMech    | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone latent mechanical heat gain, btu; last heat flow and last float to sum   |
| prior.S.qsBal     | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Sensible balance: sum of sensible heats, should be near 0. set in cnguts.cpp. |



| Name             | Input? | Runtime? | Type   | Variability | Description  |
|------------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------|--|
| prior.S.qlBal    | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Latent balance similarly. consider removing bals after development.                  |
| prior.S.qlX      | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Latent gain rejected to prevent zone supersaturation<br>=== heat of condensation.    |
| prior.S.unMetHDH | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion below heating set point, deg-hr (<=0)            |
| prior.S.unMetCDH | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone end-of-hour air temp excursion above cooling set point, deg-hr (>=0)            |
| prior.S.qcMech   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone accumulated cooling (negative)  |
| prior.S.qhMech   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | ... and heating (positive) mechanical heat gains. latent & sensible combined. 10-93. |
| prior.S.qvMech   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | ... mechanical (oav) vent (negative)   |
| prior.S.litDmd   | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | Zone lighting demand and energy use, ...   |
| prior.S.litEu    | –      | X        | number | subhourly   | ... from gains, in addition to posting eu to meter, re daylighting for nrel. 9-94.   |

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@zone[1..].

| Name    | Input? | Runtime? | Type    | Variability | Description |
|---------|--------|----------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| name    | X      | X        | string  | constant    | –           |
| znModel | X      | X        | integer | input time  | –           |
| znArea  | X      | X        | number  | input time  | –           |
| znVol   | X      | X        | number  | input time  | –           |
| floorZ  | X      | X        | number  | input time  | –           |

| Name        | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description |
|-------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| ceilingHt   | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| znCAir      | X      | X        | number            | input time   | —           |
| HIRatio     | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| znAzm       | X      | X        | number            | input time   | —           |
| plenumRet   | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | —           |
| znSC        | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| znTH        | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —           |
| znTD        | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —           |
| znTC        | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —           |
| znQMxH      | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| znQMxHRated | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| znQMxC      | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| znQMxCRated | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| rsi         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| hcFrcF      | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| hcAirX      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| hcAirXIsSet | X      | X        | unrecognized      | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| xfanFOn     | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| xfan.fanTy  | X      | X        | unrecognized      | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.vfDs   | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type         | Variability  | Description |
|-------------------|--------|----------|--------------|--|-------------|
| xfan.vfDs_As      | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| xfan.vfDs_AsNov   | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| xfan.vfMxF        | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| xfan.press        | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| xfan.eff          | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| xfan.shaftPwr     | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| xfan.elecPwr      | X      | X        | number       | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| xfan.motTy        | X      | X        | unrecognized | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –           |
| xfan.motEff       | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| xfan.motPos       | X      | X        | unrecognized | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |
| xfan.curvePy.k[0] | X      | X        | number       | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | –           |

| Name              | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description |
|-------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| xfan.curvePy.k[1] | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.curvePy.k[2] | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.curvePy.k[3] | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.curvePy.k[4] | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.curvePy.k[5] | X      | X        | number            | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.mtri         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | —           |
| xfan.endUse       | X      | X        | integer<br>number | autosize and<br>simulate<br>phase start<br>time                  | —           |
| xfan.ausz         | X      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | —           |
| xfan.outPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —           |
| xfan.airPower     | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | —           |
| xfan.cMx          | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.c            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.t            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.frOn         | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.p            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.q            | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.dT           | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| xfan.qAround      | X      | X        | number            | end of each<br>subhour   | —           |
| infAC             | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |
| infELA            | X      | X        | number            | hourly   | —           |

| Name       | Input? | Runtime? | Type              | Variability  | Description   |
|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--|---|
| infShld    | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | –   |
| infStories | X      | X        | integer<br>number | input time   | –   |
| eaveZ      | X      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| windFLkg   | X      | X        | number            | subhourly  | –   |
| vrZdd      | X      | X        | unrecognized      | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | –   |
| xsurf1     | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Chain head (xsrat subscr)<br>of zone's xsurfs: sur-<br>face/window/perim/masswall<br>info. next: xsrat.nxxsurf. |
| xsSpecT1   | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | 0 or chain head of zn's<br>xsurfs with .sfex-<br>cnd==c_excndch_spect:<br>used hourly. next:<br>xsrat.nxxspect. |
| tu1        | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Head of chain of zone's<br>terminals: 0 or tub<br>subscript. next: tu.nxtu.                                     |
| zhx1       | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Chain head of zone's zhx's<br>(zone hvac xfers): 0 or zhxb<br>subscript. next:<br>zhx.nxzhx4z.                  |
| zhx1St     | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | ... zone's settmp<br>(tstat-ctrl'd) zhx's. next:<br>zhx.nxzhzst4z.  |
| znSCF      | –      | X        | integer<br>number | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Non-0 if i.znsc given by<br>user; 0 to default shade<br>closure in cnloads.cpp                                  |
| stackc     | –      | X        | number            | run start<br>time (of<br>each phase,<br>autoSize or<br>simulate) | Stack coefficient for zone<br>height (sherman-grimsrud<br>model)  |

| Name         | Input? | Runtime? | Type           | Variability  | Description  |
|--------------|--------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| windc        | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Wind coefficient for zone height and shielding (sherman-grimsrud model)              |
| rIgDistNAI   | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or number of allocated entries in...   |
| rIgDistN     | –      | X        | integer number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | 0 or number of used entries in...  |
| rIgDist      | –      | X        | unrecognized   | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Null or ptr to heap array of distrubution info for rad int gain originating in zone. |
| surfA        | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total surface area in zone, ft2 (surfaces, doors, windows, ducts)                    |
| surfASlr     | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total “short wave” surface area in zone, ft2   |
| ductA        | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total duct surface area in zone, ft2 (included in zn_surfa)                          |
| surfEpsLWAvg | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Area-weighted surface lw emissivity = sum( surfarea * surfepslw) / zn_surfa          |
| airRadXC1    | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Constants re zn_airradxarea calc   |
| airRadXC2    | –      | X        | number         | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | –  |

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| airRadXArea   | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Area of air “surface”, ft2   |
| FAir          | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Air f “view factor” (constant during simulation)                                       |
| airCxF        | –      | X        | number | end of each hour                                     | Air factor for zn_cxsh re lw exchange  |
| airCx         | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour                                  | Air contribution to zn_cxsh, btuh/f  |
| rmTrans[0]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Area-weighted summed diffuse transmissivity of windows in zone,                        |
| rmTrans[1]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Area-weighted summed diffuse transmissivity of windows in zone,                        |
| rmAbs         | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Sum of area-weighted solar (sw) absorptivity for opaque room surfaces (dimensionless). |
| adjRmAbs[0]   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Rmabs adjusted for reflected energy that goes out windows (m-h):                       |
| adjRmAbs[1]   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Rmabs adjusted for reflected energy that goes out windows (m-h):                       |
| rmAbsCAir     | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Sum of area-weighted absorptivity for non-massive room surfaces                        |
| cavAbsCAir[0] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Zone cair cavity absorptance === portion insolation to no particular surface           |
| cavAbsCAir[1] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Zone cair cavity absorptance === portion insolation to no particular surface           |
| sgfCavBm[0]   | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Zone's solar gain factors from its windows not explicitly targeted for hour,           |

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| sgfCavBm[1]  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Zone's solar gain factors from its windows not explicitly targeted for hour,         |
| sgfCavDf[0]  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | .. to be distributed among surface and cair sgr entries after accumulation.          |
| sgfCavDf[1]  | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | .. to be distributed among surface and cair sgr entries after accumulation.          |
| sgSaBm[0]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Cair adjustments to above for gains getting to other side of (quick) surface or      |
| sgSaBm[1]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Cair adjustments to above for gains getting to other side of (quick) surface or      |
| sgSaDf[0]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | .. lost to outdoors due to surface film vs conductance thru (quick) surface          |
| sgSaDf[1]    | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | .. lost to outdoors due to surface film vs conductance thru (quick) surface          |
| sgfCAirBm[0] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Beam solar gain factor this hour to zone cair  |
| sgfCAirBm[1] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Beam solar gain factor this hour to zone cair  |
| sgfCAirDf[0] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Diffuse .. these are multipliers for wthr data, later, via sgr                       |
| sgfCAirDf[1] | –      | X        | number | end of each hour on 1st day of month/run             | Diffuse .. these are multipliers for wthr data, later, via sgr                       |
| uaSpecT      | –      | X        | number | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ua to specified temps (excnd=spect surfaces), for bcon. set/used only in cnguts.cpp. |



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| ua            | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Overall loss to ambient (sum uval*area), constant for run, for bcon and zn_aqldhr. btuh/f. |
| UANom         | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Ua to ambient based on surface unom (derived with default surf conductances), btuh/f       |
| ductCondUANom | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Nominal total ua of ducts in zone, btuh/f (due to conduction, not air leakage)             |
| haMass        | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total ha (surf conductance * area) to mass (btuh/f)  |
| BGWallPerim   | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Total below grade wall perimeter, ft   |
| BGWallPA4     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Sum (perim*a4)   |
| BGWallPA5     | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Sum (perim*a5)   |
| qSgTot        | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Hour total solar gain to some  |
| sgTotTarg.bm  | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgTotTarg.df  | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgTotTarg.tot | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qrIgTot       | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | Total originating in this zone: redundant total for energy balance check only.             |
| qrIgTotO      | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | Subtotal lost to outdoors thru light surfaces, to show in zeb rpt as -cond.                |
| qrIgTotIz     | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | Net subtotal to other zones thru light surfaces, to show in zeb rpt as -izone.             |

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| qrIgAir         | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each hour                                     | Rad int gain to this zone's cair (for light surfaces/windows), for zn_aqldhr. 11-95. |
| qrIgMs          | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | Rad int gain to mass sides in this zone, for energy balance, set in cnloads. 11-95.  |
| znSGain         | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| znLGain         | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| znLitDmd        | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| znLitEu         | –      | X        | number       | end of each hour                                     | –  |
| znXLGain        | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| znXLGainLs      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| bcon            | –      | X        | number       | run start time (of each phase, autoSize or simulate) | Portion of b constant for run: ua + uaspect. setup time.                             |
| qMsSg           | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qSgAir          | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Subhour's solar gain rate (btuh) to air  |
| sgAirTarg.bm    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgAirTarg.df    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgAirTarg.tot   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qSgTotSh        | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgTotShTarg.bm  | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgTotShTarg.df  | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| sgTotShTarg.tot | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | –  |
| qIzXAnSh        | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Subhourly gain due to non-airnet izxfers (btuh, +=into zone)                         |
| qIzSh           | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Subhourly part of interzone gain rate (btuh, +=into zone)                            |
| pz0W[0]         | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour                                  | Working zone pressures relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf                       |

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| pz0W[1]        | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Working zone pressures relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf |
| pz0            | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Final zone pressure relative to patm at nominal z=0, lbf/sf    |
| ventUt         | –      | X        | unrecognized | end of each subhour | Vent utility for this substep                                  |
| qDuctCondAir   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | To ta (convection)   |
| qDuctCondRad   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | To tr (radiation)  |
| qDuctCond      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Sum from last step (else energy balance trouble)               |
| qDHWLossAir    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | To ta (convection)   |
| qDHWLossRad    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | To tr (radiation)  |
| qDHWLoss       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Sum  |
| qHPWH          | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Heat extracted from zone by heat pump dhwheater(s)             |
| hpwhAirX       | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Approximate zone air change rate due to                        |
| airNetI[0].tdb | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| airNetI[0].w   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| airNetI[0].amf | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| airNetI[1].tdb | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| airNetI[1].w   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| airNetI[1].amf | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| fVent          | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Vent fraction; venting used to hold zone at zntd               |
| tzVent         | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Zone air temp with full vent, f (debug aid)                    |
| anAmfCpVent    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Vent flow (in excess of zn_airneti[ 0])                        |
| anAmfCpTVent   | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | Ditto *temp  |
| ductLkI.tdb    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| ductLkI.w      | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| ductLkI.amf    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |
| ductLkO.tdb    | –      | X        | number       | end of each subhour | –  |

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| ductLkO.w        | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| ductLkO.amf      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirI.tdb      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirI.w        | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirI.amf      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirO.tdb      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirO.w        | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysAirO.amf      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| OAVRlfo.tdb      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| OAVRlfo.w        | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| OAVRlfo.amf      | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysDepAirIls.tdb | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysDepAirIls.w   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| sysDepAirIls.amf | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | –   |
| qCondQS          | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Total quick surface conduction, btuh (+ = into zone)                            |
| qCondMS          | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Total mass exterior surface conduction, btuh (+ = into zone)                    |
| rsAmfSysReq[0]   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Requested rsys air mass flow (at system) to hold current step set point, lbm/hr |
| rsAmfSysReq[1]   | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Requested rsys air mass flow (at system) to hold current step set point, lbm/hr |
| rsFSize          | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Fraction of requested air that rsys could provide                               |
| rsAmfSup         | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Final rsys supply air mass flow (at register, +=in), lbm/hr                     |
| rsAmfRet         | –      | X        | number | end of each subhour | Final rsys return air mass flow (out of zone at grille, +=out), lbm/hr          |
| rsAmfRetLs       | –      | X        | number | subhourly           | Last step zn_rsamfret (+ = out)   |

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| tzsp          | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Current step controlling set point, f   |
| hcMode        | –      | X        | integer number | end of each subhour | Heating / cooling mode required per set point (rsmheat, rsmcool, )              |
| unMetHDH      | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Tz - znth at end of hour, deg-hr  |
| unMetCDH      | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Tz - zntc at end of hour, deg-hr  |
| fConvH        | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Heating   |
| fConvC        | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Cooling   |
| fConv         | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Current step  |
| qsHvac        | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Subhour total (sensible) power of all hvac (btuh)                               |
| qlHvac        | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Subhour total latent power (btuh) (moisture * 1061) likewise                    |
| qlIz          | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Latent gain from izxfer sources (infil, vent, and duct leakage), btuh           |
| wCase         | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Debug aid, see code   |
| airMode       | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | System mechanical air circulation mode (0=off, 1=on) re evaluation of           |
| rho           | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Zone moist air density at nominal w=tp_refw, lb/cf                              |
| rho0          | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Zone moist air density at nominal z=0, lb/cf; computed from tzls and zn_pz0[ 0] |
| rho0ls        | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Ditto, prior step   |
| dryAirMass    | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Total mass of <i>dry</i> air in zone, lbm                                       |
| dryAirMassEff | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Effective dry air mass in zone, lbm   |
| ivAirX        | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Zone infiltration/ventilation air change rate (changes/hr)                      |
| airX          | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | Overall zone air change rate (changes/hr)                                       |
| hcAirXls      | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Prior subhour value of i.zn_hcairx  |
| hcFrc         | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Inside surface forced convection coefficient, btuh/ft2-f                        |
| windPresV     | –      | X        | number         | subhourly           | Wind velocity pressure, lbf/ft2   |
| tz            | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |
| aTz           | –      | X        | number         | end of each subhour | –   |

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| wz        | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | –   |
| relHum    | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | Zone relative humidity, 0 - 1                   |
| relHumls  | –      | X        | number  | subhourly              | Zone relative humidity, end last subhour, 0 - 1 |
| relHumlh  | –      | X        | number  | hourly                 | Zone relative humidity, end last hour, 0 - 1    |
| twb       | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | Zone wet bulb temp, f                           |
| aWz       | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | –   |
| tzls      | –      | X        | number  | subhourly              | –   |
| wzls      | –      | X        | number  | subhourly              | –   |
| tzlh      | –      | X        | number  | hourly                 | –   |
| tzlsDelta | –      | X        | number  | constant               | –   |
| wzlsDelta | –      | X        | number  | constant               | –   |
| tr        | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | –   |
| trls      | –      | X        | number  | end of each<br>subhour | –   |
| trlh      | –      | X        | number  | hourly                 | –   |
| md        | –      | X        | integer | end of each            | Current hvac mode:                              |
|           |        |          | number  | subhour                | subscript of mdseq                              |