§1 TEX82

1. Introduction. This is T<sub>E</sub>X, a document compiler intended to produce typesetting of high quality. The Pascal program that follows is the definition of T<sub>E</sub>X82, a standard version of T<sub>E</sub>X that is designed to be highly portable so that identical output will be obtainable on a great variety of computers.

The main purpose of the following program is to explain the algorithms of TEX as clearly as possible. As a result, the program will not necessarily be very efficient when a particular Pascal compiler has translated it into a particular machine language. However, the program has been written so that it can be tuned to run efficiently in a wide variety of operating environments by making comparatively few changes. Such flexibility is possible because the documentation that follows is written in the WEB language, which is at a higher level than Pascal; the preprocessing step that converts WEB to Pascal is able to introduce most of the necessary refinements. Semi-automatic translation to other languages is also feasible, because the program below does not make extensive use of features that are peculiar to Pascal.

A large piece of software like T<sub>E</sub>X has inherent complexity that cannot be reduced below a certain level of difficulty, although each individual part is fairly simple by itself. The WEB language is intended to make the algorithms as readable as possible, by reflecting the way the individual program pieces fit together and by providing the cross-references that connect different parts. Detailed comments about what is going on, and about why things were done in certain ways, have been liberally sprinkled throughout the program. These comments explain features of the implementation, but they rarely attempt to explain the T<sub>E</sub>X language itself, since the reader is supposed to be familiar with The T<sub>E</sub>Xbook.

The present implementation has a long ancestry, beginning in the summer of 1977, when Michael F. Plass and Frank M. Liang designed and coded a prototype based on some specifications that the author had made in May of that year. This original protoT<sub>F</sub>X included macro definitions and elementary manipulations on boxes and glue, but it did not have line-breaking, page-breaking, mathematical formulas, alignment routines, error recovery, or the present semantic nest; furthermore, it used character lists instead of token lists, so that a control sequence like \halign was represented by a list of seven characters. A complete version of T<sub>F</sub>X was designed and coded by the author in late 1977 and early 1978; that program, like its prototype, was written in the SAIL language, for which an excellent debugging system was available. Preliminary plans to convert the SAIL code into a form somewhat like the present "web" were developed by Luis Trabb Pardo and the author at the beginning of 1979, and a complete implementation was created by Ignacio A. Zabala in 1979 and 1980. The TEX82 program, which was written by the author during the latter part of 1981 and the early part of 1982, also incorporates ideas from the 1979 implementation of T<sub>F</sub>X in MESA that was written by Leonidas Guibas, Robert Sedgewick, and Douglas Wyatt at the Xerox Palo Alto Research Center. Several hundred refinements were introduced into TEX82 based on the experiences gained with the original implementations, so that essentially every part of the system has been substantially improved. After the appearance of "Version 0" in September 1982, this program benefited greatly from the comments of many other people, notably David R. Fuchs and Howard W. Trickey. A final revision in September 1989 extended the input character set to eight-bit codes and introduced the ability to hyphenate words from different languages, based on some ideas of Michael J. Ferguson.

No doubt there still is plenty of room for improvement, but the author is firmly committed to keeping TEX82 "frozen" from now on; stability and reliability are to be its main virtues.

On the other hand, the WEB description can be extended without changing the core of TEX82 itself, and the program has been designed so that such extensions are not extremely difficult to make. The *banner* string defined here should be changed whenever TEX undergoes any modifications, so that it will be clear which version of TEX might be the guilty party when a problem arises.

If this program is changed, the resulting system should not be called 'TEX'; the official name 'TEX' by itself is reserved for software systems that are fully compatible with each other. A special test suite called the "TRIP test" is available for helping to determine whether a particular implementation deserves to be known as 'TEX' [cf. Stanford Computer Science report CS1027, November 1984].

define banner ≡ 'ThisuisuTeX,uVersionu3.141592653' { printed when TeX starts}

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3. Different Pascals have slightly different conventions, and the present program expresses T<sub>E</sub>X in terms of the Pascal that was available to the author in 1982. Constructions that apply to this particular compiler, which we shall call Pascal-H, should help the reader see how to make an appropriate interface for other systems if necessary. (Pascal-H is Charles Hedrick's modification of a compiler for the DECsystem-10 that was originally developed at the University of Hamburg; cf. Software—Practice and Experience 6 (1976), 29–42. The T<sub>E</sub>X program below is intended to be adaptable, without extensive changes, to most other versions of Pascal, so it does not fully use the admirable features of Pascal-H. Indeed, a conscious effort has been made here to avoid using several idiosyncratic features of standard Pascal itself, so that most of the code can be translated mechanically into other high-level languages. For example, the 'with' and 'new' features are not used, nor are pointer types, set types, or enumerated scalar types; there are no 'var' parameters, except in the case of files; there are no tag fields on variant records; there are no assignments real ← integer; no procedures are declared local to other procedures.)

The portions of this program that involve system-dependent code, where changes might be necessary because of differences between Pascal compilers and/or differences between operating systems, can be identified by looking at the sections whose numbers are listed under 'system dependencies' in the index. Furthermore, the index entries for 'dirty Pascal' list all places where the restrictions of Pascal have not been followed perfectly, for one reason or another.

Incidentally, Pascal's standard *round* function can be problematical, because it disagrees with the IEEE floating-point standard. Many implementors have therefore chosen to substitute their own home-grown rounding procedure.

4. The program begins with a normal Pascal program heading, whose components will be filled in later, using the conventions of WEB. For example, the portion of the program called ' $\langle$  Global variables 13 $\rangle$ ' below will be replaced by a sequence of variable declarations that starts in §13 of this documentation. In this way, we are able to define each individual global variable when we are prepared to understand what it means; we do not have to define all of the globals at once. Cross references in §13, where it says "See also sections 20, 26, ...," also make it possible to look at the set of all global variables, if desired. Similar remarks apply to the other portions of the program heading.

Actually the heading shown here is not quite normal: The **program** line does not mention any *output* file, because Pascal-H would ask the T<sub>E</sub>X user to specify a file name if *output* were specified here.

```
define mtype ≡ tQ&yQ&pQ&e { this is a WEB coding trick: }
format mtype ≡ type { 'mtype' will be equivalent to 'type' }
format type ≡ true { but 'type' will not be treated as a reserved word }
⟨Compiler directives 9⟩
program TEX; { all file names are defined dynamically }
label ⟨Labels in the outer block 6⟩
const ⟨Constants in the outer block 11⟩
mtype ⟨Types in the outer block 18⟩
var ⟨Global variables 13⟩
procedure initialize; { this procedure gets things started properly }
var ⟨Local variables for initialization 19⟩
begin ⟨Initialize whatever TEX might access 8⟩
end;
⟨Basic printing procedures 57⟩
⟨Error handling procedures 78⟩
```

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5. The overall TEX program begins with the heading just shown, after which comes a bunch of procedure declarations and function declarations. Finally we will get to the main program, which begins with the comment 'start\_here'. If you want to skip down to the main program now, you can look up 'start\_here' in the index. But the author suggests that the best way to understand this program is to follow pretty much the order of TEX's components as they appear in the WEB description you are now reading, since the present ordering is intended to combine the advantages of the "bottom up" and "top down" approaches to the problem of understanding a somewhat complicated system.

**6.** Three labels must be declared in the main program, so we give them symbolic names.

```
define start\_of\_TEX = 1 { go here when TEX's variables are initialized } define end\_of\_TEX = 9998 { go here to close files and terminate gracefully } define final\_end = 9999 { this label marks the ending of the program } \langle Labels in the outer block 6 \rangle \equiv start\_of\_TEX, end\_of\_TEX, final\_end; { key control points } This code is used in section 4.
```

7. Some of the code below is intended to be used only when diagnosing the strange behavior that sometimes occurs when TEX is being installed or when system wizards are fooling around with TEX without quite knowing what they are doing. Such code will not normally be compiled; it is delimited by the codewords 'debug...gubed', with apologies to people who wish to preserve the purity of English.

Similarly, there is some conditional code delimited by 'stat...tats' that is intended for use when statistics are to be kept about TEX's memory usage. The stat ... tats code also implements diagnostic information for \tracingparagraphs, \tracingpages, and \tracingrestores.

```
define debug \equiv \mathfrak{Q} \{ (change this to 'debug \equiv' when debugging } define gubed \equiv \mathfrak{Q} \} (change this to 'gubed \equiv' when debugging } format debug \equiv begin format gubed \equiv end define stat \equiv \mathfrak{Q} \{ (change this to 'stat \equiv' when gathering usage statistics } define tats \equiv \mathfrak{Q} \} (change this to 'tats \equiv' when gathering usage statistics } format stat \equiv begin format tats \equiv end
```

8. This program has two important variations: (1) There is a long and slow version called INITEX, which does the extra calculations needed to initialize T<sub>E</sub>X's internal tables; and (2) there is a shorter and faster production version, which cuts the initialization to a bare minimum. Parts of the program that are needed in (1) but not in (2) are delimited by the codewords 'init...tini'.

```
define init \equiv \{ \text{change this to '}init \equiv \mathbb{Q}' \text{ in the production version } \}
define tini \equiv \{ \text{change this to '}tini \equiv \mathbb{Q}' \text{ in the production version } \}
format init \equiv begin
format tini \equiv end
\langle \text{Initialize whatever TEX might access 8} \rangle \equiv \langle \text{Set initial values of key variables 21} \rangle
init \langle \text{Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164} \rangle tini
This code is used in section 4.
```

9. If the first character of a Pascal comment is a dollar sign, Pascal-H treats the comment as a list of "compiler directives" that will affect the translation of this program into machine language. The directives shown below specify full checking and inclusion of the Pascal debugger when TEX is being debugged, but they cause range checking and other redundant code to be eliminated when the production system is being generated. Arithmetic overflow will be detected in all cases.

```
\langle Compiler directives 9 \rangle \equiv \mathbb{Q} = \mathbb{Q} \times C^{-}, A^{+}, D^{-} = \mathbb{Q}  { no range check, catch arithmetic overflow, no debug overhead } debug \mathbb{Q} \times C^{+}, D^{+} = \mathbb{Q}  gubed { but turn everything on when debugging } This code is used in section 4.
```

10. This T<sub>E</sub>X implementation conforms to the rules of the *Pascal User Manual* published by Jensen and Wirth in 1975, except where system-dependent code is necessary to make a useful system program, and except in another respect where such conformity would unnecessarily obscure the meaning and clutter up the code: We assume that **case** statements may include a default case that applies if no matching label is found. Thus, we shall use constructions like

```
case x of
1: \langle \text{code for } x = 1 \rangle;
3: \langle \text{code for } x = 3 \rangle;
othercases \langle \text{code for } x \neq 1 \text{ and } x \neq 3 \rangle
endcases
```

since most Pascal compilers have plugged this hole in the language by incorporating some sort of default mechanism. For example, the Pascal-H compiler allows 'others:' as a default label, and other Pascals allow syntaxes like 'else' or 'otherwise' or 'otherwise:', etc. The definitions of othercases and endcases should be changed to agree with local conventions. Note that no semicolon appears before endcases in this program, so the definition of endcases should include a semicolon if the compiler wants one. (Of course, if no default mechanism is available, the case statements of TeX will have to be laboriously extended by listing all remaining cases. People who are stuck with such Pascals have, in fact, done this, successfully but not happily!)

```
define othercases \equiv others: { default for cases not listed explicitly } define endcases \equiv \mathbf{end} { follows the default case in an extended case statement } format othercases \equiv else format endcases \equiv end
```

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11. The following parameters can be changed at compile time to extend or reduce TEX's capacity. They may have different values in INITEX and in production versions of TEX.

```
\langle Constants in the outer block 11 \rangle \equiv
     mem_{-}max = 30000;
                { greatest index in T<sub>E</sub>X's internal mem array; must be strictly less than max_halfword; must be
                equal to mem\_top in INITEX, otherwise \geq mem\_top }
     mem_min = 0; {smallest index in T<sub>F</sub>X's internal mem array; must be min_halfword or more; must be
                equal to mem\_bot in INITEX, otherwise \leq mem\_bot }
     buf_size = 500; { maximum number of characters simultaneously present in current lines of open files
                and in control sequences between \csname and \endcsname; must not exceed max_halfword \}
     error\_line = 72; { width of context lines on terminal error messages }
     half_error_line = 42; { width of first lines of contexts in terminal error messages; should be between 30
                and error\_line - 15}
     max\_print\_line = 79; { width of longest text lines output; should be at least 60 }
     stack\_size = 200; { maximum number of simultaneous input sources }
                { maximum number of input files and error insertions that can be going on simultaneously }
     font\_max = 75; { maximum internal font number; must not exceed max\_quarterword and must be at
                most font\_base + 256 }
     font\_mem\_size = 20000; { number of words of font\_info for all fonts }
     param_size = 60; { maximum number of simultaneous macro parameters }
     nest_size = 40; { maximum number of semantic levels simultaneously active }
     max_strings = 3000; { maximum number of strings; must not exceed max_halfword }
     string_vacancies = 8000; { the minimum number of characters that should be available for the user's
                control sequences and font names, after T<sub>E</sub>X's own error messages are stored }
     pool_size = 32000; { maximum number of characters in strings, including all error messages and help
                texts, and the names of all fonts and control sequences; must exceed string-vacancies by the total
                length of T<sub>F</sub>X's own strings, which is currently about 23000 }
     save\_size = 600; \quad \{\, \text{space for saving values outside of current group; must be at most } \textit{max\_halfword} \,\, \}
     trie_size = 8000; { space for hyphenation patterns; should be larger for INITEX than it is in production
                versions of T<sub>F</sub>X }
     trie\_op\_size = 500; { space for "opcodes" in the hyphenation patterns }
     dvi_buf_size = 800; { size of the output buffer; must be a multiple of 8 }
     file\_name\_size = 40; { file names shouldn't be longer than this }
     pool\_name = \texttt{`TeXformats:TEX.POOL} \\ \texttt{DOOL} \\ \texttt{DOOL
                { string of length file_name_size; tells where the string pool appears }
This code is used in section 4.
```

12. Like the preceding parameters, the following quantities can be changed at compile time to extend or reduce TEX's capacity. But if they are changed, it is necessary to rerun the initialization program INITEX to generate new tables for the production TEX program. One can't simply make helter-skelter changes to the following constants, since certain rather complex initialization numbers are computed from them. They are defined here using WEB macros, instead of being put into Pascal's **const** list, in order to emphasize this distinction.

```
define mem\_bot = 0 { smallest index in the mem array dumped by INITEX; must not be less than mem\_min } define mem\_top \equiv 30000 { largest index in the mem array dumped by INITEX; must be substantially larger than mem\_bot and not greater than mem\_max } define font\_base = 0 { smallest internal font number; must not be less than min\_quarterword } define hash\_size = 2100 { maximum number of control sequences; it should be at most about (mem\_max - mem\_min)/10 } define hash\_prime = 1777 { a prime number equal to about 85% of hash\_size } define hyph\_size = 307 { another prime; the number of \hyphenation exceptions }
```

13. In case somebody has inadvertently made bad settings of the "constants," TEX checks them using a global variable called bad.

This is the first of many sections of TEX where global variables are defined.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle \equiv \\ bad: integer; \quad \big\{ \text{is some "constant" wrong?} \big\} \\ \text{See also sections } 20, \, 26, \, 30, \, 32, \, 39, \, 50, \, 54, \, 73, \, 76, \, 79, \, 96, \, 104, \, 115, \, 116, \, 117, \, 118, \, 124, \, 165, \, 173, \, 181, \, 213, \, 246, \, 253, \, 256, \, 271, \\ 286, \, 297, \, 301, \, 304, \, 305, \, 308, \, 309, \, 310, \, 333, \, 361, \, 382, \, 387, \, 388, \, 410, \, 438, \, 447, \, 480, \, 489, \, 493, \, 512, \, 513, \, 520, \, 527, \, 532, \, 539, \\ 549, \, 550, \, 555, \, 592, \, 595, \, 605, \, 616, \, 646, \, 647, \, 661, \, 684, \, 719, \, 724, \, 764, \, 770, \, 814, \, 821, \, 823, \, 825, \, 828, \, 833, \, 839, \, 847, \, 872, \, 892, \\ 900, \, 905, \, 907, \, 921, \, 926, \, 943, \, 947, \, 950, \, 971, \, 980, \, 982, \, 989, \, 1032, \, 1074, \, 1266, \, 1281, \, 1299, \, 1305, \, 1331, \, 1342, \, \text{and} \, 1345. \end{array} This code is used in section 4.
```

**14.** Later on we will say 'if  $mem\_max \ge max\_halfword$  then  $bad \leftarrow 14$ ', or something similar. (We can't do that until  $max\_halfword$  has been defined.)

```
⟨ Check the "constant" values for consistency 14⟩ ≡ bad \leftarrow 0;

if (half\_error\_line < 30) \lor (half\_error\_line > error\_line - 15) then bad \leftarrow 1;

if max\_print\_line < 60 then bad \leftarrow 2;

if dvi\_buf\_size \ \mathbf{mod} \ 8 \neq 0 then bad \leftarrow 3;

if mem\_bot + 1100 > mem\_top then bad \leftarrow 4;

if hash\_prime > hash\_size then bad \leftarrow 5;

if max\_in\_open \ge 128 then bad \leftarrow 6;

if mem\_top < 256 + 11 then bad \leftarrow 7; {we will want null\_list > 255}

See also sections 111, 290, 522, and 1249.
```

This code is used in section 1332.

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15. Labels are given symbolic names by the following definitions, so that occasional **goto** statements will be meaningful. We insert the label 'exit' just before the 'end' of a procedure in which we have used the 'return' statement defined below; the label 'restart' is occasionally used at the very beginning of a procedure; and the label 'reswitch' is occasionally used just prior to a **case** statement in which some cases change the conditions and we wish to branch to the newly applicable case. Loops that are set up with the **loop** construction defined below are commonly exited by going to 'done' or to 'found' or to 'not\_found', and they are sometimes repeated by going to 'continue'. If two or more parts of a subroutine start differently but end up the same, the shared code may be gathered together at 'common\_ending'.

Incidentally, this program never declares a label that isn't actually used, because some fussy Pascal compilers will complain about redundant labels.

```
define exit = 10 { go here to leave a procedure }
define restart = 20 { go here to start a procedure again }
define reswitch = 21 { go here to start a case statement again }
define continue = 22 { go here to resume a loop }
define done = 30 { go here to exit a loop }
define done1 = 31 { like done, when there is more than one loop }
define done2 = 32
                     { for exiting the second loop in a long block }
define done3 = 33
                     { for exiting the third loop in a very long block }
define done4 = 34
                     { for exiting the fourth loop in an extremely long block }
define done5 = 35
                     { for exiting the fifth loop in an immense block }
define done\theta = 36
                     { for exiting the sixth loop in a block }
define found = 40
                    { go here when you've found it }
define found1 = 41 { like found, when there's more than one per routine }
define found2 = 42 { like found, when there's more than two per routine }
define not-found = 45 { go here when you've found nothing }
define common\_ending = 50 { go here when you want to merge with another branch }
```

**16.** Here are some macros for common programming idioms.

```
define incr(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow \# + 1 { increase a variable by unity } define decr(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow \# - 1 { decrease a variable by unity } define negate(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow -\# { change the sign of a variable } define loop \equiv while \ true \ do { repeat over and over until a goto happens } format loop \equiv xclause { WEB's xclause acts like 'while true \ do' } define do\_nothing \equiv \{ \text{empty statement } \} define return \equiv \text{goto } exit \ \{ \text{terminate a procedure call } \} format return \equiv nil define empty = 0 { symbolic name for a null constant }
```

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17. The character set. In order to make T<sub>E</sub>X readily portable to a wide variety of computers, all of its input text is converted to an internal eight-bit code that includes standard ASCII, the "American Standard Code for Information Interchange." This conversion is done immediately when each character is read in. Conversely, characters are converted from ASCII to the user's external representation just before they are output to a text file.

Such an internal code is relevant to users of  $T_{EX}$  primarily because it governs the positions of characters in the fonts. For example, the character 'A' has ASCII code 65 = '101, and when  $T_{EX}$  typesets this letter it specifies character number 65 in the current font. If that font actually has 'A' in a different position,  $T_{EX}$  doesn't know what the real position is; the program that does the actual printing from  $T_{EX}$ 's device-independent files is responsible for converting from ASCII to a particular font encoding.

TEX's internal code also defines the value of constants that begin with a reverse apostrophe; and it provides an index to the \catcode, \mathcode, \uccode, \lccode, and \delcode tables.

18. Characters of text that have been converted to  $T_EX$ 's internal form are said to be of type  $ASCII\_code$ , which is a subrange of the integers.

```
\langle Types in the outer block 18\rangle \equiv ASCII\_code = 0 ... 255;  { eight-bit numbers } See also sections 25, 38, 101, 109, 113, 150, 212, 269, 300, 548, 594, 920, and 925. This code is used in section 4.
```

19. The original Pascal compiler was designed in the late 60s, when six-bit character sets were common, so it did not make provision for lowercase letters. Nowadays, of course, we need to deal with both capital and small letters in a convenient way, especially in a program for typesetting; so the present specification of TEX has been written under the assumption that the Pascal compiler and run-time system permit the use of text files with more than 64 distinguishable characters. More precisely, we assume that the character set contains at least the letters and symbols associated with ASCII codes '40 through '176; all of these characters are now available on most computer terminals.

Since we are dealing with more characters than were present in the first Pascal compilers, we have to decide what to call the associated data type. Some Pascals use the original name *char* for the characters in text files, even though there now are more than 64 such characters, while other Pascals consider *char* to be a 64-element subrange of a larger data type that has some other name.

In order to accommodate this difference, we shall use the name  $text\_char$  to stand for the data type of the characters that are converted to and from  $ASCII\_code$  when they are input and output. We shall also assume that  $text\_char$  consists of the elements  $chr(first\_text\_char)$  through  $chr(last\_text\_char)$ , inclusive. The following definitions should be adjusted if necessary.

```
define text\_char \equiv char { the data type of characters in text files } define first\_text\_char = 0 { ordinal number of the smallest element of text\_char } define last\_text\_char = 255 { ordinal number of the largest element of text\_char } \langle Local variables for initialization 19 \rangle \equiv i: integer; See also sections 163 and 927. This code is used in section 4.
```

20. The  $T_EX$  processor converts between ASCII code and the user's external character set by means of arrays xord and xchr that are analogous to Pascal's ord and chr functions.

```
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle +\equiv xord: \text{ array } [text\_char] \text{ of } ASCII\_code;  { specifies conversion of input characters } xchr: \text{ array } [ASCII\_code] \text{ of } text\_char;  { specifies conversion of output characters }
```

21. Since we are assuming that our Pascal system is able to read and write the visible characters of standard ASCII (although not necessarily using the ASCII codes to represent them), the following assignment statements initialize the standard part of the *xchr* array properly, without needing any system-dependent changes. On the other hand, it is possible to implement TEX with less complete character sets, and in such cases it will be necessary to change something here.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle \equiv
   xchr['40] \leftarrow ``\bot`; xchr['41] \leftarrow ``!`; xchr['42] \leftarrow ``"`; xchr['43] \leftarrow `#`; xchr['44] \leftarrow `$`;
   xchr['45] \leftarrow `\%`; xchr['46] \leftarrow `\&`; xchr['47] \leftarrow ````;
   xchr[50] \leftarrow (; xchr[51] \leftarrow ); xchr[52] \leftarrow *; xchr[53] \leftarrow +; xchr[54] \leftarrow ;;
   xchr['55] \leftarrow `-`; xchr['56] \leftarrow `.`; xchr['57] \leftarrow '/`;
   xchr[60] \leftarrow \texttt{`0'}; \ xchr[61] \leftarrow \texttt{`1'}; \ xchr[62] \leftarrow \texttt{`2'}; \ xchr[63] \leftarrow \texttt{`3'}; \ xchr[64] \leftarrow \texttt{`4'};
   xchr['65] \leftarrow `5`; xchr['66] \leftarrow `6`; xchr['67] \leftarrow `7`;
   xchr['70] \leftarrow `8"; xchr['71] \leftarrow `9"; xchr['72] \leftarrow `:"; xchr['73] \leftarrow `;"; xchr['74] \leftarrow `<";
   xchr['75] \leftarrow `=`; xchr['76] \leftarrow `>`; xchr['77] \leftarrow `?`;
   xchr['100] \leftarrow \text{`@'}; xchr['101] \leftarrow \text{`A'}; xchr['102] \leftarrow \text{`B'}; xchr['103] \leftarrow \text{`C'}; xchr['104] \leftarrow \text{`D'};
   xchr['105] \leftarrow \text{`E'}; xchr['106] \leftarrow \text{`F'}; xchr['107] \leftarrow \text{`G'};
   xchr['110] \leftarrow \text{`H'}; xchr['111] \leftarrow \text{`I'}; xchr['112] \leftarrow \text{`J'}; xchr['113] \leftarrow \text{`K'}; xchr['114] \leftarrow \text{`L'};
   xchr['115] \leftarrow \text{`M'}; xchr['116] \leftarrow \text{`N'}; xchr['117] \leftarrow \text{`O'};
   xchr['120] \leftarrow \text{`P'}; xchr['121] \leftarrow \text{`Q'}; xchr['122] \leftarrow \text{`R'}; xchr['123] \leftarrow \text{`S'}; xchr['124] \leftarrow \text{`T'};
   xchr['125] \leftarrow \text{`U'}; xchr['126] \leftarrow \text{`V'}; xchr['127] \leftarrow \text{`W'};
   xchr['130] \leftarrow `X`; xchr['131] \leftarrow `Y`; xchr['132] \leftarrow `Z`; xchr['133] \leftarrow `[`; xchr['134] \leftarrow `\`;
   xchr['135] \leftarrow `]`; xchr['136] \leftarrow ```; xchr['137] \leftarrow `\_`;
   xchr['140] \leftarrow ```; xchr['141] \leftarrow `a`; xchr['142] \leftarrow `b`; xchr['143] \leftarrow `c`; xchr['144] \leftarrow `d`;
   xchr['145] \leftarrow \text{`e'}; xchr['146] \leftarrow \text{`f'}; xchr['147] \leftarrow \text{`g'};
   xchr['150] \leftarrow \text{`h'}; xchr['151] \leftarrow \text{`i'}; xchr['152] \leftarrow \text{`j'}; xchr['153] \leftarrow \text{`k'}; xchr['154] \leftarrow \text{`l'};
   xchr['155] \leftarrow \text{`m'}; xchr['156] \leftarrow \text{`n'}; xchr['157] \leftarrow \text{`o'};
   xchr['160] \leftarrow \texttt{`p'}; \ xchr['161] \leftarrow \texttt{`q'}; \ xchr['162] \leftarrow \texttt{`r'}; \ xchr['163] \leftarrow \texttt{`s'}; \ xchr['164] \leftarrow \texttt{`t'};
   xchr['165] \leftarrow `u`; xchr['166] \leftarrow `v`; xchr['167] \leftarrow `w`;
   xchr['170] \leftarrow \mathbf{\hat{x}}; \ xchr['171] \leftarrow \mathbf{\hat{y}}; \ xchr['172] \leftarrow \mathbf{\hat{z}}; \ xchr['173] \leftarrow \mathbf{\hat{f}}; \ xchr['174] \leftarrow \mathbf{\hat{f}};
   xchr['175] \leftarrow ``\}`; xchr['176] \leftarrow ``
```

See also sections 23, 24, 74, 77, 80, 97, 166, 215, 254, 257, 272, 287, 383, 439, 481, 490, 521, 551, 556, 593, 596, 606, 648, 662, 685, 771, 928, 990, 1033, 1267, 1282, 1300, and 1343.

This code is used in section 8.

**22.** Some of the ASCII codes without visible characters have been given symbolic names in this program because they are used with a special meaning.

```
define null_code = '0 { ASCII code that might disappear }
define carriage_return = '15 { ASCII code used at end of line }
define invalid_code = '177 { ASCII code that many systems prohibit in text files }
```

23. The ASCII code is "standard" only to a certain extent, since many computer installations have found it advantageous to have ready access to more than 94 printing characters. Appendix C of *The T<sub>E</sub>Xbook* gives a complete specification of the intended correspondence between characters and T<sub>E</sub>X's internal representation.

If  $T_EX$  is being used on a garden-variety Pascal for which only standard ASCII codes will appear in the input and output files, it doesn't really matter what codes are specified in xchr[0...'37], but the safest policy is to blank everything out by using the code shown below.

However, other settings of xchr will make TEX more friendly on computers that have an extended character set, so that users can type things like ' $\neq$ ' instead of '\ne'. People with extended character sets can assign codes arbitrarily, giving an xchr equivalent to whatever characters the users of TEX are allowed to have in their input files. It is best to make the codes correspond to the intended interpretations as shown in Appendix C whenever possible; but this is not necessary. For example, in countries with an alphabet of more than 26 letters, it is usually best to map the additional letters into codes less than '40. To get the most "permissive" character set, change ' $_{\perp}$ ' on the right of these assignment statements to chr(i).

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle += for i \leftarrow 0 to '37 do xchr[i] \leftarrow ` \Box `; for i \leftarrow '177 to '377 do xchr[i] \leftarrow ` \Box `;
```

**24.** The following system-independent code makes the *xord* array contain a suitable inverse to the information in xchr. Note that if xchr[i] = xchr[j] where i < j < '177, the value of xord[xchr[i]] will turn out to be j or more; hence, standard ASCII code numbers will be used instead of codes below '40 in case there is a coincidence.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle +\equiv for i \leftarrow first\_text\_char to last\_text\_char do xord[chr(i)] \leftarrow invalid\_code; for i \leftarrow '200 to '377 do xord[xchr[i]] \leftarrow i; for i \leftarrow 0 to '176 do xord[xchr[i]] \leftarrow i;
```

25. Input and output. The bane of portability is the fact that different operating systems treat input and output quite differently, perhaps because computer scientists have not given sufficient attention to this problem. People have felt somehow that input and output are not part of "real" programming. Well, it is true that some kinds of programming are more fun than others. With existing input/output conventions being so diverse and so messy, the only sources of joy in such parts of the code are the rare occasions when one can find a way to make the program a little less bad than it might have been. We have two choices, either to attack I/O now and get it over with, or to postpone I/O until near the end. Neither prospect is very attractive, so let's get it over with.

The basic operations we need to do are (1) inputting and outputting of text, to or from a file or the user's terminal; (2) inputting and outputting of eight-bit bytes, to or from a file; (3) instructing the operating system to initiate ("open") or to terminate ("close") input or output from a specified file; (4) testing whether the end of an input file has been reached.

T<sub>E</sub>X needs to deal with two kinds of files. We shall use the term *alpha\_file* for a file that contains textual data, and the term *byte\_file* for a file that contains eight-bit binary information. These two types turn out to be the same on many computers, but sometimes there is a significant distinction, so we shall be careful to distinguish between them. Standard protocols for transferring such files from computer to computer, via high-speed networks, are now becoming available to more and more communities of users.

The program actually makes use also of a third kind of file, called a *word\_file*, when dumping and reloading base information for its own initialization. We shall define a word file later; but it will be possible for us to specify simple operations on word files before they are defined.

```
\langle \text{Types in the outer block } 18 \rangle +\equiv eight\_bits = 0..255; \quad \{\text{unsigned one-byte quantity}\}
alpha\_file = \mathbf{packed file of} \ text\_char; \quad \{\text{files that contain textual data}\}
byte\_file = \mathbf{packed file of} \ eight\_bits; \quad \{\text{files that contain binary data}\}
```

26. Most of what we need to do with respect to input and output can be handled by the I/O facilities that are standard in Pascal, i.e., the routines called get, put, eof, and so on. But standard Pascal does not allow file variables to be associated with file names that are determined at run time, so it cannot be used to implement TeX; some sort of extension to Pascal's ordinary reset and rewrite is crucial for our purposes. We shall assume that name\_of\_file is a variable of an appropriate type such that the Pascal run-time system being used to implement TeX can open a file whose external name is specified by name\_of\_file.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡

name_of_file: packed array [1.. file_name_size] of char;

{ on some systems this may be a record variable }

name_length: 0.. file_name_size;

{ this many characters are actually relevant in name_of_file (the rest are blank) }
```

27. The Pascal-H compiler with which the present version of  $T_{EX}$  was prepared has extended the rules of Pascal in a very convenient way. To open file f, we can write

```
reset(f, name, ^{\prime} 0^{\prime}) for input; rewrite(f, name, ^{\prime} 0^{\prime}) for output.
```

The 'name' parameter, which is of type 'packed array  $[\langle any \rangle]$  of char', stands for the name of the external file that is being opened for input or output. Blank spaces that might appear in name are ignored.

The '/0' parameter tells the operating system not to issue its own error messages if something goes wrong. If a file of the specified name cannot be found, or if such a file cannot be opened for some other reason (e.g., someone may already be trying to write the same file), we will have  $erstat(f) \neq 0$  after an unsuccessful reset or rewrite. This allows T<sub>F</sub>X to undertake appropriate corrective action.

TEX's file-opening procedures return false if no file identified by name\_of\_file could be opened.

```
define reset_{-}OK(\#) \equiv erstat(\#) = 0
  define rewrite\_OK(\#) \equiv erstat(\#) = 0
function a\_open\_in(\mathbf{var}\ f : alpha\_file): boolean; { open a text file for input }
  begin reset(f, name\_of\_file, `/O`); a\_open\_in \leftarrow reset\_OK(f);
function a\_open\_out(\mathbf{var}\ f: alpha\_file): boolean; { open a text file for output }
  begin rewrite(f, name\_of\_file, `/O`); a\_open\_out \leftarrow rewrite\_OK(f);
function b\_open\_in(\mathbf{var}\ f: byte\_file): boolean; { open a binary file for input }
  begin reset(f, name\_of\_file, ^/O^*); b\_open\_in \leftarrow reset\_OK(f);
  end;
function b\_open\_out(\mathbf{var}\ f: byte\_file): boolean; { open a binary file for output }
  begin rewrite(f, name\_of\_file, `/O`); b\_open\_out \leftarrow rewrite\_OK(f);
  end:
function w\_open\_in(\mathbf{var}\ f : word\_file): boolean; { open a word file for input }
  begin reset(f, name\_of\_file, ^/O^*); w\_open\_in \leftarrow reset\_OK(f);
function w\_open\_out(\mathbf{var}\ f : word\_file): boolean; { open a word file for output }
  begin rewrite(f, name\_of\_file, ^/0^*); w\_open\_out \leftarrow rewrite\_OK(f);
  end:
```

**28.** Files can be closed with the Pascal-H routine 'close(f)', which should be used when all input or output with respect to f has been completed. This makes f available to be opened again, if desired; and if f was used for output, the close operation makes the corresponding external file appear on the user's area, ready to be read.

These procedures should not generate error messages if a file is being closed before it has been successfully opened.

```
procedure a\_close(\mathbf{var}\ f: alpha\_file); { close a text file } begin close(f); end; procedure b\_close(\mathbf{var}\ f: byte\_file); { close a binary file } begin close(f); end; procedure w\_close(\mathbf{var}\ f: word\_file); { close a word file } begin close(f); end; end;
```

- 29. Binary input and output are done with Pascal's ordinary get and put procedures, so we don't have to make any other special arrangements for binary I/O. Text output is also easy to do with standard Pascal routines. The treatment of text input is more difficult, however, because of the necessary translation to ASCII\_code values. Tex's conventions should be efficient, and they should blend nicely with the user's operating environment.
- **30.** Input from text files is read one line at a time, using a routine called *input\_ln*. This function is defined in terms of global variables called *buffer*, *first*, and *last* that will be described in detail later; for now, it suffices for us to know that *buffer* is an array of *ASCII\_code* values, and that *first* and *last* are indices into this array representing the beginning and ending of a line of text.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \, \text{Global variables} \,\, 13 \,\rangle \,+\!\!\equiv \\ buf\!f\!er \colon \mathbf{array} \,\, [0 \mathinner{\ldotp\ldotp\ldotp} buf\!f\!size] \,\, \mathbf{of} \,\,\, ASCII\_code \,; \quad \{\, \text{lines of characters being read} \,\} \\ f\!irst \colon 0 \mathinner{\ldotp\ldotp\ldotp} buf\!f\!size \,; \quad \{\, \text{the first unused position in} \,\, buf\!f\!er \,\} \\ last \colon 0 \mathinner{\ldotp\ldotp\ldotp} buf\!f\!size \,; \quad \{\, \text{end of the line just input to} \,\, buf\!f\!er \,\} \\ max\_buf\!f\!size \,\colon \quad \{\, \text{largest index used in} \,\, buf\!f\!er \,\} \\ \end{array}
```

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31. The *input\_ln* function brings the next line of input from the specified file into available positions of the buffer array and returns the value true, unless the file has already been entirely read, in which case it returns false and sets  $last \leftarrow first$ . In general, the  $ASCII\_code$  numbers that represent the next line of the file are input into buffer[first], buffer[first+1], ..., buffer[last-1]; and the global variable last is set equal to first plus the length of the line. Trailing blanks are removed from the line; thus, either last = first (in which case the line was entirely blank) or  $buffer[last-1] \neq " \sqcup "$ .

An overflow error is given, however, if the normal actions of  $input\_ln$  would make  $last \ge buf\_size$ ; this is done so that other parts of TEX can safely look at the contents of buffer[last+1] without overstepping the bounds of the buffer array. Upon entry to  $input\_ln$ , the condition  $first < buf\_size$  will always hold, so that there is always room for an "empty" line.

The variable  $max\_buf\_stack$ , which is used to keep track of how large the  $buf\_size$  parameter must be to accommodate the present job, is also kept up to date by  $input\_ln$ .

If the  $bypass\_eoln$  parameter is true,  $input\_ln$  will do a get before looking at the first character of the line; this skips over an eoln that was in  $f\uparrow$ . The procedure does not do a get when it reaches the end of the line; therefore it can be used to acquire input from the user's terminal as well as from ordinary text files.

Standard Pascal says that a file should have eoln immediately before eof, but TEX needs only a weaker restriction: If eof occurs in the middle of a line, the system function eoln should return a true result (even though  $f\uparrow$  will be undefined).

Since the inner loop of <code>input\_ln</code> is part of TEX's "inner loop"—each character of input comes in at this place—it is wise to reduce system overhead by making use of special routines that read in an entire array of characters at once, if such routines are available. The following code uses standard Pascal to illustrate what needs to be done, but finer tuning is often possible at well-developed Pascal sites.

```
function input_ln(var f : alpha_file; bypass_eoln : boolean): boolean;
          { inputs the next line or returns false }
  var last_nonblank: 0 . . buf_size; { last with trailing blanks removed }
  begin if bypass_eoln then
     if \neg eof(f) then get(f); { input the first character of the line into f \uparrow }
  last \leftarrow first; \{ cf. Matthew 19:30 \}
  if eof(f) then input\_ln \leftarrow false
  else begin last\_nonblank \leftarrow first;
     while \neg eoln(f) do
        begin if last \geq max\_buf\_stack then
          begin max\_buf\_stack \leftarrow last + 1;
          if max\_buf\_stack = buf\_size then \langle Report overflow of the input buffer, and abort 35\rangle;
        buffer[last] \leftarrow xord[f\uparrow]; get(f); incr(last);
        if buffer[last-1] \neq " \sqcup " then last\_nonblank \leftarrow last;
     last \leftarrow last\_nonblank; input\_ln \leftarrow true;
     end;
  end;
```

**32.** The user's terminal acts essentially like other files of text, except that it is used both for input and for output. When the terminal is considered an input file, the file variable is called  $term_{-}in$ , and when it is considered an output file the file variable is  $term_{-}out$ .

```
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv term\_in: alpha\_file; { the terminal as an input file } term\_out: alpha\_file; { the terminal as an output file }
```

**33.** Here is how to open the terminal files in Pascal-H. The '/I' switch suppresses the first get.

```
define t\_open\_in \equiv reset(term\_in, `TTY: `, `/O/I`) { open the terminal for text input } define <math>t\_open\_out \equiv rewrite(term\_out, `TTY: `, `/O`) { open the terminal for text output }
```

**34.** Sometimes it is necessary to synchronize the input/output mixture that happens on the user's terminal, and three system-dependent procedures are used for this purpose. The first of these, <code>update\_terminal</code>, is called when we want to make sure that everything we have output to the terminal so far has actually left the computer's internal buffers and been sent. The second, <code>clear\_terminal</code>, is called when we wish to cancel any input that the user may have typed ahead (since we are about to issue an unexpected error message). The third, <code>wake\_up\_terminal</code>, is supposed to revive the terminal if the user has disabled it by some instruction to the operating system. The following macros show how these operations can be specified in Pascal-H:

```
define update\_terminal \equiv break(term\_out) { empty the terminal output buffer } define clear\_terminal \equiv break\_in(term\_in, true) { clear the terminal input buffer } define wake\_up\_terminal \equiv do\_nothing { cancel the user's cancellation of output }
```

35. We need a special routine to read the first line of TEX input from the user's terminal. This line is different because it is read before we have opened the transcript file; there is sort of a "chicken and egg" problem here. If the user types '\input paper' on the first line, or if some macro invoked by that line does such an \input, the transcript file will be named 'paper.log'; but if no \input commands are performed during the first line of terminal input, the transcript file will acquire its default name 'texput.log'. (The transcript file will not contain error messages generated by the first line before the first \input command.)

The first line is even more special if we are lucky enough to have an operating system that treats TEX differently from a run-of-the-mill Pascal object program. It's nice to let the user start running a TEX job by typing a command line like 'tex paper'; in such a case, TEX will operate as if the first line of input were 'paper', i.e., the first line will consist of the remainder of the command line, after the part that invoked TEX.

The first line is special also because it may be read before TEX has input a format file. In such cases, normal error messages cannot yet be given. The following code uses concepts that will be explained later. (If the Pascal compiler does not support non-local **goto**, the statement '**goto** final\_end' should be replaced by something that quietly terminates the program.)

```
⟨ Report overflow of the input buffer, and abort 35⟩ ≡
if format_ident = 0 then
  begin write_ln(term_out, `Buffer_size_exceeded!`); goto final_end;
end
else begin cur_input.loc_field ← first; cur_input.limit_field ← last - 1;
  overflow("buffer_size", buf_size);
end
```

This code is used in section 31.

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- **36.** Different systems have different ways to get started. But regardless of what conventions are adopted, the routine that initializes the terminal should satisfy the following specifications:
  - 1) It should open file *term\_in* for input from the terminal. (The file *term\_out* will already be open for output to the terminal.)
  - 2) If the user has given a command line, this line should be considered the first line of terminal input. Otherwise the user should be prompted with '\*\*', and the first line of input should be whatever is typed in response.
  - 3) The first line of input, which might or might not be a command line, should appear in locations first to last 1 of the buffer array.
  - 4) The global variable loc should be set so that the character to be read next by  $T_EX$  is in buffer[loc]. This character should not be blank, and we should have loc < last.

(It may be necessary to prompt the user several times before a non-blank line comes in. The prompt is '\*\*' instead of the later '\*' because the meaning is slightly different: '\input' need not be typed immediately after '\*\*'.)

**define**  $loc \equiv cur\_input.loc\_field$  { location of first unread character in buffer }

**37.** The following program does the required initialization without retrieving a possible command line. It should be clear how to modify this routine to deal with command lines, if the system permits them.

```
function init_terminal: boolean; { gets the terminal input started }
    label exit;
begin t_open_in;
loop begin wake_up_terminal; write(term_out, `***`); update_terminal;
    if ¬input_ln(term_in, true) then { this shouldn't happen }
        begin write_ln(term_out); write(term_out, `!_End_of_file_on_the_terminal..._why?`);
        init_terminal ← false; return;
        end;
        loc ← first;
        while (loc < last) ∧ (buffer[loc] = "_") do incr(loc);
        if loc < last then
            begin init_terminal ← true; return; { return unless the line was all blank }
        end;
        write_ln(term_out, `Please_type_the_name_of_your_input_file.`);
        end;
exit: end;</pre>
```

**38. String handling.** Control sequence names and diagnostic messages are variable-length strings of eight-bit characters. Since Pascal does not have a well-developed string mechanism, T<sub>E</sub>X does all of its string processing by homegrown methods.

Elaborate facilities for dynamic strings are not needed, so all of the necessary operations can be handled with a simple data structure. The array  $str\_pool$  contains all of the (eight-bit) ASCII codes in all of the strings, and the array  $str\_start$  contains indices of the starting points of each string. Strings are referred to by integer numbers, so that string number s comprises the characters  $str\_pool[j]$  for  $str\_start[s] \le j < str\_start[s+1]$ . Additional integer variables  $pool\_ptr$  and  $str\_ptr$  indicate the number of entries used so far in  $str\_pool$  and  $str\_start$ , respectively; locations  $str\_pool[pool\_ptr]$  and  $str\_start[str\_ptr]$  are ready for the next string to be allocated.

String numbers 0 to 255 are reserved for strings that correspond to single ASCII characters. This is in accordance with the conventions of WEB, which converts single-character strings into the ASCII code number of the single character involved, while it converts other strings into integers and builds a string pool file. Thus, when the string constant "." appears in the program below, WEB converts it into the integer 46, which is the ASCII code for a period, while WEB will convert a string like "hello" into some integer greater than 255. String number 46 will presumably be the single character '.'; but some ASCII codes have no standard visible representation, and TEX sometimes needs to be able to print an arbitrary ASCII character, so the first 256 strings are used to specify exactly what should be printed for each of the 256 possibilities.

Elements of the  $str\_pool$  array must be ASCII codes that can actually be printed; i.e., they must have an xchr equivalent in the local character set. (This restriction applies only to preloaded strings, not to those generated dynamically by the user.)

Some Pascal compilers won't pack integers into a single byte unless the integers lie in the range -128...127. To accommodate such systems we access the string pool only via macros that can easily be redefined.

```
define si(#) = # { convert from ASCII_code to packed_ASCII_code }
  define so(#) = # { convert from packed_ASCII_code to ASCII_code }

\( \text{Types in the outer block 18} \) +=
  pool_pointer = 0 \therefore pool_size; { for variables that point into str_pool }
  str_number = 0 \therefore max_strings; { for variables that point into str_start }
  packed_ASCII_code = 0 \therefore 255; { elements of str_pool array }

39. \( \text{Global variables 13} \) +=
  str_pool: packed array [pool_pointer] of packed_ASCII_code; { the characters }
  str_start: array [str_number] of pool_pointer; { the starting pointers }
  pool_ptr: pool_pointer; { first unused position in str_pool }
  str_ptr: str_number; { number of the current string being created }
  init_pool_ptr: pool_pointer; { the starting value of pool_ptr }
  init_str_ptr: str_number; { the starting value of str_ptr }
}
```

**40.** Several of the elementary string operations are performed using WEB macros instead of Pascal procedures, because many of the operations are done quite frequently and we want to avoid the overhead of procedure calls. For example, here is a simple macro that computes the length of a string.

```
\mathbf{define} \ length(\#) \equiv (str\_start[\#+1] - str\_start[\#]) \quad \{ \text{ the number of characters in string number } \# \}
```

**41.** The length of the current string is called *cur\_length*:

```
define cur\_length \equiv (pool\_ptr - str\_start[str\_ptr])
```

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**42.** Strings are created by appending character codes to  $str\_pool$ . The  $append\_char$  macro, defined here, does not check to see if the value of  $pool\_ptr$  has gotten too high; this test is supposed to be made before  $append\_char$  is used. There is also a  $flush\_char$  macro, which erases the last character appended.

To test if there is room to append l more characters to  $str\_pool$ , we shall write  $str\_room(l)$ , which aborts TeX and gives an apologetic error message if there isn't enough room.

```
 \begin{aligned} & \mathbf{define} \ append\_char(\#) \equiv \  \, \{ \, \mathrm{put} \ ASCII\_code \ \# \  \, \text{at the end of} \  \, str\_pool \, \} \\ & \mathbf{begin} \  \, str\_pool[pool\_ptr] \leftarrow si(\#); \  \, incr(pool\_ptr); \\ & \mathbf{end} \\ & \mathbf{define} \  \, flush\_char \equiv decr(pool\_ptr) \  \, \{ \, \text{forget the last character in the pool} \, \} \\ & \mathbf{define} \  \, str\_room(\#) \equiv \  \, \{ \, \text{make sure that the pool hasn't overflowed} \, \} \\ & \mathbf{begin} \  \, \text{if} \  \, pool\_ptr + \# > pool\_size \  \, \textbf{then} \  \, overflow(\texttt{"pool\_size"}, pool\_size - init\_pool\_ptr); \\ & \mathbf{end} \end{aligned}
```

**43.** Once a sequence of characters has been appended to  $str\_pool$ , it officially becomes a string when the function  $make\_string$  is called. This function returns the identification number of the new string as its value.

```
function make\_string: str\_number; { current string enters the pool } begin if str\_ptr = max\_strings then overflow("number\_of\_strings", max\_strings - init\_str\_ptr); incr(str\_ptr); str\_start[str\_ptr] \leftarrow pool\_ptr; make\_string \leftarrow str\_ptr - 1; end;
```

**44.** To destroy the most recently made string, we say *flush\_string*.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ \textit{flush\_string} \equiv \\ \textbf{begin} \ \textit{decr}(\textit{str\_ptr}); \ \textit{pool\_ptr} \leftarrow \textit{str\_start}[\textit{str\_ptr}]; \\ \textbf{end} \end{array}
```

**45.** The following subroutine compares string s with another string of the same length that appears in buffer starting at position k; the result is true if and only if the strings are equal. Empirical tests indicate that  $str_{-}eq_{-}buf$  is used in such a way that it tends to return true about 80 percent of the time.

```
function str\_eq\_buf(s:str\_number; k:integer): boolean; { test equality of strings } label not\_found; { loop exit } var j: pool\_pointer; { running index } result: boolean; { result of comparison } begin j \leftarrow str\_start[s]; while j < str\_start[s+1] do begin if so(str\_pool[j]) \neq buffer[k] then begin result \leftarrow false; goto not\_found; end; incr(j); incr(k); end; result \leftarrow true; not\_found: str\_eq\_buf \leftarrow result; end;
```

**46.** Here is a similar routine, but it compares two strings in the string pool, and it does not assume that they have the same length.

```
function str\_eq\_str(s, t : str\_number): boolean; { test equality of strings }
  label not_found; { loop exit }
  \mathbf{var}\ j, k:\ pool\_pointer;\ \{\text{running indices}\}\
     result: boolean; { result of comparison }
  begin result \leftarrow false;
  if length(s) \neq length(t) then goto not\_found;
  j \leftarrow str\_start[s]; k \leftarrow str\_start[t];
  while j < str\_start[s+1] do
     begin if str\_pool[j] \neq str\_pool[k] then goto not\_found;
     incr(j); incr(k);
     end;
  result \leftarrow true;
not\_found: str\_eq\_str \leftarrow result;
  end:
      The initial values of str_pool, str_start, pool_ptr, and str_ptr are computed by the INITEX program,
based in part on the information that WEB has output while processing T<sub>E</sub>X.
  init function get_strings_started: boolean;
          { initializes the string pool, but returns false if something goes wrong }
  {\bf label}\ done, {\it exit};
  var k, l: 0...255; { small indices or counters }
     m, n: text_char; { characters input from pool_file }
     g: str\_number; \{garbage\}
     a: integer; { accumulator for check sum }
     c: boolean; { check sum has been checked }
  begin pool_ptr \leftarrow 0; str_ptr \leftarrow 0; str_start[0] \leftarrow 0; \langle Make the first 256 strings 48 \rangle;
  Read the other strings from the TEX.POOL file and return true, or give an error message and return
       false 51\rangle;
exit: \mathbf{end};
  tini
      define app_{-}lc_{-}hex(\#) \equiv l \leftarrow \#;
          if l < 10 then append\_char(l + "0") else append\_char(l - 10 + "a")
\langle Make the first 256 strings 48\rangle \equiv
  for k \leftarrow 0 to 255 do
     begin if (\langle Character k cannot be printed 49\rangle) then
       begin append_char("^"); append_char("^");
       if k < 100 then append_char(k + 100)
       else if k < 200 then append\_char(k - 100)
          else begin app\_lc\_hex(k \text{ div } 16); app\_lc\_hex(k \text{ mod } 16);
             end;
       end
     else append\_char(k);
     g \leftarrow make\_string;
     end
This code is used in section 47.
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The first 128 strings will contain 95 standard ASCII characters, and the other 33 characters will be printed in three-symbol form like '^A' unless a system-dependent change is made here. Installations that have an extended character set, where for example  $xchr[32] = '\neq'$ , would like string '32 to be the single character '32 instead of the three characters '136, '136, '132 (^^Z). On the other hand, even people with an extended character set will want to represent string '15 by ^M, since '15 is carriage\_return; the idea is to produce visible strings instead of tabs or line-feeds or carriage-returns or bell-rings or characters that are treated anomalously in text files.

Unprintable characters of codes 128–255 are, similarly, rendered ^^80-^^ff.

The boolean expression defined here should be true unless T<sub>F</sub>X internal code number k corresponds to a non-troublesome visible symbol in the local character set. An appropriate formula for the extended character set recommended in The  $T_{E}Xbook$  would, for example, be ' $k \in [0, '10 ... '12, '14, '15, '33, '177 ... '377]$ '. If character k cannot be printed, and k < 200, then character k + 100 or k - 100 must be printable; moreover, ASCII codes ['41 ... '46, '60 ... '71, '136, '141 ... '146, '160 ... '171] must be printable. Thus, at least 80 printable characters are needed.

```
\langle Character k cannot be printed 49\rangle \equiv
   (k < " \cup ") \lor (k > " \sim ")
This code is used in section 48.
```

This code is used in section 47.

50. When the WEB system program called TANGLE processes the TEX.WEB description that you are now reading, it outputs the Pascal program TEX.PAS and also a string pool file called TEX.POOL. The INITEX program reads the latter file, where each string appears as a two-digit decimal length followed by the string itself, and the information is recorded in TEX's string memory.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
  init pool_file: alpha_file; { the string-pool file output by TANGLE }
  tini
      define bad\_pool(\#) \equiv
51.
            begin wake\_up\_terminal; write\_ln(term\_out, \#); a\_close(pool\_file); get\_strings\_started \leftarrow false;
            return;
             end
Read the other strings from the TEX. POOL file and return true, or give an error message and return
       false 51 \rangle \equiv
  name\_of\_file \leftarrow pool\_name; { we needn't set name\_length }
  if a_open_in(pool_file) then
     begin c \leftarrow false;
     repeat (Read one string, but return false if the string memory space is getting too tight for
            comfort 52;
     until c;
     a\_close(pool\_file); get\_strings\_started \leftarrow true;
  else bad_pool('!_\_I_\can''t\_read\_TEX.POOL.')
```

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```
52. \langle Read one string, but return false if the string memory space is getting too tight for comfort 52 \rangle \equiv \mathbf{begin} if eof(pool\_file) then bad\_pool(`! \Box \mathsf{TEX}.\mathsf{POOL} \Box \mathsf{has} \Box \mathsf{no} \Box \mathsf{check} \Box \mathsf{sum}. `); read(pool\_file, m, n); \{ \text{read two digits of string length} \} if m = `* ` \mathsf{then} \ \langle \mathsf{Check} \ \mathsf{the pool} \ \mathsf{check} \ \mathsf{sum} \ 53 \rangle else \mathsf{begin} if (xord[m] < "0") \lor (xord[m] > "9") \lor (xord[n] < "0") \lor (xord[n] > "9") \ \mathsf{then} \ bad\_pool(``! \Box \mathsf{TEX}.\mathsf{POOL} \Box \mathsf{line} \Box \mathsf{doesn} ` ` \mathsf{t} \Box \mathsf{begin} \Box \mathsf{with} \Box \mathsf{two} \Box \mathsf{digits}. `); l \leftarrow xord[m] * 10 + xord[n] - "0" * 11; \ \{ \mathsf{compute the length} \} if pool\_ptr + l + string\_vacancies > pool\_size then bad\_pool(``! \Box \mathsf{You} \Box \mathsf{have} \Box \mathsf{to} \Box \mathsf{increase} \Box \mathsf{POOLSIZE}. `); for k \leftarrow 1 to l do \mathsf{begin} if eoln(pool\_file) then m \leftarrow `\Box ` \mathsf{else} \ read(pool\_file, m); append\_char(xord[m]); end; read\_ln(pool\_file); \ g \leftarrow make\_string; end; end;
```

This code is used in section 51.

53. The WEB operation @\$ denotes the value that should be at the end of this TEX.POOL file; any other value means that the wrong pool file has been loaded.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \operatorname{Check} \ \operatorname{the} \ \operatorname{pool} \ \operatorname{check} \ \operatorname{sum} \ 53 \rangle \equiv \\ \operatorname{begin} \ a \leftarrow 0; \ k \leftarrow 1; \\ \operatorname{loop} \ \operatorname{begin} \ \operatorname{if} \ (\operatorname{vord}[n] < "0") \lor (\operatorname{vord}[n] > "9") \ \operatorname{then} \\ \operatorname{bad\_pool}(\ `! \ _{\square}\operatorname{TEX}.\operatorname{POOL} \ _{\square}\operatorname{check} \ _{\square}\operatorname{sum} \ _{\square}\operatorname{doesn} \ `\ `t \ _{\square}\operatorname{have} \ _{\square}\operatorname{ine} \ _{\square}\operatorname{digits}.\ `); \\ a \leftarrow 10 * a + \operatorname{vord}[n] - "0"; \\ \operatorname{if} \ k = 9 \ \operatorname{then} \ \operatorname{goto} \ \operatorname{done}; \\ \operatorname{incr}(k); \ \operatorname{read}(\operatorname{pool\_file}, n); \\ \operatorname{end}; \\ \operatorname{done}: \ \operatorname{if} \ a \neq \operatorname{\mathfrak{Q\$}} \ \operatorname{then} \ \operatorname{bad\_pool}(\ `! \ _{\square}\operatorname{TEX}.\operatorname{POOL} \ _{\square}\operatorname{doesn} \ `\ `t \ _{\square}\operatorname{TANGLE} \ _{\square}\operatorname{me} \ _{\square}\operatorname{again}.\ `); \\ c \leftarrow \operatorname{true}; \\ \operatorname{end} \end{array}
```

This code is used in section 52.

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**54.** On-line and off-line printing. Messages that are sent to a user's terminal and to the transcriptlog file are produced by several 'print' procedures. These procedures will direct their output to a variety of places, based on the setting of the global variable selector, which has the following possible values:

 $term\_and\_log$ , the normal setting, prints on the terminal and on the transcript file.

log\_only, prints only on the transcript file.

term\_only, prints only on the terminal.

no-print, doesn't print at all. This is used only in rare cases before the transcript file is open.

pseudo, puts output into a cyclic buffer that is used by the show\_context routine; when we get to that routine we shall discuss the reasoning behind this curious mode.

new\_string, appends the output to the current string in the string pool.

0 to 15, prints on one of the sixteen files for \write output.

The symbolic names ' $term\_and\_log$ ', etc., have been assigned numeric codes that satisfy the convenient relations  $no\_print + 1 = term\_only$ ,  $no\_print + 2 = log\_only$ ,  $term\_only + 2 = log\_only + 1 = term\_and\_log$ .

Three additional global variables, tally and term\_offset and file\_offset, record the number of characters that have been printed since they were most recently cleared to zero. We use tally to record the length of (possibly very long) stretches of printing; term\_offset and file\_offset, on the other hand, keep track of how many characters have appeared so far on the current line that has been output to the terminal or to the transcript file, respectively.

```
define no\_print = 16 { selector setting that makes data disappear }
  define term\_only = 17 { printing is destined for the terminal only }
  define log\_only = 18 { printing is destined for the transcript file only }
  define term\_and\_log = 19 { normal selector setting }
  define pseudo = 20 { special selector setting for show\_context }
  define new\_string = 21 { printing is deflected to the string pool }
  define max\_selector = 21 { highest selector setting }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
log_file: alpha_file; { transcript of T<sub>F</sub>X session }
selector: 0.. max_selector; { where to print a message }
dig: array [0...22] of 0...15; { digits in a number being output }
tally: integer; { the number of characters recently printed }
term_offset: 0 .. max_print_line; { the number of characters on the current terminal line }
\mathit{file\_offset} \colon 0 \ldots \mathit{max\_print\_line}; \quad \{ \text{ the number of characters on the current file line} \}
trick_buf: array [0..error_line] of ASCII_code; { circular buffer for pseudoprinting }
trick_count: integer; { threshold for pseudoprinting, explained later }
first_count: integer; { another variable for pseudoprinting }
      \langle Initialize the output routines 55\rangle \equiv
  selector \leftarrow term\_only; \ tally \leftarrow 0; \ term\_offset \leftarrow 0; \ file\_offset \leftarrow 0;
See also sections 61, 528, and 533.
This code is used in section 1332.
```

**56.** Macro abbreviations for output to the terminal and to the log file are defined here for convenience. Some systems need special conventions for terminal output, and it is possible to adhere to those conventions by changing *wterm*, *wterm\_ln*, and *wterm\_cr* in this section.

```
define wterm(\#) \equiv write(term\_out, \#)
define wterm\_ln(\#) \equiv write\_ln(term\_out, \#)
define wterm\_cr \equiv write\_ln(term\_out)
define wlog(\#) \equiv write(log\_file, \#)
define wlog\_ln(\#) \equiv write\_ln(log\_file, \#)
define wlog\_cr \equiv write\_ln(log\_file)
```

```
To end a line of text output, we call print_ln.
\langle Basic printing procedures 57 \rangle \equiv
procedure print_ln; { prints an end-of-line }
  begin case selector of
  term\_and\_log: \mathbf{begin} \ wterm\_cr; \ wloq\_cr; \ term\_offset \leftarrow 0; \ file\_offset \leftarrow 0;
     end:
  log\_only: begin wlog\_cr; file\_offset \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  term\_only: \mathbf{begin} \ wterm\_cr; \ term\_offset \leftarrow 0;
     end:
  no_print, pseudo, new_string: do_nothing;
  othercases write_ln(write_file[selector])
  endcases;
  end; \{ tally \text{ is not affected } \}
See also sections 58, 59, 60, 62, 63, 64, 65, 262, 263, 518, 699, and 1355.
This code is used in section 4.
      The print_char procedure sends one character to the desired destination, using the xchr array to map
it into an external character compatible with input_ln. All printing comes through print_ln or print_char.
\langle \text{ Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv
procedure print_char(s: ASCII_code); { prints a single character }
  label exit:
  begin if \langle Character s is the current new-line character 244\rangle then
     if selector < pseudo then
       begin print_ln; return;
       end:
  case selector of
  term\_and\_log: \mathbf{begin} \ wterm(xchr[s]); \ wlog(xchr[s]); \ incr(term\_offset); \ incr(file\_offset);
     if term\_offset = max\_print\_line then
       begin wterm\_cr; term\_offset \leftarrow 0;
       end:
     if file\_offset = max\_print\_line then
       begin wlog\_cr; file\_offset \leftarrow 0;
       end;
     end;
  log\_only: begin wlog(xchr[s]); incr(file\_offset);
     if file_offset = max_print_line then print_ln;
  term\_only: \mathbf{begin} \ wterm(xchr[s]); \ incr(term\_offset);
     if term\_offset = max\_print\_line then print\_ln;
     end:
  no_print: do_nothing;
  pseudo: if tally < trick\_count then trick\_buf[tally mod error\_line] \leftarrow s;
  new_string: begin if pool_ptr < pool_size then append_cchar(s);
     end; { we drop characters if the string space is full }
  othercases write (write_file [selector], xchr[s])
  endcases;
  incr(tally);
exit: end;
```

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end;
end;

**59.** An entire string is output by calling *print*. Note that if we are outputting the single standard ASCII character c, we could call print("c"), since "c" = 99 is the number of a single-character string, as explained above. But  $print\_char("c")$  is quicker, so TEX goes directly to the  $print\_char$  routine when it knows that this is safe. (The present implementation assumes that it is always safe to print a visible ASCII character.)

```
\langle \text{Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv
procedure print(s:integer); { prints string s }
  label exit;
  var j: pool_pointer; { current character code position }
     nl: integer; { new-line character to restore }
  begin if s \ge str\_ptr then s \leftarrow "???" { this can't happen }
  else if s < 256 then
       if s < 0 then s \leftarrow "???" { can't happen }
       else begin if selector > pseudo then
            begin print\_char(s); return; { internal strings are not expanded }
            end:
          if (\langle Character s is the current new-line character 244\rangle) then
            if selector < pseudo then
               begin print_ln; return;
               end;
          nl \leftarrow new\_line\_char; new\_line\_char \leftarrow -1; { temporarily disable new-line character}
          j \leftarrow str\_start[s];
          while j < str\_start[s+1] do
            begin print\_char(so(str\_pool[j])); incr(j);
          new\_line\_char \leftarrow nl; return;
          end;
  j \leftarrow str\_start[s];
  while j < str\_start[s+1] do
     \mathbf{begin} \ print\_char(so(str\_pool[j])); \ incr(j);
     end;
exit: end;
      Control sequence names, file names, and strings constructed with \string might contain ASCII_code
values that can't be printed using print_char. Therefore we use slow_print for them:
\langle \text{Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv
procedure slow\_print(s:integer); { prints string s }
  var j: pool_pointer; { current character code position }
  begin if (s \ge str_ptr) \lor (s < 256) then print(s)
  else begin j \leftarrow str\_start[s];
     while j < str\_start[s+1] do
       begin print(so(str\_pool[j])); incr(j);
       end;
```

**61.** Here is the very first thing that T<sub>E</sub>X prints: a headline that identifies the version number and format package. The *term\_offset* variable is temporarily incorrect, but the discrepancy is not serious since we assume that this part of the program is system dependent.

```
⟨ Initialize the output routines 55⟩ +≡
   wterm(banner);
if format_ident = 0 then wterm_ln(`_(no_format_preloaded)`)
else begin slow_print(format_ident); print_ln;
   end;
update_terminal;
```

**62.** The procedure *print\_nl* is like *print*, but it makes sure that the string appears at the beginning of a new line

```
\langle Basic printing procedures 57\rangle += procedure print\_nl(s: str\_number); { prints string s at beginning of line } begin if ((term\_offset > 0) \land (odd(selector))) \lor ((file\_offset > 0) \land (selector \ge log\_only)) then print\_ln; print(s); end;
```

**63.** The procedure *print\_esc* prints a string that is preceded by the user's escape character (which is usually a backslash).

```
\langle Basic printing procedures 57\rangle += procedure print\_esc(s:str\_number); { prints escape character, then s} var c:integer; { the escape character code } begin \langle Set variable c to the current escape character 243\rangle; if c \geq 0 then
if c < 256 then print(c); slow\_print(s); end;
```

**64.** An array of digits in the range 0 . . 15 is printed by *print\_the\_digs* .

```
 \langle \text{ Basic printing procedure } 57 \rangle + \equiv \\ \textbf{procedure } print\_the\_digs(k:eight\_bits); \quad \{ \text{ prints } dig[k-1]\dots dig[0] \} \\ \textbf{begin while } k > 0 \textbf{ do} \\ \textbf{begin } decr(k); \\ \textbf{if } dig[k] < 10 \textbf{ then } print\_char("0" + dig[k]) \\ \textbf{else } print\_char("A" - 10 + dig[k]); \\ \textbf{end;} \\ \textbf{end;}
```

The following procedure, which prints out the decimal representation of a given integer n, has been written carefully so that it works properly if n=0 or if (-n) would cause overflow. It does not apply **mod** or div to negative arguments, since such operations are not implemented consistently by all Pascal compilers.

```
\langle \text{ Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv
procedure print_int(n:integer); { prints an integer in decimal form }
  var k: 0..23; { index to current digit; we assume that |n| < 10^{23} }
     m: integer; { used to negate n in possibly dangerous cases }
  begin k \leftarrow 0;
  if n < 0 then
     begin print_char("-");
     if n > -100000000 then negate(n)
     else begin m \leftarrow -1 - n; n \leftarrow m \operatorname{div} 10; m \leftarrow (m \operatorname{mod} 10) + 1; k \leftarrow 1;
        if m < 10 then dig[0] \leftarrow m
        else begin dig[0] \leftarrow 0; incr(n);
          end;
        end;
     end:
  repeat dig[k] \leftarrow n \mod 10; n \leftarrow n \operatorname{div} 10; incr(k);
  until n=0;
  print\_the\_digs(k);
  end;
66. Here is a trivial procedure to print two digits; it is usually called with a parameter in the range
procedure print_two(n:integer); { prints two least significant digits }
  begin n \leftarrow abs(n) \bmod 100; print\_char("0" + (n \operatorname{div} 10)); print\_char("0" + (n \operatorname{mod} 10));
  end;
67.
      Hexadecimal printing of nonnegative integers is accomplished by print_hex.
procedure print\_hex(n:integer); { prints a positive integer in hexadecimal form }
  var k: 0..22; {index to current digit; we assume that 0 \le n < 16^{22}}
  begin k \leftarrow 0; print\_char("""");
  repeat dig[k] \leftarrow n \mod 16; n \leftarrow n \operatorname{div} 16; incr(k);
  until n = 0;
  print\_the\_digs(k);
  end;
```

Old versions of T<sub>F</sub>X needed a procedure called *print\_ASCII* whose function is now subsumed by *print*. We retain the old name here as a possible aid to future software archæologists.

```
define print\_ASCII \equiv print
```

**69.** Roman numerals are produced by the *print\_roman\_int* routine. Readers who like puzzles might enjoy trying to figure out how this tricky code works; therefore no explanation will be given. Notice that 1990 yields mcmxc, not mxm.

```
procedure print\_roman\_int(n:integer);
  label exit;
  var j, k: pool\_pointer;  { mysterious indices into str\_pool }
     u, v: nonnegative\_integer; \{ mysterious numbers \}
  begin j \leftarrow str\_start["m2d5c215x2v5i"]; v \leftarrow 1000;
  loop begin while n \geq v do
        begin print\_char(so(str\_pool[j])); n \leftarrow n - v;
        end;
     if n \le 0 then return; { nonpositive input produces no output }
     k \leftarrow j + 2; \ u \leftarrow v \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} (so(str\_pool[k-1]) - "0");
     if str\_pool[k-1] = si("2") then
        begin k \leftarrow k+2; u \leftarrow u \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} (so(str\_pool[k-1]) - "0");
     if n + u \ge v then
        begin print\_char(so(str\_pool[k])); n \leftarrow n + u;
     else begin j \leftarrow j + 2; v \leftarrow v \operatorname{div} (so(str\_pool[j-1]) - "0");
     end:
exit: end;
      The print subroutine will not print a string that is still being created. The following procedure will.
procedure print_current_string; { prints a yet-unmade string }
  var j: pool_pointer; { points to current character code }
  begin j \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr];
  while j < pool_ptr do
     begin print\_char(so(str\_pool[j])); incr(j);
     end;
  end:
```

71. Here is a procedure that asks the user to type a line of input, assuming that the selector setting is either  $term\_only$  or  $term\_and\_log$ . The input is placed into locations first through last-1 of the buffer array, and echoed on the transcript file if appropriate.

This procedure is never called when  $interaction < scroll\_mode$ .

 $interaction \leftarrow error\_stop\_mode;$ 

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72. Reporting errors. When something anomalous is detected, T<sub>F</sub>X typically does something like this:

```
print\_err("Something\_anomalous\_has\_been\_detected"); \\ help @gamma("This\_is\_the\_first\_line\_of\_my\_offer\_to\_help.") \\ ("This\_is\_the\_second\_line.\_I`m\_trying\_to") \\ ("explain\_the\_best\_way\_for\_you\_to\_proceed."); \\ error:
```

A two-line help message would be given using help2, etc.; these informal helps should use simple vocabulary that complements the words used in the official error message that was printed. (Outside the U.S.A., the help messages should preferably be translated into the local vernacular. Each line of help is at most 60 characters long, in the present implementation, so that  $max\_print\_line$  will not be exceeded.)

The print\_err procedure supplies a '!' before the official message, and makes sure that the terminal is awake if a stop is going to occur. The error procedure supplies a '.' after the official message, then it shows the location of the error; and if interaction = error\_stop\_mode, it also enters into a dialog with the user, during which time the help message may be printed.

73. The global variable *interaction* has four settings, representing increasing amounts of user interaction:

```
define batch_mode = 0 { omits all stops and omits terminal output }
define nonstop_mode = 1 { omits all stops }
define scroll_mode = 2 { omits error stops }
define error_stop_mode = 3 { stops at every opportunity to interact }
define print_err(#) ≡
    begin if interaction = error_stop_mode then wake_up_terminal;
    print_nl("!_\"); print(#);
    end

⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
interaction: batch_mode .. error_stop_mode; { current level of interaction }
74. ⟨Set initial values of key variables 21⟩ +≡
```

75. TeX is careful not to call *error* when the print *selector* setting might be unusual. The only possible values of *selector* at the time of error messages are

```
no\_print (when interaction = batch\_mode and log\_file not yet open); term\_only (when interaction > batch\_mode and log\_file not yet open); log\_only (when interaction = batch\_mode and log\_file is open); term\_and\_log (when interaction > batch\_mode and log\_file is open). \langle Initialize the print selector based on interaction 75 \rangle \equiv

if interaction = batch\_mode then selector \leftarrow no\_print else selector \leftarrow term\_only
This code is used in sections 1265 and 1337.
```

**76.** A global variable deletions\_allowed is set false if the get\_next routine is active when error is called; this ensures that get\_next and related routines like get\_token will never be called recursively. A similar interlock is provided by set\_box\_allowed.

The global variable *history* records the worst level of error that has been detected. It has four possible values: *spotless*, *warning\_issued*, *error\_message\_issued*, and *fatal\_error\_stop*.

Another global variable, error\_count, is increased by one when an error occurs without an interactive dialog, and it is reset to zero at the end of every paragraph. If error\_count reaches 100, TeX decides that there is no point in continuing further.

```
define spotless = 0 { history value when nothing has been amiss yet } define warning\_issued = 1 { history value when begin\_diagnostic has been called } define error\_message\_issued = 2 { history value when error has been called } define fatal\_error\_stop = 3 { history value when termination was premature } deletions\_allowed: boolean; { is it safe for error to call get\_token? } set\_box\_allowed: boolean; { is it safe to do a \set_box assignment? } history: spotless ... fatal\_error\_stop; { has the source input been clean so far? } error\_count: -1 ... 100; { the number of scrolled errors since the last paragraph ended }
```

77. The value of *history* is initially *fatal\_error\_stop*, but it will be changed to *spotless* if T<sub>E</sub>X survives the initialization process.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle += deletions\_allowed \leftarrow true; set\_box\_allowed \leftarrow true; error\_count \leftarrow 0; \{ history \text{ is initialized elsewhere } \}
```

78. Since errors can be detected almost anywhere in TEX, we want to declare the error procedures near the beginning of the program. But the error procedures in turn use some other procedures, which need to be declared *forward* before we get to *error* itself.

It is possible for error to be called recursively if some error arises when  $get\_token$  is being used to delete a token, and/or if some fatal error occurs while  $T_EX$  is trying to fix a non-fatal one. But such recursion is never more than two levels deep.

```
⟨Error handling procedures 78⟩ ≡ procedure normalize_selector; forward; procedure get_token; forward; procedure term_input; forward; procedure show_context; forward; procedure begin_file_reading; forward; procedure open_log_file; forward; procedure close_files_and_terminate; forward; procedure clear_for_error_prompt; forward; procedure give_err_help; forward; debug procedure debug_help; forward; gubed See also sections 81, 82, 93, 94, and 95. This code is used in section 4.
```

**79.** Individual lines of help are recorded in the array  $help\_line$ , which contains entries in positions 0 ..  $(help\_ptr-1)$ . They should be printed in reverse order, i.e., with  $help\_line[0]$  appearing last.

```
define hlp1(\#) \equiv help\_line[0] \leftarrow \#; end
  define hlp2(\#) \equiv help\_line[1] \leftarrow \#; \ hlp1
  define hlp3(\#) \equiv help\_line[2] \leftarrow \#; \ hlp2
  define hlp4 (#) \equiv help\_line[3] \leftarrow #; hlp3
  define hlp5(\#) \equiv help\_line[4] \leftarrow \#; \ hlp4
  define hlp6(\#) \equiv help\_line[5] \leftarrow \#; \ hlp5
  define help\theta \equiv help\_ptr \leftarrow 0 { sometimes there might be no help }
  define help1 \equiv \mathbf{begin} \ help\_ptr \leftarrow 1; \ hlp1
                                                             { use this with one help line }
  define help2 \equiv begin \ help\_ptr \leftarrow 2; \ hlp2
                                                             { use this with two help lines }
  define help3 \equiv begin \ help\_ptr \leftarrow 3; \ hlp3
                                                               use this with three help lines }
  define help_{4} \equiv begin \ help_{p}tr \leftarrow 4; \ hlp_{4}
                                                               use this with four help lines }
  define help5 \equiv begin \ help\_ptr \leftarrow 5; \ hlp5
                                                             { use this with five help lines }
  define help6 \equiv begin \ help\_ptr \leftarrow 6; \ hlp6
                                                             { use this with six help lines }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
help\_line: array [0...5] of str\_number; { helps for the next error }
help_ptr: 0..6; { the number of help lines present }
use_err_help: boolean; { should the err_help list be shown? }
80. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  help\_ptr \leftarrow 0; use\_err\_help \leftarrow false;
```

**81.** The *jump\_out* procedure just cuts across all active procedure levels and goes to *end\_of\_TEX*. This is the only nontrivial **goto** statement in the whole program. It is used when there is no recovery from a particular error.

Some Pascal compilers do not implement non-local **goto** statements. In such cases the body of *jump\_out* should simply be '*close\_files\_and\_terminate*;' followed by a call on some system procedure that quietly terminates the program.

```
\langle Error handling procedures 78\rangle + \equiv
procedure jump_out;
  begin goto end\_of\_TEX;
  end;
      Here now is the general error routine.
\langle Error handling procedures 78\rangle + \equiv
procedure error; { completes the job of error reporting }
  label continue, exit;
  var c: ASCII_code; { what the user types }
    s1, s2, s3, s4: integer; { used to save global variables when deleting tokens }
  begin if history < error\_message\_issued then history \leftarrow error\_message\_issued;
  print_char("."); show_context;
  if interaction = error_stop_mode then \langle Get user's advice and return 83\rangle;
  incr(error\_count);
  if error\_count = 100 then
    begin print_nl("(That_makes_100_errors; please_try_again.)"); history \leftarrow fatal_error_stop;
    jump\_out;
    end:
  (Put help message on the transcript file 90);
exit: end;
```

This code is used in section 82.

relevant line number.

This code is used in section 84.

```
83. \langle Get user's advice and return 83\rangle \equiv loop begin continue: if interaction \neq error\_stop\_mode then return; clear\_for\_error\_prompt; prompt\_input("?_\"); if last = first then return; c \leftarrow buffer[first]; if c \geq "a" then c \leftarrow c + "A" - "a"; { convert to uppercase } \langle Interpret code c and return if done 84\rangle; end
```

84. It is desirable to provide an  $^{\prime}E^{\prime}$  option here that gives the user an easy way to return from  $T_{E}X$  to the system editor, with the offending line ready to be edited. But such an extension requires some system wizardry, so the present implementation simply types out the name of the file that should be edited and the

There is a secret 'D' option available when the debugging routines haven't been commented out.

```
\langle \text{Interpret code } c \text{ and } \mathbf{return} \text{ if done } 84 \rangle \equiv
  case c of
   "0", "1", "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9": if deletions_allowed then
         \langle \text{ Delete } c - \text{"0" tokens and goto } continue 88 \rangle;
 debug "D": begin debug_help; goto continue; end; gubed
   "E": if base\_ptr > 0 then
         if input\_stack[base\_ptr].name\_field \ge 256 then
            begin print_nl("You_want_ito_edit_file_"); slow_print(input_stack[base_ptr].name_field);
            print("_{\perp}at_{\perp}line_{\perp}"); print_int(line); interaction \leftarrow scroll_mode; jump_out;
            end;
   "H": (Print the help information and goto continue 89);
   "I": (Introduce new material from the terminal and return 87);
   "Q", "R", "S": (Change the interaction level and return 86);
   "X": begin interaction \leftarrow scroll\_mode; jump\_out;
      end;
  othercases do_nothing
  endcases;
   (Print the menu of available options 85)
This code is used in section 83.
       \langle \text{ Print the menu of available options } 85 \rangle \equiv
  begin print("Type_<return>_to_proceed, _S_to_scroll_future_error_messages,");
  print\_nl("\mathtt{R}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{to}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{run}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{without}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{stopping}, {\sqcup} \mathtt{Q}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{to}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{run}_{\sqcup} \mathtt{quietly},");
  print_{-}nl("I_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}insert_{\sqcup}something,_{\sqcup}");
  if base\_ptr > 0 then
      if input\_stack[base\_ptr].name\_field \ge 256 then print("E_{\bot}to_{\bot}edit_{\bot}your_{\bot}file,");
  {f if}\ deletions\_allowed\ {f then}
      print_{-}nl("1_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}..._{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}9_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}ignore_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}next_{\sqcup}1_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}9_{\sqcup}tokens_{\sqcup}of_{\sqcup}input,");
  print_nl("H⊔for_help, \\X\to\quit.");
  end
```

86. Here the author of TeX apologizes for making use of the numerical relation between "Q", "R", "S", and the desired interaction settings batch\_mode, nonstop\_mode, scroll\_mode.

```
⟨ Change the interaction level and return 86⟩ ≡
begin error_count ← 0; interaction ← batch_mode + c − "Q"; print("OK, _entering_");
case c of
"Q": begin print_esc("batchmode"); decr(selector);
end;
"R": print_esc("nonstopmode");
"S": print_esc("scrollmode");
end; { there are no other cases }
print("..."); print_ln; update_terminal; return;
end
```

This code is used in section 84.

87. When the following code is executed, buffer[(first+1)..(last-1)] may contain the material inserted by the user; otherwise another prompt will be given. In order to understand this part of the program fully, you need to be familiar with  $T_EX$ 's input stacks.

```
⟨Introduce new material from the terminal and return 87⟩ ≡
begin begin_file_reading; { enter a new syntactic level for terminal input }
    { now state = mid_line, so an initial blank space will count as a blank }
if last > first + 1 then
    begin loc ← first + 1; buffer[first] ← "□";
    end
else begin prompt_input("insert>"); loc ← first;
    end;
first ← last; cur_input.limit_field ← last − 1; { no end_line_char ends this line }
return;
end
```

This code is used in section 84.

88. We allow deletion of up to 99 tokens at a time.

This code is used in section 84.

**if**  $job\_name = 0$  **then**  $open\_log\_file$ ;

end;

**if** *interaction* = *batch\_mode* **then** *decr(selector)*;

```
89. (Print the help information and goto continue 89) \equiv
  begin if use_err_help then
     begin give\_err\_help; use\_err\_help \leftarrow false;
     end
  else begin if help\_ptr = 0 then help2("Sorry, _UI_Udon't_Uknow_Uhow_Uto_Uhelp_Uin_Uthis_Usituation.")
       ("Maybe_you_should_try_asking_a_human?");
     repeat decr(help\_ptr); print(help\_line[help\_ptr]); print\_ln;
     until help_{-}ptr = 0;
     end:
  help4 ("Sorry, \Box I_{\Box} already \Box gave \Box what \Box help \Box I_{\Box} could...")
  ("Maybe_you_should_try_asking_a_human?")
  ("An_{\sqcup}error_{\sqcup}might_{\sqcup}have_{\sqcup}occurred_{\sqcup}before_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}noticed_{\sqcup}any_{\sqcup}problems.")
  ("``If⊔all⊔else⊔fails,⊔read⊔the⊔instructions.´'");
  goto continue;
  end
This code is used in section 84.
90. \langle Put help message on the transcript file 90\rangle \equiv
  if interaction > batch\_mode then decr(selector); { avoid terminal output }
  if use_err_help then
     begin print_ln; give_err_help;
     end
  else while help_{-}ptr > 0 do
       begin decr(help\_ptr); print\_nl(help\_line[help\_ptr]);
       end:
  print_{-}ln;
  if interaction > batch_mode then incr(selector); { re-enable terminal output }
  print_ln
This code is used in section 82.
91. A dozen or so error messages end with a parenthesized integer, so we save a teeny bit of program space
by declaring the following procedure:
procedure int_error(n : integer);
  begin print(" ("); print_int(n); print_char(")"); error;
  end;
92. In anomalous cases, the print selector might be in an unknown state; the following subroutine is called
to fix things just enough to keep running a bit longer.
procedure normalize_selector;
  begin if log\_opened then selector \leftarrow term\_and\_log
  else selector \leftarrow term\_only;
```

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93. The following procedure prints TEX's last words before dying.

```
define succumb \equiv
             \textbf{begin if} \ interaction = error\_stop\_mode \ \textbf{then} \ interaction \leftarrow scroll\_mode;
                      { no more interaction }
             if log_opened then error;
             debug if interaction > batch_mode then debug_help;
             gubed
             history \leftarrow fatal\_error\_stop; jump\_out; \{irrecoverable error\}
\langle Error handling procedures 78\rangle + \equiv
procedure fatal\_error(s:str\_number); \{ prints s, and that's it \}
  begin normalize_selector;
  print_err("Emergency_stop"); help1(s); succumb;
  end:
94. Here is the most dreaded error message.
\langle Error handling procedures 78\rangle + \equiv
procedure overflow(s:str\_number; n:integer); { stop due to finiteness }
  \textbf{begin } normalize\_selector; \ print\_err("TeX_{\sqcup} capacity_{\sqcup} exceeded, _{\sqcup} sorry_{\sqcup}["]; \ print(s); \ print\_char("=");
  print\_int(n); \ print\_char("]"); \ help2("If_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}really_{\sqcup}absolutely_{\sqcup}need_{\sqcup}more_{\sqcup}capacity,")
  ("you, can, ask, a, wizard, to, enlarge, me."); succumb;
  end:
```

95. The program might sometime run completely amok, at which point there is no choice but to stop. If no previous error has been detected, that's bad news; a message is printed that is really intended for the TEX maintenance person instead of the user (unless the user has been particularly diabolical). The index entries for 'this can't happen' may help to pinpoint the problem.

```
⟨ Error handling procedures 78⟩ +≡
procedure confusion(s: str_number); { consistency check violated; s tells where }
begin normalize_selector;
if history < error_message_issued then
   begin print_err("This_can´t_happen_("); print(s); print_char(")");
   help1("I´m_broken._Please_show_this_to_someone_who_can_fix_can_fix");
   end
else begin print_err("I_can´t_go_on_meeting_you_like_this");
   help2("One_of_your_faux_pas_seems_to_have_wounded_me_deeply...")
   ("in_fact,_I´m_barely_conscious._Please_fix_it_and_try_again.");
   end;
succumb;
end;</pre>
```

**96.** Users occasionally want to interrupt TEX while it's running. If the Pascal runtime system allows this, one can implement a routine that sets the global variable *interrupt* to some nonzero value when such an interrupt is signalled. Otherwise there is probably at least a way to make *interrupt* nonzero using the Pascal debugger.

```
97. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle += interrupt \leftarrow 0; OK\_to\_interrupt \leftarrow true;
```

98. When an interrupt has been detected, the program goes into its highest interaction level and lets the user have nearly the full flexibility of the *error* routine. TEX checks for interrupts only at times when it is safe to do this.

```
procedure pause_for_instructions;
begin if OK\_to\_interrupt then
begin interaction \leftarrow error\_stop\_mode;
if (selector = log\_only) \lor (selector = no\_print) then incr(selector);
print\_err("Interruption"); help3("You\_rang?")
("Try\_to\_insert\_an\_instruction\_for\_me\_(e.g.,\_`I\showlists`),")
("unless\_you\_just\_want\_to\_quit\_by\_typing\_`X`."); deletions\_allowed \leftarrow false; error; deletions\_allowed \leftarrow true; interrupt \leftarrow 0;
end;
end;
```

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99. Arithmetic with scaled dimensions. The principal computations performed by T<sub>E</sub>X are done entirely in terms of integers less than 2<sup>31</sup> in magnitude; and divisions are done only when both dividend and divisor are nonnegative. Thus, the arithmetic specified in this program can be carried out in exactly the same way on a wide variety of computers, including some small ones. Why? Because the arithmetic calculations need to be spelled out precisely in order to guarantee that T<sub>E</sub>X will produce identical output on different machines. If some quantities were rounded differently in different implementations, we would find that line breaks and even page breaks might occur in different places. Hence the arithmetic of T<sub>E</sub>X has been designed with care, and systems that claim to be implementations of T<sub>E</sub>X82 should follow precisely the calculations as they appear in the present program.

(Actually there are three places where T<sub>E</sub>X uses **div** with a possibly negative numerator. These are harmless; see **div** in the index. Also if the user sets the \time or the \year to a negative value, some diagnostic information will involve negative-numerator division. The same remarks apply for **mod** as well as for **div**.)

100. Here is a routine that calculates half of an integer, using an unambiguous convention with respect to signed odd numbers.

```
function half(x:integer): integer;
begin if odd(x) then half \leftarrow (x+1) div 2
else half \leftarrow x div 2;
end;
```

101. Fixed-point arithmetic is done on scaled integers that are multiples of  $2^{-16}$ . In other words, a binary point is assumed to be sixteen bit positions from the right end of a binary computer word.

**102.** The following function is used to create a scaled integer from a given decimal fraction  $(.d_0d_1...d_{k-1})$ , where  $0 \le k \le 17$ . The digit  $d_i$  is given in dig[i], and the calculation produces a correctly rounded result.

```
function round\_decimals(k:small\_number): scaled; {converts a decimal fraction} var a:integer; {the accumulator} begin a \leftarrow 0; while k > 0 do begin decr(k); a \leftarrow (a + dig[k] * two) div 10; end; round\_decimals \leftarrow (a+1) div 2; end;
```

103. Conversely, here is a procedure analogous to print\_int. If the output of this procedure is subsequently read by TeX and converted by the round\_decimals routine above, it turns out that the original value will be reproduced exactly; the "simplest" such decimal number is output, but there is always at least one digit following the decimal point.

The invariant relation in the **repeat** loop is that a sequence of decimal digits yet to be printed will yield the original number if and only if they form a fraction f in the range  $s - \delta \le 10 \cdot 2^{16} f < s$ . We can stop if and only if f = 0 satisfies this condition; the loop will terminate before s can possibly become zero.

```
procedure print\_scaled(s:scaled); { prints scaled real, rounded to five digits } var delta: scaled; { amount of allowable inaccuracy } begin if s < 0 then begin print\_char("-"); negate(s); { print the sign, if negative } end; print\_int(s \text{ div } unity); { print the integer part } print\_char("."); s \leftarrow 10*(s \text{ mod } unity) + 5; delta \leftarrow 10; repeat if delta > unity then s \leftarrow s + `1000000 - 50000; { round the last digit } print\_char("0" + (s \text{ div } unity)); s \leftarrow 10*(s \text{ mod } unity); delta \leftarrow delta*10; until s \leq delta; end;
```

104. Physical sizes that a T<sub>E</sub>X user specifies for portions of documents are represented internally as scaled points. Thus, if we define an 'sp' (scaled point) as a unit equal to  $2^{-16}$  printer's points, every dimension inside of T<sub>E</sub>X is an integer number of sp. There are exactly 4,736,286.72 sp per inch. Users are not allowed to specify dimensions larger than  $2^{30} - 1$  sp, which is a distance of about 18.892 feet (5.7583 meters); two such quantities can be added without overflow on a 32-bit computer.

The present implementation of TeX does not check for overflow when dimensions are added or subtracted. This could be done by inserting a few dozen tests of the form 'if  $x \ge '100000000000$  then report\_overflow', but the chance of overflow is so remote that such tests do not seem worthwhile.

TEX needs to do only a few arithmetic operations on scaled quantities, other than addition and subtraction, and the following subroutines do most of the work. A single computation might use several subroutine calls, and it is desirable to avoid producing multiple error messages in case of arithmetic overflow; so the routines set the global variable arith\_error to true instead of reporting errors directly to the user. Another global variable, remainder, holds the remainder after a division.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv arith_error: boolean; { has arithmetic overflow occurred recently?} remainder: scaled; { amount subtracted to get an exact division }
```

105. The first arithmetical subroutine we need computes nx + y, where x and y are scaled and n is an integer. We will also use it to multiply integers.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{define} \ nx\_plus\_y(\#) \equiv mult\_and\_add(\#, `77777777777) \\ \mathbf{define} \ mult\_integers(\#) \equiv mult\_and\_add(\#, 0, `17777777777) \\ \mathbf{function} \ mult\_and\_add(n: integer; x, y, max\_answer: scaled): \ scaled; \\ \mathbf{begin} \ if \ n < 0 \ \mathbf{then} \\ \mathbf{begin} \ negate(x); \ negate(n); \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \mathbf{if} \ n = 0 \ \mathbf{then} \ mult\_and\_add \leftarrow y \\ \mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{if} \ ((x \leq (max\_answer - y) \ \mathbf{div} \ n) \wedge (-x \leq (max\_answer + y) \ \mathbf{div} \ n)) \ \mathbf{then} \ mult\_and\_add \leftarrow n * x + y \\ \mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{begin} \ arith\_error \leftarrow true; \ mult\_and\_add \leftarrow 0; \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \mathbf{end}; \end{array}
```

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**106.** We also need to divide scaled dimensions by integers.

```
function x\_over\_n(x : scaled; n : integer): scaled;
  var negative: boolean; { should remainder be negated? }
  begin negative \leftarrow false;
  if n = 0 then
      begin arith\_error \leftarrow true; x\_over\_n \leftarrow 0; remainder \leftarrow x;
      end
  else begin if n < 0 then
        begin negate(x); negate(n); negative \leftarrow true;
        end;
      if x \ge 0 then
        begin x\_over\_n \leftarrow x \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} n; remainder \leftarrow x \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} n;
      else begin x\_over\_n \leftarrow -((-x) \operatorname{div} n); remainder \leftarrow -((-x) \operatorname{mod} n);
        end;
      end;
  if negative then negate(remainder);
  end;
```

107. Then comes the multiplication of a scaled number by a fraction n/d, where n and d are nonnegative integers  $\leq 2^{16}$  and d is positive. It would be too dangerous to multiply by n and then divide by d, in separate operations, since overflow might well occur; and it would be too inaccurate to divide by d and then multiply by n. Hence this subroutine simulates 1.5-precision arithmetic.

```
function xn\_over\_d(x:scaled; n, d:integer): scaled;
var\ positive:\ boolean;\ \{vas\ x \geq 0?\}
t,u,v:\ nonnegative\_integer;\ \{intermediate\ quantities\}
begin if x \geq 0 then positive \leftarrow true
else begin negate(x);\ positive \leftarrow false;
end;
t \leftarrow (x\ mod\ '100000) * n;\ u \leftarrow (x\ div\ '100000) * n + (t\ div\ '100000);
v \leftarrow (u\ mod\ d) *\ '100000 + (t\ mod\ '100000);
if u\ div\ d \geq '100000 + (u\ div\ d) + (v\ div\ d);
if positive\ then
begin xn\_over\_d \leftarrow u;\ remainder \leftarrow v\ mod\ d;
end
else begin xn\_over\_d \leftarrow -u;\ remainder \leftarrow -(v\ mod\ d);
end;
end;
```

108. The next subroutine is used to compute the "badness" of glue, when a total t is supposed to be made from amounts that sum to s. According to  $The\ T_EXbook$ , the badness of this situation is  $100(t/s)^3$ ; however, badness is simply a heuristic, so we need not squeeze out the last drop of accuracy when computing it. All we really want is an approximation that has similar properties.

The actual method used to compute the badness is easier to read from the program than to describe in words. It produces an integer value that is a reasonably close approximation to  $100(t/s)^3$ , and all implementations of TEX should use precisely this method. Any badness of  $2^{13}$  or more is treated as infinitely bad, and represented by 10000.

It is not difficult to prove that

```
badness(t+1,s) \ge badness(t,s) \ge badness(t,s+1).
```

The badness function defined here is capable of computing at most 1095 distinct values, but that is plenty.

```
define inf\_bad = 10000 { infinitely bad value } function badness(t,s:scaled): halfword; { compute badness, given t \geq 0 } var r: integer; { approximation to \alpha t/s, where \alpha^3 \approx 100 \cdot 2^{18} } begin if t = 0 then badness \leftarrow 0 else if s \leq 0 then badness \leftarrow inf\_bad else begin if t \leq 7230584 then r \leftarrow (t*297) div s { 297^3 = 99.94 \times 2^{18} } else if s \geq 1663497 then r \leftarrow t div (s div 297) else r \leftarrow t; if r > 1290 then badness \leftarrow inf\_bad { 1290^3 < 2^{31} < 1291^3 } else badness \leftarrow (r*r*r+'400000) div '10000000; end; { that was r^3/2^{18}, rounded to the nearest integer } end:
```

109. When TEX "packages" a list into a box, it needs to calculate the proportionality ratio by which the glue inside the box should stretch or shrink. This calculation does not affect TEX's decision making, so the precise details of rounding, etc., in the glue calculation are not of critical importance for the consistency of results on different computers.

We shall use the type *glue\_ratio* for such proportionality ratios. A glue ratio should take the same amount of memory as an *integer* (usually 32 bits) if it is to blend smoothly with TEX's other data structures. Thus *glue\_ratio* should be equivalent to *short\_real* in some implementations of Pascal. Alternatively, it is possible to deal with glue ratios using nothing but fixed-point arithmetic; see *TUGboat* 3,1 (March 1982), 10–27. (But the routines cited there must be modified to allow negative glue ratios.)

```
define set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow 0.0 { store the representation of zero ratio } define set\_glue\_ratio\_one(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow 1.0 { store the representation of unit ratio } define float(\#) \equiv \# { convert from glue\_ratio to type real } define unfloat(\#) \equiv \# { convert from real to type glue\_ratio } define float\_constant(\#) \equiv \#.0 { convert integer constant to real } \langle Types in the outer block 18\rangle + \equiv glue\_ratio = real; { one-word representation of a glue expansion factor }
```

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110. Packed data. In order to make efficient use of storage space, TEX bases its major data structures on a *memory\_word*, which contains either a (signed) integer, possibly scaled, or a (signed) *glue\_ratio*, or a small number of fields that are one half or one quarter of the size used for storing integers.

If x is a variable of type  $memory\_word$ , it contains up to four fields that can be referred to as follows:

```
\begin{array}{ccc} x.int & \text{(an integer)} \\ x.sc & \text{(a scaled integer)} \\ x.gr & \text{(a glue\_ratio)} \\ x.hh.lh, x.hh.rh & \text{(two halfword fields)} \\ x.hh.b0, x.hh.b1, x.hh.rh & \text{(two quarterword fields, one halfword field)} \\ x.qqqq.b0, x.qqqq.b1, x.qqqq.b2, x.qqqq.b3 & \text{(four quarterword fields)} \end{array}
```

This is somewhat cumbersome to write, and not very readable either, but macros will be used to make the notation shorter and more transparent. The Pascal code below gives a formal definition of *memory\_word* and its subsidiary types, using packed variant records. TeX makes no assumptions about the relative positions of the fields within a word.

Since we are assuming 32-bit integers, a halfword must contain at least 16 bits, and a quarterword must contain at least 8 bits. But it doesn't hurt to have more bits; for example, with enough 36-bit words you might be able to have  $mem\_max$  as large as 262142, which is eight times as much memory as anybody had during the first four years of  $T_EX$ 's existence.

N.B.: Valuable memory space will be dreadfully wasted unless TEX is compiled by a Pascal that packs all of the *memory\_word* variants into the space of a single integer. This means, for example, that *glue\_ratio* words should be *short\_real* instead of *real* on some computers. Some Pascal compilers will pack an integer whose subrange is '0 .. 255' into an eight-bit field, but others insist on allocating space for an additional sign bit; on such systems you can get 256 values into a quarterword only if the subrange is '-128 .. 127'.

The present implementation tries to accommodate as many variations as possible, so it makes few assumptions. If integers having the subrange 'min\_quarterword .. max\_quarterword' can be packed into a quarterword, and if integers having the subrange 'min\_halfword .. max\_halfword' can be packed into a halfword, everything should work satisfactorily.

It is usually most efficient to have  $min\_quarterword = min\_halfword = 0$ , so one should try to achieve this unless it causes a severe problem. The values defined here are recommended for most 32-bit computers.

```
define min\_quarterword = 0 { smallest allowable value in a quarterword } define max\_quarterword = 255 { largest allowable value in a quarterword } define min\_halfword \equiv 0 { smallest allowable value in a halfword } define max\_halfword \equiv 65535 { largest allowable value in a halfword }
```

111. Here are the inequalities that the quarterword and halfword values must satisfy (or rather, the inequalities that they mustn't satisfy):

```
⟨ Check the "constant" values for consistency 14⟩ +≡
    init if (mem\_min \neq mem\_bot) \lor (mem\_max \neq mem\_top) then bad \leftarrow 10;
    tini
    if (mem\_min > mem\_bot) \lor (mem\_max < mem\_top) then bad \leftarrow 10;
    if (min\_quarterword > 0) \lor (max\_quarterword < 127) then bad \leftarrow 11;
    if (min\_halfword > 0) \lor (max\_halfword < 32767) then bad \leftarrow 12;
    if (min\_quarterword < min\_halfword) \lor (max\_quarterword > max\_halfword) then bad \leftarrow 13;
    if (mem\_min < min\_halfword) \lor (mem\_max \ge max\_halfword) \lor
    (mem\_bot - mem\_min > max\_halfword + 1) then bad \leftarrow 14;
    if (font\_base < min\_quarterword) \lor (font\_max > max\_quarterword) then bad \leftarrow 15;
    if font\_max > font\_base + 256 then bad \leftarrow 16;
    if (save\_size > max\_halfword) \lor (max\_strings > max\_halfword) then bad \leftarrow 17;
    if buf\_size > max\_halfword then bad \leftarrow 18;
    if max\_quarterword - min\_quarterword < 255 then bad \leftarrow 19;
```

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112. The operation of adding or subtracting  $min\_quarterword$  occurs quite frequently in TeX, so it is convenient to abbreviate this operation by using the macros qi and qo for input and output to and from quarterword format.

The inner loop of  $T_EX$  will run faster with respect to compilers that don't optimize expressions like 'x + 0' and 'x - 0', if these macros are simplified in the obvious way when  $min\_quarterword = 0$ .

```
define qi(\#) \equiv \# + min\_quarterword  { to put an eight\_bits item into a quarterword } define qo(\#) \equiv \# - min\_quarterword { to take an eight\_bits item out of a quarterword } define hi(\#) \equiv \# + min\_halfword { to put a sixteen-bit item into a halfword } define ho(\#) \equiv \# - min\_halfword { to take a sixteen-bit item from a halfword }
```

113. The reader should study the following definitions closely:

```
define sc \equiv int \quad \{ scaled \text{ data is equivalent to } integer \}
\langle Types in the outer block 18\rangle + \equiv
  quarterword = min\_quarterword ... max\_quarterword; \{ 1/4 \text{ of a word } \}
  halfword = min\_halfword ... max\_halfword; \{1/2 \text{ of a word}\}
  two\_choices = 1...2; { used when there are two variants in a record }
  four\_choices = 1...4; { used when there are four variants in a record }
  two\_halves = packed record rh: halfword;
    case two_choices of
    1: (lh : halfword);
    2: (b0 : quarterword; b1 : quarterword);
    end:
  four\_quarters = packed record b\theta: quarterword;
    b1: quarterword;
    b2: quarterword;
    b3: quarterword;
    end;
  memory\_word = \mathbf{record}
    case four_choices of
    1: (int:integer);
    2: (gr: glue\_ratio);
    3: (hh: two\_halves);
    4: (qqqq:four\_quarters);
    end:
  word\_file =  file of memory\_word;
```

114. When debugging, we may want to print a *memory\_word* without knowing what type it is; so we print it in all modes.

```
debug procedure print\_word(w:memory\_word); {prints w in all ways} begin print\_int(w.int); print\_char("\_"); print\_scaled(w.sc); print\_char("\_"); print\_scaled(w.sc); print\_char("\_"); print\_int(w.hh.lh); print\_char("="); print\_int(w.hh.b0); print\_char(":"); print\_int(w.hh.b1); print\_char("\_"); print\_int(w.qqqq.b0); print\_char("\_"); print\_int(w.qqqq.b1); print\_char("\_"); print\_int(w.qqqq.b2); print\_char("\_"); print\_int(w.qqqq.b3); end; gubed
```

115. Dynamic memory allocation. The T<sub>E</sub>X system does nearly all of its own memory allocation, so that it can readily be transported into environments that do not have automatic facilities for strings, garbage collection, etc., and so that it can be in control of what error messages the user receives. The dynamic storage requirements of T<sub>E</sub>X are handled by providing a large array *mem* in which consecutive blocks of words are used as nodes by the T<sub>E</sub>X routines.

Pointer variables are indices into this array, or into another array called eqtb that will be explained later. A pointer variable might also be a special flag that lies outside the bounds of mem, so we allow pointers to assume any halfword value. The minimum halfword value represents a null pointer. TEX does not assume that mem[null] exists.

```
define pointer \equiv halfword \quad \{ \text{ a flag or a location in } mem \text{ or } eqtb \}
\mathbf{define} \ null \equiv min\_halfword \quad \{ \text{ the null pointer} \}
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
temp\_ptr: pointer; \quad \{ \text{a pointer variable for occasional emergency use } \}
```

116. The mem array is divided into two regions that are allocated separately, but the dividing line between these two regions is not fixed; they grow together until finding their "natural" size in a particular job. Locations less than or equal to lo\_mem\_max are used for storing variable-length records consisting of two or more words each. This region is maintained using an algorithm similar to the one described in exercise 2.5–19 of The Art of Computer Programming. However, no size field appears in the allocated nodes; the program is responsible for knowing the relevant size when a node is freed. Locations greater than or equal to hi\_mem\_min are used for storing one-word records; a conventional AVAIL stack is used for allocation in this region.

Locations of mem between mem\_bot and mem\_top may be dumped as part of preloaded format files, by the INITEX preprocessor. Production versions of TeX may extend the memory at both ends in order to provide more space; locations between mem\_min and mem\_bot are always used for variable-size nodes, and locations between mem\_top and mem\_max are always used for single-word nodes.

The key pointers that govern mem allocation have a prescribed order:

```
null \leq mem\_min \leq mem\_bot < lo\_mem\_max < hi\_mem\_min < mem\_top \leq mem\_end \leq mem\_max \,.
```

Empirical tests show that the present implementation of T<sub>E</sub>X tends to spend about 9% of its running time allocating nodes, and about 6% deallocating them after their use.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle += mem: array [mem\_min ... mem\_max] of memory\_word; { the big dynamic storage area } lo_mem\_max: pointer; { the largest location of variable-size memory in use } lo_mem\_min: location of one-word memory in use }
```

117. In order to study the memory requirements of particular applications, it is possible to prepare a version of TeX that keeps track of current and maximum memory usage. When code between the delimiters stat ... tats is not "commented out," TeX will run a bit slower but it will report these statistics when tracing\_stats is sufficiently large.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv var\_used, dyn\_used: integer; \{ how much memory is in use \}
```

118. Let's consider the one-word memory region first, since it's the simplest. The pointer variable  $mem\_end$  holds the highest-numbered location of mem that has ever been used. The free locations of mem that occur between  $hi\_mem\_min$  and  $mem\_end$ , inclusive, are of type  $two\_halves$ , and we write info(p) and link(p) for the lh and rh fields of mem[p] when it is of this type. The single-word free locations form a linked list

```
avail, link(avail), link(link(avail)), ...
```

terminated by null.

```
define link(\#) \equiv mem[\#].hh.rh { the link field of a memory word } define info(\#) \equiv mem[\#].hh.lh { the info field of a memory word } \langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv avail: pointer; { head of the list of available one-word nodes } mem\_end: pointer; { the last one-word node used in mem }
```

119. If memory is exhausted, it might mean that the user has forgotten a right brace. We will define some procedures later that try to help pinpoint the trouble.

```
\langle Declare the procedure called show\_token\_list~292\,\rangle \langle Declare the procedure called runaway~306\,\rangle
```

120. The function *get\_avail* returns a pointer to a new one-word node whose *link* field is null. However, T<sub>F</sub>X will halt if there is no more room left.

If the available-space list is empty, i.e., if avail = null, we try first to increase  $mem\_end$ . If that cannot be done, i.e., if  $mem\_end = mem\_max$ , we try to decrease  $hi\_mem\_min$ . If that cannot be done, i.e., if  $hi\_mem\_min = lo\_mem\_max + 1$ , we have to quit.

```
function get_avail: pointer; { single-word node allocation }
  var p: pointer; { the new node being got }
  begin p \leftarrow avail; { get top location in the avail stack }
  if p \neq null then avail \leftarrow link(avail) { and pop it off }
  else if mem_end < mem_max then { or go into virgin territory }
       begin incr(mem\_end); p \leftarrow mem\_end;
       end
    else begin decr(hi\_mem\_min); p \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min;
       if hi\_mem\_min \leq lo\_mem\_max then
         begin runaway; { if memory is exhausted, display possible runaway text }
         overflow("main\_memory\_size", mem\_max + 1 - mem\_min);  {quit; all one-word nodes are busy}
         end;
       end;
  link(p) \leftarrow null; { provide an oft-desired initialization of the new node }
  stat incr(dyn\_used); tats { maintain statistics }
  get\_avail \leftarrow p;
  end;
```

121. Conversely, a one-word node is recycled by calling *free\_avail*. This routine is part of TEX's "inner loop," so we want it to be fast.

```
define free\_avail(\#) \equiv \{ single-word node liberation \} 
begin \ link(\#) \leftarrow avail; \ avail \leftarrow \#; 
stat \ decr(dyn\_used); \ tats 
end
```

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**122.** There's also a *fast\_get\_avail* routine, which saves the procedure-call overhead at the expense of extra programming. This routine is used in the places that would otherwise account for the most calls of *get\_avail*.

```
define fast\_get\_avail(\#) \equiv
\mathbf{begin} \ \# \leftarrow avail; \quad \{ \text{avoid } get\_avail \text{ if possible, to save time } \}
\mathbf{if} \ \# = null \ \mathbf{then} \ \# \leftarrow get\_avail
\mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{begin} \ avail \leftarrow link(\#); \ link(\#) \leftarrow null;
\mathbf{stat} \ incr(dyn\_used); \ \mathbf{tats}
\mathbf{end};
\mathbf{end}
```

**123.** The procedure  $flush\_list(p)$  frees an entire linked list of one-word nodes that starts at position p.

```
procedure flush\_list(p:pointer); { makes list of single-word nodes available } var q, r: pointer; { list traversers } begin if p \neq null then begin r \leftarrow p; repeat q \leftarrow r; r \leftarrow link(r); stat decr(dyn\_used); tats until r = null; { now q is the last node on the list } link(q) \leftarrow avail; avail \leftarrow p; end; end;
```

**124.** The available-space list that keeps track of the variable-size portion of *mem* is a nonempty, doubly-linked circular list of empty nodes, pointed to by the roving pointer *rover*.

Each empty node has size 2 or more; the first word contains the special value *max\_halfword* in its *link* field and the size in its *info* field; the second word contains the two pointers for double linking.

Each nonempty node also has size 2 or more. Its first word is of type  $two\_halves$ , and its link field is never equal to  $max\_halfword$ . Otherwise there is complete flexibility with respect to the contents of its other fields and its other words.

(We require  $mem\_max < max\_halfword$  because terrible things can happen when  $max\_halfword$  appears in the link field of a nonempty node.)

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ empty\_flag \equiv max\_halfword \quad \{ \ the \ link \ of \ an \ empty \ variable-size \ node \} \\ \textbf{define} \ is\_empty(\#) \equiv (link(\#) = empty\_flag) \quad \{ \ tests \ for \ empty \ node \} \\ \textbf{define} \ node\_size \equiv info \quad \{ \ the \ size \ field \ in \ empty \ variable-size \ nodes \} \\ \textbf{define} \ llink(\#) \equiv info(\#+1) \quad \{ \ link \ in \ doubly-linked \ list \ of \ empty \ nodes \} \\ \textbf{define} \ rlink(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) \quad \{ \ right \ link \ in \ doubly-linked \ list \ of \ empty \ nodes \} \\ \langle \ Global \ variables \ 13 \rangle \ + \equiv \\ rover: \ pointer; \quad \{ \ points \ to \ some \ node \ in \ the \ list \ of \ empties \} \\ \end{aligned}
```

125. A call to  $get\_node$  with argument s returns a pointer to a new node of size s, which must be 2 or more. The link field of the first word of this new node is set to null. An overflow stop occurs if no suitable space exists.

If  $get\_node$  is called with  $s = 2^{30}$ , it simply merges adjacent free areas and returns the value  $max\_halfword$ .

```
function qet_node(s : integer): pointer; { variable-size node allocation }
  label found, exit, restart;
  var p: pointer; { the node currently under inspection }
    q: pointer; { the node physically after node p }
    r: integer; { the newly allocated node, or a candidate for this honor }
    t: integer; { temporary register }
  begin restart: p \leftarrow rover; { start at some free node in the ring }
  repeat \langle Try to allocate within node p and its physical successors, and goto found if allocation was
         possible 127;
    p \leftarrow rlink(p); { move to the next node in the ring }
  until p = rover; { repeat until the whole list has been traversed }
  if s = 100000000000 then
    begin get\_node \leftarrow max\_halfword; return;
    end:
  if lo\_mem\_max + 2 < hi\_mem\_min then
    if lo\_mem\_max + 2 \le mem\_bot + max\_halfword then
       (Grow more variable-size memory and goto restart 126);
  overflow("main\_memory\_size", mem\_max + 1 - mem\_min); \{ sorry, nothing satisfactory is left \}
found: link(r) \leftarrow null; { this node is now nonempty }
  stat var\_used \leftarrow var\_used + s; { maintain usage statistics }
  tats
  get\_node \leftarrow r;
exit: end;
       The lower part of mem grows by 1000 words at a time, unless we are very close to going under. When
it grows, we simply link a new node into the available-space list. This method of controlled growth helps to
keep the mem usage consecutive when TFX is implemented on "virtual memory" systems.
\langle Grow more variable-size memory and goto restart 126\rangle \equiv
  begin if hi\_mem\_min - lo\_mem\_max \ge 1998 then t \leftarrow lo\_mem\_max + 1000
  else t \leftarrow lo\_mem\_max + 1 + (hi\_mem\_min - lo\_mem\_max) div 2; { lo\_mem\_max + 2 \le t < hi\_mem\_min }
  p \leftarrow llink(rover); \ q \leftarrow lo\_mem\_max; \ rlink(p) \leftarrow q; \ llink(rover) \leftarrow q;
```

This code is used in section 125.

end

if  $t > mem\_bot + max\_halfword$  then  $t \leftarrow mem\_bot + max\_halfword$ ;

 $rlink(q) \leftarrow rover; \ llink(q) \leftarrow p; \ link(q) \leftarrow empty\_flag; \ node\_size(q) \leftarrow t - lo\_mem\_max;$ 

 $lo\_mem\_max \leftarrow t; link(lo\_mem\_max) \leftarrow null; info(lo\_mem\_max) \leftarrow null; rover \leftarrow q; goto restart;$ 

127. Empirical tests show that the routine in this section performs a node-merging operation about 0.75 times per allocation, on the average, after which it finds that r > p + 1 about 95% of the time.  $\langle$  Try to allocate within node p and its physical successors, and **goto** found if allocation was possible 127 $\rangle$  $q \leftarrow p + node\_size(p);$  { find the physical successor } **while**  $is\_empty(q)$  **do** { merge node p with node q } **begin**  $t \leftarrow rlink(q)$ ; if q = rover then  $rover \leftarrow t$ ;  $llink(t) \leftarrow llink(q); \ rlink(llink(q)) \leftarrow t;$  $q \leftarrow q + node\_size(q);$ end:  $r \leftarrow q - s;$ if r > p + 1 then  $\langle$  Allocate from the top of node p and **goto** found 128 $\rangle$ ; if r = p then if  $rlink(p) \neq p$  then  $\langle$  Allocate entire node p and **goto** found 129 $\rangle$ ;  $node\_size(p) \leftarrow q - p$  { reset the size in case it grew } This code is used in section 125. **128.**  $\langle$  Allocate from the top of node p and **goto** found 128 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $node\_size(p) \leftarrow r - p$ ; { store the remaining size }  $rover \leftarrow p; \quad \{ \text{ start searching here next time } \}$ **goto** found; end This code is used in section 127. **129.** Here we delete node p from the ring, and let rover rove around.  $\langle$  Allocate entire node p and **goto** found 129 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $rover \leftarrow rlink(p)$ ;  $t \leftarrow llink(p)$ ;  $llink(rover) \leftarrow t$ ;  $rlink(t) \leftarrow rover$ ; **goto** found; end This code is used in section 127. 130. Conversely, when some variable-size node p of size s is no longer needed, the operation  $free\_node(p,s)$ will make its words available, by inserting p as a new empty node just before where rover now points.

```
procedure free\_node(p:pointer; s:halfword); { variable-size node liberation } var q:pointer; { llink(rover) } begin node\_size(p) \leftarrow s; link(p) \leftarrow empty\_flag; q \leftarrow llink(rover); llink(p) \leftarrow q; rlink(p) \leftarrow rover; { set both links } llink(rover) \leftarrow p; rlink(q) \leftarrow p; { insert p into the ring } stat var\_used \leftarrow var\_used - s; tats { maintain statistics } end;
```

131. Just before INITEX writes out the memory, it sorts the doubly linked available space list. The list is probably very short at such times, so a simple insertion sort is used. The smallest available location will be pointed to by rover, the next-smallest by rlink(rover), etc.

```
init procedure sort\_avail; { sorts the available variable-size nodes by location } var p,q,r: pointer; { indices into mem } old\_rover: pointer; { initial rover setting } begin p \leftarrow get\_node(`100000000000); { merge adjacent free areas } p \leftarrow rlink(rover); rlink(rover) \leftarrow max\_halfword; old\_rover \leftarrow rover; while p \neq old\_rover do \langle Sort p into the list starting at rover and advance p to rlink(p) 132\rangle; p \leftarrow rover; while rlink(p) \neq max\_halfword do begin llink(rlink(p)) \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow rlink(p); end; rlink(p) \leftarrow rover; llink(rover) \leftarrow p; end; tini
```

132. The following while loop is guaranteed to terminate, since the list that starts at rover ends with  $max\_halfword$  during the sorting procedure.

```
\langle \text{Sort } p \text{ into the list starting at } rover \text{ and advance } p \text{ to } rlink(p) \text{ } 132 \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{if } p < rover \text{ } \textbf{then} \\ \textbf{begin } q \leftarrow p; \text{ } p \leftarrow rlink(q); \text{ } rlink(q) \leftarrow rover; \text{ } rover \leftarrow q; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else begin } q \leftarrow rover; \\ \textbf{while } rlink(q) < p \text{ do } q \leftarrow rlink(q); \\ r \leftarrow rlink(p); \text{ } rlink(p) \leftarrow rlink(q); \text{ } rlink(q) \leftarrow p; \text{ } p \leftarrow r; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 131.

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133. Data structures for boxes and their friends. From the computer's standpoint, TEX's chief mission is to create horizontal and vertical lists. We shall now investigate how the elements of these lists are represented internally as nodes in the dynamic memory.

A horizontal or vertical list is linked together by *link* fields in the first word of each node. Individual nodes represent boxes, glue, penalties, or special things like discretionary hyphens; because of this variety, some nodes are longer than others, and we must distinguish different kinds of nodes. We do this by putting a 'type' field in the first word, together with the link and an optional 'subtype'.

```
define type(\#) \equiv mem[\#].hh.b0 { identifies what kind of node this is } define subtype(\#) \equiv mem[\#].hh.b1 { secondary identification in some cases }
```

**134.** A *char\_node*, which represents a single character, is the most important kind of node because it accounts for the vast majority of all boxes. Special precautions are therefore taken to ensure that a *char\_node* does not take up much memory space. Every such node is one word long, and in fact it is identifiable by this property, since other kinds of nodes have at least two words, and they appear in *mem* locations less than *hi\_mem\_min*. This makes it possible to omit the *type* field in a *char\_node*, leaving us room for two bytes that identify a *font* and a *character* within that font.

Note that the format of a *char\_node* allows for up to 256 different fonts and up to 256 characters per font; but most implementations will probably limit the total number of fonts to fewer than 75 per job, and most fonts will stick to characters whose codes are less than 128 (since higher codes are more difficult to access on most keyboards).

Extensions of  $T_{EX}$  intended for oriental languages will need even more than  $256 \times 256$  possible characters, when we consider different sizes and styles of type. It is suggested that Chinese and Japanese fonts be handled by representing such characters in two consecutive  $char\_node$  entries: The first of these has  $font = font\_base$ , and its link points to the second; the second identifies the font and the character dimensions. The saving feature about oriental characters is that most of them have the same box dimensions. The character field of the first  $char\_node$  is a "charext" that distinguishes between graphic symbols whose dimensions are identical for typesetting purposes. (See the METAFONT manual.) Such an extension of  $T_{EX}$  would not be difficult; further details are left to the reader.

In order to make sure that the *character* code fits in a quarterword, TEX adds the quantity  $min\_quarterword$  to the actual code.

Character nodes appear only in horizontal lists, never in vertical lists.

```
define is\_char\_node(\#) \equiv (\# \geq hi\_mem\_min)  { does the argument point to a char\_node? } define font \equiv type { the font code in a char\_node } define character \equiv subtype { the character code in a char\_node }
```

135. An hlist\_node stands for a box that was made from a horizontal list. Each hlist\_node is seven words long, and contains the following fields (in addition to the mandatory type and link, which we shall not mention explicitly when discussing the other node types): The height and width and depth are scaled integers denoting the dimensions of the box. There is also a shift\_amount field, a scaled integer indicating how much this box should be lowered (if it appears in a horizontal list), or how much it should be moved to the right (if it appears in a vertical list). There is a list\_ptr field, which points to the beginning of the list from which this box was fabricated; if list\_ptr is null, the box is empty. Finally, there are three fields that represent the setting of the glue:  $glue\_set(p)$  is a word of type  $glue\_ratio$  that represents the proportionality constant for glue setting;  $glue\_sign(p)$  is stretching or shrinking or normal depending on whether or not the glue should stretch or shrink or remain rigid; and  $glue\_order(p)$  specifies the order of infinity to which glue setting applies (normal, fil, fill, or filll). The subtype field is not used.

```
define hlist\_node = 0  { type of hlist nodes }
define box\_node\_size = 7 { number of words to allocate for a box node }
define width\_offset = 1 { position of width field in a box node }
define depth\_offset = 2 { position of depth field in a box node }
define height\_offset = 3 { position of height field in a box node }
define width(\#) \equiv mem[\# + width\_offset].sc { width of the box, in sp }
define depth(\#) \equiv mem[\# + depth\_offset].sc { depth of the box, in sp }
define height(\#) \equiv mem[\# + height\_offset].sc { height of the box, in sp }
define shift_amount(\#) \equiv mem[\# + 4].sc { repositioning distance, in sp }
define list\_offset = 5 { position of list\_ptr field in a box node }
define list\_ptr(\#) \equiv link(\# + list\_offset) { beginning of the list inside the box }
define glue\_order(\#) \equiv subtype(\# + list\_offset) { applicable order of infinity }
define qlue\_sign(\#) \equiv type(\# + list\_offset) { stretching or shrinking }
define normal = 0 { the most common case when several cases are named }
define stretching = 1 { glue setting applies to the stretch components }
\textbf{define} \ \textit{shrinking} = 2 \quad \{ \, \text{glue setting applies to the shrink components} \, \}
define glue\_offset = 6 { position of glue\_set in a box node }
define glue\_set(\#) \equiv mem[\# + glue\_offset].gr { a word of type glue\_ratio for glue setting }
```

136. The new\_null\_box function returns a pointer to an hlist\_node in which all subfields have the values corresponding to '\hbox{}'. (The subtype field is set to min\_quarterword, for historic reasons that are no longer relevant.)

```
function new\_null\_box: pointer; {creates a new box node} var p: pointer; {the new node} begin p \leftarrow get\_node(box\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow hlist\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow min\_quarterword; width(p) \leftarrow 0; depth(p) \leftarrow 0; height(p) \leftarrow 0; shift\_amount(p) \leftarrow 0; list\_ptr(p) \leftarrow null; glue\_sign(p) \leftarrow normal; glue\_order(p) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(p)); new\_null\_box \leftarrow p; end;
```

- 137. A vlist\_node is like an hlist\_node in all respects except that it contains a vertical list.
  - **define**  $vlist\_node = 1$  { type of vlist nodes }
- 138. A rule\_node stands for a solid black rectangle; it has width, depth, and height fields just as in an hlist\_node. However, if any of these dimensions is  $-2^{30}$ , the actual value will be determined by running the rule up to the boundary of the innermost enclosing box. This is called a "running dimension." The width is never running in an hlist; the height and depth are never running in a vlist.

```
define rule\_node = 2 { type of rule nodes } define rule\_node\_size = 4 { number of words to allocate for a rule node } define null\_flag \equiv -'100000000000 { -2^{30}, signifies a missing item } define is\_running(\#) \equiv (\# = null\_flag) { tests for a running dimension }
```

**139.** A new rule node is delivered by the *new\_rule* function. It makes all the dimensions "running," so you have to change the ones that are not allowed to run.

```
function new\_rule: pointer; { the new node } 
 \mathbf{var}\ p: pointer; { the new node } 
 \mathbf{begin}\ p \leftarrow get\_node(rule\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow rule\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow 0; { the subtype is not used } 
 width(p) \leftarrow null\_flag; depth(p) \leftarrow null\_flag; height(p) \leftarrow null\_flag; new\_rule \leftarrow p; 
 \mathbf{end}:
```

140. Insertions are represented by <code>ins\_node</code> records, where the <code>subtype</code> indicates the corresponding box number. For example, '\insert 250' leads to an <code>ins\_node</code> whose <code>subtype</code> is 250 + <code>min\_quarterword</code>. The <code>height</code> field of an <code>ins\_node</code> is slightly misnamed; it actually holds the natural height plus depth of the vertical list being inserted. The <code>depth</code> field holds the <code>split\_max\_depth</code> to be used in case this insertion is split, and the <code>split\_top\_ptr</code> points to the corresponding <code>split\_top\_skip</code>. The <code>float\_cost</code> field holds the <code>floating\_penalty</code> that will be used if this insertion floats to a subsequent page after a split insertion of the same class. There is one more field, the <code>ins\_ptr</code>, which points to the beginning of the vlist for the insertion.

```
define ins\_node = 3 { type of insertion nodes } define ins\_node\_size = 5 { number of words to allocate for an insertion } define float\_cost(\#) \equiv mem[\#+1].int { the floating\_penalty to be used } define ins\_ptr(\#) \equiv info(\#+4) { the vertical list to be inserted } define split\_top\_ptr(\#) \equiv link(\#+4) { the split\_top\_skip to be used }
```

141. A mark\_node has a mark\_ptr field that points to the reference count of a token list that contains the user's \mark text. This field occupies a full word instead of a halfword, because there's nothing to put in the other halfword; it is easier in Pascal to use the full word than to risk leaving garbage in the unused half.

```
define mark\_node = 4  { type of a mark node } define small\_node\_size = 2  { number of words to allocate for most node types } define mark\_ptr(\#) \equiv mem[\#+1].int { head of the token list for a mark }
```

142. An adjust\_node, which occurs only in horizontal lists, specifies material that will be moved out into the surrounding vertical list; i.e., it is used to implement TEX's '\vadjust' operation. The adjust\_ptr field points to the vlist containing this material.

```
define adjust\_node = 5  { type of an adjust node } define adjust\_ptr \equiv mark\_ptr { vertical list to be moved out of horizontal list }
```

143. A ligature\_node, which occurs only in horizontal lists, specifies a character that was fabricated from the interaction of two or more actual characters. The second word of the node, which is called the lig\_char word, contains font and character fields just as in a char\_node. The characters that generated the ligature have not been forgotten, since they are needed for diagnostic messages and for hyphenation; the lig\_ptr field points to a linked list of character nodes for all original characters that have been deleted. (This list might be empty if the characters that generated the ligature were retained in other nodes.)

The *subtype* field is 0, plus 2 and/or 1 if the original source of the ligature included implicit left and/or right boundaries.

```
define ligature\_node = 6 \quad \{ type \text{ of a ligature node} \}

define lig\_char(\#) \equiv \# + 1 \quad \{ \text{ the word where the ligature is to be found} \}

define lig\_ptr(\#) \equiv link(lig\_char(\#)) \quad \{ \text{ the list of characters} \}
```

144. The new\_ligature function creates a ligature node having given contents of the font, character, and lig\_ptr fields. We also have a new\_lig\_item function, which returns a two-word node having a given character field. Such nodes are used for temporary processing as ligatures are being created.

```
function new\_ligature(f,c:quarterword;q:pointer): pointer; var\ p: pointer; { the new node } begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow ligature\_node; font(lig\_char(p)) \leftarrow f; character(lig\_char(p)) \leftarrow c; lig\_ptr(p) \leftarrow q; subtype(p) \leftarrow 0; new\_ligature \leftarrow p; end; function new\_lig\_item(c:quarterword): pointer; var\ p: pointer; { the new node } begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); character(p) \leftarrow c; lig\_ptr(p) \leftarrow null; new\_lig\_item \leftarrow p; end:
```

145. A  $disc\_node$ , which occurs only in horizontal lists, specifies a "discretionary" line break. If such a break occurs at node p, the text that starts at  $pre\_break(p)$  will precede the break, the text that starts at  $post\_break(p)$  will follow the break, and text that appears in the next  $replace\_count(p)$  nodes will be ignored. For example, an ordinary discretionary hyphen, indicated by '\-', yields a  $disc\_node$  with  $pre\_break$  pointing to a  $char\_node$  containing a hyphen,  $post\_break = null$ , and  $replace\_count = 0$ . All three of the discretionary texts must be lists that consist entirely of character, kern, box, rule, and ligature nodes.

If  $pre\_break(p) = null$ , the  $ex\_hyphen\_penalty$  will be charged for this break. Otherwise the  $hyphen\_penalty$  will be charged. The texts will actually be substituted into the list by the line-breaking algorithm if it decides to make the break, and the discretionary node will disappear at that time; thus, the output routine sees only discretionaries that were not chosen.

```
define disc\_node = 7 { type of a discretionary node }

define replace\_count \equiv subtype { how many subsequent nodes to replace }

define pre\_break \equiv llink { text that precedes a discretionary break }

define post\_break \equiv rlink { text that follows a discretionary break }

function new\_disc: pointer; { creates an empty disc\_node }

var p: pointer; { the new node }

begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow disc\_node; replace\_count(p) \leftarrow 0; pre\_break(p) \leftarrow null; post\_break(p) \leftarrow null; new\_disc \leftarrow p;

end;
```

146. A whatsit\_node is a wild card reserved for extensions to TEX. The subtype field in its first word says what 'whatsit' it is, and implicitly determines the node size (which must be 2 or more) and the format of the remaining words. When a whatsit\_node is encountered in a list, special actions are invoked; knowledgeable people who are careful not to mess up the rest of TEX are able to make TEX do new things by adding code at the end of the program. For example, there might be a 'TEXnicolor' extension to specify different colors of ink, and the whatsit node might contain the desired parameters.

The present implementation of TeX treats the features associated with '\write' and '\special' as if they were extensions, in order to illustrate how such routines might be coded. We shall defer further discussion of extensions until the end of this program.

```
define whatsit\_node = 8  { type of special extension nodes }
```

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147. A math\_node, which occurs only in horizontal lists, appears before and after mathematical formulas. The subtype field is before before the formula and after after it. There is a width field, which represents the amount of surrounding space inserted by \mathsurround.

```
define math\_node = 9 { type of a math node }
  define before = 0 \quad \{ subtype \text{ for math node that introduces a formula } \}
  define after = 1 { subtype for math node that winds up a formula }
function new\_math(w : scaled; s : small\_number): pointer;
  var p: pointer; { the new node }
  begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow math\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow s; width(p) \leftarrow w;
  new\_math \leftarrow p;
  end;
```

T<sub>F</sub>X makes use of the fact that hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node, ins\_node, mark\_node, adjust\_node, ligature\_node, disc\_node, whatsit\_node, and math\_node are at the low end of the type codes, by permitting a break at glue in a list if and only if the type of the previous node is less than math\_node. Furthermore, a node is discarded after a break if its type is *math\_node* or more.

```
define precedes\_break(\#) \equiv (type(\#) < math\_node)
define non\_discardable(\#) \equiv (type(\#) < math\_node)
```

149. A glue\_node represents glue in a list. However, it is really only a pointer to a separate glue specification, since T<sub>F</sub>X makes use of the fact that many essentially identical nodes of glue are usually present. If p points to a glue\_node, glue\_ptr(p) points to another packet of words that specify the stretch and shrink components, etc.

Glue nodes also serve to represent leaders; the *subtype* is used to distinguish between ordinary glue (which is called normal) and the three kinds of leaders (which are called a\_leaders, c\_leaders, and x\_leaders). The leader\_ptr field points to a rule node or to a box node containing the leaders; it is set to null in ordinary glue nodes.

Many kinds of glue are computed from TeX's "skip" parameters, and it is helpful to know which parameter has led to a particular glue node. Therefore the subtype is set to indicate the source of glue, whenever it originated as a parameter. We will be defining symbolic names for the parameter numbers later (e.g.,  $line\_skip\_code = 0$ ,  $baseline\_skip\_code = 1$ , etc.); it suffices for now to say that the subtype of parametric glue will be the same as the parameter number, plus one.

In math formulas there are two more possibilities for the subtype in a glue node:  $mu\_glue$  denotes an \mskip (where the units are scaled mu instead of scaled pt); and cond\_math\_glue denotes the '\nonscript' feature that cancels the glue node immediately following if it appears in a subscript.

```
define glue\_node = 10 { type of node that points to a glue specification }
define cond_math_glue = 98 { special subtype to suppress glue in the next node }
define mu\_glue = 99  { subtype for math glue }
define a\_leaders = 100 { subtype for aligned leaders }
define c\_leaders = 101
                         { subtype for centered leaders }
define x\_leaders = 102 { subtype for expanded leaders }
define glue\_ptr \equiv llink { pointer to a glue specification }
define leader\_ptr \equiv rlink { pointer to box or rule node for leaders }
```

**150.** A glue specification has a halfword reference count in its first word, representing *null* plus the number of glue nodes that point to it (less one). Note that the reference count appears in the same position as the *link* field in list nodes; this is the field that is initialized to *null* when a node is allocated, and it is also the field that is flagged by *empty\_flag* in empty nodes.

Glue specifications also contain three *scaled* fields, for the *width*, *stretch*, and *shrink* dimensions. Finally, there are two one-byte fields called *stretch\_order* and *shrink\_order*; these contain the orders of infinity (*normal*, *fil*, *fill*, or *filll*) corresponding to the stretch and shrink values.

```
define glue\_spec\_size = 4 { number of words to allocate for a glue specification } define glue\_ref\_count(\#) \equiv link(\#) { reference count of a glue specification } define stretch(\#) \equiv mem[\#+2].sc { the stretchability of this glob of glue } define strink(\#) \equiv mem[\#+3].sc { the shrinkability of this glob of glue } define stretch\_order \equiv type { order of infinity for stretching } define strink\_order \equiv subtype { order of infinity for shrinking } define fill = 1 { first-order infinity } define fill = 2 { second-order infinity } define filll = 3 { third-order infinity } define fill = 3 { third-order infinity } { th
```

151. Here is a function that returns a pointer to a copy of a glue spec. The reference count in the copy is null, because there is assumed to be exactly one reference to the new specification.

```
function new\_spec(p:pointer): pointer; { duplicates a glue specification } var q: pointer; { the new spec } begin q \leftarrow get\_node(glue\_spec\_size); mem[q] \leftarrow mem[p]; glue\_ref\_count(q) \leftarrow null; width(q) \leftarrow width(p); stretch(q) \leftarrow stretch(p); shrink(q) \leftarrow shrink(p); new\_spec \leftarrow q; end;
```

**152.** And here's a function that creates a glue node for a given parameter identified by its code number; for example,  $new\_param\_glue(line\_skip\_code)$  returns a pointer to a glue node for the current \lineskip.

```
function new\_param\_glue(n:small\_number): pointer;
var p: pointer; { the new node }
q: pointer; { the glue specification }
begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow glue\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow n+1; leader\_ptr(p) \leftarrow null; q \leftarrow \langle \text{Current } mem \text{ equivalent of glue } parameter \text{ number } n \text{ 224} \rangle; glue\_ptr(p) \leftarrow q; incr(glue\_ref\_count(q)); new\_param\_glue \leftarrow p; end;
```

153. Glue nodes that are more or less anonymous are created by  $new\_glue$ , whose argument points to a glue specification.

```
function new\_glue(q:pointer): pointer; var p: pointer; { the new node } begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow glue\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow normal; leader\_ptr(p) \leftarrow null; glue\_ptr(p) \leftarrow q; incr(glue\_ref\_count(q)); new\_glue \leftarrow p; end;
```

**154.** Still another subroutine is needed: This one is sort of a combination of  $new\_param\_glue$  and  $new\_glue$ . It creates a glue node for one of the current glue parameters, but it makes a fresh copy of the glue specification, since that specification will probably be subject to change, while the parameter will stay put. The global variable  $temp\_ptr$  is set to the address of the new spec.

```
function new\_skip\_param(n:small\_number): pointer; var p: pointer; { the new node } begin temp\_ptr \leftarrow new\_spec(\langle Current \ mem \ equivalent \ of glue \ parameter \ number \ n \ 224 \rangle); p \leftarrow new\_glue(temp\_ptr); glue\_ref\_count(temp\_ptr) \leftarrow null; subtype(p) \leftarrow n+1; new\_skip\_param \leftarrow p; end;
```

155. A kern\_node has a width field to specify a (normally negative) amount of spacing. This spacing correction appears in horizontal lists between letters like A and V when the font designer said that it looks better to move them closer together or further apart. A kern node can also appear in a vertical list, when its 'width' denotes additional spacing in the vertical direction. The subtype is either normal (for kerns inserted from font information or math mode calculations) or explicit (for kerns inserted from \kern and \rangle commands) or acc\_kern (for kerns inserted from non-math accents) or mu\_glue (for kerns inserted from \mextrm methods).

```
define kern\_node = 11 \quad \{ type \text{ of a kern node} \}

define explicit = 1 \quad \{ subtype \text{ of kern nodes from \kern and \/ } \}

define acc\_kern = 2 \quad \{ subtype \text{ of kern nodes from accents } \}
```

**156.** The *new\_kern* function creates a kern node having a given width.

```
function new\_kern(w:scaled): pointer; var p: pointer; { the new node } begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow kern\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow normal; width(p) \leftarrow w; new\_kern \leftarrow p; end;
```

157. A penalty\_node specifies the penalty associated with line or page breaking, in its penalty field. This field is a fullword integer, but the full range of integer values is not used: Any penalty  $\geq 10000$  is treated as infinity, and no break will be allowed for such high values. Similarly, any penalty  $\leq -10000$  is treated as negative infinity, and a break will be forced.

```
define penalty\_node = 12  { type of a penalty node }

define inf\_penalty = inf\_bad { "infinite" penalty value }

define eject\_penalty = -inf\_penalty { "negatively infinite" penalty value }

define penalty(\#) \equiv mem[\#+1].int { the added cost of breaking a list here }
```

158. Anyone who has been reading the last few sections of the program will be able to guess what comes next.

```
function new\_penalty(m:integer): pointer;

var p: pointer; { the new node }

begin p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow penalty\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow 0;

{ the subtype is not used }

penalty(p) \leftarrow m; new\_penalty \leftarrow p;

end;
```

159. You might think that we have introduced enough node types by now. Well, almost, but there is one more: An  $unset\_node$  has nearly the same format as an  $hlist\_node$  or  $vlist\_node$ ; it is used for entries in \halign or \valign that are not yet in their final form, since the box dimensions are their "natural" sizes before any glue adjustment has been made. The  $glue\_set$  word is not present; instead, we have a  $glue\_stretch$  field, which contains the total stretch of order  $glue\_order$  that is present in the hlist or vlist being boxed. Similarly, the  $shift\_amount$  field is replaced by a  $glue\_shrink$  field, containing the total shrink of order  $glue\_sign$  that is present. The subtype field is called  $span\_count$ ; an unset box typically contains the data for  $qo(span\_count) + 1$  columns. Unset nodes will be changed to box nodes when alignment is completed.

```
define unset\_node = 13 \quad \{ type \text{ for an unset node } \}
define glue\_stretch(\#) \equiv mem[\# + glue\_offset].sc \quad \{ \text{ total stretch in an unset node } \}
define glue\_shrink \equiv shift\_amount \quad \{ \text{ total shrink in an unset node } \}
define span\_count \equiv subtype \quad \{ \text{ indicates the number of spanned columns } \}
```

- 160. In fact, there are still more types coming. When we get to math formula processing we will see that a  $style\_node$  has type = 14; and a number of larger type codes will also be defined, for use in math mode only.
- 161. Warning: If any changes are made to these data structure layouts, such as changing any of the node sizes or even reordering the words of nodes, the *copy\_node\_list* procedure and the memory initialization code below may have to be changed. Such potentially dangerous parts of the program are listed in the index under 'data structure assumptions'. However, other references to the nodes are made symbolically in terms of the WEB macro definitions above, so that format changes will leave TeX's other algorithms intact.

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162. Memory layout. Some areas of mem are dedicated to fixed usage, since static allocation is more efficient than dynamic allocation when we can get away with it. For example, locations mem\_bot to mem\_bot + 3 are always used to store the specification for glue that is '0pt plus 0pt minus 0pt'. The following macro definitions accomplish the static allocation by giving symbolic names to the fixed positions. Static variable-size nodes appear in locations mem\_bot through lo\_mem\_stat\_max, and static single-word nodes appear in locations hi\_mem\_stat\_min through mem\_top, inclusive. It is harmless to let lig\_trick and garbage share the same location of mem.

```
define zero\_glue \equiv mem\_bot { specification for Opt plus Opt minus Opt}
define fil\_glue \equiv zero\_glue + glue\_spec\_size { Opt plus 1fil minus Opt }
define fill\_glue \equiv fil\_glue + glue\_spec\_size { Opt plus 1fill minus Opt }
\mathbf{define} \ \mathit{ss\_glue} \equiv \mathit{fill\_glue} + \mathit{glue\_spec\_size} \quad \{ \texttt{Opt plus 1fil minus 1fil} \}
define fil\_neg\_glue \equiv ss\_glue + glue\_spec\_size { Opt plus -1fil minus Opt }
define lo\_mem\_stat\_max \equiv fil\_neg\_glue + glue\_spec\_size - 1
            { largest statically allocated word in the variable-size mem }
define page\_ins\_head \equiv mem\_top { list of insertion data for current page }
define contrib_head \equiv mem_top - 1 { vlist of items not yet on current page }
define page\_head \equiv mem\_top - 2 { vlist for current page }
define temp\_head \equiv mem\_top - 3 { head of a temporary list of some kind }
define hold\_head \equiv mem\_top - 4 { head of a temporary list of another kind }
define adjust\_head \equiv mem\_top - 5 { head of adjustment list returned by hpack }
define active \equiv mem\_top - 7 { head of active list in line\_break, needs two words }
define align\_head \equiv mem\_top - 8 { head of preamble list for alignments }
define end\_span \equiv mem\_top - 9 { tail of spanned-width lists }
define omit\_template \equiv mem\_top - 10  { a constant token list }
define null\_list \equiv mem\_top - 11 { permanently empty list }
define lig\_trick \equiv mem\_top - 12 { a ligature masquerading as a char\_node }
define garbage \equiv mem\_top - 12 { used for scrap information }
define backup\_head \equiv mem\_top - 13 { head of token list built by scan\_keyword }
define hi\_mem\_stat\_min \equiv mem\_top - 13 { smallest statically allocated word in the one-word mem }
define hi\_mem\_stat\_usage = 14 { the number of one-word nodes always present }
```

163. The following code gets mem off to a good start, when T<sub>F</sub>X is initializing itself the slow way.

```
\langle \text{Local variables for initialization } 19 \rangle + \equiv k: integer; { index into } mem, eqtb, etc.}
```

gubed

```
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle \equiv
  for k \leftarrow mem\_bot + 1 to lo\_mem\_stat\_max do mem[k].sc \leftarrow 0; {all glue dimensions are zeroed}
  k \leftarrow mem\_bot; while k \le lo\_mem\_stat\_max do { set first words of glue specifications }
     begin glue\_ref\_count(k) \leftarrow null + 1; stretch\_order(k) \leftarrow normal; shrink\_order(k) \leftarrow normal;
     k \leftarrow k + glue\_spec\_size;
     end:
  stretch(fil\_glue) \leftarrow unity; stretch\_order(fil\_glue) \leftarrow fil;
  stretch(fill\_glue) \leftarrow unity; stretch\_order(fill\_glue) \leftarrow fill;
  stretch(ss\_glue) \leftarrow unity; stretch\_order(ss\_glue) \leftarrow fil;
  shrink(ss\_glue) \leftarrow unity; shrink\_order(ss\_glue) \leftarrow fil;
  stretch(fil\_neg\_glue) \leftarrow -unity; stretch\_order(fil\_neg\_glue) \leftarrow fil;
  rover \leftarrow lo\_mem\_stat\_max + 1; link(rover) \leftarrow empty\_flag;  { now initialize the dynamic memory }
  node\_size(rover) \leftarrow 1000; { which is a 1000-word available node }
  llink(rover) \leftarrow rover; \ rlink(rover) \leftarrow rover;
  lo\_mem\_max \leftarrow rover + 1000; \ link(lo\_mem\_max) \leftarrow null; \ info(lo\_mem\_max) \leftarrow null;
  for k \leftarrow hi\_mem\_stat\_min to mem\_top do mem[k] \leftarrow mem[lo\_mem\_max]; {clear list heads}
  (Initialize the special list heads and constant nodes 790):
  avail \leftarrow null; mem\_end \leftarrow mem\_top; hi\_mem\_min \leftarrow hi\_mem\_stat\_min;
       { initialize the one-word memory }
  var\_used \leftarrow lo\_mem\_stat\_max + 1 - mem\_bot; dyn\_used \leftarrow hi\_mem\_stat\_usage;  { initialize statistics }
See also sections 222, 228, 232, 240, 250, 258, 552, 946, 951, 1216, 1301, and 1369.
This code is used in section 8.
165. If T<sub>F</sub>X is extended improperly, the mem array might get screwed up. For example, some pointers
might be wrong, or some "dead" nodes might not have been freed when the last reference to them disappeared.
Procedures check_mem and search_mem are available to help diagnose such problems. These procedures
make use of two arrays called free and was_free that are present only if TFX's debugging routines have been
included. (You may want to decrease the size of mem while you are debugging.)
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
  debug free: packed array [mem_min .. mem_max] of boolean; { free cells }
  was_free: packed array [mem_min .. mem_max] of boolean; { previously free cells }
  was_mem_end, was_lo_max, was_hi_min: pointer; { previous mem_end, lo_mem_max, and hi_mem_min }
  panicking: boolean; { do we want to check memory constantly? }
  gubed
166. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  debug was\_mem\_end \leftarrow mem\_min; {indicate that everything was previously free }
  was\_lo\_max \leftarrow mem\_min; \ was\_hi\_min \leftarrow mem\_max; \ panicking \leftarrow false;
```

**167.** Procedure *check\_mem* makes sure that the available space lists of *mem* are well formed, and it optionally prints out all locations that are reserved now but were free the last time this procedure was called.

```
debug procedure check_mem(print_locs : boolean);
  label done1, done2; { loop exits }
  var p, q: pointer; \{current locations of interest in mem \}
     clobbered: boolean; { is something amiss? }
  begin for p \leftarrow mem\_min to lo\_mem\_max do free[p] \leftarrow false; { you can probably do this faster }
  for p \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do free[p] \leftarrow false; { ditto}
   \langle Check single-word avail list 168\rangle;
   \langle \text{ Check variable-size } avail \text{ list } 169 \rangle;
   \langle \text{ Check flags of unavailable nodes } 170 \rangle;
  if print_locs then \( \text{Print newly busy locations 171} \);
  for p \leftarrow mem\_min to lo\_mem\_max do was\_free[p] \leftarrow free[p];
  for p \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do was\_free[p] \leftarrow free[p]; { was\_free \leftarrow free might be faster}
  was\_mem\_end \leftarrow mem\_end; was\_lo\_max \leftarrow lo\_mem\_max; was\_hi\_min \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min;
  end:
  gubed
168. \langle Check single-word avail list 168 \rangle \equiv
  p \leftarrow avail; \ q \leftarrow null; \ clobbered \leftarrow false;
  while p \neq null do
     begin if (p > mem\_end) \lor (p < hi\_mem\_min) then clobbered \leftarrow true
     else if free[p] then clobbered \leftarrow true;
     if clobbered then
        begin print_nl("AVAIL_list_clobbered_at_"); print_int(q); goto done1;
     free[p] \leftarrow true; \ q \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow link(q);
     end:
done1:
This code is used in section 167.
169. \langle Check variable-size avail list 169\rangle \equiv
  p \leftarrow rover; \ q \leftarrow null; \ clobbered \leftarrow false;
  repeat if (p \ge lo\_mem\_max) \lor (p < mem\_min) then clobbered \leftarrow true
     else if (rlink(p) \ge lo\_mem\_max) \lor (rlink(p) < mem\_min) then clobbered \leftarrow true
        else if \neg (is\_empty(p)) \lor (node\_size(p) < 2) \lor (p + node\_size(p) > lo\_mem\_max) \lor
                   (llink(rlink(p)) \neq p) then clobbered \leftarrow true;
     if clobbered then
        begin print_nl("Double-AVAIL_list_clobbered_at_"); print_int(q); goto done2;
        end;
     for q \leftarrow p to p + node\_size(p) - 1 do { mark all locations free }
        begin if free[q] then
           begin print_nl("Doubly_free_location_at_"); print_int(q); goto done2;
           end:
        free[q] \leftarrow true;
        end:
     q \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow rlink(p);
  until p = rover;
This code is used in section 167.
```

```
\langle Check flags of unavailable nodes 170\rangle \equiv
  p \leftarrow mem\_min;
  while p \leq lo\_mem\_max do { node p should not be empty }
     begin if is\_empty(p) then
        begin print_{-}nl("Bad_{\sqcup}flag_{\sqcup}at_{\sqcup}"); print_{-}int(p);
     while (p \leq lo\_mem\_max) \land \neg free[p] do incr(p);
     while (p \le lo\_mem\_max) \land free[p] do incr(p);
This code is used in section 167.
171. \langle \text{ Print newly busy locations } 171 \rangle \equiv
  begin print_{-}nl("New_{\sqcup}busy_{\sqcup}locs:");
  for p \leftarrow mem\_min \text{ to } lo\_mem\_max \text{ do}
     if \neg free[p] \land ((p > was\_lo\_max) \lor was\_free[p]) then
        begin print\_char("_{\sqcup}"); print\_int(p);
        end:
  for p \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do
     if \neg free[p] \land ((p < was\_hi\_min) \lor (p > was\_mem\_end) \lor was\_free[p]) then
        begin print\_char(" " "); print\_int(p);
        end;
  end
This code is used in section 167.
```

172. The  $search\_mem$  procedure attempts to answer the question "Who points to node p?" In doing so, it fetches link and info fields of mem that might not be of type  $two\_halves$ . Strictly speaking, this is undefined in Pascal, and it can lead to "false drops" (words that seem to point to p purely by coincidence). But for debugging purposes, we want to rule out the places that do not point to p, so a few false drops are tolerable.

```
debug procedure search\_mem(p:pointer); \{look for pointers to <math>p\}
var q: integer; { current position being searched }
begin for q \leftarrow mem\_min to lo\_mem\_max do
  begin if link(q) = p then
     begin print_nl("LINK("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
     end:
  if info(q) = p then
     begin print_nl("INFO("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
     end;
  end:
for q \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do
  begin if link(q) = p then
     begin print_nl("LINK("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
  if info(q) = p then
     begin print_nl("INFO("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
     end:
  end:
\langle \text{ Search } eqtb \text{ for equivalents equal to } p \text{ 255} \rangle;
\langle \text{ Search } save\_stack \text{ for equivalents that point to } p 285 \rangle;
\langle \text{ Search } hyph\_list \text{ for pointers to } p \text{ 933} \rangle;
end;
gubed
```

173. Displaying boxes. We can reinforce our knowledge of the data structures just introduced by considering two procedures that display a list in symbolic form. The first of these, called *short\_display*, is used in "overfull box" messages to give the top-level description of a list. The other one, called *show\_node\_list*, prints a detailed description of exactly what is in the data structure.

The philosophy of *short\_display* is to ignore the fine points about exactly what is inside boxes, except that ligatures and discretionary breaks are expanded. As a result, *short\_display* is a recursive procedure, but the recursion is never more than one level deep.

A global variable *font\_in\_short\_display* keeps track of the font code that is assumed to be present when *short\_display* begins; deviations from this font will be printed.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv font_in_short_display: integer; \{ an internal font number \}
```

174. Boxes, rules, inserts, whatsits, marks, and things in general that are sort of "complicated" are indicated only by printing '[]'.

```
procedure short\_display(p:integer); \{ prints highlights of list <math>p \}
  var n: integer; { for replacement counts }
  begin while p > mem_{-}min do
     begin if is\_char\_node(p) then
       begin if p \leq mem\_end then
          begin if font(p) \neq font\_in\_short\_display then
            begin if (font(p) < font\_base) \lor (font(p) > font\_max) then print\_char("*")
            else \langle Print \text{ the font identifier for } font(p) | 267 \rangle;
            print\_char("_{\sqcup}"); font\_in\_short\_display \leftarrow font(p);
          print\_ASCII(qo(character(p)));
          end;
       end
     else \langle Print a short indication of the contents of node p 175\rangle;
     p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
  end;
175. (Print a short indication of the contents of node p 175) \equiv
  case type(p) of
  hlist_node, vlist_node, ins_node, whatsit_node, mark_node, adjust_node, unset_node: print("[]");
  rule_node: print_char("|");
  glue\_node: if glue\_ptr(p) \neq zero\_glue then print\_char("");
  math_node: print_char("$");
  ligature\_node: short\_display(lig\_ptr(p));
  disc\_node: begin short\_display(pre\_break(p)); short\_display(post\_break(p));
     n \leftarrow replace\_count(p);
     while n > 0 do
       begin if link(p) \neq null then p \leftarrow link(p);
       decr(n);
       end;
    end;
  othercases do_nothing
  endcases
```

This code is used in section 174.

The show\_node\_list routine requires some auxiliary subroutines: one to print a font-and-character combination, one to print a token list without its reference count, and one to print a rule dimension. **procedure** *print\_font\_and\_char(p:integer)*; { prints *char\_node* data } **begin if**  $p > mem\_end$  **then**  $print\_esc("CLOBBERED.")$ else begin if  $(font(p) < font\_base) \lor (font(p) > font\_max)$  then  $print\_char("*")$ else  $\langle Print \text{ the font identifier for } font(p) | 267 \rangle$ ;  $print\_char(" " "); print\_ASCII(qo(character(p)));$ end; end; **procedure**  $print\_mark(p:integer);$  { prints token list data in braces } **begin** print\_char("{"); if  $(p < hi\_mem\_min) \lor (p > mem\_end)$  then  $print\_esc("CLOBBERED.")$ else  $show\_token\_list(link(p), null, max\_print\_line - 10);$ print\_char("}"); end; **procedure**  $print\_rule\_dimen(d : scaled);$  { prints dimension in rule node } **begin if** *is\_running*(*d*) **then** *print\_char*("\*") **else**  $print\_scaled(d)$ ; end; Then there is a subroutine that prints glue stretch and shrink, possibly followed by the name of finite units: **procedure**  $print\_glue(d:scaled; order:integer; s:str_number); { prints a glue component }$ **begin**  $print\_scaled(d)$ ; if (order < normal) \( \) (order > filll) then print("foul") else if order > normal then begin print("fil"); while order > fil do **begin** print\_char("1"); decr(order); end: end else if  $s \neq 0$  then print(s); end: 178. The next subroutine prints a whole glue specification. **procedure** print\_spec(p:integer; s:str\_number); { prints a glue specification } **begin if**  $(p < mem\_min) \lor (p \ge lo\_mem\_max)$  **then**  $print\_char("*")$  $\mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{print\_scaled} \ (\mathit{width} \ (p));$ if  $s \neq 0$  then print(s); if  $stretch(p) \neq 0$  then **begin**  $print("\_plus\_"); print\_glue(stretch(p), stretch\_order(p), s);$ end; if  $shrink(p) \neq 0$  then **begin**  $print("\_minus\_"); print\_glue(shrink(p), shrink\_order(p), s);$ end; end: end;

179. We also need to declare some procedures that appear later in this documentation.

```
\langle Declare procedures needed for displaying the elements of mlists 691 \rangle \langle Declare the procedure called print\_skip\_param 225 \rangle
```

180. Since boxes can be inside of boxes,  $show\_node\_list$  is inherently recursive, up to a given maximum number of levels. The history of nesting is indicated by the current string, which will be printed at the beginning of each line; the length of this string, namely  $cur\_length$ , is the depth of nesting.

Recursive calls on *show\_node\_list* therefore use the following pattern:

```
define node_list_display(#) =
    begin append_char("."); show_node_list(#); flush_char;
    end { str_room need not be checked; see show_box below }
```

181. A global variable called  $depth\_threshold$  is used to record the maximum depth of nesting for which  $show\_node\_list$  will show information. If we have  $depth\_threshold = 0$ , for example, only the top level information will be given and no sublists will be traversed. Another global variable, called  $breadth\_max$ , tells the maximum number of items to show at each level;  $breadth\_max$  had better be positive, or you won't see anything.

```
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv \\ depth\_threshold: integer; { maximum nesting depth in box displays } \\ breadth\_max: integer; { maximum number of items shown at the same list level }
```

182. Now we are ready for  $show\_node\_list$  itself. This procedure has been written to be "extra robust" in the sense that it should not crash or get into a loop even if the data structures have been messed up by bugs in the rest of the program. You can safely call its parent routine  $show\_box(p)$  for arbitrary values of p when you are debugging TEX. However, in the presence of bad data, the procedure may fetch a  $memory\_word$  whose variant is different from the way it was stored; for example, it might try to read mem[p].hh when mem[p] contains a scaled integer, if p is a pointer that has been clobbered or chosen at random.

```
procedure show\_node\_list(p:integer); { prints a node list symbolically }
  label exit:
  var n: integer; { the number of items already printed at this level }
     g: real; { a glue ratio, as a floating point number }
  begin if cur\_length > depth\_threshold then
     begin if p > null then print("u[]"); {indicate that there's been some truncation}
    return;
     end;
  n \leftarrow 0:
  while p > mem_{-}min do
     begin print_ln; print_current_string; { display the nesting history }
     if p > mem_{-}end then { pointer out of range }
       begin print("Bad<sub>□</sub>link, □display<sub>□</sub>aborted."); return;
       end;
    incr(n);
     if n > breadth_max then { time to stop }
       begin print("etc."); return;
       end:
     \langle \text{ Display node } p \text{ 183} \rangle;
     p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
exit: end;
```

```
183.
        \langle \text{ Display node } p | 183 \rangle \equiv
  if is\_char\_node(p) then print\_font\_and\_char(p)
  else case type(p) of
     hlist\_node, vlist\_node, unset\_node: \langle Display box p 184 \rangle;
     rule\_node: \langle Display rule p 187 \rangle;
     ins\_node: \langle Display insertion p 188 \rangle;
     whatsit_node: \langle \text{Display the whatsit node } p \text{ 1356} \rangle;
     glue\_node: \langle Display glue p 189 \rangle;
     kern\_node: \langle Display kern p 191 \rangle;
     math\_node: \langle Display math node p 192 \rangle;
     ligature\_node: \langle Display ligature p 193 \rangle;
     penalty\_node: \langle Display penalty p 194 \rangle;
     disc\_node: \langle Display discretionary p 195 \rangle;
     mark\_node: \langle Display mark p 196 \rangle;
     adjust\_node: \langle Display adjustment p 197 \rangle;
     (Cases of show_node_list that arise in mlists only 690)
     othercases print("Unknown_node_type!")
     endcases
This code is used in section 182.
184. \langle \text{ Display box } p \text{ 184} \rangle \equiv
  begin if type(p) = hlist\_node then print\_esc("h")
  else if type(p) = vlist\_node then print\_esc("v")
     else print_esc("unset");
  print("box("); print\_scaled(height(p)); print\_char("+"); print\_scaled(depth(p)); print(")x");
  print\_scaled(width(p));
  if type(p) = unset\_node then \langle Display special fields of the unset node p 185 <math>\rangle
  else begin \langle Display \text{ the value of } glue\_set(p) \ 186 \rangle;
     if shift\_amount(p) \neq 0 then
        begin print(", \_shifted_{\bot}"); print\_scaled(shift\_amount(p));
     end:
  node\_list\_display(list\_ptr(p)); { recursive call }
  end
This code is used in section 183.
185. Oscillation (Display special fields of the unset node p 185) \equiv
  begin if span\_count(p) \neq min\_quarterword then
     begin print(" \sqcup ("); print_int(qo(span_count(p)) + 1); print(" \sqcup columns)");
     end;
  if glue\_stretch(p) \neq 0 then
     begin print(", \_stretch\_"); print\_glue(glue\_stretch(p), glue\_order(p), 0);
     end;
  if glue\_shrink(p) \neq 0 then
     begin print(", \_shrink_{\bot}"); print\_glue(glue\_shrink(p), glue\_sign(p), 0);
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 184.
```

186. The code will have to change in this place if *glue\_ratio* is a structured type instead of an ordinary *real*. Note that this routine should avoid arithmetic errors even if the *glue\_set* field holds an arbitrary random value. The following code assumes that a properly formed nonzero *real* number has absolute value 2<sup>20</sup> or more when it is regarded as an integer; this precaution was adequate to prevent floating point underflow on the author's computer.

```
\langle \text{ Display the value of } glue\_set(p) \ 186 \rangle \equiv
  g \leftarrow float(glue\_set(p));
  if (g \neq float\_constant(0)) \land (glue\_sign(p) \neq normal) then
     begin print(", uglueusetu");
     if glue\_sign(p) = shrinking then <math>print("-\_");
     if abs(mem[p + glue\_offset].int) < 4000000 then print("?.?")
     else if abs(g) > float\_constant(20000) then
          begin if g > float\_constant(0) then print\_char(">")
          else print("<<sub>□</sub>-");
          print\_glue(20000 * unity, glue\_order(p), 0);
       else print\_glue(round(unity * g), glue\_order(p), 0);
     end
This code is used in section 184.
187. \langle \text{ Display rule } p | 187 \rangle \equiv
  begin print_esc("rule("); print_rule_dimen(height(p)); print_char("+"); print_rule_dimen(depth(p));
  print(")x"); print_rule_dimen(width(p));
  end
This code is used in section 183.
188. \langle \text{ Display insertion } p | 188 \rangle \equiv
  begin print_esc("insert"); print_int(qo(subtype(p))); print(",_natural_size_");
  print_scaled(height(p)); print("; usplit("); print_spec(split_top_ptr(p), 0); print_char(",");
  print\_scaled(depth(p)); print("); \_float\_cost\_"); print\_int(float\_cost(p)); node\_list\_display(ins\_ptr(p));
       { recursive call }
  end
This code is used in section 183.
       \langle \text{ Display glue } p | 189 \rangle \equiv
  if subtype(p) \ge a\_leaders then \langle Display leaders p 190 \rangle
  else begin print_esc("glue");
     if subtype(p) \neq normal then
       begin print_char("(");
       if subtype(p) < cond\_math\_glue then print\_skip\_param(subtype(p) - 1)
       else if subtype(p) = cond_math_glue then print_esc("nonscript")
          else print_esc("mskip");
       print_char(")");
       end:
     if subtype(p) \neq cond\_math\_glue then
       begin print\_char("_{\sqcup}");
       if subtype(p) < cond\_math\_glue then print\_spec(glue\_ptr(p), 0)
       else print\_spec(glue\_ptr(p), "mu");
       end;
     end
This code is used in section 183.
```

```
190. \langle \text{ Display leaders } p | 190 \rangle \equiv
  begin print_{-}esc("");
  if subtype(p) = c\_leaders then print\_char("c")
  else if subtype(p) = x\_leaders then print\_char("x");
  print("leaders_{\perp}"); print\_spec(glue\_ptr(p), 0); node\_list\_display(leader\_ptr(p)); { recursive call }
  end
This code is used in section 189.
191. An "explicit" kern value is indicated implicitly by an explicit space.
\langle \text{ Display kern } p | 191 \rangle \equiv
  if subtype(p) \neq mu\_glue then
     begin print_esc("kern");
     if subtype(p) \neq normal then print\_char("_{\sqcup}");
     print\_scaled(width(p));
     if subtype(p) = acc\_kern then print(" (for accent)");
  else begin print_esc("mkern"); print_scaled(width(p)); print("mu");
     end
This code is used in section 183.
192. \langle \text{ Display math node } p \text{ 192} \rangle \equiv
  begin print_esc("math");
  if subtype(p) = before then print("on")
  else print("off");
  if width(p) \neq 0 then
     begin print(", \_surrounded_{\bot}"); print\_scaled(width(p));
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 183.
193. \langle \text{ Display ligature } p \text{ 193} \rangle \equiv
  begin print_font_and_char(lig_char(p)); print("□(ligature□");
  if subtype(p) > 1 then print\_char("|");
  font\_in\_short\_display \leftarrow font(lig\_char(p)); short\_display(lig\_ptr(p));
  if odd(subtype(p)) then print_char("|");
  print_char(")");
  end
This code is used in section 183.
194. \langle \text{ Display penalty } p \text{ 194} \rangle \equiv
  begin print\_esc("penalty_{\sqcup}"); print\_int(penalty(p));
This code is used in section 183.
```

end;

195. The post\_break list of a discretionary node is indicated by a prefixed '|' instead of the '.' before the pre\_break list.  $\langle \text{ Display discretionary } p \text{ 195} \rangle \equiv$ begin print\_esc("discretionary"); if  $replace\_count(p) > 0$  then **begin**  $print("\_replacing\_"); print\_int(replace\_count(p));$  $node\_list\_display(pre\_break(p));$  { recursive call } append\_char("|"); show\_node\_list(post\_break(p)); flush\_char; { recursive call } end This code is used in section 183. **196.**  $\langle \text{ Display mark } p \text{ 196} \rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $print\_esc("mark"); print\_mark(mark\_ptr(p));$ end This code is used in section 183. **197.**  $\langle \text{ Display adjustment } p | 197 \rangle \equiv$ **begin** print\_esc("vadjust"); node\_list\_display(adjust\_ptr(p)); { recursive call } endThis code is used in section 183. The recursive machinery is started by calling *show\_box*. **procedure**  $show\_box(p:pointer);$  $\textbf{begin} \ \langle \ \text{Assign the values} \ \textit{depth\_threshold} \leftarrow \textit{show\_box\_depth} \ \text{ and } \ \textit{breadth\_max} \leftarrow \textit{show\_box\_breadth} \ \ 236 \ \rangle;$ if  $breadth\_max \leq 0$  then  $breadth\_max \leftarrow 5$ ; if  $pool\_ptr + depth\_threshold \ge pool\_size$  then  $depth\_threshold \leftarrow pool\_size - pool\_ptr - 1$ ; { now there's enough room for prefix string }  $show\_node\_list(p);$  { the show starts at p }  $print_ln$ ;

199. Destroying boxes. When we are done with a node list, we are obliged to return it to free storage, including all of its sublists. The recursive procedure *flush\_node\_list* does this for us.

**200.** First, however, we shall consider two non-recursive procedures that do simpler tasks. The first of these,  $delete\_token\_ref$ , is called when a pointer to a token list's reference count is being removed. This means that the token list should disappear if the reference count was null, otherwise the count should be decreased by one.

**202.** Now we are ready to delete any node list, recursively. In practice, the nodes deleted are usually charnodes (about 2/3 of the time), and they are glue nodes in about half of the remaining cases.

```
procedure flush\_node\_list(p:pointer); { erase list of nodes starting at p }
  label done; { go here when node p has been freed }
  var q: pointer; { successor to node p }
  begin while p \neq null do
     begin q \leftarrow link(p);
     if is\_char\_node(p) then free\_avail(p)
     else begin case type(p) of
       hlist\_node, vlist\_node, unset\_node: begin flush\_node\_list(list\_ptr(p)); free\_node(p, box\_node\_size);
          goto done;
          end;
       rule_node: begin free_node(p, rule_node_size); goto done;
          end:
       ins\_node: begin flush\_node\_list(ins\_ptr(p)); delete\_glue\_ref(split\_top\_ptr(p));
          free\_node(p, ins\_node\_size); goto done;
       whatsit_node: \langle \text{Wipe out the whatsit node } p \text{ and } \mathbf{goto} \text{ done } 1358 \rangle;
       glue\_node: begin fast\_delete\_glue\_ref(glue\_ptr(p));
          if leader\_ptr(p) \neq null then flush\_node\_list(leader\_ptr(p));
          end;
       kern\_node, math\_node, penalty\_node: \ do\_nothing;
       ligature\_node: flush\_node\_list(lig\_ptr(p));
       mark\_node: delete\_token\_ref(mark\_ptr(p));
       disc\_node: begin flush\_node\_list(pre\_break(p)); flush\_node\_list(post\_break(p));
          end;
       adjust\_node: flush\_node\_list(adjust\_ptr(p));
       (Cases of flush_node_list that arise in mlists only 698)
       othercases confusion("flushing")
       endcases;
       free\_node(p, small\_node\_size);
     done: \mathbf{end};
     p \leftarrow q;
     end;
  end;
```

This code is used in section 204.

**Copying boxes.** Another recursive operation that acts on boxes is sometimes needed: The procedure copy\_node\_list returns a pointer to another node list that has the same structure and meaning as the original. Note that since glue specifications and token lists have reference counts, we need not make copies of them. Reference counts can never get too large to fit in a halfword, since each pointer to a node is in a different memory address, and the total number of memory addresses fits in a halfword.

(Well, there actually are also references from outside mem; if the save\_stack is made arbitrarily large, it would theoretically be possible to break TFX by overflowing a reference count. But who would want to do that?)

```
define add\_token\_ref(\#) \equiv incr(token\_ref\_count(\#)) { new reference to a token list }
define add\_glue\_ref(\#) \equiv incr(glue\_ref\_count(\#)) { new reference to a glue spec }
```

The copying procedure copies words en masse without bothering to look at their individual fields. If the node format changes—for example, if the size is altered, or if some link field is moved to another relative position—then this code may need to be changed too.

```
function copy\_node\_list(p:pointer): pointer;
          { makes a duplicate of the node list that starts at p and returns a pointer to the new list }
  var h: pointer; { temporary head of copied list }
     q: pointer; { previous position in new list }
     r: pointer; { current node being fabricated for new list }
     words: 0..5; { number of words remaining to be copied }
  begin h \leftarrow qet\_avail; \ q \leftarrow h;
  while p \neq null do
     begin \langle Make a copy of node p in node r 205\rangle;
     link(q) \leftarrow r; \ q \leftarrow r; \ p \leftarrow link(p);
  link(q) \leftarrow null; \ q \leftarrow link(h); \ free\_avail(h); \ copy\_node\_list \leftarrow q;
  end;
205. \langle Make a copy of node p in node r 205\rangle \equiv
  words \leftarrow 1; { this setting occurs in more branches than any other }
  if is\_char\_node(p) then r \leftarrow get\_avail
  else (Case statement to copy different types and set words to the number of initial words not yet
          copied 206);
  while words > 0 do
     begin decr(words); mem[r + words] \leftarrow mem[p + words];
```

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```
206.
        \langle Case statement to copy different types and set words to the number of initial words not yet
        copied 206 \rangle \equiv
  case type(p) of
  hlist\_node, vlist\_node, unset\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(box\_node\_size); mem[r+6] \leftarrow mem[p+6];
     mem[r+5] \leftarrow mem[p+5]; \{ copy the last two words \}
     list_ptr(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(list_ptr(p));  { this affects mem[r+5] }
     words \leftarrow 5:
     end;
  rule\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(rule\_node\_size); words \leftarrow rule\_node\_size;
     end:
  ins\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(ins\_node\_size); mem[r+4] \leftarrow mem[p+4]; add\_glue\_ref(split\_top\_ptr(p));
     ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(ins\_ptr(p));  { this affects mem[r+4] }
     words \leftarrow ins\_node\_size - 1;
     end:
  whatsit_node: \langle Make \text{ a partial copy of the whatsit node } p \text{ and make } r \text{ point to it; set } words \text{ to the}
           number of initial words not yet copied 1357);
  qlue\_node: begin r \leftarrow qet\_node(small\_node\_size); add\_qlue\_ref(qlue\_ptr(p)); qlue\_ptr(r) \leftarrow qlue\_ptr(p);
     leader\_ptr(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(leader\_ptr(p));
     end:
  kern\_node, math\_node, penalty\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); words \leftarrow small\_node\_size;
  ligature\_node: \mathbf{begin} \ r \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); \ mem[lig\_char(r)] \leftarrow mem[lig\_char(p)];
           { copy font and character }
     lig\_ptr(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(lig\_ptr(p));
     end;
  disc\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); pre\_break(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(pre\_break(p));
     post\_break(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(post\_break(p));
  mark\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); add\_token\_ref(mark\_ptr(p));
     words \leftarrow small\_node\_size;
     end:
  adjust\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); adjust\_ptr(r) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(adjust\_ptr(p));
     end; \{ words = 1 = small\_node\_size - 1 \}
  othercases confusion("copying")
  endcases
This code is used in section 205.
```

**207.** The command codes. Before we can go any further, we need to define symbolic names for the internal code numbers that represent the various commands obeyed by TEX. These codes are somewhat arbitrary, but not completely so. For example, the command codes for character types are fixed by the language, since a user says, e.g., '\catcode `\\$ = 3' to make \$ a math delimiter, and the command code math\_shift is equal to 3. Some other codes have been made adjacent so that **case** statements in the program need not consider cases that are widely spaced, or so that **case** statements can be replaced by **if** statements.

At any rate, here is the list, for future reference. First come the "catcode" commands, several of which share their numeric codes with ordinary commands when the catcode cannot emerge from TEX's scanning routine.

```
define escape = 0 { escape delimiter (called \ in The T_EXbook) }
define relax = 0 { do nothing ( \relax ) }
define left\_brace = 1 { beginning of a group ( { ) }
\label{eq:define_right_brace} \textbf{define} \ right\_brace = 2 \quad \{ \, \text{ending of a group ( } \} \, ) \, \}
define math\_shift = 3 { mathematics shift character ( $ ) }
define tab\_mark = 4 { alignment delimiter ( &, \span ) }
define car\_ret = 5 { end of line ( carriage\_return, \cr, \crcr)}
define out\_param = 5 { output a macro parameter }
\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{mac-param} = 6 \quad \big\{\, \mathrm{macro}\ \mathrm{parameter}\ \mathrm{symbol}\ (\ \pmb{\#}\ )\, \big\}
define sup\_mark = 7 { superscript ( ^ ) } define sub\_mark = 8 { subscript ( _ ) }
define ignore = 9 \quad \{ \text{ characters to ignore } ( \hat{ } ) \}
\mathbf{define} \ endv = 9 \quad \big\{ \ \mathrm{end} \ \mathrm{of} \ \langle v_j \rangle \ \mathrm{list} \ \mathrm{in} \ \mathrm{alignment} \ \mathrm{template} \, \big\}
define spacer = 10 { characters equivalent to blank space ( \Box ) }
define letter = 11 { characters regarded as letters ( A..Z, a..z ) }
define other\_char = 12 { none of the special character types }
define active\_char = 13 { characters that invoke macros (^{\sim})}
define par\_end = 13 \quad \{ \text{ end of paragraph } ( \text{par }) \}
define match = 13 { match a macro parameter }
\mathbf{define}\ comment = 14 \quad \{\, \mathrm{characters}\ \mathrm{that}\ \mathrm{introduce}\ \mathrm{comments}\ (\ \%\ )\, \}
define end_{-}match = 14  { end of parameters to macro }
define stop = 14 \quad \{ \text{ end of job ( } \backslash \text{dump ) } \}
define invalid_char = 15 { characters that shouldn't appear ( ^^? ) }
define delim_num = 15 { specify delimiter numerically ( \delimiter ) }
define max\_char\_code = 15 { largest catcode for individual characters }
```

**208.** Next are the ordinary run-of-the-mill command codes. Codes that are *min\_internal* or more represent internal quantities that might be expanded by '\the'.

```
define char_num = 16 { character specified numerically ( \char ) }
define math\_char\_num = 17  { explicit math code ( \mathchar ) }
define mark = 18 \quad \{ \text{ mark definition } ( \text{ mark } ) \}
define xray = 19 { peek inside of TEX ( \show, \showbox, etc. ) }
define make\_box = 20 { make a box ( \box, \copy, \hbox, etc. ) }
define hmove = 21 { horizontal motion ( \moveleft, \moveright ) }
define vmove = 22 { vertical motion ( \raise, \lower ) }
\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{un\_hbox} = 23 \quad \{ \ \mathrm{unglue}\ \mathrm{a}\ \mathrm{box}\ (\ \mathtt{\nhbox},\ \mathtt{\nhcopy}\ ) \ \}
define un\_vbox = 24 { unglue a box ( \unvbox, \unvcopy ) }
define remove_item = 25 { nullify last item ( \unpenalty, \unkern, \unskip ) }
define hskip = 26 { horizontal glue ( \hskip, \hfil, etc. ) }
define vskip = 27 { vertical glue ( \vskip, \vfil, etc. ) }
define mskip = 28 { math glue (\mskip)}
define kern = 29 { fixed space ( \kern ) }
define mkern = 30 \quad \{ \text{ math kern } ( \text{ \mbox{\sc mkern}} ) \}
define leader\_ship = 31  { use a box ( \shipout, \leaders, etc. ) }
define halign = 32 { horizontal table alignment ( \halign ) }
define valign = 33 { vertical table alignment ( \valign ) }
define no\_align = 34 { temporary escape from alignment ( \noalign ) }
define vrule = 35 { vertical rule ( \vrule ) }
 \begin{array}{ll} \textbf{define} \ \mathit{hrule} = 36 & \big\{ \text{horizontal rule ( \hrule )} \big\} \\ \textbf{define} \ \mathit{insert} = 37 & \big\{ \text{vlist inserted in box ( \hrule )} \big\} \\ \end{array} 
define vadjust = 38 { vlist inserted in enclosing paragraph ( \vadjust ) }
define ignore\_spaces = 39 { gobble spacer tokens ( \ignorespaces ) }
define after\_assignment = 40 { save till assignment is done ( \afterassignment ) }
define after\_group = 41  { save till group is done ( \aftergroup ) }
define break_penalty = 42 { additional badness ( \penalty ) }
define start_par = 43 \quad \{ \text{begin paragraph ( \indent, \noindent ) } \}
define ital\_corr = 44 {italic correction (\/)}
define accent = 45  { attach accent in text (\accent)}
define math\_accent = 46  { attach accent in math ( \mathaccent ) }
define discretionary = 47 { discretionary texts ( \-, \discretionary ) }
define eq\_no = 48 { equation number ( \eqno, \leqno ) }
define left_right = 49 { variable delimiter ( \left, \right ) }
define math\_comp = 50 { component of formula ( \mathbin, etc. ) }
define limit_switch = 51 { diddle limit conventions ( \displaylimits, etc. ) }
define above = 52 { generalized fraction (\above, \atop, etc.)}
define math\_style = 53 { style specification ( \displaystyle, etc. ) }
define math\_choice = 54 { choice specification ( \mathchoice ) }
define non-script = 55 { conditional math glue ( \nonscript ) }
define vcenter = 56 { vertically center a vbox (\vcenter)}
define case\_shift = 57 { force specific case ( \lowercase, \uppercase ) }
define message = 58 { send to user ( \message, \errmessage ) }
define extension = 59 { extensions to T_{EX} ( \write, \special, etc. ) }
define in\_stream = 60 { files for reading ( \openin, \closein ) }
define begin_group = 61 { begin local grouping ( \begingroup ) }
define end\_group = 62 { end local grouping ( \endgroup ) }
define omit = 63 { omit alignment template ( \omit ) }
define ex\_space = 64  { explicit space ( \_ ) }
define no_boundary = 65 { suppress boundary ligatures ( \noboundary ) }
```

```
define radical = 66 { square root and similar signs ( \radical ) }
define end_cs_name = 67 { end control sequence ( \endcsname ) }
define min_internal = 68 { the smallest code that can follow \the }
define char_given = 68 { character code defined by \chardef }
define math_given = 69 { math code defined by \mathchardef }
define last_item = 70 { most recent item ( \lastpenalty, \lastkern, \lastkip ) }
define max_non_prefixed_command = 70 { largest command code that can't be \global }
```

**209.** The next codes are special; they all relate to mode-independent assignment of values to TEX's internal registers or tables. Codes that are *max\_internal* or less represent internal quantities that might be expanded by '\the'.

```
define toks_register = 71 { token list register ( \toks ) }
define assign\_toks = 72 { special token list ( \output, \everypar, etc. ) }
define assign\_int = 73  { user-defined integer ( \tolerance, \day, etc. ) }
define assign_dimen = 74 { user-defined length ( \hsize, etc. ) }
define assign_glue = 75 { user-defined glue ( \baselineskip, etc. ) }
define assign_mu_qlue = 76 { user-defined muglue ( \thinmuskip, etc. ) }
define assign_font_dimen = 77 { user-defined font dimension (\fontdimen)}
define assign_font_int = 78 { user-defined font integer ( \hyphenchar, \skewchar ) }
define set\_aux = 79 { specify state info (\spacefactor, \prevdepth)}
define set\_prev\_graf = 80  { specify state info ( \prevgraf ) }
define set\_page\_dimen = 81  { specify state info ( \pagegoal, etc. ) }
define set\_page\_int = 82 { specify state info ( \deadcycles, \insertpenalties ) }
define set_box_dimen = 83 { change dimension of box ( \wd, \ht, \dp ) }
define set\_shape = 84 { specify fancy paragraph shape ( \parshape ) }
define def\_code = 85 { define a character code ( \catcode, etc. ) }
\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{def-family} = 86 \quad \{\, \mathrm{declare}\ \mathrm{math}\ \mathrm{fonts}\ (\ \backslash \mathsf{textfont},\, \mathrm{etc.}\,)\,\}
define set\_font = 87 { set current font ( font identifiers ) }
define def_{-}font = 88 \quad \{ define a font file ( \font ) \}
define register = 89 { internal register ( \count, \dimen, etc. ) }
define max\_internal = 89 { the largest code that can follow \the }
define advance = 90 { advance a register or parameter (\advance)}
define multiply = 91 { multiply a register or parameter ( \multiply ) }
define divide = 92 { divide a register or parameter ( \divide ) }
define prefix = 93 { qualify a definition ( \global, \long, \outer ) }
define let = 94 { assign a command code ( \let, \futurelet ) }
define shorthand\_def = 95  { code definition ( \chardef, \countdef, etc. ) }
define read\_to\_cs = 96 { read into a control sequence ( \read ) }
define def = 97 \quad \{ \text{ macro definition } ( \def, \gdef, \def, \edef ) \}
define set\_box = 98  { set a box ( \setbox ) }
define hyph\_data = 99 {hyphenation data (\hyphenation, \patterns)}
define set_interaction = 100 { define level of interaction ( \batchmode, etc. ) }
define max\_command = 100 { the largest command code seen at big\_switch }
```

210. The remaining command codes are extra special, since they cannot get through TEX's scanner to the main control routine. They have been given values higher than max\_command so that their special nature is easily discernible. The "expandable" commands come first.

```
define undefined\_cs = max\_command + 1 { initial state of most eq\_type fields }
define expand\_after = max\_command + 2 { special expansion ( \expandafter ) }
define no\_expand = max\_command + 3 { special nonexpansion ( \noexpand ) }
define input = max\_command + 4  {input a source file (\input, \endinput)}
define if\_test = max\_command + 5 { conditional text (\if, \ifcase, etc.)}
define f_{l-or\_else} = max\_command + 6 { delimiters for conditionals ( \else, etc. ) }
define cs\_name = max\_command + 7 { make a control sequence from tokens ( \csname ) }
define convert = max\_command + 8  { convert to text ( \number, \string, etc. ) }
define the = max\_command + 9 { expand an internal quantity ( \the ) }
define top\_bot\_mark = max\_command + 10 {inserted mark ( \topmark, etc. ) }
define call = max\_command + 11 { non-long, non-outer control sequence }
define long\_call = max\_command + 12  { long, non-outer control sequence }
define outer\_call = max\_command + 13 { non-long, outer control sequence }
define long\_outer\_call = max\_command + 14  { long, outer control sequence }
define end\_template = max\_command + 15 { end of an alignment template }
define dont\_expand = max\_command + 16 { the following token was marked by \noexpand}
define glue\_ref = max\_command + 17 { the equivalent points to a glue specification }
\mathbf{define} \ \mathit{shape\_ref} = \mathit{max\_command} + 18 \quad \{ \ \mathsf{the} \ \mathsf{equivalent} \ \mathsf{points} \ \mathsf{to} \ \mathsf{a} \ \mathsf{parshape} \ \mathsf{specification} \ \}
define box\_ref = max\_command + 19 { the equivalent points to a box node, or is null }
define data = max\_command + 20 { the equivalent is simply a halfword number }
```

211. The semantic nest. TEX is typically in the midst of building many lists at once. For example, when a math formula is being processed, TEX is in math mode and working on an mlist; this formula has temporarily interrupted TEX from being in horizontal mode and building the hlist of a paragraph; and this paragraph has temporarily interrupted TEX from being in vertical mode and building the vlist for the next page of a document. Similarly, when a \vbox occurs inside of an \hbox, TEX is temporarily interrupted from working in restricted horizontal mode, and it enters internal vertical mode. The "semantic nest" is a stack that keeps track of what lists and modes are currently suspended.

At each level of processing we are in one of six modes:

```
\label{eq:continuous} \begin{array}{l} \textit{vmode} \text{ stands for vertical mode (the page builder);} \\ \textit{hmode} \text{ stands for horizontal mode (the paragraph builder);} \\ \textit{mmode} \text{ stands for displayed formula mode;} \\ -\textit{vmode} \text{ stands for internal vertical mode (e.g., in a \bc);} \\ -\textit{hmode} \text{ stands for restricted horizontal mode (e.g., in an \hbox);} \\ -\textit{mmode} \text{ stands for math formula mode (not displayed).} \end{array}
```

The mode is temporarily set to zero while processing \write texts.

Numeric values are assigned to vmode, hmode, and mmode so that TEX's "big semantic switch" can select the appropriate thing to do by computing the value  $abs(mode) + cur\_cmd$ , where mode is the current mode and  $cur\_cmd$  is the current command code.

```
define vmode = 1 { vertical mode }
  define hmode = vmode + max\_command + 1 { horizontal mode }
  define mmode = hmode + max\_command + 1 { math mode }
procedure print\_mode(m:integer); { prints the mode represented by m }
  begin if m > 0 then
    case m \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} (max\_command + 1) \operatorname{\mathbf{of}}
    0: print("vertical");
    1: print("horizontal");
    2: print("display_math");
    end
  else if m = 0 then print("no")
    else case (-m) div (max\_command + 1) of
      0: print("internal vertical");
      1: print("restricted_horizontal");
      2: print("math");
      end;
  print("\_mode");
  end;
```

**212.** The state of affairs at any semantic level can be represented by five values:

mode is the number representing the semantic mode, as just explained.

head is a pointer to a list head for the list being built; link(head) therefore points to the first element of the list, or to null if the list is empty.

tail is a pointer to the final node of the list being built; thus, tail = head if and only if the list is empty.  $prev\_graf$  is the number of lines of the current paragraph that have already been put into the present vertical list.

aux is an auxiliary  $memory\_word$  that gives further information that is needed to characterize the situation. In vertical mode, aux is also known as  $prev\_depth$ ; it is the scaled value representing the depth of the previous box, for use in baseline calculations, or it is  $\leq -1000$ pt if the next box on the vertical list is to be exempt from baseline calculations. In horizontal mode, aux is also known as  $space\_factor$  and clang; it holds the current space factor used in spacing calculations, and the current language used for hyphenation. (The value of clang is undefined in restricted horizontal mode.) In math mode, aux is also known as  $incompleat\_noad$ ; if not null, it points to a record that represents the numerator of a generalized fraction for which the denominator is currently being formed in the current list.

There is also a sixth quantity,  $mode\_line$ , which correlates the semantic nest with the user's input;  $mode\_line$  contains the source line number at which the current level of nesting was entered. The negative of this line number is the  $mode\_line$  at the level of the user's output routine.

In horizontal mode, the prev\_graf field is used for initial language data.

The semantic nest is an array called *nest* that holds the *mode*, *head*, *tail*, *prev\_graf*, *aux*, and *mode\_line* values for all semantic levels below the currently active one. Information about the currently active level is kept in the global quantities *mode*, *head*, *tail*, *prev\_graf*, *aux*, and *mode\_line*, which live in a Pascal record that is ready to be pushed onto *nest* if necessary.

```
define ignore\_depth \equiv -65536000  { prev\_depth value that is ignored }
\langle \text{Types in the outer block } 18 \rangle + \equiv
  list_state_record = record mode_field: -mmode .. mmode; head_field, tail_field: pointer;
     pg_field, ml_field: integer; aux_field: memory_word;
     end;
213. define mode \equiv cur\_list.mode\_field  { current mode }
  define head \equiv cur\_list.head\_field { header node of current list }
  define tail \equiv cur\_list.tail\_field { final node on current list }
  define prev\_graf \equiv cur\_list.pg\_field { number of paragraph lines accumulated }
  define aux \equiv cur\_list.aux\_field { auxiliary data about the current list }
  define prev\_depth \equiv aux.sc { the name of aux in vertical mode }
  define space\_factor \equiv aux.hh.lh { part of aux in horizontal mode }
  define clang \equiv aux.hh.rh { the other part of aux in horizontal mode }
  define incompleat\_noad \equiv aux.int  { the name of aux in math mode }
  define mode\_line \equiv cur\_list.ml\_field { source file line number at beginning of list }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
nest: array [0 . . nest_size] of list_state_record;
nest_ptr: 0 .. nest_size; { first unused location of nest }
max_nest_stack: 0 . . nest_size; { maximum of nest_ptr when pushing }
cur_list: list_state_record; { the "top" semantic state }
shown_mode: -mmode ... mmode; { most recent mode shown by \tracingcommands }
214. Here is a common way to make the current list grow:
  define tail\_append(\#) \equiv
            begin link(tail) \leftarrow \#; \ tail \leftarrow link(tail);
            end
```

215. We will see later that the vertical list at the bottom semantic level is split into two parts; the "current page" runs from page\_head to page\_tail, and the "contribution list" runs from contrib\_head to tail of semantic level zero. The idea is that contributions are first formed in vertical mode, then "contributed" to the current page (during which time the page-breaking decisions are made). For now, we don't need to know any more details about the page-building process.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle +\equiv nest_ptr \leftarrow 0; max_nest_stack \leftarrow 0; mode \leftarrow vmode; head \leftarrow contrib_head; tail \leftarrow contrib_head; prev_depth \leftarrow ignore_depth; mode_line \leftarrow 0; prev_graf \leftarrow 0; shown_mode \leftarrow 0; \langle Start a new current page 991\rangle;
```

**216.** When T<sub>E</sub>X's work on one level is interrupted, the state is saved by calling *push\_nest*. This routine changes *head* and *tail* so that a new (empty) list is begun; it does not change *mode* or *aux*.

```
procedure push\_nest; { enter a new semantic level, save the old } begin if nest\_ptr > max\_nest\_stack then begin max\_nest\_stack \leftarrow nest\_ptr; if nest\_ptr = nest\_size then overflow("semantic\_nest\_size", nest\_size); end; nest[nest\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_list; { stack the record } incr(nest\_ptr); head \leftarrow get\_avail; tail \leftarrow head; prev\_graf \leftarrow 0; mode\_line \leftarrow line; end;
```

217. Conversely, when  $T_EX$  is finished on the current level, the former state is restored by calling  $pop\_nest$ . This routine will never be called at the lowest semantic level, nor will it be called unless head is a node that should be returned to free memory.

```
procedure pop\_nest; { leave a semantic level, re-enter the old } begin free\_avail(head); decr(nest\_ptr); cur\_list \leftarrow nest[nest\_ptr]; end;
```

```
Here is a procedure that displays what T<sub>E</sub>X is working on, at all levels.
procedure print_totals; forward;
procedure show_activities;
  var p: 0 \dots nest\_size; { index into nest }
     m: -mmode \dots mmode; \{ mode \}
     a: memory_word; { auxiliary }
     q, r: pointer; { for showing the current page }
     t: integer; { ditto }
  begin nest[nest\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_list; { put the top level into the array }
  print_nl(""); print_ln;
  for p \leftarrow nest\_ptr downto 0 do
     begin m \leftarrow nest[p].mode\_field; \ a \leftarrow nest[p].aux\_field; \ print\_nl("###_\"); \ print\_mode(m);
     print("\_entered\_at\_line\_"); print\_int(abs(nest[p].ml\_field));
     if m = hmode then
       if nest[p].pg\_field \neq '406000000 then
          begin print("u(language"); print_int(nest[p].pq_field mod '200000); print(":hyphenmin");
          print_int(nest[p].pg_field div '20000000); print_char(",");
          print\_int((nest[p].pg\_field~\mathbf{div}~200000)~\mathbf{mod}~100);~print\_char(")");
          end;
     if nest[p].ml_field < 0 then print("□(\output□routine)");</pre>
     if p = 0 then
       begin (Show the status of the current page 986);
       if link(contrib\_head) \neq null then print\_nl("###_recent_contributions:");
     show\_box(link(nest[p].head\_field)); \langle Show the auxiliary field, a 219 \rangle;
     end;
  end;
        \langle Show the auxiliary field, a 219\rangle \equiv
  case abs(m) div (max\_command + 1) of
  0: begin print₋nl("prevdepth<sub>\(\sigma\)</sub>");
     if a.sc \leq ignore\_depth then print("ignored")
     else print\_scaled(a.sc);
     if nest[p].pg\_field \neq 0 then
       begin print(", □prevgraf □"); print_int(nest[p].pg_field); print("□line");
       if nest[p].pg\_field \neq 1 then print\_char("s");
       end:
     end;
  1: begin print_nl("spacefactor_\"); print_int(a.hh.lh);
     if m > 0 then if a.hh.rh > 0 then
          begin print(", \_current\_language\_"); print_int(a.hh.rh); end;
     end;
  2: if a.int \neq null then
       \mathbf{begin} \ print("\mathtt{this} \sqcup \mathtt{will} \sqcup \mathtt{begin} \sqcup \mathtt{denominator} \sqcup \mathtt{of:"}); \ show\_box(a.int); \ \mathbf{end};
  end { there are no other cases }
This code is used in section 218.
```

220. The table of equivalents. Now that we have studied the data structures for TEX's semantic routines, we ought to consider the data structures used by its syntactic routines. In other words, our next concern will be the tables that TEX looks at when it is scanning what the user has written.

The biggest and most important such table is called *eqtb*. It holds the current "equivalents" of things; i.e., it explains what things mean or what their current values are, for all quantities that are subject to the nesting structure provided by T<sub>E</sub>X's grouping mechanism. There are six parts to *eqtb*:

- 1)  $eqtb[active\_base ... (hash\_base 1)]$  holds the current equivalents of single-character control sequences.
- 2)  $eqtb[hash\_base ... (glue\_base 1)]$  holds the current equivalents of multiletter control sequences.
- 3)  $eqtb[glue\_base ... (local\_base 1)]$  holds the current equivalents of glue parameters like the current baselineskip.
- 4)  $eqtb[local\_base...(int\_base-1)]$  holds the current equivalents of local halfword quantities like the current box registers, the current "catcodes," the current font, and a pointer to the current paragraph shape.
- 5)  $eqtb[int\_base .. (dimen\_base 1)]$  holds the current equivalents of fullword integer parameters like the current hyphenation penalty.
- 6) eqtb[dimen\_base .. eqtb\_size] holds the current equivalents of fullword dimension parameters like the current hsize or amount of hanging indentation.

Note that, for example, the current amount of baselineskip glue is determined by the setting of a particular location in region 3 of *eqtb*, while the current meaning of the control sequence '\baselineskip' (which might have been changed by \def or \let) appears in region 2.

- **221.** Each entry in eqtb is a  $memory\_word$ . Most of these words are of type  $two\_halves$ , and subdivided into three fields:
- 1) The eq\_level (a quarterword) is the level of grouping at which this equivalent was defined. If the level is level\_zero, the equivalent has never been defined; level\_one refers to the outer level (outside of all groups), and this level is also used for global definitions that never go away. Higher levels are for equivalents that will disappear at the end of their group.
- 2) The eq\_type (another quarterword) specifies what kind of entry this is. There are many types, since each TEX primitive like \hbox, \def, etc., has its own special code. The list of command codes above includes all possible settings of the eq\_type field.
- 3) The *equiv* (a halfword) is the current equivalent value. This may be a font number, a pointer into *mem*, or a variety of other things.

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This code is used in section 252.

**222.** Many locations in *eqtb* have symbolic names. The purpose of the next paragraphs is to define these names, and to set up the initial values of the equivalents.

In the first region we have 256 equivalents for "active characters" that act as control sequences, followed by 256 equivalents for single-character control sequences.

Then comes region 2, which corresponds to the hash table that we will define later. The maximum address in this region is used for a dummy control sequence that is perpetually undefined. There also are several locations for control sequences that are perpetually defined (since they are used in error recovery).

```
define active\_base = 1 { beginning of region 1, for active character equivalents }
  define single\_base = active\_base + 256 { equivalents of one-character control sequences }
  define null\_cs = single\_base + 256 { equivalent of \csname\endcsname }
  define hash\_base = null\_cs + 1 { beginning of region 2, for the hash table }
  define frozen\_control\_sequence = hash\_base + hash\_size { for error recovery }
  define frozen_protection = frozen_control_sequence { inaccessible but definable }
  define frozen\_cr = frozen\_control\_sequence + 1  { permanent '\cr'}
  define frozen_end_group = frozen_control_sequence + 2 { permanent '\endgroup' }
  define frozen_right = frozen_control_sequence + 3 { permanent '\right' }
  define frozen_fi = frozen_control_sequence + 4 { permanent '\fi'}
  define frozen_end_template = frozen_control_sequence + 5 { permanent '\endtemplate' }
  define frozen_endv = frozen_control_sequence + 6 { second permanent '\endtemplate' }
  define frozen\_relax = frozen\_control\_sequence + 7  { permanent '\relax'}
  define end_write = frozen_control_sequence + 8 { permanent '\endwrite' }
  define frozen_dont_expand = frozen_control_sequence + 9 { permanent '\notexpanded:'}
  define frozen_null_font = frozen_control_sequence + 10 { permanent '\nullfont' }
  define font\_id\_base = frozen\_null\_font - font\_base { begins table of 257 permanent font identifiers }
  define undefined\_control\_sequence = frozen\_null\_font + 257 { dummy location }
  define glue\_base = undefined\_control\_sequence + 1  { beginning of region 3 }
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  eq\_type(undefined\_control\_sequence) \leftarrow undefined\_cs; equiv(undefined\_control\_sequence) \leftarrow null;
  eq\_level(undefined\_control\_sequence) \leftarrow level\_zero;
  for k \leftarrow active\_base to undefined\_control\_sequence - 1 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[undefined\_control\_sequence];
       Here is a routine that displays the current meaning of an eqtb entry in region 1 or 2. (Similar routines
for the other regions will appear below.)
\langle \text{Show equivalent } n, \text{ in region 1 or 2 } 223 \rangle \equiv
  begin sprint\_cs(n); print\_char("="); print\_cmd\_chr(eq\_type(n), equiv(n));
  if eq\_type(n) > call then
    begin print\_char(":"); show\_token\_list(link(equiv(n)), null, 32);
    end;
  end
```

This code is used in sections 152 and 154.

**224.** Region 3 of *eqtb* contains the 256 \skip registers, as well as the glue parameters defined here. It is important that the "muskip" parameters have larger numbers than the others.

```
define line\_skip\_code = 0 { interline glue if baseline\_skip is infeasible }
  define baseline\_skip\_code = 1 { desired glue between baselines }
  define par\_skip\_code = 2 { extra glue just above a paragraph }
  \mathbf{define}\ above\_display\_skip\_code = 3 \quad \{ \text{ extra glue just above displayed math } \}
  define below\_display\_skip\_code = 4 { extra glue just below displayed math }
  define above\_display\_short\_skip\_code = 5 { glue above displayed math following short lines }
  define below\_display\_short\_skip\_code = 6 { glue below displayed math following short lines }
  define left\_skip\_code = 7 { glue at left of justified lines }
  define right\_skip\_code = 8 { glue at right of justified lines }
  define top\_skip\_code = 9 { glue at top of main pages }
  define split\_top\_skip\_code = 10 { glue at top of split pages }
  define tab\_skip\_code = 11 { glue between aligned entries }
  define space\_skip\_code = 12 { glue between words (if not zero\_glue) }
  define xspace\_skip\_code = 13 { glue after sentences (if not zero\_glue) }
  define par_fill\_skip\_code = 14 { glue on last line of paragraph }
  define thin_mu\_skip\_code = 15 { thin space in math formula }
  define med_mu\_skip\_code = 16 { medium space in math formula }
  define thick\_mu\_skip\_code = 17 { thick space in math formula }
  define glue\_pars = 18 { total number of glue parameters }
  define skip\_base = glue\_base + glue\_pars { table of 256 "skip" registers }
  define mu\_skip\_base = skip\_base + 256 { table of 256 "muskip" registers }
  define local\_base = mu\_skip\_base + 256 { beginning of region 4 }
  define skip(\#) \equiv equiv(skip\_base + \#)  { mem location of glue specification }
  define mu\_skip(\#) \equiv equiv(mu\_skip\_base + \#)  { mem location of math glue spec }
  define glue\_par(\#) \equiv equiv(glue\_base + \#) { mem location of glue specification}
  define line\_skip \equiv glue\_par(line\_skip\_code)
  define baseline\_skip \equiv glue\_par(baseline\_skip\_code)
  define par\_skip \equiv glue\_par(par\_skip\_code)
  define above\_display\_skip \equiv glue\_par(above\_display\_skip\_code)
  define below\_display\_skip \equiv glue\_par(below\_display\_skip\_code)
  define above\_display\_short\_skip \equiv glue\_par(above\_display\_short\_skip\_code)
  define below\_display\_short\_skip \equiv glue\_par(below\_display\_short\_skip\_code)
  define left\_skip \equiv glue\_par(left\_skip\_code)
  define right\_skip \equiv glue\_par(right\_skip\_code)
  define top\_skip \equiv glue\_par(top\_skip\_code)
  define split\_top\_skip \equiv glue\_par(split\_top\_skip\_code)
  define tab\_skip \equiv glue\_par(tab\_skip\_code)
  define space\_skip \equiv glue\_par(space\_skip\_code)
  define xspace\_skip \equiv glue\_par(xspace\_skip\_code)
  define par\_fill\_skip \equiv glue\_par(par\_fill\_skip\_code)
  define thin\_mu\_skip \equiv glue\_par(thin\_mu\_skip\_code)
  define med\_mu\_skip \equiv glue\_par(med\_mu\_skip\_code)
  define thick\_mu\_skip \equiv glue\_par(thick\_mu\_skip\_code)
\langle Current mem equivalent of glue parameter number n 224\rangle \equiv
  glue\_par(n)
```

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**225.** Sometimes we need to convert TEX's internal code numbers into symbolic form. The *print\_skip\_param* routine gives the symbolic name of a glue parameter.

```
\langle Declare the procedure called print\_skip\_param 225 \rangle \equiv
procedure print\_skip\_param(n:integer);
  begin case n of
  line_skip_code: print_esc("lineskip");
  baseline_skip_code: print_esc("baselineskip");
  par_skip_code: print_esc("parskip");
  above_display_skip_code: print_esc("abovedisplayskip");
  below_display_skip_code: print_esc("belowdisplayskip");
  above_display_short_skip_code: print_esc("abovedisplayshortskip");
  below_display_short_skip_code: print_esc("belowdisplayshortskip");
  left_skip_code: print_esc("leftskip");
  right_skip_code: print_esc("rightskip");
  top_skip_code: print_esc("topskip");
  split_top_skip_code: print_esc("splittopskip");
  tab_skip_code: print_esc("tabskip");
  space_skip_code: print_esc("spaceskip");
  xspace_skip_code: print_esc("xspaceskip");
  par_fill_skip_code: print_esc("parfillskip");
  thin_mu_skip_code: print_esc("thinmuskip");
  med_mu_skip_code: print_esc("medmuskip");
  thick_mu_skip_code: print_esc("thickmuskip");
  othercases print("[unknown_glue_parameter!]")
  endcases:
  end:
```

This code is used in section 179.

**226.** The symbolic names for glue parameters are put into TEX's hash table by using the routine called *primitive*, defined below. Let us enter them now, so that we don't have to list all those parameter names anywhere else.

```
\langle \text{Put each of T}_{\text{F}} \text{X}' \text{s primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle \equiv
  primitive("lineskip", assign_qlue, qlue_base + line_skip_code);
  primitive("baselineskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + baseline\_skip\_code);
  primitive("parskip", assign_glue, glue_base + par_skip_code);
  primitive("abovedisplayskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + above\_display\_skip\_code);
  primitive ("belowdisplayskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + below\_display\_skip\_code);
  primitive("abovedisplayshortskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + above\_display\_short\_skip\_code);
  primitive("belowdisplayshortskip", assign_glue, glue_base + below_display_short_skip_code);
  primitive("leftskip", assign_glue, glue_base + left_skip_code);
  primitive("rightskip", assign_glue, glue_base + right_skip_code);
  primitive("topskip", assign_glue, glue_base + top_skip_code);
  primitive("splittopskip", assign_glue, glue_base + split_top_skip_code);
  primitive("tabskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + tab\_skip\_code);
  primitive("spaceskip", assign_glue, glue_base + space_skip_code);
  primitive("xspaceskip", assign\_glue, glue\_base + xspace\_skip\_code);
  primitive("parfillskip", assign_glue, glue_base + par_fill_skip_code);
  primitive("thinmuskip", assign_mu_glue, glue_base + thin_mu_skip_code);
  primitive("medmuskip", assign\_mu\_glue, glue\_base + med\_mu\_skip\_code);
  primitive("thickmuskip", assign\_mu\_glue, glue\_base + thick\_mu\_skip\_code);
See also sections 230, 238, 248, 265, 334, 376, 384, 411, 416, 468, 487, 491, 553, 780, 983, 1052, 1058, 1071, 1088, 1107, 1114,
     1141,\,1156,\,1169,\,1178,\,1188,\,1208,\,1219,\,1222,\,1230,\,1250,\,1254,\,1262,\,1272,\,1277,\,1286,\,1291,\,\mathrm{and}\,\,1344.
This code is used in section 1336.
227. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle \equiv
assign_glue, assign_mu_glue: if chr_code < skip_base then print_skip_param(chr_code - glue_base)
  else if chr\_code < mu\_skip\_base then
       begin print_esc("skip"); print_int(chr_code - skip_base);
     else begin print_esc("muskip"); print_int(chr_code - mu_skip_base);
See also sections 231, 239, 249, 266, 335, 377, 385, 412, 417, 469, 488, 492, 781, 984, 1053, 1059, 1072, 1089, 1108, 1115, 1143,
     1157, 1170, 1179, 1189, 1209, 1220, 1223, 1231, 1251, 1255, 1261, 1263, 1273, 1278, 1287, 1292, 1295, and 1346.
This code is used in section 298.
       All glue parameters and registers are initially 'Opt plusOpt minusOpt'.
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  equiv(glue\_base) \leftarrow zero\_glue; eq\_level(glue\_base) \leftarrow level\_one; eq\_type(glue\_base) \leftarrow glue\_ref;
  for k \leftarrow glue\_base + 1 to local\_base - 1 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[glue\_base];
  glue\_ref\_count(zero\_glue) \leftarrow glue\_ref\_count(zero\_glue) + local\_base - glue\_base;
```

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229. \langle Show equivalent n, in region 3 229\rangle \equiv if n < skip\_base then begin print\_skip\_param(n-glue\_base); print\_char("="); if n < glue\_base + thin\_mu\_skip\_code then print\_spec(equiv(n), "pt") else print\_spec(equiv(n), "mu"); end else if n < mu\_skip\_base then begin print\_esc("skip"); print\_int(n-skip\_base); print\_char("="); print\_spec(equiv(n), "pt"); end else begin print\_esc("muskip"); print\_int(n-mu\_skip\_base); print\_char("="); print\_spec(equiv(n), "mu"); end
```

This code is used in section 252.

230. Region 4 of eqtb contains the local quantities defined here. The bulk of this region is taken up by five tables that are indexed by eight-bit characters; these tables are important to both the syntactic and semantic portions of TEX. There are also a bunch of special things like font and token parameters, as well as the tables of \toks and \box registers.

```
define par\_shape\_loc = local\_base { specifies paragraph shape }
  define output_routine_loc = local_base + 1 { points to token list for \output }
  define every\_par\_loc = local\_base + 2 { points to token list for \everypar}
  define every\_math\_loc = local\_base + 3 { points to token list for \everymath}
  define every\_display\_loc = local\_base + 4 { points to token list for \everydisplay}
  \mathbf{define}\ \mathit{every\_hbox\_loc} = \mathit{local\_base} + 5 \quad \{\, \mathsf{points}\ \mathsf{to}\ \mathsf{token}\ \mathsf{list}\ \mathsf{for}\ \mathsf{\backslash everyhbox}\,\}
  define every\_vbox\_loc = local\_base + 6 { points to token list for \everyvbox}
  define every\_job\_loc = local\_base + 7 { points to token list for \everyjob}
  define every\_cr\_loc = local\_base + 8 { points to token list for \everycr}
  define err\_help\_loc = local\_base + 9 { points to token list for \errhelp}
  define toks\_base = local\_base + 10 { table of 256 token list registers }
  define box\_base = toks\_base + 256 { table of 256 box registers }
  define cur_font_loc = box_base + 256 { internal font number outside math mode }
  define math\_font\_base = cur\_font\_loc + 1  { table of 48 math font numbers }
  define cat\_code\_base = math\_font\_base + 48 { table of 256 command codes (the "catcodes") }
  define lc\_code\_base = cat\_code\_base + 256 { table of 256 lowercase mappings }
  define uc\_code\_base = lc\_code\_base + 256 { table of 256 uppercase mappings }
  define sf\_code\_base = uc\_code\_base + 256 { table of 256 spacefactor mappings }
  define math\_code\_base = sf\_code\_base + 256 { table of 256 math mode mappings }
  define int\_base = math\_code\_base + 256 { beginning of region 5 }
  define par\_shape\_ptr \equiv equiv(par\_shape\_loc)
  define output\_routine \equiv equiv(output\_routine\_loc)
  define every\_par \equiv equiv(every\_par\_loc)
  define every\_math \equiv equiv(every\_math\_loc)
  define every\_display \equiv equiv(every\_display\_loc)
  define every\_hbox \equiv equiv(every\_hbox\_loc)
  define every\_vbox \equiv equiv(every\_vbox\_loc)
  define every\_job \equiv equiv(every\_job\_loc)
  define every\_cr \equiv equiv(every\_cr\_loc)
  define err\_help \equiv equiv(err\_help\_loc)
  define toks(\#) \equiv equiv(toks\_base + \#)
  define box(\#) \equiv equiv(box\_base + \#)
  define cur\_font \equiv equiv(cur\_font\_loc)
  define fam_{-}fnt(\#) \equiv equiv(math_{-}font_{-}base + \#)
  define cat\_code(\#) \equiv equiv(cat\_code\_base + \#)
  define lc\_code(\#) \equiv equiv(lc\_code\_base + \#)
  define uc\_code(\#) \equiv equiv(uc\_code\_base + \#)
  define sf\_code(\#) \equiv equiv(sf\_code\_base + \#)
  define math\_code(\#) \equiv equiv(math\_code\_base + \#)
               { Note: math\_code(c) is the true math code plus min\_halfword }
\langle \text{Put each of TFX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("output", assign_toks, output_routine_loc); primitive("everypar", assign_toks, every_par_loc);
  primitive("everymath", assign_toks, every_math_loc);
  primitive("everydisplay", assign_toks, every_display_loc);
  primitive("everyhbox", assign_toks, every_hbox_loc); primitive("everyvbox", assign_toks, every_vbox_loc);
  primitive("everyjob", assign_toks, every_job_loc); primitive("everycr", assign_toks, every_cr_loc);
  primitive("errhelp", assign_toks, err_help_loc);
```

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231. ⟨Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227⟩ +≡
assign_toks: if chr_code ≥ toks_base then
begin print_esc("toks"); print_int(chr_code - toks_base);
end
else case chr_code of
output_routine_loc: print_esc("output");
every_par_loc: print_esc("everypar");
every_math_loc: print_esc("everymath");
every_display_loc: print_esc("everydisplay");
every_hbox_loc: print_esc("everybox");
every_vbox_loc: print_esc("everybox");
every_job_loc: print_esc("everybo");
every_cr_loc: print_esc("everycr");
othercases print_esc("everycr");
endcases;
```

**232.** We initialize most things to null or undefined values. An undefined font is represented by the internal code *font\_base*.

However, the character code tables are given initial values based on the conventional interpretation of ASCII code. These initial values should not be changed when TEX is adapted for use with non-English languages; all changes to the initialization conventions should be made in format packages, not in TEX itself, so that global interchange of formats is possible.

```
define null\_font \equiv font\_base
  define var\_code \equiv '70000
                                       { math code meaning "use the current family" }
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  par\_shape\_ptr \leftarrow null; \ eq\_type(par\_shape\_loc) \leftarrow shape\_ref; \ eq\_level(par\_shape\_loc) \leftarrow level\_one;
  for k \leftarrow output\_routine\_loc to toks\_base + 255 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[undefined\_control\_sequence];
  box(0) \leftarrow null; \ eq\_type(box\_base) \leftarrow box\_ref; \ eq\_level(box\_base) \leftarrow level\_one;
  for k \leftarrow box\_base + 1 to box\_base + 255 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[box\_base];
   cur\_font \leftarrow null\_font; \ eq\_type(cur\_font\_loc) \leftarrow data; \ eq\_level(cur\_font\_loc) \leftarrow level\_one;
  for k \leftarrow math\_font\_base to math\_font\_base + 47 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_font\_loc];
   equiv(cat\_code\_base) \leftarrow 0; \ eq\_type(cat\_code\_base) \leftarrow data; \ eq\_level(cat\_code\_base) \leftarrow level\_one;
  for k \leftarrow cat\_code\_base + 1 to int\_base - 1 do eqtb[k] \leftarrow eqtb[cat\_code\_base];
  for k \leftarrow 0 to 255 do
      begin cat\_code(k) \leftarrow other\_char; math\_code(k) \leftarrow hi(k); sf\_code(k) \leftarrow 1000;
  cat\_code(carriage\_return) \leftarrow car\_ret; cat\_code("\") \leftarrow spacer; cat\_code("\") \leftarrow escape;
   cat\_code("\%") \leftarrow comment; \ cat\_code(invalid\_code) \leftarrow invalid\_char; \ cat\_code(null\_code) \leftarrow ignore;
  for k \leftarrow "0" to "9" do math\_code(k) \leftarrow hi(k + var\_code);
  for k \leftarrow "A" to "Z" do
      begin cat\_code(k) \leftarrow letter; cat\_code(k + "a" - "A") \leftarrow letter;
      math\_code(k) \leftarrow hi(k + var\_code + "100);
      math\_code(k + "a" - "A") \leftarrow hi(k + "a" - "A" + var\_code + "100);
      lc\_code(k) \leftarrow k + \texttt{"a"} - \texttt{"A"}; \ lc\_code(k + \texttt{"a"} - \texttt{"A"}) \leftarrow k + \texttt{"a"} - \texttt{"A"};
      uc\_code(k) \leftarrow k; \ uc\_code(k + "a" - "A") \leftarrow k;
      sf\_code(k) \leftarrow 999;
      end;
```

```
233. \langle Show equivalent n, in region 4 233\rangle \equiv
  if n = par\_shape\_loc then
    begin print_esc("parshape"); print_char("=");
    if par_shape_ptr = null then print_char("0")
    else print_int(info(par_shape_ptr));
    end
  else if n < toks\_base then
       begin print_cmd_chr(assign_toks, n); print_char("=");
       if equiv(n) \neq null then show\_token\_list(link(equiv(n)), null, 32);
       end
    else if n < box\_base then
         begin print_esc("toks"); print_int(n - toks_base); print_char("=");
         if equiv(n) \neq null then show\_token\_list(link(equiv(n)), null, 32);
         end
       else if n < cur\_font\_loc then
            begin print\_esc("box"); print\_int(n - box\_base); print\_char("=");
            if equiv(n) = null then print("void")
            else begin depth\_threshold \leftarrow 0; breadth\_max \leftarrow 1; show\_node\_list(equiv(n));
              end;
            end
         else if n < cat\_code\_base then \langle Show the font identifier in eqtb[n] 234\rangle
            else \langle Show the halfword code in eqtb[n] 235\rangle
This code is used in section 252.
       \langle Show the font identifier in eqtb[n] 234\rangle \equiv
  begin if n = cur_font_loc then print("current⊔font")
  else if n < math\_font\_base + 16 then
       begin print_esc("textfont"); print_int(n - math_font_base);
       end
    else if n < math\_font\_base + 32 then
         begin print\_esc("scriptfont"); print\_int(n - math\_font\_base - 16);
       else begin print\_esc ("scriptscriptfont"); print\_int(n-math\_font\_base-32);
         end;
  print_char("=");
  print_{-}esc(hash[font_{-}id_{-}base + equiv(n)].rh);  { that's font_{-}id_{-}text(equiv(n)) }
This code is used in section 233.
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```
if n < math_code_base then
  begin if n < lc_code_base then
  begin print_esc("catcode"); print_int(n - cat_code_base);
  end
  else if n < uc_code_base then
    begin print_esc("lccode"); print_int(n - lc_code_base);
  end
  else if n < sf_code_base then
    begin print_esc("lccode"); print_int(n - lc_code_base);
  end
  else if n < sf_code_base then
    begin print_esc("uccode"); print_int(n - uc_code_base);
  end
  else begin print_esc("sfcode"); print_int(n - sf_code_base);
  end;
  print_char("="); print_int(equiv(n));
  end
else begin print_esc("mathcode"); print_int(n - math_code_base); print_char("=");
  print_int(ho(equiv(n)));
  end</pre>
```

This code is used in section 233.

**236.** Region 5 of eqtb contains the integer parameters and registers defined here, as well as the  $del\_code$  table. The latter table differs from the  $cat\_code$  ...  $math\_code$  tables that precede it, since delimiter codes are fullword integers while the other kinds of codes occupy at most a halfword. This is what makes region 5 different from region 4. We will store the  $eq\_level$  information in an auxiliary array of quarterwords that will be defined later.

```
define pretolerance\_code = 0 { badness tolerance before hyphenation }
define tolerance\_code = 1 { badness tolerance after hyphenation }
define line\_penalty\_code = 2 { added to the badness of every line }
define hyphen\_penalty\_code = 3 { penalty for break after discretionary hyphen }
define ex\_hyphen\_penalty\_code = 4 { penalty for break after explicit hyphen }
define club\_penalty\_code = 5 { penalty for creating a club line }
define widow\_penalty\_code = 6 { penalty for creating a widow line }
define display\_widow\_penalty\_code = 7  { ditto, just before a display }
define broken\_penalty\_code = 8 { penalty for breaking a page at a broken line }
define bin_op_penalty_code = 9 { penalty for breaking after a binary operation }
define rel\_penalty\_code = 10 { penalty for breaking after a relation }
\textbf{define} \ \textit{pre\_display\_penalty\_code} = 11 \quad \{ \ \text{penalty for breaking just before a displayed formula} \ \}
define post\_display\_penalty\_code = 12 { penalty for breaking just after a displayed formula }
define inter\_line\_penalty\_code = 13 { additional penalty between lines }
define double\_hyphen\_demerits\_code = 14  { demerits for double hyphen break }
define final\_hyphen\_demerits\_code = 15  { demerits for final hyphen break }
define adj\_demerits\_code = 16 { demerits for adjacent incompatible lines }
define mag\_code = 17 { magnification ratio }
define delimiter\_factor\_code = 18 { ratio for variable-size delimiters }
define looseness\_code = 19 { change in number of lines for a paragraph }
define time\_code = 20 { current time of day }
define day\_code = 21 { current day of the month }
define month\_code = 22 { current month of the year }
define year\_code = 23 { current year of our Lord }
define show\_box\_breadth\_code = 24  { nodes per level in show\_box }
define show\_box\_depth\_code = 25  { maximum level in show\_box }
define hbadness\_code = 26 { hboxes exceeding this badness will be shown by hpack }
define vbadness\_code = 27 {vboxes exceeding this badness will be shown by vpack }
define pausing\_code = 28 { pause after each line is read from a file }
define tracing\_online\_code = 29 { show diagnostic output on terminal }
define tracing\_macros\_code = 30 { show macros as they are being expanded }
define tracing_stats_code = 31 { show memory usage if TEX knows it }
define tracing\_paragraphs\_code = 32 { show line-break calculations }
define tracing\_pages\_code = 33 { show page-break calculations }
define tracing\_output\_code = 34 { show boxes when they are shipped out }
define tracing\_lost\_chars\_code = 35 { show characters that aren't in the font }
define tracing\_commands\_code = 36 { show command codes at big\_switch }
define tracing\_restores\_code = 37 { show equivalents when they are restored }
define uc\_hyph\_code = 38 { hyphenate words beginning with a capital letter }
define output\_penalty\_code = 39 { penalty found at current page break }
define max\_dead\_cycles\_code = 40 { bound on consecutive dead cycles of output }
define hang\_after\_code = 41 { hanging indentation changes after this many lines }
define floating\_penalty\_code = 42  { penalty for insertions held over after a split }
define global\_defs\_code = 43 { override \global specifications }
define cur\_fam\_code = 44  { current family }
define escape\_char\_code = 45 { escape character for token output }
define default_hyphen_char_code = 46 { value of \hyphenchar when a font is loaded }
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define default_skew_char_code = 47 { value of \skewchar when a font is loaded }
define end\_line\_char\_code = 48 { character placed at the right end of the buffer }
define new\_line\_char\_code = 49 { character that prints as print\_ln }
define language\_code = 50  { current hyphenation table }
define left_hyphen_min_code = 51 { minimum left hyphenation fragment size }
define right_hyphen_min_code = 52 { minimum right hyphenation fragment size }
define holding_inserts_code = 53 { do not remove insertion nodes from \box255 }
define error_context_lines_code = 54 { maximum intermediate line pairs shown }
define int_pars = 55 { total number of integer parameters }
define count\_base = int\_base + int\_pars { 256 user \count registers }
\mathbf{define} \ \mathit{del\_code\_base} = \mathit{count\_base} + 256 \ \ \{\, 256 \ \mathit{delimiter} \ \mathit{code} \ \mathit{mappings} \, \}
define dimen\_base = del\_code\_base + 256 { beginning of region 6 }
define del\_code(\#) \equiv eqtb[del\_code\_base + \#].int
define count(\#) \equiv eqtb[count\_base + \#].int
define int\_par(\#) \equiv eqtb[int\_base + \#].int  { an integer parameter }
define pretolerance \equiv int\_par(pretolerance\_code)
define tolerance \equiv int\_par(tolerance\_code)
define line\_penalty \equiv int\_par(line\_penalty\_code)
define hyphen\_penalty \equiv int\_par(hyphen\_penalty\_code)
define ex\_hyphen\_penalty \equiv int\_par(ex\_hyphen\_penalty\_code)
define club\_penalty \equiv int\_par(club\_penalty\_code)
define widow\_penalty \equiv int\_par(widow\_penalty\_code)
define display\_widow\_penalty \equiv int\_par(display\_widow\_penalty\_code)
define broken\_penalty \equiv int\_par(broken\_penalty\_code)
define bin\_op\_penalty \equiv int\_par(bin\_op\_penalty\_code)
define rel\_penalty \equiv int\_par(rel\_penalty\_code)
define pre\_display\_penalty \equiv int\_par(pre\_display\_penalty\_code)
define post\_display\_penalty \equiv int\_par(post\_display\_penalty\_code)
define inter\_line\_penalty \equiv int\_par(inter\_line\_penalty\_code)
define double\_hyphen\_demerits \equiv int\_par(double\_hyphen\_demerits\_code)
define final\_hyphen\_demerits \equiv int\_par(final\_hyphen\_demerits\_code)
define adj\_demerits \equiv int\_par(adj\_demerits\_code)
define mag \equiv int\_par(mag\_code)
define delimiter\_factor \equiv int\_par(delimiter\_factor\_code)
define looseness \equiv int\_par(looseness\_code)
define time \equiv int\_par(time\_code)
define day \equiv int\_par(day\_code)
define month \equiv int\_par(month\_code)
define year \equiv int\_par(year\_code)
define show\_box\_breadth \equiv int\_par(show\_box\_breadth\_code)
define show\_box\_depth \equiv int\_par(show\_box\_depth\_code)
define hbadness \equiv int\_par(hbadness\_code)
define vbadness \equiv int\_par(vbadness\_code)
define pausing \equiv int\_par(pausing\_code)
define tracing\_online \equiv int\_par(tracing\_online\_code)
define tracing\_macros \equiv int\_par(tracing\_macros\_code)
define tracing\_stats \equiv int\_par(tracing\_stats\_code)
define tracing\_paragraphs \equiv int\_par(tracing\_paragraphs\_code)
define tracing\_pages \equiv int\_par(tracing\_pages\_code)
define tracing\_output \equiv int\_par(tracing\_output\_code)
define tracing\_lost\_chars \equiv int\_par(tracing\_lost\_chars\_code)
define tracing\_commands \equiv int\_par(tracing\_commands\_code)
```

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define tracing\_restores \equiv int\_par(tracing\_restores\_code)
  define uc\_hyph \equiv int\_par(uc\_hyph\_code)
  define output\_penalty \equiv int\_par(output\_penalty\_code)
  define max\_dead\_cycles \equiv int\_par(max\_dead\_cycles\_code)
  define hang\_after \equiv int\_par(hang\_after\_code)
  define floating\_penalty \equiv int\_par(floating\_penalty\_code)
  define global\_defs \equiv int\_par(global\_defs\_code)
  define cur\_fam \equiv int\_par(cur\_fam\_code)
  define escape\_char \equiv int\_par(escape\_char\_code)
  define default\_hyphen\_char \equiv int\_par(default\_hyphen\_char\_code)
  define default\_skew\_char \equiv int\_par(default\_skew\_char\_code)
  define end\_line\_char \equiv int\_par(end\_line\_char\_code)
  define new\_line\_char \equiv int\_par(new\_line\_char\_code)
  define language \equiv int\_par(language\_code)
  define left\_hyphen\_min \equiv int\_par(left\_hyphen\_min\_code)
  define right_hyphen_min \equiv int_par(right_hyphen_min_code)
  define holding\_inserts \equiv int\_par(holding\_inserts\_code)
  define error\_context\_lines \equiv int\_par(error\_context\_lines\_code)
\langle Assign the values depth\_threshold \leftarrow show\_box\_depth and breadth\_max \leftarrow show\_box\_breadth 236\rangle \equiv
  depth\_threshold \leftarrow show\_box\_depth; breadth\_max \leftarrow show\_box\_breadth
```

This code is used in section 198.

We can print the symbolic name of an integer parameter as follows.

```
procedure print\_param(n:integer);
  begin case n of
  pretolerance_code: print_esc("pretolerance");
  tolerance_code: print_esc("tolerance");
  line_penalty_code: print_esc("linepenalty");
  hyphen_penalty_code: print_esc("hyphenpenalty");
  ex_hyphen_penalty_code: print_esc("exhyphenpenalty");
  club_penalty_code: print_esc("clubpenalty");
  widow_penalty_code: print_esc("widowpenalty");
  display_widow_penalty_code: print_esc("displaywidowpenalty");
  broken_penalty_code: print_esc("brokenpenalty");
  bin_op_penalty_code: print_esc("binoppenalty");
  rel_penalty_code: print_esc("relpenalty");
  pre_display_penalty_code: print_esc("predisplaypenalty");
  post_display_penalty_code: print_esc("postdisplaypenalty");
  inter_line_penalty_code: print_esc("interlinepenalty");
  double_hyphen_demerits_code: print_esc("doublehyphendemerits");
  final_hyphen_demerits_code: print_esc("finalhyphendemerits");
  adj_demerits_code: print_esc("adjdemerits");
  mag_code: print_esc("mag");
  delimiter_factor_code: print_esc("delimiterfactor");
  looseness_code: print_esc("looseness");
  time_code: print_esc("time");
  day_code: print_esc("day");
  month_code: print_esc("month");
  year_code: print_esc("year");
  show_box_breadth_code: print_esc("showboxbreadth");
  show_box_depth_code: print_esc("showboxdepth");
  hbadness_code: print_esc("hbadness");
  vbadness_code: print_esc("vbadness");
  pausing_code: print_esc("pausing");
  tracing_online_code: print_esc("tracingonline");
  tracing_macros_code: print_esc("tracingmacros");
  tracing_stats_code: print_esc("tracingstats");
  tracing_paragraphs_code: print_esc("tracingparagraphs");
  tracing_pages_code: print_esc("tracingpages");
  tracing_output_code: print_esc("tracingoutput");
  tracing_lost_chars_code: print_esc("tracinglostchars");
  tracing_commands_code: print_esc("tracingcommands");
  tracing_restores_code: print_esc("tracingrestores");
  uc_hyph_code: print_esc("uchyph");
  output_penalty_code: print_esc("outputpenalty");
  max_dead_cycles_code: print_esc("maxdeadcycles");
  hang_after_code: print_esc("hangafter");
  floating_penalty_code: print_esc("floatingpenalty");
  global_defs_code: print_esc("globaldefs");
  cur_fam_code: print_esc("fam");
  escape_char_code: print_esc("escapechar");
  default_hyphen_char_code: print_esc("defaulthyphenchar");
  default_skew_char_code: print_esc("defaultskewchar");
  end_line_char_code: print_esc("endlinechar");
```

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new\_line\_char\_code: print\_esc("newlinechar"); \\ language\_code: print\_esc("language"); \\ left\_hyphen\_min\_code: print\_esc("lefthyphenmin"); \\ right\_hyphen\_min\_code: print\_esc("righthyphenmin"); \\ holding\_inserts\_code: print\_esc("holdinginserts"); \\ error\_context\_lines\_code: print\_esc("error\_context\_lines"); \\ \text{other cases } print("[unknown\_integer\_parameter!]") \\ \text{end cases}; \\ \text{end}; \\ \end{cases}
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**238.** The integer parameter names must be entered into the hash table.

```
\langle \text{Put each of T}_{\text{FX}} \rangle's primitives into the hash table 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("pretolerance", assign_int, int_base + pretolerance_code);
  primitive("tolerance", assign_int, int_base + tolerance_code);
  primitive("linepenalty", assign_int, int_base + line_penalty_code);
  primitive("hyphenpenalty", assign_int, int_base + hyphen_penalty_code);
  primitive("exhyphenpenalty", assign\_int, int\_base + ex\_hyphen\_penalty\_code);
  primitive("clubpenalty", assign_int, int_base + club_penalty_code);
  primitive("widowpenalty", assign_int, int_base + widow_penalty_code);
  primitive("displaywidowpenalty", assign_int, int_base + display_widow_penalty_code);
  primitive("brokenpenalty", assign_int, int_base + broken_penalty_code);
  primitive("binoppenalty", assign_int, int_base + bin_op_penalty_code);
  primitive("relpenalty", assign_int, int_base + rel_penalty_code);
  primitive("predisplaypenalty", assign_int, int_base + pre_display_penalty_code);
  primitive("postdisplaypenalty", assign_int, int_base + post_display_penalty_code);
  primitive("interlinepenalty", assign_int, int_base + inter_line_penalty_code);
  primitive("doublehyphendemerits", assign\_int, int\_base + double\_hyphen\_demerits\_code);
  primitive("finalhyphendemerits", assign_int, int_base + final_hyphen_demerits_code);
  primitive("adjdemerits", assign\_int, int\_base + adj\_demerits\_code);
  primitive("mag", assign\_int, int\_base + mag\_code);
  primitive("delimiterfactor", assign_int, int_base + delimiter_factor_code);
  primitive("looseness", assign\_int, int\_base + looseness\_code);
  primitive("time", assign_int, int_base + time_code);
  primitive("day", assign\_int, int\_base + day\_code);
  primitive("month", assign_int, int_base + month_code);
  primitive("year", assign\_int, int\_base + year\_code);
  primitive("showboxbreadth", assign\_int, int\_base + show\_box\_breadth\_code);
  primitive("showboxdepth", assign\_int, int\_base + show\_box\_depth\_code);
  primitive("hbadness", assign\_int, int\_base + hbadness\_code);
  primitive("vbadness", assign\_int, int\_base + vbadness\_code);
  primitive("pausing", assign_int, int_base + pausing_code);
  primitive("tracingonline", assign_int, int_base + tracing_online_code);
  primitive("tracingmacros", assign_int, int_base + tracing_macros_code);
  primitive("tracingstats", assign_int, int_base + tracing_stats_code);
  primitive("tracingparagraphs", assign_int, int_base + tracing_paragraphs_code);
  primitive("tracingpages", assign_int, int_base + tracing_pages_code);
  primitive("tracingoutput", assign_int, int_base + tracing_output_code);
  primitive("tracinglostchars", assign\_int, int\_base + tracing\_lost\_chars\_code);
  primitive("tracingcommands", assign_int, int_base + tracing_commands_code);
  primitive("tracingrestores", assign\_int, int\_base + tracing\_restores\_code);
  primitive("uchyph", assign\_int, int\_base + uc\_hyph\_code);
  primitive("outputpenalty", assign_int, int_base + output_penalty_code);
  primitive("maxdeadcycles", assign_int, int_base + max_dead_cycles_code);
  primitive("hangafter", assign_int, int_base + hang_after_code);
  primitive("floatingpenalty", assign_int, int_base + floating_penalty_code);
  primitive("globaldefs", assign\_int, int\_base + global\_defs\_code);
  primitive("fam", assign\_int, int\_base + cur\_fam\_code);
  primitive("escapechar", assign\_int, int\_base + escape\_char\_code);
  primitive ("defaulthyphenchar", assign\_int, int\_base + default\_hyphen\_char\_code);
  primitive("defaultskewchar", assign_int, int_base + default_skew_char_code);
  primitive("endlinechar", assign_int, int_base + end_line_char_code);
  primitive("newlinechar", assign_int, int_base + new_line_char_code);
```

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primitive("language", assign\_int, int\_base + language\_code);
  primitive("lefthyphenmin", assign\_int, int\_base + left\_hyphen\_min\_code);
  primitive("righthyphenmin", assign\_int, int\_base + right\_hyphen\_min\_code);
  primitive("holdinginserts", assign_int, int_base + holding_inserts_code);
  primitive("errorcontextlines", assign_int, int_base + error_context_lines_code);
239. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
assign\_int: if chr\_code < count\_base then print\_param(chr\_code - int\_base)
  else begin print_esc("count"); print_int(chr_code - count_base);
     end:
       The integer parameters should really be initialized by a macro package; the following initialization
does the minimum to keep T<sub>E</sub>X from complete failure.
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  for k \leftarrow int\_base to del\_code\_base - 1 do eqtb[k].int \leftarrow 0;
  mag \leftarrow 1000; tolerance \leftarrow 10000; hanq\_after \leftarrow 1; max\_dead\_cycles \leftarrow 25; escape\_char \leftarrow "\";
  end\_line\_char \leftarrow carriage\_return;
  for k \leftarrow 0 to 255 do del\_code(k) \leftarrow -1;
  del\_code(".") \leftarrow 0; { this null delimiter is used in error recovery }
        The following procedure, which is called just before T<sub>F</sub>X initializes its input and output, establishes
the initial values of the date and time. Since standard Pascal cannot provide such information, something
special is needed. The program here simply assumes that suitable values appear in the global variables
sys_time, sys_day, sys_month, and sys_year (which are initialized to noon on 4 July 1776, in case the
implementor is careless).
procedure fix_date_and_time;
  begin sys\_time \leftarrow 12*60; sys\_day \leftarrow 4; sys\_month \leftarrow 7; sys\_year \leftarrow 1776; {self-evident truths}
  time \leftarrow sys\_time;  { minutes since midnight }
  day \leftarrow sys\_day; { day of the month }
  month \leftarrow sys\_month; \{ month of the year \}
  year \leftarrow sys\_year; \{ Anno Domini \}
  end:
242.
        \langle \text{Show equivalent } n, \text{ in region 5 } 242 \rangle \equiv
  begin if n < count\_base then print\_param(n - int\_base)
  else if n < del\_code\_base then
       begin print\_esc("count"); print\_int(n - count\_base);
     else begin print\_esc("delcode"); print\_int(n - del\_code\_base);
  print_char("="); print_int(eqtb[n].int);
  end
This code is used in section 252.
243. \langle Set variable c to the current escape character 243\rangle \equiv
  c \leftarrow escape\_char
This code is used in section 63.
       \langle Character s is the current new-line character 244\rangle \equiv
  s = new\_line\_char
This code is used in sections 58 and 59.
```

245. TeX is occasionally supposed to print diagnostic information that goes only into the transcript file, unless tracing\_online is positive. Here are two routines that adjust the destination of print commands:

```
procedure begin_diagnostic; { prepare to do some tracing }
  begin old\_setting \leftarrow selector;
  if (tracing\_online \leq 0) \land (selector = term\_and\_log) then
    begin decr(selector);
    if history = spotless then history \leftarrow warning\_issued;
    end;
  end;
procedure end_diagnostic(blank_line : boolean); { restore proper conditions after tracing }
  begin print_nl("");
  if blank_line then print_ln;
  selector \leftarrow old\_setting;
  end;
246.
       Of course we had better declare a few more global variables, if the previous routines are going to
work.
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
old_setting: 0 .. max_selector;
sys_time, sys_day, sys_month, sys_year: integer; { date and time supplied by external system }
```

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247.
        The final region of eqtb contains the dimension parameters defined here, and the 256 \dimen registers.
  define par\_indent\_code = 0 { indentation of paragraphs }
  define math\_surround\_code = 1 { space around math in text }
  define line\_skip\_limit\_code = 2 { threshold for line\_skip instead of baseline\_skip }
  \mathbf{define}\ \mathit{hsize\_code} = 3 \quad \{\, \mathsf{line}\ \mathsf{width}\ \mathsf{in}\ \mathsf{horizontal}\ \mathsf{mode}\,\}
  \mathbf{define}\ \textit{vsize\_code} = 4 \quad \{\, \mathsf{page}\ \mathsf{height}\ \mathsf{in}\ \mathsf{vertical}\ \mathsf{mode}\,\}
  define max\_depth\_code = 5 { maximum depth of boxes on main pages }
  define split\_max\_depth\_code = 6 { maximum depth of boxes on split pages }
  define box_max_depth_code = 7 { maximum depth of explicit vboxes }
  define hfuzz\_code = 8 { tolerance for overfull hbox messages }
  define vfuzz\_code = 9 { tolerance for overfull vbox messages }
  define delimiter\_shortfall\_code = 10 { maximum amount uncovered by variable delimiters }
  define null\_delimiter\_space\_code = 11 { blank space in null delimiters }
  define script\_space\_code = 12 { extra space after subscript or superscript }
  define pre\_display\_size\_code = 13 { length of text preceding a display }
  define display\_width\_code = 14  { length of line for displayed equation }
  define display_indent_code = 15 { indentation of line for displayed equation }
  define overfull\_rule\_code = 16 { width of rule that identifies overfull hboxes }
  define hang\_indent\_code = 17 { amount of hanging indentation }
  define h\_offset\_code = 18 { amount of horizontal offset when shipping pages out }
  define v_{\text{-}} offset_{\text{-}} code = 19 { amount of vertical offset when shipping pages out }
  define emergency\_stretch\_code = 20 { reduces badnesses on final pass of line-breaking }
  define dimen\_pars = 21 { total number of dimension parameters }
  define scaled\_base = dimen\_base + dimen\_pars { table of 256 user-defined \dimen registers }
  define eqtb\_size = scaled\_base + 255 { largest subscript of eqtb }
  define dimen(\#) \equiv eqtb[scaled\_base + \#].sc
  define dimen\_par(\#) \equiv eqtb[dimen\_base + \#].sc { a scaled quantity }
  define par\_indent \equiv dimen\_par(par\_indent\_code)
  \mathbf{define} \ \mathit{math\_surround} \equiv \mathit{dimen\_par}(\mathit{math\_surround\_code})
  define line\_skip\_limit \equiv dimen\_par(line\_skip\_limit\_code)
  define hsize \equiv dimen\_par(hsize\_code)
  define vsize \equiv dimen\_par(vsize\_code)
  define max\_depth \equiv dimen\_par(max\_depth\_code)
  define split\_max\_depth \equiv dimen\_par(split\_max\_depth\_code)
  define box_max_depth \equiv dimen_par(box_max_depth_code)
  define hfuzz \equiv dimen\_par(hfuzz\_code)
  define vfuzz \equiv dimen\_par(vfuzz\_code)
  define delimiter\_shortfall \equiv dimen\_par(delimiter\_shortfall\_code)
  define null\_delimiter\_space \equiv dimen\_par(null\_delimiter\_space\_code)
  define script\_space \equiv dimen\_par(script\_space\_code)
  define pre\_display\_size \equiv dimen\_par(pre\_display\_size\_code)
  define display\_width \equiv dimen\_par(display\_width\_code)
  define display\_indent \equiv dimen\_par(display\_indent\_code)
  define overfull\_rule \equiv dimen\_par(overfull\_rule\_code)
  define hang\_indent \equiv dimen\_par(hang\_indent\_code)
  define h\_offset \equiv dimen\_par(h\_offset\_code)
  define v\_offset \equiv dimen\_par(v\_offset\_code)
  define emergency\_stretch \equiv dimen\_par(emergency\_stretch\_code)
procedure print\_length\_param(n:integer);
  begin case n of
  par_indent_code: print_esc("parindent");
  math_surround_code: print_esc("mathsurround");
```

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line_skip_limit_code: print_esc("lineskiplimit");
  hsize_code: print_esc("hsize");
  vsize_code: print_esc("vsize");
  max_depth_code: print_esc("maxdepth");
  split_max_depth_code: print_esc("splitmaxdepth");
  box_max_depth_code: print_esc("boxmaxdepth");
  hfuzz_code: print_esc("hfuzz");
  vfuzz_code: print_esc("vfuzz");
  delimiter_shortfall_code: print_esc("delimitershortfall");
  null_delimiter_space_code: print_esc("nulldelimiterspace");
  script_space_code: print_esc("scriptspace");
  pre_display_size_code: print_esc("predisplaysize");
  display_width_code: print_esc("displaywidth");
  display_indent_code: print_esc("displayindent");
  overfull_rule_code: print_esc("overfullrule");
  hang_indent_code: print_esc("hangindent");
  h_offset_code: print_esc("hoffset");
  v_offset_code: print_esc("voffset");
  emergency_stretch_code: print_esc("emergencystretch");
  othercases print("[unknown_dimen_parameter!]")
  endcases;
  end:
248.
       \langle \text{Put each of T}_{E}X\text{'s primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("parindent", assign_dimen, dimen_base + par_indent_code);
  primitive("mathsurround", assign_dimen, dimen_base + math_surround_code);
  primitive("lineskiplimit", assiqn_dimen, dimen_base + line_skip_limit_code);
  primitive ("hsize", assign\_dimen, dimen\_base + hsize\_code);
  primitive("vsize", assign_dimen, dimen_base + vsize_code);
  primitive("maxdepth", assign_dimen, dimen_base + max_depth_code);
  primitive("splitmaxdepth", assign_dimen, dimen_base + split_max_depth_code);
  primitive("boxmaxdepth", assign\_dimen, dimen\_base + box\_max\_depth\_code);
  primitive("hfuzz", assign_dimen, dimen_base + hfuzz_code);
  primitive("vfuzz", assign_dimen, dimen_base + vfuzz_code);
  primitive("delimitershortfall", assign_dimen, dimen_base + delimiter_shortfall_code);
  primitive("nulldelimiterspace", assign_dimen, dimen_base + null_delimiter_space_code);
  primitive("scriptspace", assign_dimen, dimen_base + script_space_code);
  primitive("predisplaysize", assign_dimen, dimen_base + pre_display_size_code);
  primitive("displaywidth", assign\_dimen, dimen\_base + display\_width\_code);
  primitive("displayindent", assign_dimen, dimen_base + display_indent_code);
  primitive("overfullrule", assign_dimen, dimen_base + overfull_rule_code);
  primitive("hangindent", assign_dimen, dimen_base + hang_indent_code);
  primitive("hoffset", assign\_dimen, dimen\_base + h\_offset\_code);
  primitive("voffset", assign\_dimen, dimen\_base + v\_offset\_code);
  primitive("emergencystretch", assign_dimen, dimen_base + emergency_stretch_code);
249. \langle Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227 \rangle + \equiv
assign_dimen: if chr_code < scaled_base then print_length_param(chr_code - dimen_base)
  else begin print_esc("dimen"); print_int(chr_code - scaled_base);
    end:
```

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\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  for k \leftarrow dimen\_base to eqtb\_size do eqtb[k].sc \leftarrow 0;
251. \langle Show equivalent n, in region 6 251 \rangle \equiv
  begin if n < scaled\_base then print\_length\_param(n - dimen\_base)
  else begin print\_esc("dimen"); print\_int(n - scaled\_base);
  print_char("="); print_scaled(eqtb[n].sc); print("pt");
  end
This code is used in section 252.
        Here is a procedure that displays the contents of eqtb[n] symbolically.
(Declare the procedure called print_cmd_chr 298)
  stat procedure show\_eqtb(n:pointer);
  begin if n < active\_base then print\_char("?") { this can't happen }
  else if n < glue\_base then \langle Show equivalent n, in region 1 or 2 223\rangle
     else if n < local\_base then \langle Show equivalent n, in region 3 229\rangle
       else if n < int\_base then \langle Show equivalent n, in region 4 233\rangle
          else if n < dimen_base then \langle Show equivalent n, in region 5 242\rangle
             else if n \leq eqtb\_size then \langle Show equivalent n, in region 6 251\rangle
               else print_char("?"); { this can't happen either }
  end;
  tats
        The last two regions of eqtb have fullword values instead of the three fields eq_level, eq_type, and
equiv. An eq-type is unnecessary, but T<sub>F</sub>X needs to store the eq-level information in another array called
xeq\_level.
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
eqtb: array [active_base .. eqtb_size] of memory_word;
xeq_level: array [int_base .. eqtb_size] of quarterword;
      \langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle +\equiv
254.
  for k \leftarrow int\_base to eqtb\_size do xeq\_level[k] \leftarrow level\_one;
      When the debugging routine search_mem is looking for pointers having a given value, it is interested
only in regions 1 to 3 of eqtb, and in the first part of region 4.
\langle \text{ Search } eqtb \text{ for equivalents equal to } p \text{ 255} \rangle \equiv
  for q \leftarrow active\_base to box\_base + 255 do
     begin if equiv(q) = p then
       begin print_nl("EQUIV("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
       end:
     end
This code is used in section 172.
```

**256.** The hash table. Control sequences are stored and retrieved by means of a fairly standard hash table algorithm called the method of "coalescing lists" (cf. Algorithm 6.4C in *The Art of Computer Programming*). Once a control sequence enters the table, it is never removed, because there are complicated situations involving \gdef where the removal of a control sequence at the end of a group would be a mistake preventable only by the introduction of a complicated reference-count mechanism.

The actual sequence of letters forming a control sequence identifier is stored in the  $str\_pool$  array together with all the other strings. An auxiliary array hash consists of items with two halfword fields per word. The first of these, called next(p), points to the next identifier belonging to the same coalesced list as the identifier corresponding to p; and the other, called text(p), points to the  $str\_start$  entry for p's identifier. If position p of the hash table is empty, we have text(p) = 0; if position p is either empty or the end of a coalesced hash list, we have next(p) = 0. An auxiliary pointer variable called  $hash\_used$  is maintained in such a way that all locations  $p \ge hash\_used$  are nonempty. The global variable  $cs\_count$  tells how many multiletter control sequences have been defined, if statistics are being kept.

A global boolean variable called *no\_new\_control\_sequence* is set to *true* during the time that new hash table entries are forbidden.

```
define next(\#) \equiv hash[\#].lh
                                     { link for coalesced lists }
  define text(\#) \equiv hash[\#].rh { string number for control sequence name }
  define hash\_is\_full \equiv (hash\_used = hash\_base) { test if all positions are occupied }
  define font\_id\_text(\#) \equiv text(font\_id\_base + \#) { a frozen font identifier's name }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
hash: array [hash_base .. undefined_control_sequence - 1] of two_halves; { the hash table }
hash_used: pointer; { allocation pointer for hash }
no_new_control_sequence: boolean; { are new identifiers legal? }
cs_count: integer; { total number of known identifiers }
       \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  no\_new\_control\_sequence \leftarrow true; { new identifiers are usually forbidden }
  next(hash\_base) \leftarrow 0; text(hash\_base) \leftarrow 0;
  for k \leftarrow hash\_base + 1 to undefined\_control\_sequence - 1 do hash[k] \leftarrow hash[hash\_base];
258. (Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164 +\equiv
  hash\_used \leftarrow frozen\_control\_sequence;  { nothing is used }
  cs\_count \leftarrow 0; \ eq\_type(frozen\_dont\_expand) \leftarrow dont\_expand;
  text(frozen\_dont\_expand) \leftarrow "notexpanded:";
```

**259.** Here is the subroutine that searches the hash table for an identifier that matches a given string of length l > 1 appearing in buffer[j ... (j+l-1)]. If the identifier is found, the corresponding hash table address is returned. Otherwise, if the global variable  $no\_new\_control\_sequence$  is true, the dummy address  $undefined\_control\_sequence$  is returned. Otherwise the identifier is inserted into the hash table and its location is returned.

```
function id\_lookup(j, l : integer): pointer; { search the hash table }
  label found; { go here if you found it }
  var h: integer; \{ hash code \}
     d: integer; { number of characters in incomplete current string }
     p: pointer; { index in hash array }
     k: pointer; { index in buffer array }
  begin \langle Compute the hash code h 261\rangle;
  p \leftarrow h + hash\_base; { we start searching here; note that 0 \le h < hash\_prime }
  loop begin if text(p) > 0 then
       if length(text(p)) = l then
         if str_{-}eq_{-}buf(text(p), j) then goto found;
     if next(p) = 0 then
       begin if no\_new\_control\_sequence then p \leftarrow undefined\_control\_sequence
       else (Insert a new control sequence after p, then make p point to it 260);
       goto found;
       end;
     p \leftarrow next(p);
     end;
found: id\_lookup \leftarrow p;
  end:
260. (Insert a new control sequence after p, then make p point to it 260) \equiv
  begin if text(p) > 0 then
     begin repeat if hash_is_full then overflow("hash_size", hash_size);
       decr(hash\_used);
     until text(hash\_used) = 0; { search for an empty location in hash }
     next(p) \leftarrow hash\_used; \ p \leftarrow hash\_used;
     end;
  str\_room(l); d \leftarrow cur\_length;
  while pool_ptr > str_start[str_ptr] do
     begin decr(pool\_ptr); str\_pool[pool\_ptr + l] \leftarrow str\_pool[pool\_ptr];
     end; { move current string up to make room for another }
  for k \leftarrow j to j + l - 1 do append_char(buffer[k]);
  text(p) \leftarrow make\_string; pool\_ptr \leftarrow pool\_ptr + d;
  stat incr(cs\_count); tats
  end
```

This code is used in section 259.

**261.** The value of hash\_prime should be roughly 85% of hash\_size, and it should be a prime number. The theory of hashing tells us to expect fewer than two table probes, on the average, when the search is successful. [See J. S. Vitter, Journal of the ACM **30** (1983), 231–258.]

```
 \begin{split} &\langle \, \text{Compute the hash code} \,\, h \,\, 261 \, \rangle \equiv \\ &h \leftarrow buf\!f\!er[j]; \\ &\textbf{for} \,\, k \leftarrow j + 1 \,\, \textbf{to} \,\, j + l - 1 \,\, \textbf{do} \\ &\textbf{begin} \,\, h \leftarrow h + h + buf\!f\!er[k]; \\ &\textbf{while} \,\, h \geq hash\_prime \,\, \textbf{do} \,\, h \leftarrow h - hash\_prime; \\ &\textbf{end} \end{split}
```

This code is used in section 259.

**262.** Single-character control sequences do not need to be looked up in a hash table, since we can use the character code itself as a direct address. The procedure *print\_cs* prints the name of a control sequence, given a pointer to its address in *eqtb*. A space is printed after the name unless it is a single nonletter or an active character. This procedure might be invoked with invalid data, so it is "extra robust." The individual characters must be printed one at a time using *print*, since they may be unprintable.

```
 \langle \text{Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv \\ \textbf{procedure } print\_cs(p:integer); \quad \{ \text{prints a purported control sequence} \} \\ \textbf{begin if } p < hash\_base \textbf{ then} \quad \{ \text{single character} \} \\ \textbf{if } p \geq single\_base \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{if } p = null\_cs \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{begin } print\_esc("csname"); \quad print\_esc("endcsname"); \quad print\_char("_\_"); \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else begin } print\_esc(p - single\_base); \\ \textbf{if } cat\_code(p - single\_base) = letter \textbf{ then } print\_char("_\_"); \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else if } p < active\_base \textbf{ then } print\_esc("IMPOSSIBLE.") \\ \textbf{else } print(p - active\_base) \\ \textbf{else if } p \geq undefined\_control\_sequence \textbf{ then } print\_esc("IMPOSSIBLE.") \\ \textbf{else if } (text(p) < 0) \lor (text(p) \geq str\_ptr) \textbf{ then } print\_esc("NONEXISTENT.") \\ \textbf{else begin } print\_esc(text(p)); \quad print\_char("_\_"); \\ \textbf{end;} \\ \textbf{end;} \end{aligned}
```

**263.** Here is a similar procedure; it avoids the error checks, and it never prints a space after the control sequence.

```
 \langle \text{ Basic printing procedures } 57 \rangle + \equiv \\ \textbf{procedure } sprint\_cs(p:pointer); \quad \{ \text{ prints a control sequence} \} \\ \textbf{begin if } p < hash\_base \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{if } p < single\_base \textbf{ then } print(p-active\_base) \\ \textbf{else if } p < null\_cs \textbf{ then } print\_esc(p-single\_base) \\ \textbf{else begin } print\_esc("csname"); \quad print\_esc("endcsname"); \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else } print\_esc(text(p)); \\ \textbf{end}; \end{aligned}
```

**264.** We need to put TEX's "primitive" control sequences into the hash table, together with their command code (which will be the  $eq\_type$ ) and an operand (which will be the equiv). The primitive procedure does this, in a way that no TEX user can. The global value  $cur\_val$  contains the new eqtb pointer after primitive has acted.

```
 \begin{array}{ll} \textbf{init procedure} \ primitive(s:str\_number;\ c:quarterword;\ o:halfword); \\ \textbf{var}\ k:\ pool\_pointer;\ \left\{\ \text{index into}\ buffer\right\} \\ j:\ small\_number;\ \left\{\ \text{length of the string}\right\} \\ \textbf{begin if}\ s<256\ \textbf{then}\ cur\_val \leftarrow s+single\_base \\ \textbf{else begin}\ k \leftarrow str\_start[s];\ l \leftarrow str\_start[s+1]-k;\ \left\{\ \text{we will move}\ s\ \text{into}\ \text{the}\ (\text{empty})\ buffer\ \right\} \\ \textbf{for}\ j \leftarrow 0\ \textbf{to}\ l-1\ \textbf{do}\ buffer[j] \leftarrow so(str\_pool[k+j]); \\ cur\_val \leftarrow id\_lookup(0,l);\ \left\{\ no\_new\_control\_sequence\ \text{is}\ false\ \right\} \\ flush\_string;\ text(cur\_val) \leftarrow s;\ \left\{\ \text{we don't want to have the string twice}\ \right\} \\ \textbf{end}; \\ eq\_level(cur\_val) \leftarrow level\_one;\ eq\_type(cur\_val) \leftarrow c;\ equiv(cur\_val) \leftarrow o; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{tini} \end{aligned}
```

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**265.** Many of  $T_EX$ 's primitives need no equiv, since they are identifiable by their  $eq_-type$  alone. These primitives are loaded into the hash table as follows:

```
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +\equiv
  primitive("_{\sqcup}", ex\_space, 0);
  primitive("/", ital_corr, 0);
  primitive("accent", accent, 0);
  primitive("advance", advance, 0);
  primitive("afterassignment", after_assignment, 0);
  primitive("aftergroup", after_group, 0);
  primitive("begingroup", begin_group, 0);
  primitive("char", char_num, 0);
  primitive("csname", cs_name, 0);
  primitive("delimiter", delim_num, 0);
  primitive("divide", divide, 0);
  primitive("endcsname", end_cs_name, 0);
  primitive("endgroup", end\_group, 0); text(frozen\_end\_group) \leftarrow "endgroup";
  eqtb[frozen\_end\_group] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_val];
  primitive("expandafter", expand_after, 0);
  primitive("font", def_font, 0);
  primitive("fontdimen", assign_font_dimen, 0);
  primitive("halign", halign, 0);
  primitive("hrule", hrule, 0);
  primitive("ignorespaces", ignore_spaces, 0);
  primitive("insert", insert, 0);
  primitive("mark", mark, 0);
  primitive("mathaccent", math_accent, 0);
  primitive("mathchar", math_char_num, 0);
  primitive("mathchoice", math_choice, 0);
  primitive (\verb"multiply", multiply", 0);\\
  primitive("noalign", no_align, 0);
  primitive("noboundary", no_boundary, 0);
  primitive("noexpand", no_expand, 0);
  primitive("nonscript", non\_script, 0);
  primitive("omit", omit, 0);
  primitive("parshape", set_shape, 0);
  primitive("penalty", break_penalty, 0);
  primitive("prevgraf", set_prev_graf, 0);
  primitive("radical", radical, 0);
  primitive("read", read_to_cs, 0);
  primitive("relax", relax, 256); { cf. scan_file_name }
  text(frozen\_relax) \leftarrow "relax"; eqtb[frozen\_relax] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_val];
  primitive("setbox", set_box, 0);
  primitive("the", the, 0);
  primitive("toks", toks_register, 0);
  primitive("vadjust", vadjust, 0);
  primitive("valign", valign, 0);
  primitive("vcenter", vcenter, 0);
  primitive("vrule", vrule, 0);
```

**266.** Each primitive has a corresponding inverse, so that it is possible to display the cryptic numeric contents of *eqtb* in symbolic form. Every call of *primitive* in this program is therefore accompanied by some straightforward code that forms part of the *print\_cmd\_chr* routine below.

```
\langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
accent: print_esc("accent");
advance: print_esc("advance");
after_assignment: print_esc("afterassignment");
after_group: print_esc("aftergroup");
assign_font_dimen: print_esc("fontdimen");
begin_group: print_esc("begingroup");
break_penalty: print_esc("penalty");
char_num: print_esc("char");
cs_name: print_esc("csname");
def_font: print_esc("font");
delim_num: print_esc("delimiter");
divide: print_esc("divide");
end_cs_name: print_esc("endcsname");
end\_group \colon \ print\_esc("\verb"endgroup");
ex\_space: print\_esc("_{\sqcup}");
expand_after: print_esc("expandafter");
halign: print_esc("halign");
hrule: print_esc("hrule");
ignore_spaces: print_esc("ignorespaces");
insert: print_esc("insert");
ital_corr: print_esc("/");
mark: print_esc("mark");
math_accent: print_esc("mathaccent");
math_char_num: print_esc("mathchar");
math_choice: print_esc("mathchoice");
multiply: print_esc("multiply");
no_align: print_esc("noalign");
no_boundary: print_esc("noboundary");
no_expand: print_esc("noexpand");
non_script: print_esc("nonscript");
omit: print_esc("omit");
radical: print_esc("radical");
read_to_cs: print_esc("read");
relax: print_esc("relax");
set_box: print_esc("setbox");
set_prev_graf: print_esc("prevgraf");
set_shape: print_esc("parshape");
the: print_esc("the");
toks_register: print_esc("toks");
vadjust: print_esc("vadjust");
valign: print_esc("valign");
vcenter: print_esc("vcenter");
vrule: print_esc("vrule");
```

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**267.** We will deal with the other primitives later, at some point in the program where their eq\_type and equiv values are more meaningful. For example, the primitives for math mode will be loaded when we consider the routines that deal with formulas. It is easy to find where each particular primitive was treated by looking in the index at the end; for example, the section where "radical" entered eqtb is listed under '\radical primitive'. (Primitives consisting of a single nonalphabetic character, like '\',' are listed under 'Single-character primitives'.)

Meanwhile, this is a convenient place to catch up on something we were unable to do before the hash table was defined:

```
\langle \text{ Print the font identifier for } font(p) | 267 \rangle \equiv print\_esc(font\_id\_text(font(p)))
```

This code is used in sections 174 and 176.

**268.** Saving and restoring equivalents. The nested structure provided by '{...}' groups in TEX means that *eqtb* entries valid in outer groups should be saved and restored later if they are overridden inside the braces. When a new *eqtb* value is being assigned, the program therefore checks to see if the previous entry belongs to an outer level. In such a case, the old value is placed on the *save\_stack* just before the new value enters *eqtb*. At the end of a grouping level, i.e., when the right brace is sensed, the *save\_stack* is used to restore the outer values, and the inner ones are destroyed.

Entries on the  $save\_stack$  are of type  $memory\_word$ . The top item on this stack is  $save\_stack[p]$ , where  $p = save\_ptr - 1$ ; it contains three fields called  $save\_type$ ,  $save\_level$ , and  $save\_index$ , and it is interpreted in one of four ways:

- 1) If  $save\_type(p) = restore\_old\_value$ , then  $save\_index(p)$  is a location in eqtb whose current value should be destroyed at the end of the current group and replaced by  $save\_stack[p-1]$ . Furthermore if  $save\_index(p) \ge int\_base$ , then  $save\_level(p)$  should replace the corresponding entry in  $xeq\_level$ .
- 2) If  $save\_type(p) = restore\_zero$ , then  $save\_index(p)$  is a location in eqtb whose current value should be destroyed at the end of the current group, when it should be replaced by the value of  $eqtb[undefined\_control\_sequence]$ .
- 3) If  $save\_type(p) = insert\_token$ , then  $save\_index(p)$  is a token that should be inserted into TEX's input when the current group ends.
- 4) If  $save\_type(p) = level\_boundary$ , then  $save\_level(p)$  is a code explaining what kind of group we were previously in, and  $save\_index(p)$  points to the level boundary word at the bottom of the entries for that group.

```
 \begin{array}{ll} \textbf{define} \ save\_type(\#) \equiv save\_stack \, [\#].hh.b0 & \{ \ classifies \ a \ save\_stack \ entry \} \\ \textbf{define} \ save\_level(\#) \equiv save\_stack \, [\#].hh.b1 & \{ \ save \ level \ for \ regions \ 5 \ and \ 6, \ or \ group \ code \} \\ \textbf{define} \ save\_index(\#) \equiv save\_stack \, [\#].hh.rh & \{ \ eqtb \ location \ or \ token \ or \ save\_stack \ location \} \\ \textbf{define} \ restore\_old\_value = 0 & \{ \ save\_type \ when \ a \ value \ should \ be \ restored \ later \} \\ \textbf{define} \ restore\_zero = 1 & \{ \ save\_type \ when \ a \ token \ is \ being \ saved \ for \ later \ use \} \\ \textbf{define} \ level\_boundary = 3 & \{ \ save\_type \ corresponding \ to \ beginning \ of \ group \} \\ \end{aligned}
```

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**269.** Here are the group codes that are used to discriminate between different kinds of groups. They allow T<sub>F</sub>X to decide what special actions, if any, should be performed when a group ends.

Some groups are not supposed to be ended by right braces. For example, the '\$' that begins a math formula causes a *math\_shift\_group* to be started, and this should be terminated by a matching '\$'. Similarly, a group that starts with \left should end with \right, and one that starts with \begingroup should end with \endgroup.

```
define bottom\_level = 0 { group code for the outside world }
  define simple\_group = 1 { group code for local structure only }
  define hbox\_group = 2  { code for '\hbox{...}'}
  define adjusted\_hbox\_group = 3  { code for '\hbox{...}' in vertical mode }
  define vbox\_group = 4  { code for '\vbox{...}'}
  define vtop\_group = 5  { code for '\vtop{...}' }
  define align\_group = 6 { code for '\halign{...}', '\valign{...}'}
  define no\_align\_group = 7  { code for '\noalign{...}' }
  define output\_group = 8  { code for output routine }
  define math\_group = 9  { code for, e.g., '^{\cdot}{...}'}
  define disc\_group = 10  { code for '\discretionary{...}{...}' }
  define insert\_group = 11  { code for '\insert{...}', '\vadjust{...}'}
  define vcenter\_group = 12  { code for '\vcenter{...}' }
  define math\_choice\_group = 13  {code for '\mathchoice{...}{...}{...}'}
  define semi\_simple\_group = 14  { code for '\begingroup...\endgroup'}
  define math\_shift\_group = 15  { code for '$...$'}
  define math\_left\_group = 16  { code for '\left...\right'}
  define max\_group\_code = 16
\langle \text{Types in the outer block } 18 \rangle + \equiv
  group\_code = 0 \dots max\_group\_code; \{ save\_level \text{ for a level boundary } \}
```

**270.** The global variable *cur\_group* keeps track of what sort of group we are currently in. Another global variable, *cur\_boundary*, points to the topmost *level\_boundary* word. And *cur\_level* is the current depth of nesting. The routines are designed to preserve the condition that no entry in the *save\_stack* or in *eqtb* ever has a level greater than *cur\_level*.

```
271. \langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv save_stack: array [0.. save_size] of memory_word; save_ptr: 0.. save_size; {first unused entry on save_stack} max_save_stack: 0.. save_size; {maximum usage of save stack} cur_level: quarterword; {current nesting level for groups} cur_group: group_code; {current group type} cur_boundary: 0.. save_size; {where the current level begins}
```

**272.** At this time it might be a good idea for the reader to review the introduction to *eqtb* that was given above just before the long lists of parameter names. Recall that the "outer level" of the program is *level\_one*, since undefined control sequences are assumed to be "defined" at *level\_zero*.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle +\equiv save_ptr \leftarrow 0; cur_level \leftarrow level_one; cur_group \leftarrow bottom_level; cur_boundary \leftarrow 0; max_save_stack \leftarrow 0;
```

**273.** The following macro is used to test if there is room for up to six more entries on *save\_stack*. By making a conservative test like this, we can get by with testing for overflow in only a few places.

```
\label{eq:define} \begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ \ check\_full\_save\_stack \equiv \\ \textbf{if} \ \ save\_ptr > max\_save\_stack \ \ \textbf{then} \\ \textbf{begin} \ \ max\_save\_stack \leftarrow save\_ptr; \\ \textbf{if} \ \ max\_save\_stack > save\_size - 6 \ \textbf{then} \ \ overflow(\texttt{"save\_size"}, save\_size); \\ \textbf{end} \end{array}
```

**274.** Procedure *new\_save\_level* is called when a group begins. The argument is a group identification code like '*hbox\_group*'. After calling this routine, it is safe to put five more entries on *save\_stack*.

In some cases integer-valued items are placed onto the <code>save\_stack</code> just below a <code>level\_boundary</code> word, because this is a convenient place to keep information that is supposed to "pop up" just when the group has finished. For example, when '\hbox to 100pt{...}' is being treated, the 100pt dimension is stored on <code>save\_stack</code> just before <code>new\_save\_level</code> is called.

We use the notation saved(k) to stand for an integer item that appears in location  $save\_ptr + k$  of the save stack.

```
 \begin{aligned} & \textbf{define} \ saved(\texttt{\#}) \equiv save\_stack[save\_ptr + \texttt{\#}].int \\ & \textbf{procedure} \ new\_save\_level(c: group\_code); \ \ \{ \text{begin a new level of grouping} \} \\ & \textbf{begin} \ check\_full\_save\_stack; \ save\_type(save\_ptr) \leftarrow level\_boundary; \ save\_level(save\_ptr) \leftarrow cur\_group; \\ & save\_index(save\_ptr) \leftarrow cur\_boundary; \\ & \textbf{if} \ cur\_level = max\_quarterword \ \textbf{then} \\ & overflow(\texttt{"grouping}\_levels", max\_quarterword - min\_quarterword); \\ & \{ \text{quit if } (cur\_level + 1) \text{ is too big to be stored in } eqtb \} \\ & cur\_boundary \leftarrow save\_ptr; \ incr(cur\_level); \ incr(save\_ptr); \ cur\_group \leftarrow c; \\ & \textbf{end}; \end{aligned}
```

**275.** Just before an entry of eqtb is changed, the following procedure should be called to update the other data structures properly. It is important to keep in mind that reference counts in mem include references from within  $save\_stack$ , so these counts must be handled carefully.

```
procedure eq\_destroy(w:memory\_word); { gets ready to forget w } var q: pointer; { equiv field of w } begin case eq\_type\_field(w) of call, long\_call, outer\_call, long\_outer\_call: delete\_token\_ref (equiv\_field(w)); glue\_ref: delete\_glue\_ref (equiv\_field(w)); shape\_ref: begin q \leftarrow equiv\_field(w); { we need to free a `parshape block } if q \neq null then free\_node(q, info(q) + info(q) + 1); end; { such a block is 2n + 1 words long, where n = info(q) } box\_ref: flush\_node\_list(equiv\_field(w)); othercases do\_nothing endcases; end;
```

**276.** To save a value of eqtb[p] that was established at level l, we can use the following subroutine.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{procedure} \ eq\_save (p:pointer; \ l:quarterword); \quad \{ \ saves \ eqtb[p] \} \\ \textbf{begin} \ check\_full\_save\_stack; \\ \textbf{if} \ l = level\_zero \ \textbf{then} \ save\_type (save\_ptr) \leftarrow restore\_zero \\ \textbf{else} \ \textbf{begin} \ save\_stack[save\_ptr] \leftarrow eqtb[p]; \ incr(save\_ptr); \ save\_type (save\_ptr) \leftarrow restore\_old\_value; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ save\_level (save\_ptr) \leftarrow l; \ save\_index (save\_ptr) \leftarrow p; \ incr (save\_ptr); \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \end{array}
```

277. The procedure eq\_define defines an eqtb entry having specified eq\_type and equiv fields, and saves the former value if appropriate. This procedure is used only for entries in the first four regions of eqtb, i.e., only for entries that have eq\_type and equiv fields. After calling this routine, it is safe to put four more entries on save\_stack, provided that there was room for four more entries before the call, since eq\_save makes the necessary test.

```
procedure eq\_define(p:pointer; t:quarterword; e:halfword); { new data for eqtb } begin if <math>eq\_level(p) = cur\_level then eq\_destroy(eqtb[p]) else if cur\_level > level\_one then eq\_save(p, eq\_level(p)); eq\_level(p) \leftarrow cur\_level; eq\_type(p) \leftarrow t; equiv(p) \leftarrow e; end;
```

**278.** The counterpart of  $eq\_define$  for the remaining (fullword) positions in eqtb is called  $eq\_word\_define$ . Since  $xeq\_level[p] \ge level\_one$  for all p, a 'restore\\_zero' will never be used in this case.

```
procedure eq\_word\_define(p:pointer; w:integer);

begin if xeq\_level[p] \neq cur\_level then

begin eq\_save(p, xeq\_level[p]); xeq\_level[p] \leftarrow cur\_level;

end;

eqtb[p].int \leftarrow w;

end;
```

**279.** The *eq\_define* and *eq\_word\_define* routines take care of local definitions. Global definitions are done in almost the same way, but there is no need to save old values, and the new value is associated with *level\_one*.

```
procedure geq\_define(p:pointer; t:quarterword; e:halfword); { global <math>eq\_define  } begin eq\_destroy(eqtb[p]); eq\_level(p) \leftarrow level\_one; eq\_type(p) \leftarrow t; equiv(p) \leftarrow e; end;  procedure geq\_word\_define(p:pointer; w:integer); { global <math>eq\_word\_define  } begin eqtb[p].int \leftarrow w; xeq\_level[p] \leftarrow level\_one; end:
```

280. Subroutine  $save\_for\_after$  puts a token on the stack for save-keeping.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{procedure} \ save\_for\_after(t:halfword);\\ \textbf{begin if} \ \ cur\_level > level\_one \ \ \textbf{then}\\ \textbf{begin} \ \ check\_full\_save\_stack; \ \ save\_type(save\_ptr) \leftarrow insert\_token; \ \ save\_level(save\_ptr) \leftarrow level\_zero;\\ save\_index(save\_ptr) \leftarrow t; \ \ incr(save\_ptr);\\ \textbf{end};\\ \textbf{end}; \end{array}
```

**281.** The *unsave* routine goes the other way, taking items off of *save\_stack*. This routine takes care of restoration when a level ends; everything belonging to the topmost group is cleared off of the save stack.

```
\ Declare the procedure called restore_trace 284 \rangle
procedure back_input; forward;
procedure unsave; { pops the top level off the save stack }
    label done;
    var p: pointer; { position to be restored }
        l: quarterword; { saved level, if in fullword regions of eqtb }
        t: halfword; { saved value of cur_tok }
    begin if cur_level > level_one then
        begin decr(cur_level); \langle Clear off top level from save_stack 282 \rangle;
        end
        else confusion("curlevel"); { unsave is not used when cur_group = bottom_level }
        end;
```

```
\langle \text{ Clear off top level from } save\_stack | 282 \rangle \equiv
  loop begin decr(save\_ptr);
     if save\_type(save\_ptr) = level\_boundary then goto done;
     p \leftarrow save\_index(save\_ptr);
     if save\_type(save\_ptr) = insert\_token then \langle Insert token p into T_FX's input 326\rangle
     else begin if save\_type(save\_ptr) = restore\_old\_value then
          begin l \leftarrow save\_level(save\_ptr); decr(save\_ptr);
          end
        else save\_stack[save\_ptr] \leftarrow eqtb[undefined\_control\_sequence];
        \langle \text{Store } save\_stack[save\_ptr] \text{ in } eqtb[p], \text{ unless } eqtb[p] \text{ holds a global value } 283 \rangle;
     end;
done: cur\_group \leftarrow save\_level(save\_ptr); cur\_boundary \leftarrow save\_index(save\_ptr)
This code is used in section 281.
       A global definition, which sets the level to level_one, will not be undone by unsave. If at least one
global definition of eqtb[p] has been carried out within the group that just ended, the last such definition
will therefore survive.
\langle \text{Store } save\_stack[save\_ptr] \text{ in } eqtb[p], \text{ unless } eqtb[p] \text{ holds a global value } 283 \rangle \equiv
  if p < int\_base then
     if eq_level(p) = level_one then
        begin eq\_destroy(save\_stack[save\_ptr]); { destroy the saved value }
        stat if tracing_restores > 0 then restore_trace(p, "retaining");
        tats
        end
     else begin eq_{-}destroy(eqtb[p]); \{ destroy the current value \}
        eqtb[p] \leftarrow save\_stack[save\_ptr]; { restore the saved value }
        stat if tracing_restores > 0 then restore_trace(p, "restoring");
        tats
        end
  else if xeq\_level[p] \neq level\_one then
        begin eqtb[p] \leftarrow save\_stack[save\_ptr]; xeq\_level[p] \leftarrow l;
        stat if tracing_restores > 0 then restore_trace(p, "restoring");
        tats
     else begin stat if tracing_restores > 0 then restore_trace(p, "retaining");
        tats
        end
This code is used in section 282.
        \langle Declare the procedure called restore_trace 284\rangle \equiv
  stat procedure restore\_trace(p:pointer; s:str\_number); { eqtb[p] has just been restored or retained }
  begin begin\_diagnostic; print\_char("{"}); print(s); print\_char("<math>"); show\_eqtb(p); print\_char("{"});
  end\_diagnostic(false);
  end:
  tats
This code is used in section 281.
```

When looking for possible pointers to a memory location, it is helpful to look for references from eqtb that might be waiting on the save stack. Of course, we might find spurious pointers too; but this routine is merely an aid when debugging, and at such times we are grateful for any scraps of information, even if they prove to be irrelevant.

```
\langle \text{ Search } save\_stack \text{ for equivalents that point to } p \text{ 285} \rangle \equiv
  if save\_ptr > 0 then
     for q \leftarrow 0 to save_-ptr - 1 do
        begin if equiv\_field(save\_stack[q]) = p then
           begin print_nl("SAVE("); print_int(q); print_char(")");
           end:
        end
```

This code is used in section 172.

**286.** Most of the parameters kept in *eqtb* can be changed freely, but there's an exception: The magnification should not be used with two different values during any T<sub>F</sub>X job, since a single magnification is applied to an entire run. The global variable maq\_set is set to the current magnification whenever it becomes necessary to "freeze" it at a particular value.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
mag_set: integer; { if nonzero, this magnification should be used henceforth }
287. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
   mag\_set \leftarrow 0;
```

The prepare\_mag subroutine is called whenever T<sub>F</sub>X wants to use mag for magnification.

```
procedure prepare_mag;
```

```
begin if (mag\_set > 0) \land (mag \neq mag\_set) then
  begin print_err("Incompatible_magnification_("); print_int(mag); print(");");
  print_nl("_the_previous_value_will_be_retained");
  help2("I_{\sqcup}can_{\sqcup}handle_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}one_{\sqcup}magnification_{\sqcup}ratio_{\sqcup}per_{\sqcup}job._{\sqcup}So_{\sqcup}I`ve")
  ("reverted_to_the_magnification_you_used_earlier_on_this_run.");
  int\_error(mag\_set); geq\_word\_define(int\_base + mag\_code, mag\_set); \{ mag \leftarrow mag\_set \}
  end;
if (mag \le 0) \lor (mag > 32768) then
  begin print_err("Illegal_magnification_has_been_changed_to_1000");
  help1 ("The_magnification_ratio_must_be_between_1_and_32768."); int\_error(mag);
  geq\_word\_define(int\_base + mag\_code, 1000);
  end;
mag\_set \leftarrow mag;
end:
```

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**289.** Token lists. A T<sub>E</sub>X token is either a character or a control sequence, and it is represented internally in one of two ways: (1) A character whose ASCII code number is c and whose command code is m is represented as the number  $2^8m + c$ ; the command code is in the range  $1 \le m \le 14$ . (2) A control sequence whose eqtb address is p is represented as the number  $cs\_token\_flag + p$ . Here  $cs\_token\_flag = 2^{12} - 1$  is larger than  $2^8m + c$ , yet it is small enough that  $cs\_token\_flag + p < max\_halfword$ ; thus, a token fits comfortably in a halfword.

A token t represents a  $left\_brace$  command if and only if  $t < left\_brace\_limit$ ; it represents a  $right\_brace$  command if and only if we have  $left\_brace\_limit \le t < right\_brace\_limit$ ; and it represents a match or  $end\_match$  command if and only if  $match\_token \le t \le end\_match\_token$ . The following definitions take care of these token-oriented constants and a few others.

```
define cs_token_flag ≡ '7777 { amount added to the eqtb location in a token that stands for a control sequence; is a multiple of 256, less 1 }

define left_brace_token = '0400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · left_brace }

define left_brace_limit = '1000 { 2<sup>8</sup> · (left_brace + 1) }

define right_brace_token = '1000 { 2<sup>8</sup> · right_brace }

define right_brace_limit = '1400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · (right_brace + 1) }

define math_shift_token = '1400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · math_shift }

define tab_token = '2000 { 2<sup>8</sup> · tab_mark }

define out_param_token = '2400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · out_param }

define space_token = '5040 { 2<sup>8</sup> · spacer + "□" }

define letter_token = '5400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · letter }

define other_token = '6400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · other_char }

define match_token = '6400 { 2<sup>8</sup> · match }

define end_match_token = '7000 { 2<sup>8</sup> · end_match }
```

 $\textbf{if} \ \textit{cs\_token\_flag} + \textit{undefined\_control\_sequence} > \textit{max\_halfword} \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{bad} \leftarrow 21;$ 

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**291.** A token list is a singly linked list of one-word nodes in mem, where each word contains a token and a link. Macro definitions, output-routine definitions, marks, \write texts, and a few other things are remembered by  $T_{EX}$  in the form of token lists, usually preceded by a node with a reference count in its  $token\_ref\_count$  field. The token stored in location p is called info(p).

Three special commands appear in the token lists of macro definitions. When m = match, it means that T<sub>E</sub>X should scan a parameter for the current macro; when  $m = end\_match$ , it means that parameter matching should end and T<sub>E</sub>X should start reading the macro text; and when  $m = out\_param$ , it means that T<sub>E</sub>X should insert parameter number c into the text at this point.

The enclosing { and } characters of a macro definition are omitted, but an output routine will be enclosed in braces.

Here is an example macro definition that illustrates these conventions. After T<sub>E</sub>X processes the text

```
\def\mac a#1#2 \b {#1\-a ##1#2 #2}
```

the definition of \mac is represented as a token list containing

(reference count), letter a, match #, match #, spacer  $\sqcup$ , \b, end\_match, out\_param 1, \-, letter a, spacer  $\sqcup$ , mac\_param #, other\_char 1, out\_param 2, spacer  $\sqcup$ , out\_param 2.

The procedure *scan\_toks* builds such token lists, and *macro\_call* does the parameter matching. Examples such as

$$\left( \frac{m}{\left( a\right) _{\sqcup }b} \right)$$

explain why reference counts would be needed even if TEX had no \let operation: When the token list for \m is being read, the redefinition of \m changes the eqtb entry before the token list has been fully consumed, so we dare not simply destroy a token list when its control sequence is being redefined.

If the parameter-matching part of a definition ends with '#{', the corresponding token list will have '{' just before the 'end\_match' and also at the very end. The first '{' is used to delimit the parameter; the second one keeps the first from disappearing.

**292.** The procedure  $show\_token\_list$ , which prints a symbolic form of the token list that starts at a given node p, illustrates these conventions. The token list being displayed should not begin with a reference count. However, the procedure is intended to be robust, so that if the memory links are awry or if p is not really a pointer to a token list, nothing catastrophic will happen.

An additional parameter q is also given; this parameter is either null or it points to a node in the token list where a certain magic computation takes place that will be explained later. (Basically, q is non-null when we are printing the two-line context information at the time of an error message; q marks the place corresponding to where the second line should begin.)

For example, if p points to the node containing the first a in the token list above, then  $show\_token\_list$  will print the string

```
'a#1#2<sub>\(\)</sub>\b<sub>\(\)</sub>->#1\-a<sub>\(\)</sub>##1#2<sub>\(\)</sub>#2';
```

and if q points to the node containing the second a, the magic computation will be performed just before the second a is printed.

The generation will stop, and '\ETC.' will be printed, if the length of printing exceeds a given limit l. Anomalous entries are printed in the form of control sequences that are not followed by a blank space, e.g., '\BAD.'; this cannot be confused with actual control sequences because a real control sequence named BAD would come out '\BAD\_ $\sqcup$ '.

```
\langle Declare the procedure called show\_token\_list 292 \rangle \equiv
procedure show\_token\_list(p, q : integer; l : integer);
  label exit:
  var m, c: integer; { pieces of a token }
     match_chr: ASCII_code; { character used in a 'match' }
     n: ASCII_code; { the highest parameter number, as an ASCII digit }
  begin match\_chr \leftarrow "\#"; n \leftarrow "0"; tally \leftarrow 0;
  while (p \neq null) \land (tally < l) do
     begin if p = q then (Do magic computation 320);
     \langle Display token p, and return if there are problems 293\rangle;
     p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
  if p \neq null then print_{-}esc("ETC.");
exit: end:
This code is used in section 119.
       (Display token p, and return if there are problems 293) \equiv
  if (p < hi\_mem\_min) \lor (p > mem\_end) then
     begin print_esc("CLOBBERED."); return;
     end;
  if info(p) \ge cs\_token\_flag then print\_cs(info(p) - cs\_token\_flag)
  else begin m \leftarrow info(p) div 400; c \leftarrow info(p) mod 400;
     if info(p) < 0 then print_esc("BAD.")
     else \langle \text{ Display the token } (m, c) 294 \rangle;
     end
```

This code is used in section 292.

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**294.** The procedure usually "learns" the character code used for macro parameters by seeing one in a *match* command before it runs into any *out\_param* commands.

```
\langle \text{ Display the token } (m,c) \text{ 294} \rangle \equiv
  case m of
  left_brace, right_brace, math_shift, tab_mark, sup_mark, sub_mark, spacer, letter, other_char: print(c);
  mac\_param: begin print(c); print(c);
  out_param: begin print(match_chr);
    if c \leq 9 then print\_char(c + "0")
    else begin print_char("!"); return;
       end;
    end;
  match: \mathbf{begin} \ match\_chr \leftarrow c; \ print(c); \ incr(n); \ print\_char(n);
    if n > "9" then return;
    end;
  end_{-}match: print("->");
  othercases print_esc("BAD.")
  endcases
This code is used in section 293.
      Here's the way we sometimes want to display a token list, given a pointer to its reference count; the
pointer may be null.
procedure token_show(p:pointer);
  begin if p \neq null then show\_token\_list(link(p), null, 10000000);
      The print_meaning subroutine displays cur_cmd and cur_chr in symbolic form, including the expan-
sion of a macro or mark.
procedure print_meaning;
  begin print_cmd_chr(cur_cmd, cur_chr);
  if cur\_cmd > call then
    begin print_char(":"); print_ln; token_show(cur_chr);
```

 $\mathbf{end}$ 

end;

else if  $cur\_cmd = top\_bot\_mark$  then

**begin** print\_char(":"); print\_ln; token\_show(cur\_mark[cur\_chr]);

297. Introduction to the syntactic routines. Let's pause a moment now and try to look at the Big Picture. The TEX program consists of three main parts: syntactic routines, semantic routines, and output routines. The chief purpose of the syntactic routines is to deliver the user's input to the semantic routines, one token at a time. The semantic routines act as an interpreter responding to these tokens, which may be regarded as commands. And the output routines are periodically called on to convert box-and-glue lists into a compact set of instructions that will be sent to a typesetter. We have discussed the basic data structures and utility routines of TEX, so we are good and ready to plunge into the real activity by considering the syntactic routines.

Our current goal is to come to grips with the  $get\_next$  procedure, which is the keystone of  $T_EX$ 's input mechanism. Each call of  $get\_next$  sets the value of three variables  $cur\_cmd$ ,  $cur\_chr$ , and  $cur\_cs$ , representing the next input token.

```
    cur_cmd denotes a command code from the long list of codes given above;
    cur_chr denotes a character code or other modifier of the command code;
    cur_cs is the eqtb location of the current control sequence,
    if the current token was a control sequence, otherwise it's zero.
```

Underlying this external behavior of <code>get\_next</code> is all the machinery necessary to convert from character files to tokens. At a given time we may be only partially finished with the reading of several files (for which <code>\input</code> was specified), and partially finished with the expansion of some user-defined macros and/or some macro parameters, and partially finished with the generation of some text in a template for <code>\halign</code>, and so on. When reading a character file, special characters must be classified as math delimiters, etc.; comments and extra blank spaces must be removed, paragraphs must be recognized, and control sequences must be found in the hash table. Furthermore there are occasions in which the scanning routines have looked ahead for a word like 'plus' but only part of that word was found, hence a few characters must be put back into the input and scanned again.

To handle these situations, which might all be present simultaneously, TEX uses various stacks that hold information about the incomplete activities, and there is a finite state control for each level of the input mechanism. These stacks record the current state of an implicitly recursive process, but the *get\_next* procedure is not recursive. Therefore it will not be difficult to translate these algorithms into low-level languages that do not support recursion.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv cur_{-}cmd: eight_{-}bits; { current command set by get_{-}next } cur_{-}chr: halfword; { operand of current command } cur_{-}cs: pointer; { control sequence found here, zero if none found } cur_{-}tok: halfword; { packed representative of cur_{-}cmd and cur_{-}chr }
```

**298.** The *print\_cmd\_chr* routine prints a symbolic interpretation of a command code and its modifier. This is used in certain 'You can't' error messages, and in the implementation of diagnostic routines like \show.

The body of  $print\_cmd\_chr$  is a rather tedious listing of print commands, and most of it is essentially an inverse to the primitive routine that enters a TEX primitive into eqtb. Therefore much of this procedure appears elsewhere in the program, together with the corresponding primitive calls.

```
define chr_{-}cmd(\#) \equiv
           begin print(#); print_ASCII(chr_code);
\langle Declare the procedure called print_cmd_chr 298\rangle \equiv
procedure print_cmd_chr(cmd : quarterword; chr_code : halfword);
  begin case cmd of
  left_brace: chr_cmd("begin-group_character_");
  right_brace: chr_cmd("end-group_character_");
  math_shift: chr_cmd("math_shift_character_");
  mac\_param \colon \ chr\_cmd(\verb"macro_parameter_character_");
  sup_mark: chr_cmd("superscript_character_");
  sub_mark: chr_cmd("subscript_character_");
  endv: print("end_lof_lalignment_ltemplate");
  spacer: chr_cmd("blank_space_");
  letter: chr_cmd("the_letter_");
  other_char: chr_cmd("the__character__");
  (Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227)
  othercases print("[unknown_command_code!]")
  endcases;
  end:
This code is used in section 252.
299. Here is a procedure that displays the current command.
procedure show_cur_cmd_chr;
  begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("{"};
  if mode \neq shown\_mode then
    begin print\_mode(mode); print(":"); shown\_mode \leftarrow mode;
  print_cmd_chr(cur_cmd, cur_chr); print_char("}"); end_diagnostic(false);
  end;
```

- **300.** Input stacks and states. This implementation of T<sub>E</sub>X uses two different conventions for representing sequential stacks.
- 1) If there is frequent access to the top entry, and if the stack is essentially never empty, then the top entry is kept in a global variable (even better would be a machine register), and the other entries appear in the array stack[0..(ptr-1)]. For example, the semantic stack described above is handled this way, and so is the input stack that we are about to study.
- 2) If there is infrequent top access, the entire stack contents are in the array stack[0 ... (ptr 1)]. For example, the  $save\_stack$  is treated this way, as we have seen.

The state of TeX's input mechanism appears in the input stack, whose entries are records with six fields, called *state*, *index*, *start*, *loc*, *limit*, and *name*. This stack is maintained with convention (1), so it is declared in the following way:

```
⟨Types in the outer block 18⟩ +≡
  in_state_record = record state_field, index_field: quarterword;
  start_field, loc_field, limit_field, name_field: halfword;
  end;

301. ⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
  input_stack: array [0.. stack_size] of in_state_record;
  input_ptr: 0.. stack_size; { first unused location of input_stack }
  max_in_stack: 0.. stack_size; { largest value of input_ptr when pushing }
  cur_input: in_state_record; { the "top" input state, according to convention (1) }
```

**302.** We've already defined the special variable  $loc \equiv cur\_input.loc\_field$  in our discussion of basic input-output routines. The other components of  $cur\_input$  are defined in the same way:

```
 \begin{array}{ll} \textbf{define} \ state \equiv cur\_input.state\_field & \{ \ current \ scanner \ state \} \\ \textbf{define} \ index \equiv cur\_input.index\_field & \{ \ starting \ position \ in \ buffer \} \\ \textbf{define} \ limit \equiv cur\_input.limit\_field & \{ \ end \ of \ current \ line \ in \ buffer \} \\ \textbf{define} \ name \equiv cur\_input.name\_field & \{ \ name \ of \ the \ current \ file \} \\ \end{array}
```

**303.** Let's look more closely now at the control variables (state, index, start, loc, limit, name), assuming that TEX is reading a line of characters that have been input from some file or from the user's terminal. There is an array called buffer that acts as a stack of all lines of characters that are currently being read from files, including all lines on subsidiary levels of the input stack that are not yet completed. TEX will return to the other lines when it is finished with the present input file.

(Incidentally, on a machine with byte-oriented addressing, it might be appropriate to combine *buffer* with the *str-pool* array, letting the buffer entries grow downward from the top of the string pool and checking that these two tables don't bump into each other.)

The line we are currently working on begins in position start of the buffer; the next character we are about to read is buffer[loc]; and limit is the location of the last character present. If loc > limit, the line has been completely read. Usually buffer[limit] is the  $end\_line\_char$ , denoting the end of a line, but this is not true if the current line is an insertion that was entered on the user's terminal in response to an error message.

The *name* variable is a string number that designates the name of the current file, if we are reading a text file. It is zero if we are reading from the terminal; it is n+1 if we are reading from input stream n, where  $0 \le n \le 16$ . (Input stream 16 stands for an invalid stream number; in such cases the input is actually from the terminal, under control of the procedure  $read\_toks$ .)

The state variable has one of three values, when we are scanning such files:

- 1)  $state = mid\_line$  is the normal state.
- 2)  $state = skip\_blanks$  is like  $mid\_line$ , but blanks are ignored.
- 3)  $state = new\_line$  is the state at the beginning of a line.

These state values are assigned numeric codes so that if we add the state code to the next character's command code, we get distinct values. For example, ' $mid\_line + spacer$ ' stands for the case that a blank space character occurs in the middle of a line when it is not being ignored; after this case is processed, the next value of state will be  $skip\_blanks$ .

```
define mid\_line = 1 { state code when scanning a line of characters } define skip\_blanks = 2 + max\_char\_code { state code when ignoring blanks } define new\_line = 3 + max\_char\_code + max\_char\_code { state code at start of line }
```

**304.** Additional information about the current line is available via the *index* variable, which counts how many lines of characters are present in the buffer below the current level. We have index = 0 when reading from the terminal and prompting the user for each line; then if the user types, e.g., '\input paper', we will have index = 1 while reading the file paper.tex. However, it does not follow that index is the same as the input stack pointer, since many of the levels on the input stack may come from token lists. For example, the instruction '\input paper' might occur in a token list.

The global variable  $in\_open$  is equal to the index value of the highest non-token-list level. Thus, the number of partially read lines in the buffer is  $in\_open + 1$ , and we have  $in\_open = index$  when we are not reading a token list.

If we are not currently reading from the terminal, or from an input stream, we are reading from the file variable  $input\_file[index]$ . We use the notation  $terminal\_input$  as a convenient abbreviation for name = 0, and  $cur\_file$  as an abbreviation for  $input\_file[index]$ .

The global variable *line* contains the line number in the topmost open file, for use in error messages. If we are not reading from the terminal,  $line\_stack[index]$  holds the line number for the enclosing level, so that line can be restored when the current file has been read. Line numbers should never be negative, since the negative of the current line number is used to identify the user's output routine in the  $mode\_line$  field of the semantic nest entries.

If more information about the input state is needed, it can be included in small arrays like those shown here. For example, the current page or segment number in the input file might be put into a variable page, maintained for enclosing levels in 'page\_stack: array [1 .. max\_in\_open] of integer' by analogy with line\_stack.

```
define terminal\_input \equiv (name = 0) { are we reading from the terminal?} define cur\_file \equiv input\_file[index] { the current alpha\_file variable } \langle Global variables 13 \rangle + \equiv in\_open: 0 .. max\_in\_open; { the number of lines in the buffer, less one } open\_parens: 0 .. max\_in\_open; { the number of open text files } input\_file: array [1 .. max\_in\_open] of alpha\_file; line: integer; { current line number in the current source file } line\_stack: array [1 .. max\_in\_open] of integer;
```

305. Users of TEX sometimes forget to balance left and right braces properly, and one of the ways TEX tries to spot such errors is by considering an input file as broken into subfiles by control sequences that are declared to be \outer.

A variable called *scanner\_status* tells T<sub>E</sub>X whether or not to complain when a subfile ends. This variable has six possible values:

normal, means that a subfile can safely end here without incident.

skipping, means that a subfile can safely end here, but not a file, because we're reading past some conditional text that was not selected.

defining, means that a subfile shouldn't end now because a macro is being defined.

matching, means that a subfile shouldn't end now because a macro is being used and we are searching for the end of its arguments.

aligning, means that a subfile shouldn't end now because we are not finished with the preamble of an \halign or \valign.

absorbing, means that a subfile shouldn't end now because we are reading a balanced token list for \message, \write, etc.

If the *scanner\_status* is not *normal*, the variable *warning\_index* points to the *eqtb* location for the relevant control sequence name to print in an error message.

```
define skipping = 1 { scanner\_status when passing conditional text } define defining = 2 { scanner\_status when reading a macro definition } define matching = 3 { scanner\_status when reading macro arguments } define aligning = 4 { scanner\_status when reading an alignment preamble } define absorbing = 5 { scanner\_status when reading a balanced text } \langle Global\ variables\ 13 \rangle +\equiv scanner\_status:\ normal\ ...\ absorbing; { can a subfile end now? } variang\_index:\ pointer; { identifier relevant to non-normal scanner status } variang\_index:\ pointer; { reference count of token list being defined }
```

**306.** Here is a procedure that uses *scanner\_status* to print a warning message when a subfile has ended, and at certain other crucial times:

```
\langle Declare the procedure called runaway 306\rangle \equiv
procedure runaway;
  var p: pointer; { head of runaway list }
  begin if scanner\_status > skipping then
     begin print_{-}nl("Runaway_{\perp}");
     case scanner\_status of
     defining: begin print("definition"); p \leftarrow def\_ref;
     matching: \mathbf{begin} \ print("argument"); \ p \leftarrow temp\_head;
     aligning: begin print("preamble"); p \leftarrow hold\_head;
     absorbing: begin print("text"); p \leftarrow def_ref;
       end:
     end; { there are no other cases }
     print\_char("?"); print\_ln; show\_token\_list(link(p), null, error\_line - 10);
     end:
  end:
This code is used in section 119.
```

**307.** However, all this discussion about input state really applies only to the case that we are inputting from a file. There is another important case, namely when we are currently getting input from a token list. In this case  $state = token\_list$ , and the conventions about the other state variables are different:

loc is a pointer to the current node in the token list, i.e., the node that will be read next. If loc = null, the token list has been fully read.

start points to the first node of the token list; this node may or may not contain a reference count, depending on the type of token list involved.

token\_type, which takes the place of index in the discussion above, is a code number that explains what kind of token list is being scanned.

name points to the eqtb address of the control sequence being expanded, if the current token list is a macro.

param\_start, which takes the place of limit, tells where the parameters of the current macro begin in the param\_stack, if the current token list is a macro.

The token\_type can take several values, depending on where the current token list came from:

```
parameter, if a parameter is being scanned; u\_template, if the \langle u_j \rangle part of an alignment template is being scanned; v\_template, if the \langle v_j \rangle part of an alignment template is being scanned; backed\_up, if the token list being scanned has been inserted as 'to be read again'; inserted, if the token list being scanned has been inserted as the text expansion of a \count or similar variable; macro, if a user-defined control sequence is being scanned; output\_text, if an \output routine is being scanned; every\_par\_text, if the text of \everypar is being scanned; every\_math\_text, if the text of \everypar is being scanned; every\_display\_text, if the text of \everypar is being scanned; every\_hbox\_text, if the text of \everyphox is being scanned; every\_hbox\_text, if the text of \everyphox is being scanned;
```

every\_job\_text, if the text of \everyjob is being scanned; every\_cr\_text, if the text of \everycr is being scanned;

every\_vbox\_text, if the text of \everyvbox is being scanned;

mark\_text, if the text of a \mark is being scanned;

write\_text, if the text of a \write is being scanned.

The codes for  $output\_text$ ,  $every\_par\_text$ , etc., are equal to a constant plus the corresponding codes for token list parameters  $output\_routine\_loc$ ,  $every\_par\_loc$ , etc. The token list begins with a reference count if and only if  $token\_type \ge macro$ .

```
define token\_list = 0 { state code when scanning a token list }
define token\_type \equiv index  { type of current token list }
define param\_start \equiv limit  { base of macro parameters in param\_stack }
define parameter = 0  { token\_type code for parameter }
define u\_template = 1 { token\_type code for \langle u_j \rangle template }
define v_{\text{-}}template = 2 \quad \{ token_{\text{-}}type \text{ code for } \langle v_i \rangle \text{ template } \}
define backed\_up = 3 { token\_type code for text to be reread }
define inserted = 4 { token_type code for inserted texts }
define macro = 5 { token\_type code for defined control sequences }
define output\_text = 6 { token\_type code for output routines }
define every\_par\_text = 7  { token\_type code for \everypar }
\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{every\_math\_text} = 8 \quad \{\ \mathit{token\_type}\ \mathit{code}\ \mathit{for}\ \backslash \mathit{everymath}\}
define every\_display\_text = 9  { token\_type code for \everydisplay }
define every\_hbox\_text = 10  { token\_type code for \everyhbox }
define every\_vbox\_text = 11  { token\_type code for \everyvbox }
define every\_job\_text = 12  { token\_type code for \everyjob }
define every\_cr\_text = 13  { token\_type code for \everycr }
```

```
define mark_text = 14 { token_type code for \topmark, etc. }
define write_text = 15 { token_type code for \write }
```

**308.** The *param\_stack* is an auxiliary array used to hold pointers to the token lists for parameters at the current level and subsidiary levels of input. This stack is maintained with convention (2), and it grows at a different rate from the others.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv param_stack: array [0 .. param_size] of pointer; { token list pointers for parameters } param_ptr: 0 .. param_size; { first unused entry in param_stack } max_param_stack: integer; { largest value of param_ptr, will be \leq param_size + 9 }
```

**309.** The input routines must also interact with the processing of \halign and \valign, since the appearance of tab marks and \cr in certain places is supposed to trigger the beginning of special  $\langle v_j \rangle$  template text in the scanner. This magic is accomplished by an  $align\_state$  variable that is increased by 1 when a '{'}' is scanned and decreased by 1 when a '{'}' is scanned. The  $align\_state$  is nonzero during the  $\langle u_j \rangle$  template, after which it is set to zero; the  $\langle v_j \rangle$  template begins when a tab mark or \cr occurs at a time that  $align\_state = 0$ .  $\langle$  Global variables 13 $\rangle$  + $\equiv$ 

```
align_state: integer; { group level with respect to current alignment }
```

**310.** Thus, the "current input state" can be very complicated indeed; there can be many levels and each level can arise in a variety of ways. The *show\_context* procedure, which is used by TEX's error-reporting routine to print out the current input state on all levels down to the most recent line of characters from an input file, illustrates most of these conventions. The global variable *base\_ptr* contains the lowest level that was displayed by this procedure.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv base_ptr: 0 .. stack_size; { shallowest level shown by show_context }
```

**311.** The status at each level is indicated by printing two lines, where the first line indicates what was read so far and the second line shows what remains to be read. The context is cropped, if necessary, so that the first line contains at most *half\_error\_line* characters, and the second contains at most *error\_line*. Non-current input levels whose *token\_type* is '*backed\_up*' are shown only if they have not been fully read.

```
procedure show_context; { prints where the scanner is }
  label done:
  var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { saved selector setting }
     nn: integer; { number of contexts shown so far, less one }
     bottom_line: boolean; { have we reached the final context to be shown? }
     (Local variables for formatting calculations 315)
  begin base\_ptr \leftarrow input\_ptr; input\_stack[base\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_input; { store current state }
  nn \leftarrow -1; bottom\_line \leftarrow false;
  loop begin cur\_input \leftarrow input\_stack[base\_ptr]; { enter into the context }
     if (state \neq token\_list) then
       if (name > 17) \lor (base\_ptr = 0) then bottom\_line \leftarrow true;
     if (base\_ptr = input\_ptr) \lor bottom\_line \lor (nn < error\_context\_lines) then
        (Display the current context 312)
     else if nn = error\_context\_lines then
          begin print_n l("..."); incr(nn); { omitted if error_context_lines < 0 }
     if bottom_line then goto done;
     decr(base\_ptr);
     end;
done: cur\_input \leftarrow input\_stack[input\_ptr];  { restore original state }
  end:
312. \langle Display the current context 312 \rangle \equiv
  begin if (base\_ptr = input\_ptr) \lor (state \neq token\_list) \lor (token\_type \neq backed\_up) \lor (loc \neq null) then
          { we omit backed-up token lists that have already been read }
     begin tally \leftarrow 0; { get ready to count characters }
     old\_setting \leftarrow selector;
     if state \neq token\_list then
       begin (Print location of current line 313);
       \langle Pseudoprint the line 318 \rangle;
     else begin (Print type of token list 314):
       (Pseudoprint the token list 319);
       end:
     selector \leftarrow old\_setting;  { stop pseudoprinting }
     (Print two lines using the tricky pseudoprinted information 317);
     incr(nn);
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 311.
```

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**313.** This routine should be changed, if necessary, to give the best possible indication of where the current line resides in the input file. For example, on some systems it is best to print both a page and line number.

```
\langle Print location of current line 313\rangle \equiv
  if name \leq 17 then
    if terminal_input then
       if base\_ptr = 0 then print\_nl("<*>")
       else print_nl("<insert>□")
    else begin print_nl("<read<sub>□</sub>");
       if name = 17 then print\_char("*") else print\_int(name - 1);
       print\_char(">");
       end
  else begin print_nl("1."); print_int(line);
    end;
  print_char("")
This code is used in section 312.
314. \langle Print type of token list 314\rangle \equiv
  case token_type of
  parameter: print_nl("<argument>_");
  u\_template, v\_template: print\_nl("<template>_\_");
  backed\_up: if loc = null then print\_nl("\langle recently | read \rangle ")
    else print_nl("<to_lbe_lread_lagain>_l");
  inserted: print_nl("<inserted_text>_t");
  macro: begin print_ln; print_cs(name);
    end:
  output_text: print_nl("<output>□");
  every_par_text: print_nl("<everypar>_");
  every\_math\_text: print\_nl("<everymath>_\");
  every_display_text: print_nl("<everydisplay>_\");
  every_hbox_text: print_nl("<everyhbox>_\");
  every_vbox_text: print_nl("<everyvbox>_\");
  every_job_text: print_nl("<everyjob>□");
  every_cr_text: print_nl("<everycr>\_");
  mark_text: print_nl("<mark>_\");
  write_text: print_nl("<write>_\");
  othercases print_nl("?") { this should never happen }
  endcases
This code is used in section 312.
```

315. Here it is necessary to explain a little trick. We don't want to store a long string that corresponds to a token list, because that string might take up lots of memory; and we are printing during a time when an error message is being given, so we dare not do anything that might overflow one of TEX's tables. So 'pseudoprinting' is the answer: We enter a mode of printing that stores characters into a buffer of length  $error\_line$ , where character k+1 is placed into  $trick\_buf[k \mod error\_line]$  if  $k < trick\_count$ , otherwise character k is dropped. Initially we set  $tally \leftarrow 0$  and  $trick\_count \leftarrow 1000000$ ; then when we reach the point where transition from line 1 to line 2 should occur, we set  $first\_count \leftarrow tally$  and  $trick\_count \leftarrow max(error\_line, tally + 1 + error\_line - half\_error\_line)$ . At the end of the pseudoprinting, the values of  $first\_count$ , tally, and  $trick\_count$  give us all the information we need to print the two lines, and all of the necessary text is in  $trick\_buf$ .

Namely, let l be the length of the descriptive information that appears on the first line. The length of the context information gathered for that line is  $k = first\_count$ , and the length of the context information gathered for line 2 is  $m = \min(tally, trick\_count) - k$ . If  $l + k \le h$ , where  $h = half\_error\_line$ , we print  $trick\_buf[0..k-1]$  after the descriptive information on line 1, and set  $n \leftarrow l + k$ ; here n is the length of line 1. If l + k > h, some cropping is necessary, so we set  $n \leftarrow h$  and print '...' followed by

$$\mathit{trick\_buf}\,[(l+k-h+3)\mathinner{.\,.} k-1],$$

where subscripts of  $trick\_buf$  are circular modulo  $error\_line$ . The second line consists of n spaces followed by  $trick\_buf[k...(k+m-1)]$ , unless  $n+m > error\_line$ ; in the latter case, further cropping is done. This is easier to program than to explain.

```
 \langle \text{Local variables for formatting calculations } 315 \rangle \equiv i: 0... buf\_size; \quad \{\text{index into } buf\!f\!e\!r\,\} \\ j: 0... buf\_size; \quad \{\text{end of current line in } buf\!f\!e\!r\,\} \\ l: 0... half\_error\_line; \quad \{\text{length of descriptive information on line } 1\,\} \\ m: integer; \quad \{\text{context information gathered for line } 2\,\} \\ n: 0... error\_line; \quad \{\text{length of line } 1\,\} \\ p: integer; \quad \{\text{starting or ending place in } trick\_buf\,\} \\ q: integer; \quad \{\text{temporary index}\,\} \\ \text{This code is used in section } 311.
```

316. The following code sets up the print routines so that they will gather the desired information.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ begin\_pseudoprint \equiv \\ \textbf{begin} \ l \leftarrow tally; \ tally \leftarrow 0; \ selector \leftarrow pseudo; \ trick\_count \leftarrow 1000000; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{define} \ set\_trick\_count \equiv \\ \textbf{begin} \ first\_count \leftarrow tally; \ trick\_count \leftarrow tally + 1 + error\_line - half\_error\_line; \\ \textbf{if} \ trick\_count < error\_line \ then \ trick\_count \leftarrow error\_line; \\ \textbf{end} \end{array}
```

317. And the following code uses the information after it has been gathered.  $\langle$  Print two lines using the tricky pseudoprinted information 317 $\rangle \equiv$ if  $trick\_count = 1000000$  then  $set\_trick\_count$ ; {  $set\_trick\_count$  must be performed } if  $tally < trick\_count$  then  $m \leftarrow tally - first\_count$ else  $m \leftarrow trick\_count - first\_count$ ; { context on line 2 } if  $l + first\_count \le half\_error\_line$  then **begin**  $p \leftarrow 0$ ;  $n \leftarrow l + first\_count$ ; end else begin print("...");  $p \leftarrow l + first\_count - half\_error\_line + 3$ ;  $n \leftarrow half\_error\_line$ ; for  $q \leftarrow p$  to  $first\_count - 1$  do  $print\_char(trick\_buf[q \ mod \ error\_line]);$  $print_ln$ ; for  $q \leftarrow 1$  to n do  $print\_char("_{\sqcup}")$ ; { print n spaces to begin line 2 } if  $m + n \leq error\_line$  then  $p \leftarrow first\_count + m$ else  $p \leftarrow first\_count + (error\_line - n - 3);$ for  $q \leftarrow first\_count$  to p-1 do  $print\_char(trick\_buf[q mod error\_line]);$ if  $m + n > error\_line$  then print("...")This code is used in section 312. 318. But the trick is distracting us from our current goal, which is to understand the input state. So let's concentrate on the data structures that are being pseudoprinted as we finish up the show\_context procedure.  $\langle Pseudoprint the line 318 \rangle \equiv$ begin\_pseudoprint; if  $buffer[limit] = end\_line\_char$  then  $j \leftarrow limit$ else  $j \leftarrow limit + 1$ ; { determine the effective end of the line } if j > 0 then for  $i \leftarrow start$  to j-1 do **begin if** i = loc **then**  $set\_trick\_count$ ; print(buffer[i]);endThis code is used in section 312. **319.**  $\langle$  Pseudoprint the token list 319 $\rangle \equiv$ begin\_pseudoprint; if  $token\_type < macro$  then  $show\_token\_list(start, loc, 100000)$ else  $show\_token\_list(link(start), loc, 100000)$  { avoid reference count } This code is used in section 312. **320.** Here is the missing piece of show\_token\_list that is activated when the token beginning line 2 is about

to be shown:

```
\langle \text{ Do magic computation } 320 \rangle \equiv
   set\_trick\_count
```

This code is used in section 292.

end

**321.** Maintaining the input stacks. The following subroutines change the input status in commonly needed ways.

First comes *push\_input*, which stores the current state and creates a new level (having, initially, the same properties as the old).

```
define push_input ≡ { enter a new input level, save the old }
    begin if input_ptr > max_in_stack then
        begin max_in_stack ← input_ptr;
        if input_ptr = stack_size then overflow("input_stack_size", stack_size);
        end;
        input_stack[input_ptr] ← cur_input; { stack the record }
        incr(input_ptr);
        end
22. And of course what goes up must come down.
define pop_input ≡ { leave an input level, re-enter the old }
        begin decr(input_ptr); cur_input ← input_stack[input_ptr];
```

**323.** Here is a procedure that starts a new level of token-list input, given a token list p and its type t. If t = macro, the calling routine should set name and loc.

```
define back\_list(\#) \equiv begin\_token\_list(\#, backed\_up) { backs up a simple token list }
  define ins\_list(\#) \equiv begin\_token\_list(\#, inserted) { inserts a simple token list }
procedure begin_token_list(p : pointer; t : quarterword);
  begin push\_input; state \leftarrow token\_list; start \leftarrow p; token\_type \leftarrow t;
  if t \ge macro then { the token list starts with a reference count }
     begin add\_token\_ref(p);
     if t = macro then param\_start \leftarrow param\_ptr
     else begin loc \leftarrow link(p);
       if tracing\_macros > 1 then
          begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("");
          case t of
          mark_text: print_esc("mark");
          write_text: print_esc("write");
          othercases print\_cmd\_chr(assign\_toks, t - output\_text + output\_routine\_loc)
          endcases;
          print("->"); token\_show(p); end\_diagnostic(false);
          end;
       end;
     end
  else loc \leftarrow p;
  end;
```

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**324.** When a token list has been fully scanned, the following computations should be done as we leave that level of input. The *token\_type* tends to be equal to either *backed\_up* or *inserted* about 2/3 of the time.

```
procedure end_token_list; { leave a token-list input level }
begin if token_type ≥ backed_up then { token list to be deleted }
begin if token_type ≤ inserted then flush_list(start)
else begin delete_token_ref(start); { update reference count }
if token_type = macro then { parameters must be flushed }
while param_ptr > param_start do
begin decr(param_ptr); flush_list(param_stack[param_ptr]);
end;
end;
end
else if token_type = u_template then
if align_state > 500000 then align_state ← 0
else fatal_error("(interwoven_ualignment_preambles_are_not_allowed)");
pop_input; check_interrupt;
end;
```

**325.** Sometimes TEX has read too far and wants to "unscan" what it has seen. The *back\_input* procedure takes care of this by putting the token just scanned back into the input stream, ready to be read again. This procedure can be used only if *cur\_tok* represents the token to be replaced. Some applications of TEX use this procedure a lot, so it has been slightly optimized for speed.

```
procedure back\_input; { undoes one token of input }
var p: pointer; { a token list of length one }
begin while (state = token\_list) \land (loc = null) \land (token\_type \neq v\_template) do end\_token\_list;
{ conserve stack space }
p \leftarrow get\_avail; info(p) \leftarrow cur\_tok;
if cur\_tok < right\_brace\_limit then
if cur\_tok < left\_brace\_limit then decr(align\_state)
else incr(align\_state);
push\_input; state \leftarrow token\_list; start \leftarrow p; token\_type \leftarrow backed\_up; loc \leftarrow p;
{ that was back\_list(p), without procedure overhead }
end;

326. \langle Insert token p into TEX's input 326 \rangle \equiv
begin t \leftarrow cur\_tok; cur\_tok \leftarrow p; back\_input; cur\_tok \leftarrow t;
end
```

This code is used in section 282.

**327.** The *back\_error* routine is used when we want to replace an offending token just before issuing an error message. This routine, like *back\_input*, requires that *cur\_tok* has been set. We disable interrupts during the call of *back\_input* so that the help message won't be lost.

```
procedure back\_error; { back up one token and call error }
    begin OK\_to\_interrupt \leftarrow false; back\_input; OK\_to\_interrupt \leftarrow true; error;
    end;

procedure ins\_error; { back up one inserted token and call error }
    begin OK\_to\_interrupt \leftarrow false; back\_input; token\_type \leftarrow inserted; OK\_to\_interrupt \leftarrow true; error; end;
```

**328.** The begin\_file\_reading procedure starts a new level of input for lines of characters to be read from a file, or as an insertion from the terminal. It does not take care of opening the file, nor does it set loc or limit or line.

```
procedure begin_file_reading;
  begin if in_open = max_in_open then overflow("text_linput_levels", max_in_open);
  if first = buf_size then overflow("buffer_lsize", buf_size);
  incr(in_open); push_input; index ← in_open; line_stack[index] ← line; start ← first; state ← mid_line;
  name ← 0; { terminal_input is now true }
  end;

329. Conversely, the variables must be downdated when such a level of input is finished:
  procedure end_file_reading;
```

begin first  $\leftarrow$  start; line  $\leftarrow$  line\_stack[index]; if name > 17 then a\_close(cur\_file); {forget it}

```
if name > 17 then a_close(cur_file); { forget it }
pop_input; decr(in_open);
end;
```

**330.** In order to keep the stack from overflowing during a long sequence of inserted '\show' commands, the following routine removes completed error-inserted lines from memory.

```
procedure clear_for_error_prompt;
```

```
begin while (state \neq token\_list) \land terminal\_input \land (input\_ptr > 0) \land (loc > limit) do end\_file\_reading; print\_ln; clear\_terminal; end;
```

331. To get TEX's whole input mechanism going, we perform the following actions.

```
⟨ Initialize the input routines 331⟩ ≡ begin input_ptr ← 0; max\_in\_stack \leftarrow 0; in\_open \leftarrow 0; open\_parens \leftarrow 0; max\_buf\_stack \leftarrow 0; param\_ptr \leftarrow 0; max\_param\_stack \leftarrow 0; first \leftarrow buf\_size; repeat buffer[first] \leftarrow 0; decr(first); until first = 0; scanner\_status \leftarrow normal; warning\_index \leftarrow null; first \leftarrow 1; state \leftarrow new\_line; start \leftarrow 1; index \leftarrow 0; line \leftarrow 0; name \leftarrow 0; force\_eof \leftarrow false; align\_state \leftarrow 1000000; if \neg init\_terminal then goto final\_end; limit \leftarrow last; first \leftarrow last + 1; { init\_terminal has set loc and last } end
```

This code is used in section 1337.

**332.** Getting the next token. The heart of T<sub>E</sub>X's input mechanism is the *get\_next* procedure, which we shall develop in the next few sections of the program. Perhaps we shouldn't actually call it the "heart," however, because it really acts as T<sub>E</sub>X's eyes and mouth, reading the source files and gobbling them up. And it also helps T<sub>E</sub>X to regurgitate stored token lists that are to be processed again.

The main duty of  $get\_next$  is to input one token and to set  $cur\_cmd$  and  $cur\_chr$  to that token's command code and modifier. Furthermore, if the input token is a control sequence, the eqtb location of that control sequence is stored in  $cur\_cs$ ; otherwise  $cur\_cs$  is set to zero.

Underlying this simple description is a certain amount of complexity because of all the cases that need to be handled. However, the inner loop of *get\_next* is reasonably short and fast.

When  $get\_next$  is asked to get the next token of a \read line, it sets  $cur\_cmd = cur\_chr = cur\_cs = 0$  in the case that no more tokens appear on that line. (There might not be any tokens at all, if the  $end\_line\_char$  has ignore as its catcode.)

**333.** The value of  $par\_loc$  is the eqtb address of '\par'. This quantity is needed because a blank line of input is supposed to be exactly equivalent to the appearance of \par; we must set  $cur\_cs \leftarrow par\_loc$  when detecting a blank line.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
par_loc: pointer; {location of '\par' in eqtb }
par_token: halfword; {token representing '\par'}

334. ⟨Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226⟩ +≡
primitive("par", par_end, 256); {cf. scan_file_name }
par_loc ← cur_val; par_token ← cs_token_flag + par_loc;

335. ⟨Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227⟩ +≡
par_end: print_esc("par");
```

**336.** Before getting into *get\_next*, let's consider the subroutine that is called when an '\outer' control sequence has been scanned or when the end of a file has been reached. These two cases are distinguished by *cur\_cs*, which is zero at the end of a file.

```
procedure check_outer_validity;
  var p: pointer; { points to inserted token list }
     q: pointer; { auxiliary pointer }
  begin if scanner\_status \neq normal then
     begin deletions_allowed \leftarrow false; \langle Back up an outer control sequence so that it can be reread 337\rangle;
     if scanner_status > skipping then (Tell the user what has run away and try to recover 338)
     else begin print_err("Incomplete<sub>□</sub>"); print_cmd_chr(if_test, cur_if);
        print("; \_all\_text\_was\_ignored\_after\_line\_"); print_int(skip\_line);
        help3("A_{\sqcup}forbidden_{\sqcup}control_{\sqcup}sequence_{\sqcup}occurred_{\sqcup}in_{\sqcup}skipped_{\sqcup}text.")
        ("This \sqcup kind \sqcup of \sqcup error \sqcup happens \sqcup when \sqcup you \sqcup say \sqcup ` \setminus if \ldots ` \sqcup and \sqcup forget")
        ("the_matching__`\fi´._I´ve_inserted_a__`\fi´;_this_might_work.");
        if cur\_cs \neq 0 then cur\_cs \leftarrow 0
        else help\_line[2] \leftarrow "The ||file||ended||while||I||was||skipping||conditional||text.";
        cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_fi; ins\_error;
        end:
     deletions\_allowed \leftarrow true;
     end;
  end;
```

**337.** An outer control sequence that occurs in a \read will not be reread, since the error recovery for \read is not very powerful.

```
\langle Back up an outer control sequence so that it can be reread 337\rangle \equiv
  if cur_cs \neq 0 then
     begin if (state = token\_list) \lor (name < 1) \lor (name > 17) then
       begin p \leftarrow get\_avail; info(p) \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + cur\_cs; back\_list(p);
            { prepare to read the control sequence again }
       end;
     cur\_cmd \leftarrow spacer; cur\_chr \leftarrow " \_ "; \{ replace it by a space \}
     end
This code is used in section 336.
338. \langle Tell the user what has run away and try to recover 338\rangle \equiv
  begin runaway; { print a definition, argument, or preamble }
  if cur\_cs = 0 then print\_err("File\_ended")
  else begin cur\_cs \leftarrow 0; print\_err("Forbidden\_control\_sequence\_found");
     end:
  print("⊔while⊔scanning⊔"); ⟨Print either 'definition' or 'use' or 'preamble' or 'text', and insert
       tokens that should lead to recovery 339);
  print(" \cup of \cup "); sprint_cs(warning\_index);
  help4("I_{\sqcup}suspect_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}have_{\sqcup}forgotten_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}`\}`,_{\sqcup}causing_{\sqcup}me")
  ("to⊔read⊔past⊔where⊔you⊔wanted⊔me⊔to⊔stop.")
  ("I´ll⊔try⊔to⊔recover;⊔but⊔if⊔the⊔error⊔is⊔serious,")
  ("you'd_better_type_'E'_or_'X'_now_and_fix_your_file.");
  error;
  end
```

This code is used in section 336.

**339.** The recovery procedure can't be fully understood without knowing more about the TEX routines that should be aborted, but we can sketch the ideas here: For a runaway definition or a runaway balanced text we will insert a right brace; for a runaway preamble, we will insert a special \cr token and a right brace; and for a runaway argument, we will set long\_state to outer\_call and insert \par.

```
\langle Print either 'definition' or 'use' or 'preamble' or 'text', and insert tokens that should lead to recovery 339 \rangle \equiv p \leftarrow get\_avail; case scanner\_status of defining: begin print("definition"); info(p) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}"; end; matching: begin print("use"); info(p) \leftarrow par\_token; long\_state \leftarrow outer\_call; end; aligning: begin print("preamble"); info(p) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}"; q \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow get\_avail; link(p) \leftarrow q; info(p) \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_cr; align\_state \leftarrow -10000000; end; absorbing: begin print("text"); info(p) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}"; end; end; \{ there are no other cases \} ins\_list(p)
```

**340.** We need to mention a procedure here that may be called by *get\_next*. **procedure** *firm\_up\_the\_line*; *forward*;

**341.** Now we're ready to take the plunge into *get\_next* itself. Parts of this routine are executed more often than any other instructions of T<sub>E</sub>X.

```
define switch = 25 { a label in get\_next }
  define start\_cs = 26 { another }
procedure qet_next; { sets cur_cmd, cur_chr, cur_cs to next token }
  label restart, { go here to get the next input token }
     switch, { go here to eat the next character from a file }
     reswitch, { go here to digest it again }
     start_cs, { go here to start looking for a control sequence }
     found, { go here when a control sequence has been found }
     exit; { go here when the next input token has been got }
  \mathbf{var}\ k:\ 0..\ buf\_size;\ \{ \text{ an index into } buffer \}
     t: halfword; \{a token\}
     cat: 0 . . max_char_code; { cat_code(cur_chr), usually }
     c, cc: ASCII_code; { constituents of a possible expanded code }
     d: 2...3; { number of excess characters in an expanded code }
  begin restart: cur_{-}cs \leftarrow 0;
  if state \neq token\_list then \langle Input from external file, goto restart if no input found 343\rangle
  else (Input from token list, goto restart if end of list or if a parameter needs to be expanded 357);
  (If an alignment entry has just ended, take appropriate action 342);
exit: end;
342. An alignment entry ends when a tab or \cr occurs, provided that the current level of braces is the
same as the level that was present at the beginning of that alignment entry; i.e., provided that align_state
has returned to the value it had after the \langle u_i \rangle template for that entry.
\langle If an alignment entry has just ended, take appropriate action 342\rangle \equiv
  if cur\_cmd \leq car\_ret then
     if cur\_cmd \ge tab\_mark then
       if align\_state = 0 then \langle Insert the \langle v_i \rangle template and goto restart 789 \rangle
This code is used in section 341.
343. \langle Input from external file, goto restart if no input found 343\rangle \equiv
  begin switch: if loc \leq limit then { current line not yet finished }
     begin cur\_chr \leftarrow buffer[loc]; incr(loc);
  reswitch: cur\_cmd \leftarrow cat\_code(cur\_chr); \ \langle \text{Change state if necessary, and } \mathbf{goto} \ switch \ \text{if the current}
          character should be ignored, or goto reswitch if the current character changes to another 344);
     end
  else begin state \leftarrow new\_line;
     (Move to next line of file, or goto restart if there is no next line, or return if a \read line has
          finished 360;
     check_interrupt; goto switch;
     end:
```

This code is used in section 341.

end

**344.** The following 48-way switch accomplishes the scanning quickly, assuming that a decent Pascal compiler has translated the code. Note that the numeric values for  $mid\_line$ ,  $skip\_blanks$ , and  $new\_line$  are spaced apart from each other by  $max\_char\_code + 1$ , so we can add a character's command code to the state to get a single number that characterizes both.

```
define any\_state\_plus(\#) \equiv mid\_line + \#, skip\_blanks + \#, new\_line + \#
Change state if necessary, and goto switch if the current character should be ignored, or goto reswitch if
        the current character changes to another 344 \rangle \equiv
  case state + cur\_cmd of
   (Cases where character is ignored 345): goto switch;
  any\_state\_plus(escape): \langle Scan a control sequence and set <math>state \leftarrow skip\_blanks or mid\_line 354 \rangle;
  any\_state\_plus(active\_char): \langle Process an active\_character control sequence and set <math>state \leftarrow mid\_line 353 \rangle;
  any_state_plus(sup_mark): (If this sup_mark starts an expanded character like ^^A or ^^df, then goto
           reswitch, otherwise set state \leftarrow mid\_line 352;
  any_state_plus(invalid_char): \( \) Decry the invalid character and goto restart 346\);
  ⟨ Handle situations involving spaces, braces, changes of state 347⟩
  othercases do_nothing
  endcases
This code is used in section 343.
345. \langle Cases where character is ignored 345\rangle \equiv
   any\_state\_plus(ignore), skip\_blanks + spacer, new\_line + spacer
This code is used in section 344.
346. We go to restart instead of to switch, because state might equal token_list after the error has been
dealt with (cf. clear_for_error_prompt).
\langle Decry the invalid character and goto restart 346\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Text_line_contains_an_invalid_character");
  help2("A_{\sqcup}funny_{\sqcup}symbol_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}can`t_{\sqcup}read_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}just_{\sqcup}been_{\sqcup}input.")
  ("Continue, □and □I ~11 □ forget □ that □it □ ever □ happened.");
  deletions\_allowed \leftarrow false; error; deletions\_allowed \leftarrow true; goto restart;
  end
This code is used in section 344.
        define add\_delims\_to(\#) \equiv \# + math\_shift, \# + tab\_mark, \# + mac\_param, \# + sub\_mark, \# + letter,
                #+other\_char
\langle Handle situations involving spaces, braces, changes of state 347\rangle \equiv
mid\_line + spacer: \langle Enter \, skip\_blanks \, state, \, emit \, a \, space \, 349 \rangle;
mid\_line + car\_ret: \langle Finish line, emit a space 348\rangle;
skip\_blanks + car\_ret, any\_state\_plus(comment): \langle Finish line, goto switch 350 <math>\rangle;
new\_line + car\_ret: \langle Finish line, emit a \backslash par 351 \rangle;
mid\_line + left\_brace: incr(align\_state);
skip\_blanks + left\_brace, new\_line + left\_brace: begin state \leftarrow mid\_line; incr(align\_state);
mid\_line + right\_brace: decr(align\_state);
skip\_blanks + right\_brace, new\_line + right\_brace: begin state \leftarrow mid\_line; decr(align\_state);
add\_delims\_to(skip\_blanks), add\_delims\_to(new\_line): state \leftarrow mid\_line;
This code is used in section 344.
```

**348.** When a character of type *spacer* gets through, its character code is changed to " $_{\perp}$ " = '40. This means that the ASCII codes for tab and space, and for the space inserted at the end of a line, will be treated alike when macro parameters are being matched. We do this since such characters are indistinguishable on most computer terminal displays.

```
\langle Finish line, emit a space 348\rangle \equiv
  begin loc \leftarrow limit + 1; cur\_cmd \leftarrow spacer; cur\_chr \leftarrow " " ";
  end
This code is used in section 347.
       The following code is performed only when cur\_cmd = spacer.
\langle \text{Enter } skip\_blanks \text{ state, emit a space } 349 \rangle \equiv
  begin state \leftarrow skip\_blanks; cur\_chr \leftarrow "_{\sqcup}";
  end
This code is used in section 347.
350. \langle Finish line, goto switch 350\rangle \equiv
  begin loc \leftarrow limit + 1; goto switch;
  end
This code is used in section 347.
351. \langle Finish line, emit a \par 351 \rangle \equiv
  begin loc \leftarrow limit + 1; cur\_cs \leftarrow par\_loc; cur\_cmd \leftarrow eq\_type(cur\_cs); cur\_chr \leftarrow equiv(cur\_cs);
  if cur\_cmd \ge outer\_call then check\_outer\_validity;
  end
This code is used in section 347.
352. Notice that a code like ^^8 becomes x if not followed by a hex digit.
  define is\_hex(\#) \equiv (((\# \ge "0") \land (\# \le "9")) \lor ((\# \ge "a") \land (\# \le "f")))
  define hex\_to\_cur\_chr \equiv
             if c \leq "9" then cur\_chr \leftarrow c - "0" else cur\_chr \leftarrow c - "a" + 10;
           if cc \leq "9" then cur\_chr \leftarrow 16 * cur\_chr + cc - "0"
           else cur\_chr \leftarrow 16 * cur\_chr + cc - "a" + 10
(If this sup_mark starts an expanded character like ^^A or ^^df, then goto reswitch, otherwise set
        state \leftarrow mid\_line \ 352\,\rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_chr = buffer[loc] then
     if loc < limit then
        begin c \leftarrow buffer[loc + 1]; if c < 200 then { yes we have an expanded char }
           begin loc \leftarrow loc + 2;
           if is\_hex(c) then
             if loc \leq limit then
                begin cc \leftarrow buffer[loc]; if is\_hex(cc) then
                   begin incr(loc); hex_to_cur_chr; goto reswitch;
                   end;
                end;
           if c < 100 then cur\_chr \leftarrow c + 100 else cur\_chr \leftarrow c - 100;
           goto reswitch;
           end;
        end;
  state \leftarrow mid\_line;
  end
This code is used in section 344.
```

```
353. \langle Process an active-character control sequence and set state \leftarrow mid\_line \ 353 \rangle \equiv begin cur\_cs \leftarrow cur\_chr + active\_base; cur\_cmd \leftarrow eq\_type(cur\_cs); cur\_chr \leftarrow equiv(cur\_cs); state \leftarrow mid\_line; if cur\_cmd \geq outer\_call then check\_outer\_validity; end

This code is used in section 344.
```

**354.** Control sequence names are scanned only when they appear in some line of a file; once they have been scanned the first time, their *eqtb* location serves as a unique identification, so TEX doesn't need to refer to the original name any more except when it prints the equivalent in symbolic form.

The program that scans a control sequence has been written carefully in order to avoid the blowups that might otherwise occur if a malicious user tried something like '\catcode'15=0'. The algorithm might look at buffer[limit+1], but it never looks at buffer[limit+2].

If expanded characters like '^^A' or '^^df' appear in or just following a control sequence name, they are converted to single characters in the buffer and the process is repeated, slowly but surely.

```
\[ \scale \text{Scan a control sequence and set } state \leftarrow skip_blanks \text{ or } mid_line \ 354 \rangle \equiv
  \]
\[ \text{begin if } loc > limit \text{ then } cur_cs \leftarrow null_cs \quad \{ state \text{ is irrelevant in this case } \}
\]
\[ \text{else begin } start_cs: \ k \leftarrow loc; \ cur_chr \leftarrow buffer[k]; \ cat \leftarrow cat_code(cur_chr); \ incr(k); \]
\[ \text{if } cat = letter \text{ then } state \leftarrow skip_blanks \]
\[ \text{else if } cat = spacer \text{ then } state \leftarrow skip_blanks \]
\[ \text{else } state \leftarrow mid_line; \]
\[ \text{if } (cat = letter) \langle (k \leq limit) \text{ then } \leq \text{Scan ahead in the buffer until finding a nonletter; \text{ if an expanded } \]
\[ \text{code is encountered, reduce it and goto } start_cs; \text{ otherwise if a multiletter control sequence is } \]
\[ \text{found, adjust } cur_cs \text{ and } loc, \text{ and goto } found \ 356 \rangle \]
\[ \text{else } \leq \text{ If an expanded code is present, reduce it and goto } start_cs \ 355 \rangle; \)
\[ \text{cur_cs} \leq \single single_base + buffer[loc]; \sincr(loc); \)
\[ \text{end;} \]
\[ found: \ cur_cmd \leq e_q_type(cur_cs); \ cur_chr \leq equiv(cur_cs); \]
\[ \text{if } cur_cmd \geq outer_call \text{ then } \chock_outer_validity; \)
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \)
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \]
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \]
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \]
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \]
\[ \text{end} \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \chock_outer_validity; \]
\[ \text{outer_call then } \cho
```

This code is used in section 344.

**355.** Whenever we reach the following piece of code, we will have  $cur\_chr = buffer[k-1]$  and  $k \le limit+1$  and  $cat = cat\_code(cur\_chr)$ . If an expanded code like ^A or ^df appears in buffer[(k-1)...(k+1)] or buffer[(k-1)...(k+2)], we will store the corresponding code in buffer[k-1] and shift the rest of the buffer left two or three places.

```
\langle If an expanded code is present, reduce it and goto start_cs 355\rangle \equiv
  begin if buffer[k] = cur\_chr then if cat = sup\_mark then if k < limit then
          begin c \leftarrow buffer[k+1]; if c < 200 then { yes, one is indeed present }
            begin d \leftarrow 2;
            if is\_hex(c) then if k+2 \le limit then
                  begin cc \leftarrow buffer[k+2]; if is\_hex(cc) then incr(d);
                  end;
            if d > 2 then
               begin hex\_to\_cur\_chr; buffer[k-1] \leftarrow cur\_chr;
            else if c < 100 then buffer[k-1] \leftarrow c + 100
               else buffer [k-1] \leftarrow c - 100;
            limit \leftarrow limit - d; first \leftarrow first - d;
            while k \leq limit do
               begin buffer[k] \leftarrow buffer[k+d]; incr(k);
               end;
            goto start_cs;
            end;
          end;
  end
```

This code is used in sections 354 and 356.

**356.**  $\langle$  Scan ahead in the buffer until finding a nonletter; if an expanded code is encountered, reduce it and **goto**  $start\_cs$ ; otherwise if a multiletter control sequence is found, adjust  $cur\_cs$  and loc, and **goto**  $found 356 \rangle \equiv$ 

```
begin repeat cur\_chr \leftarrow buffer[k]; cat \leftarrow cat\_code(cur\_chr); incr(k); until (cat \neq letter) \lor (k > limit); \langle If an expanded code is present, reduce it and goto start\_cs\ 355\rangle; if cat \neq letter then decr(k); \{ now k points to first nonletter \} if k > loc + 1 then \{ multiletter control sequence has been scanned \} begin cur\_cs \leftarrow id\_lookup(loc, k - loc); loc \leftarrow k; goto found; end; end
```

This code is used in section 354.

This code is used in section 357.

```
357.
        Let's consider now what happens when get_next is looking at a token list.
\langle Input from token list, goto restart if end of list or if a parameter needs to be expanded 357\rangle
  if loc \neq null then { list not exhausted }
     begin t \leftarrow info(loc); loc \leftarrow link(loc); { move to next }
     if t \ge cs\_token\_flag then { a control sequence token }
       begin cur\_cs \leftarrow t - cs\_token\_flag; cur\_cmd \leftarrow eq\_type(cur\_cs); cur\_chr \leftarrow equiv(cur\_cs);
       if cur\_cmd \ge outer\_call then
          if cur\_cmd = dont\_expand then \langle Get the next token, suppressing expansion 358\rangle
          else check_outer_validity;
       end
     else begin cur\_cmd \leftarrow t \operatorname{div} '400; cur\_chr \leftarrow t \operatorname{mod} '400;
       case cur_cmd of
       left_brace: incr(align_state);
       right_brace: decr(align_state);
       out_param: (Insert macro parameter and goto restart 359);
       othercases do_nothing
       endcases:
       end;
     end
  else begin
                 { we are done with this token list }
     end_token_list; goto restart; { resume previous level }
     end
This code is used in section 341.
358. The present point in the program is reached only when the expand routine has inserted a special
marker into the input. In this special case, info(loc) is known to be a control sequence token, and
link(loc) = null.
  define no\_expand\_flag = 257 { this characterizes a special variant of relax }
\langle Get the next token, suppressing expansion 358\rangle \equiv
  begin cur\_cs \leftarrow info(loc) - cs\_token\_flag; loc \leftarrow null;
  cur\_cmd \leftarrow eq\_type(cur\_cs); cur\_chr \leftarrow equiv(cur\_cs);
  if cur\_cmd > max\_command then
     begin cur\_cmd \leftarrow relax; cur\_chr \leftarrow no\_expand\_flag;
  end
This code is used in section 357.
359. \langle Insert macro parameter and goto restart 359\rangle \equiv
  begin begin\_token\_list(param\_stack[param\_start + cur\_chr - 1], parameter); goto restart;
  end
```

```
360.
       All of the easy branches of get_next have now been taken care of. There is one more branch.
  define end\_line\_char\_inactive \equiv (end\_line\_char < 0) \lor (end\_line\_char > 255)
(Move to next line of file, or goto restart if there is no next line, or return if a \read line has
       finished 360 \rangle \equiv
  if name > 17 then (Read next line of file into buffer, or goto restart if the file has ended 362)
  else begin if ¬terminal_input then {\read line has ended}
       begin cur\_cmd \leftarrow 0; cur\_chr \leftarrow 0; return;
       end;
     if input\_ptr > 0 then { text was inserted during error recovery }
       begin end_file_reading; goto restart; { resume previous level }
     if selector < log_only then open_log_file;
     if interaction > nonstop_mode then
       begin if end_line_char_inactive then incr(limit);
       if limit = start then { previous line was empty }
          print_nl("(Please_type_a_command_or_say_`\end')");
       print\_ln; first \leftarrow start; prompt\_input("*"); { input on-line into buffer }
       limit \leftarrow last;
       if end_line_char_inactive then decr(limit)
       else buffer[limit] \leftarrow end\_line\_char;
       first \leftarrow limit + 1; loc \leftarrow start;
     else fatal_error("***_\(\(\)job\(\)aborted,\(\)no\(\)legal\(\)\(\)end\(\)found)");
            { nonstop mode, which is intended for overnight batch processing, never waits for on-line input }
     end
This code is used in section 343.
       The global variable force_eof is normally false; it is set true by an \endinput command.
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
force_eof: boolean; { should the next \input be aborted early? }
362. (Read next line of file into buffer, or goto restart if the file has ended 362) \equiv
  begin incr(line); first \leftarrow start;
  if \neg force\_eof then
     begin if input\_ln(cur\_file, true) then { not end of file }
       firm_up_the_line { this sets limit }
     else force\_eof \leftarrow true;
     end;
  if force_eof then
     begin print_char(")"); decr(open_parens); update_terminal; { show user that file has been read }
     force\_eof \leftarrow false; end\_file\_reading; \{ resume previous level \}
     check_outer_validity; goto restart;
     end:
  if end_line_char_inactive then decr(limit)
  else buffer[limit] \leftarrow end\_line\_char;
  first \leftarrow limit + 1; loc \leftarrow start; \{ ready to read \}
  end
This code is used in section 360.
```

**363.** If the user has set the *pausing* parameter to some positive value, and if nonstop mode has not been selected, each line of input is displayed on the terminal and the transcript file, followed by '=>'. TEX waits for a response. If the response is simply *carriage\_return*, the line is accepted as it stands, otherwise the line typed is used instead of the line in the file.

```
procedure firm_up_the_line;
  var k: 0 ... buf\_size; {an index into buffer}
  begin limit \leftarrow last;
  if pausing > 0 then
     if interaction > nonstop_mode then
       begin wake_up_terminal; print_ln;
       if start < limit then
          for k \leftarrow start to limit - 1 do print(buffer[k]);
       first \leftarrow limit; prompt\_input("=>"); { wait for user response }
       if last > first then
          begin for k \leftarrow first to last - 1 do { move line down in buffer }
            buffer[k + start - first] \leftarrow buffer[k];
          limit \leftarrow start + last - first;
          end:
       end;
  end;
```

**364.** Since *get\_next* is used so frequently in TeX, it is convenient to define three related procedures that do a little more:

get\_token not only sets cur\_cmd and cur\_chr, it also sets cur\_tok, a packed halfword version of the current token.

get\_x\_token, meaning "get an expanded token," is like get\_token, but if the current token turns out to be
a user-defined control sequence (i.e., a macro call), or a conditional, or something like \topmark or
\expandafter or \csname, it is eliminated from the input by beginning the expansion of the macro
or the evaluation of the conditional.

x\_token is like get\_x\_token except that it assumes that get\_next has already been called.

In fact, these three procedures account for almost every use of *get\_next*.

**365.** No new control sequences will be defined except during a call of *get\_token*, or when \csname compresses a token list, because *no\_new\_control\_sequence* is always *true* at other times.

```
procedure get_token; { sets cur_cmd, cur_chr, cur_tok } begin no_new_control_sequence \leftarrow false; get_next; no_new_control_sequence \leftarrow true; if cur_cs = 0 then cur_tok \leftarrow (cur_cmd * '400) + cur_chr else cur_tok \leftarrow cs_token_flag + cur_cs; end;
```

This code is used in section 366.

**366.** Expanding the next token. Only a dozen or so command codes > max\_command can possibly be returned by get\_next; in increasing order, they are undefined\_cs, expand\_after, no\_expand, input, if\_test, fi\_or\_else, cs\_name, convert, the, top\_bot\_mark, call, long\_call, outer\_call, long\_outer\_call, and end\_template.

The expand subroutine is used when  $cur\_cmd > max\_command$ . It removes a "call" or a conditional or one of the other special operations just listed. It follows that expand might invoke itself recursively. In all cases, expand destroys the current token, but it sets things up so that the next  $get\_next$  will deliver the appropriate next token. The value of  $cur\_tok$  need not be known when expand is called.

Since several of the basic scanning routines communicate via global variables, their values are saved as local variables of *expand* so that recursive calls don't invalidate them.

```
\langle \text{ Declare the procedure called } macro\_call | 389 \rangle
⟨ Declare the procedure called insert_relax 379⟩
procedure pass_text; forward;
procedure start_input; forward;
procedure conditional; forward;
procedure get_x_token; forward;
procedure conv_toks; forward;
procedure ins_the_toks; forward;
procedure expand;
  var t: halfword; { token that is being "expanded after" }
     p, q, r: pointer; { for list manipulation }
     j: 0 \dots buf\_size; \{ index into buffer \}
     cv_backup: integer; { to save the global quantity cur_val }
     cvl_backup, radix_backup, co_backup: small_number; { to save cur_val_level, etc.}
     backup_backup: pointer; { to save link(backup_head) }
     save_scanner_status: small_number; { temporary storage of scanner_status }
  \textbf{begin} \ cv\_backup \leftarrow cur\_val; \ cvl\_backup \leftarrow cur\_val\_level; \ radix\_backup \leftarrow radix; \ co\_backup \leftarrow cur\_order;
  backup\_backup \leftarrow link(backup\_head);
  if cur\_cmd < call then \langle Expand a nonmacro 367 \rangle
  else if cur_cmd < end_template then macro_call
     else \langle Insert a token containing frozen\_endv 375 \rangle;
  cur\_val \leftarrow cv\_backup; cur\_val\_level \leftarrow cvl\_backup; radix \leftarrow radix\_backup; cur\_order \leftarrow co\_backup;
  link(backup\_head) \leftarrow backup\_backup;
  end;
367.
       \langle \text{ Expand a nonmacro } 367 \rangle \equiv
  begin if tracing_commands > 1 then show_cur_cmd_chr;
  case cur_cmd of
  top_bot_mark: (Insert the appropriate mark text into the scanner 386);
  expand_after: (Expand the token after the next token 368);
  no\_expand: (Suppress expansion of the next token 369);
  cs_name: \( \) Manufacture a control sequence name 372 \);
  convert: conv_toks; { this procedure is discussed in Part 27 below }
  the: ins_the_toks; { this procedure is discussed in Part 27 below }
  if_test: conditional; { this procedure is discussed in Part 28 below }
  f_{l-or-else}: (Terminate the current conditional and skip to \fi 510);
  input: (Initiate or terminate input from a file 378);
  othercases (Complain about an undefined macro 370)
  endcases:
  end
```

368. It takes only a little shuffling to do what TFX calls \expandafter.

```
\langle Expand the token after the next token 368\rangle \equiv begin get\_token; t \leftarrow cur\_tok; get\_token; if cur\_cmd > max\_command then expand else back\_input; cur\_tok \leftarrow t; back\_input; end
```

**369.** The implementation of \noexpand is a bit trickier, because it is necessary to insert a special 'dont\_expand' marker into TEX's reading mechanism. This special marker is processed by get\_next, but it does not slow down the inner loop.

Since \outer macros might arise here, we must also clear the scanner\_status temporarily.

```
\langle \text{Suppress expansion of the next token } 369 \rangle \equiv
\mathbf{begin } save\_scanner\_status \leftarrow scanner\_status; scanner\_status \leftarrow normal; get\_token;
scanner\_status \leftarrow save\_scanner\_status; t \leftarrow cur\_tok; back\_input;
\{ \text{now } start \text{ and } loc \text{ point to the backed-up token } t \}
\mathbf{if } t \geq cs\_token\_flag \text{ then}
\mathbf{begin } p \leftarrow get\_avail; info(p) \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_dont\_expand; link(p) \leftarrow loc; start \leftarrow p;
loc \leftarrow p;
\mathbf{end};
```

This code is used in section 367.

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```
370. ⟨Complain about an undefined macro 370⟩ ≡
begin print_err("Undefined_control_sequence");
help5("The_control_sequence_at_the_end_of_the_top_line")
("of_your_error_message_was_never_\def^ed._If_you_have")
("misspelled_it_(e.g.,_`\hobx´),_type_\`I´_and_the_correct")
("spelling_(e.g.,_`I\hbox´)._Otherwise_just_continue,")
("and_I´ll_forget_about_whatever_was_undefined."); error;
end
```

This code is used in section 367.

**371.** The *expand* procedure and some other routines that construct token lists find it convenient to use the following macros, which are valid only if the variables p and q are reserved for token-list building.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{define} \ store\_new\_token(\texttt{\#}) \equiv \\ \mathbf{begin} \ q \leftarrow get\_avail; \ link(p) \leftarrow q; \ info(q) \leftarrow \texttt{\#}; \ p \leftarrow q; \ \ \{ \ link(p) \ \text{is} \ null \ \} \\ \mathbf{end} \\ \mathbf{define} \ fast\_store\_new\_token(\texttt{\#}) \equiv \\ \mathbf{begin} \ fast\_get\_avail(q); \ link(p) \leftarrow q; \ info(q) \leftarrow \texttt{\#}; \ p \leftarrow q; \ \ \{ \ link(p) \ \text{is} \ null \ \} \\ \mathbf{end} \\ \end{array}
```

```
\langle Manufacture a control sequence name 372\rangle \equiv
  begin r \leftarrow get\_avail; p \leftarrow r; { head of the list of characters }
  repeat get_x_token;
     if cur\_cs = 0 then store\_new\_token(cur\_tok);
  until cur_{-}cs \neq 0;
  if cur\_cmd \neq end\_cs\_name then \langle Complain about missing \backslash endcsname 373 \rangle;
  \langle \text{Look up the characters of list } r \text{ in the hash table, and set } cur\_cs 374 \rangle;
  flush\_list(r);
  if eq\_type(cur\_cs) = undefined\_cs then
     begin eq\_define(cur\_cs, relax, 256); { N.B.: The save\_stack might change }
     end; { the control sequence will now match '\relax' }
  cur\_tok \leftarrow cur\_cs + cs\_token\_flag; back\_input;
This code is used in section 367.
373. (Complain about missing \endcsname 373) \equiv
  begin print_err("Missing□"); print_esc("endcsname"); print("□inserted");
  help2 ("The_control_sequence_marked_<to_be_read_again>_should")
  ("not_appear_between_\csname_and_\endcsname."); back_error;
  end
This code is used in section 372.
        (Look up the characters of list r in the hash table, and set cur_cs 374) \equiv
  j \leftarrow first; \ p \leftarrow link(r);
  while p \neq null do
     begin if j \ge max\_buf\_stack then
       begin max\_buf\_stack \leftarrow j+1;
       \textbf{if} \ \textit{max\_buf\_stack} = \textit{buf\_size} \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{overflow}(\texttt{"buffer\_size"}, \textit{buf\_size});\\
     buffer[j] \leftarrow info(p) \bmod 400; incr(j); p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
  if j > first + 1 then
     begin no\_new\_control\_sequence \leftarrow false; <math>cur\_cs \leftarrow id\_lookup(first, j - first);
     no\_new\_control\_sequence \leftarrow true;
  else if j = first then cur\_cs \leftarrow null\_cs { the list is empty }
     else cur\_cs \leftarrow single\_base + buffer[first] { the list has length one }
This code is used in section 372.
        An end_template command is effectively changed to an endv command by the following code. (The
reason for this is discussed below; the frozen_end_template at the end of the template has passed the
check_outer_validity test, so its mission of error detection has been accomplished.)
```

This code is used in section 366.

end

 $\langle \text{Insert a token containing } frozen\_endv \ 375 \rangle \equiv$ 

**begin**  $cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_endv$ ;  $back\_input$ ;

end;

```
The processing of \input involves the start_input subroutine, which will be declared later; the
processing of \endinput is trivial.
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +\equiv
  primitive("input", input, 0);
  primitive("endinput", input, 1);
377. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
input: if chr_code = 0 then print_esc("input") else print_esc("endinput");
      \langle \text{Initiate or terminate input from a file 378} \rangle \equiv
  if cur\_chr > 0 then force\_eof \leftarrow true
  else if name_in_progress then insert_relax
     else start\_input
This code is used in section 367.
       Sometimes the expansion looks too far ahead, so we want to insert a harmless \relax into the user's
input.
\langle Declare the procedure called insert_relax 379\rangle \equiv
procedure insert_relax;
  begin cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + cur\_cs; back\_input; cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_relax; back\_input;
  token\_type \leftarrow inserted;
  end:
This code is used in section 366.
380. Here is a recursive procedure that is T<sub>F</sub>X's usual way to get the next token of input. It has been
slightly optimized to take account of common cases.
procedure get_x_token; { sets cur_cmd, cur_chr, cur_tok, and expands macros }
  label restart, done;
  begin restart: get_next;
  if cur\_cmd \leq max\_command then goto done;
  if cur\_cmd \ge call then
     if cur\_cmd < end\_template then macro\_call
     else begin cur\_cs \leftarrow frozen\_endv; cur\_cmd \leftarrow endv; goto done; \{cur\_chr = null\_list\}
       end
  else expand;
  goto restart;
done: if cur\_cs = 0 then cur\_tok \leftarrow (cur\_cmd * '400) + cur\_chr
  else cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + cur\_cs;
  end:
381. The get_x_token procedure is essentially equivalent to two consecutive procedure calls: get_next;
x\_token.
procedure x\_token; { get\_x\_token without the initial get\_next }
  begin while cur\_cmd > max\_command do
     begin expand; get_next;
     end:
  if cur\_cs = 0 then cur\_tok \leftarrow (cur\_cmd * '400) + cur\_chr
  else cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + cur\_cs;
```

382. A control sequence that has been \def'ed by the user is expanded by TEX's macro\_call procedure. Before we get into the details of macro\_call, however, let's consider the treatment of primitives like \topmark, since they are essentially macros without parameters. The token lists for such marks are kept in a global array of five pointers; we refer to the individual entries of this array by symbolic names top\_mark, etc. The value of top\_mark is either null or a pointer to the reference count of a token list.

```
define top\_mark\_code = 0 { the mark in effect at the previous page break }
  define first\_mark\_code = 1 { the first mark between top\_mark and bot\_mark }
  define bot\_mark\_code = 2 { the mark in effect at the current page break }
  define split_first_mark_code = 3 { the first mark found by \vsplit }
  define split\_bot\_mark\_code = 4 { the last mark found by \vsplit }
  define top\_mark \equiv cur\_mark[top\_mark\_code]
  define first\_mark \equiv cur\_mark[first\_mark\_code]
  define bot\_mark \equiv cur\_mark[bot\_mark\_code]
  define split\_first\_mark \equiv cur\_mark[split\_first\_mark\_code]
  define split\_bot\_mark \equiv cur\_mark[split\_bot\_mark\_code]
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
cur_mark: array [top_mark_code .. split_bot_mark_code] of pointer; { token lists for marks }
383. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  top\_mark \leftarrow null; first\_mark \leftarrow null; bot\_mark \leftarrow null; split\_first\_mark \leftarrow null; split\_bot\_mark \leftarrow null;
384. (Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226) +\equiv
  primitive("topmark", top_bot_mark, top_mark_code);
  primitive("firstmark", top_bot_mark, first_mark_code);
  primitive("botmark", top_bot_mark, bot_mark_code);
  primitive("splitfirstmark", top_bot_mark, split_first_mark_code);
  primitive("splitbotmark", top_bot_mark, split_bot_mark_code);
385. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
top\_bot\_mark: case chr\_code of
  first_mark_code: print_esc("firstmark");
  bot_mark_code: print_esc("botmark");
  split_first_mark_code: print_esc("splitfirstmark");
  split\_bot\_mark\_code : print\_esc("splitbotmark");
  othercases print_esc("topmark")
  endcases:
386. The following code is activated when cur\_cmd = top\_bot\_mark and when cur\_chr is a code like
top\_mark\_code.
\langle Insert the appropriate mark text into the scanner 386\rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_mark[cur\_chr] \neq null then begin\_token\_list(cur\_mark[cur\_chr], mark\_text);
  end
This code is used in section 367.
```

**387.** Now let's consider  $macro\_call$  itself, which is invoked when  $T_EX$  is scanning a control sequence whose  $cur\_cmd$  is either call,  $long\_call$ ,  $outer\_call$ , or  $long\_outer\_call$ . The control sequence definition appears in the token list whose reference count is in location  $cur\_chr$  of mem.

The global variable *long\_state* will be set to *call* or to *long\_call*, depending on whether or not the control sequence disallows \par in its parameters. The *get\_next* routine will set *long\_state* to *outer\_call* and emit \par, if a file ends or if an \outer control sequence occurs in the midst of an argument.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv long_state: call .. long_outer_call; { governs the acceptance of \par}
```

**388.** The parameters, if any, must be scanned before the macro is expanded. Parameters are token lists without reference counts. They are placed on an auxiliary stack called *pstack* while they are being scanned, since the *param\_stack* may be losing entries during the matching process. (Note that *param\_stack* can't be gaining entries, since *macro\_call* is the only routine that puts anything onto *param\_stack*, and it is not recursive.)

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv pstack: array [0..8] of pointer; {arguments supplied to a macro}
```

**389.** After parameter scanning is complete, the parameters are moved to the  $param\_stack$ . Then the macro body is fed to the scanner; in other words,  $macro\_call$  places the defined text of the control sequence at the top of T<sub>F</sub>X's input stack, so that  $get\_next$  will proceed to read it next.

The global variable  $cur\_cs$  contains the eqtb address of the control sequence being expanded, when  $macro\_call$  begins. If this control sequence has not been declared  $\log$ , i.e., if its command code in the  $eq\_type$  field is not  $long\_call$  or  $long\_outer\_call$ , its parameters are not allowed to contain the control sequence  $\par$ . If an illegal  $\par$  appears, the macro call is aborted, and the  $\par$  will be rescanned.

```
\langle Declare the procedure called macro\_call 389 \rangle \equiv
procedure macro_call; { invokes a user-defined control sequence }
  label exit, continue, done, done1, found;
  var r: pointer; { current node in the macro's token list }
     p: pointer; { current node in parameter token list being built }
     q: pointer; { new node being put into the token list }
     s: pointer; { backup pointer for parameter matching }
     t: pointer; { cycle pointer for backup recovery }
     u, v: pointer; { auxiliary pointers for backup recovery }
     rbrace_ptr: pointer; { one step before the last right_brace token }
     n: small_number; { the number of parameters scanned }
     unbalance: halfword; { unmatched left braces in current parameter }
     m: halfword; { the number of tokens or groups (usually) }
     ref_count: pointer; { start of the token list }
     save_scanner_status: small_number; { scanner_status upon entry }
     save_warning_index: pointer; { warning_index upon entry }
     match_chr: ASCII_code; { character used in parameter }
  \textbf{begin} \ save\_scanner\_status \leftarrow scanner\_status; \ save\_warning\_index \leftarrow warning\_index;
  warning\_index \leftarrow cur\_cs; ref\_count \leftarrow cur\_chr; r \leftarrow link(ref\_count); n \leftarrow 0;
  if tracing\_macros > 0 then \langle Show the text of the macro being expanded 401\rangle;
  if info(r) \neq end\_match\_token then \langle Scan \text{ the parameters and make } link(r) \text{ point to the macro body};
         but return if an illegal \par is detected 391 \;
  (Feed the macro body and its parameters to the scanner 390);
exit: scanner\_status \leftarrow save\_scanner\_status; warning\_index \leftarrow save\_warning\_index;
This code is used in section 366.
```

**390.** Before we put a new token list on the input stack, it is wise to clean off all token lists that have recently been depleted. Then a user macro that ends with a call to itself will not require unbounded stack space.

```
⟨ Feed the macro body and its parameters to the scanner 390⟩ ≡ while (state = token\_list) \land (loc = null) \land (token\_type \neq v\_template) do end\_token\_list; { conserve stack space } begin\_token\_list(ref\_count, macro); name ← warning\_index; loc ← link(r); if n > 0 then

begin if param\_ptr + n > max\_param\_stack then

begin max\_param\_stack \leftarrow param\_ptr + n; if max\_param\_stack > param\_size then overflow("parameter\_stack\_size", param\_size); end;

for m \leftarrow 0 to n - 1 do param\_stack[param\_ptr + m] \leftarrow pstack[m]; param\_ptr \leftarrow param\_ptr + n; end
```

This code is used in section 389.

**391.** At this point, the reader will find it advisable to review the explanation of token list format that was presented earlier, since many aspects of that format are of importance chiefly in the *macro\_call* routine.

The token list might begin with a string of compulsory tokens before the first match or  $end\_match$ . In that case the macro name is supposed to be followed by those tokens; the following program will set s = null to represent this restriction. Otherwise s will be set to the first token of a string that will delimit the next parameter.

This code is used in section 389.

 ${\bf else\ goto\ } {\it continue};$ 

This code is used in section 392.

end

If info(r) is a match or end\_match command, it cannot be equal to any token found by  $get\_token$ . Therefore an undelimited parameter—i.e., a match that is immediately followed by match or end\_match will always fail the test ' $cur\_tok = info(r)$ ' in the following algorithm.  $\langle$  Scan a parameter until its delimiter string has been found; or, if s = null, simply scan the delimiter string  $392 \rangle \equiv$ continue: get\_token; { set cur\_tok to the next token of input } if  $cur\_tok = info(r)$  then  $\langle$  Advance r; goto found if the parameter delimiter has been fully matched, otherwise **goto** continue 394; (Contribute the recently matched tokens to the current parameter, and **goto** continue if a partial match is still in effect; but abort if s = null 397; if  $cur\_tok = par\_token$  then if  $long\_state \neq long\_call$  then  $\langle$  Report a runaway argument and abort 396 $\rangle$ ; if  $cur\_tok < right\_brace\_limit$  then if cur\_tok < left\_brace\_limit then (Contribute an entire group to the current parameter 399) else (Report an extra right brace and goto continue 395) else Store the current token, but goto continue if it is a blank space that would become an undelimited parameter 393); incr(m); if  $info(r) > end\_match\_token$  then goto continue; if  $info(r) < match\_token$  then goto continue; found: if  $s \neq null$  then  $\langle$  Tidy up the parameter just scanned, and tuck it away 400  $\rangle$ This code is used in section 391. (Store the current token, but **goto** continue if it is a blank space that would become an undelimited parameter  $393 \rangle \equiv$ begin if  $cur\_tok = space\_token$  then if  $info(r) \leq end\_match\_token$  then if  $info(r) \geq match\_token$  then goto continue;  $store\_new\_token(cur\_tok);$ end This code is used in section 392. A slightly subtle point arises here: When the parameter delimiter ends with '#{', the token list will have a left brace both before and after the end\_match. Only one of these should affect the align\_state, but both will be scanned, so we must make a correction.  $\langle$  Advance r; **goto** found if the parameter delimiter has been fully matched, otherwise **goto** continue 394 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $r \leftarrow link(r)$ ; if  $(info(r) \ge match\_token) \land (info(r) \le end\_match\_token)$  then **begin if**  $cur\_tok < left\_brace\_limit$  **then**  $decr(align\_state)$ ; **goto** found; end

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395. (Report an extra right brace and goto continue 395) \equiv
      begin back_input; print_err("Argument⊔of⊔"); sprint_cs(warning_index); print("⊔has⊔an⊔extra⊔}");
      help6("I"ve_{\sqcup}run_{\sqcup}across_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}")": that_{\sqcup}doesn"t_{\sqcup}seem_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}match_{\sqcup}anything.")
      ("For_lexample,_l`\def\a#1{...}`_land_l`\a}`_lwould_lproduce")
      ("this_error._If_you_simply_proceed_now,_the_`\par_that")
      ("I^ve_{\sqcup}just_{\sqcup}inserted_{\sqcup}will_{\sqcup}cause_{\sqcup}me_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}report_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}runaway")
      ("argument_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}might_{\sqcup}be_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}root_{\sqcup}of_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}problem._{\sqcup}But_{\sqcup}if")
      ("your_{\bot})^* \subseteq was_{\bot}spurious,_{\bot}just_{\bot}type_{\bot})^* = ("your_{\bot})^* \subseteq ust_{\bot}ust_{\bot}type_{\bot})^* = (ust_{\bot}ust_{\bot}type_{\bot})^* = (ust_{\bot}ust_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot})^* = (ust_{\bot}ust_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{\bot}type_{
      long\_state \leftarrow call; cur\_tok \leftarrow par\_token; ins\_error; goto continue;
      end { a white lie; the \par won't always trigger a runaway }
This code is used in section 392.
396. If long\_state = outer\_call, a runaway argument has already been reported.
\langle Report a runaway argument and abort 396\rangle \equiv
      begin if long\_state = call then
              begin runaway; print_err("Paragraph uended before "); sprint_cs(warning_index);
              print("\_was\_complete");
              help3("I_{\sqcup}suspect_{\sqcup}you've_{\sqcup}forgotten_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}`)',_{\sqcup}causing_{\sqcup}me_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}apply_{\sqcup}this")
              ("control_sequence_to_too_much_text._How_can_we_recover?")
              ("Myuplanuisutouforgetutheuwholeuthinguanduhopeuforutheubest."); back_error;
              end;
      pstack[n] \leftarrow link(temp\_head); \ align\_state \leftarrow align\_state - unbalance;
      for m \leftarrow 0 to n do flush\_list(pstack[m]);
      return:
      end
```

This code is used in sections 392 and 399.

This code is used in section 392.

**397.** When the following code becomes active, we have matched tokens from s to the predecessor of r, and we have found that  $cur\_tok \neq info(r)$ . An interesting situation now presents itself: If the parameter is to be delimited by a string such as 'ab', and if we have scanned 'aa', we want to contribute one 'a' to the current parameter and resume looking for a 'b'. The program must account for such partial matches and for others that can be quite complex. But most of the time we have s = r and nothing needs to be done.

Incidentally, it is possible for \par tokens to sneak in to certain parameters of non-\long macros. For example, consider a case like '\def\a#1\par!\{...\}' where the first \par is not followed by an exclamation point. In such situations it does not seem appropriate to prohibit the \par, so TEX keeps quiet about this bending of the rules.

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Contribute the recently matched tokens to the current parameter, and goto continue if a partial match is
       still in effect; but abort if s = null | 397 \rangle \equiv
  if s \neq r then
     if s = null then (Report an improper use of the macro and abort 398)
     else begin t \leftarrow s;
       repeat store\_new\_token(info(t)); incr(m); u \leftarrow link(t); v \leftarrow s;
          loop begin if u = r then
               if cur\_tok \neq info(v) then goto done
               else begin r \leftarrow link(v); goto continue;
                  end:
             if info(u) \neq info(v) then goto done;
             u \leftarrow link(u); \ v \leftarrow link(v);
             end;
       done: t \leftarrow link(t);
       until t = r;
       r \leftarrow s; { at this point, no tokens are recently matched }
       end
This code is used in section 392.
398. \langle Report an improper use of the macro and abort 398\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Use_of_"); sprint_cs(warning_index); print("odoesn tomatch_its_definition");
  help_4("If_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}say,_{\sqcup}e.g.,_{\sqcup}`def_{a1{...}}`,_{\sqcup}then_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}must_{\sqcup}always")
  ("put_{\sqcup}`1`_{\sqcup}after_{\sqcup}`\setminus a`,_{\sqcup}since_{\sqcup}control_{\sqcup}sequence_{\sqcup}names_{\sqcup}are")
  (\verb"made_up_of_letters_only._uThe_macro_here_has_not_been")
  ("followed_by_the_required_stuff, so_I^m_ignoring_it."); error; return;
This code is used in section 397.
399. (Contribute an entire group to the current parameter 399) \equiv
  begin unbalance \leftarrow 1;
  loop begin fast_store_new_token(cur_tok); get_token;
     if cur\_tok = par\_token then
       if long\_state \neq long\_call then \langle Report a runaway argument and abort 396\rangle;
     if cur\_tok < right\_brace\_limit then
       if cur\_tok < left\_brace\_limit then incr(unbalance)
       else begin decr(unbalance):
          if unbalance = 0 then goto done1;
          end:
done1: rbrace\_ptr \leftarrow p; store\_new\_token(cur\_tok);
```

This code is used in section 389.

**400.** If the parameter consists of a single group enclosed in braces, we must strip off the enclosing braces. That's why  $rbrace\_ptr$  was introduced.  $\langle$  Tidy up the parameter just scanned, and tuck it away 400  $\rangle \equiv$ **begin if**  $(m = 1) \land (info(p) < right\_brace\_limit)$  **then begin**  $link(rbrace\_ptr) \leftarrow null; free\_avail(p); p \leftarrow link(temp\_head); pstack[n] \leftarrow link(p); free\_avail(p);$ end else  $pstack[n] \leftarrow link(temp\_head);$ incr(n); if  $tracing\_macros > 0$  then **begin** begin\_diagnostic; print\_nl(match\_chr); print\_int(n); print("<-");  $show\_token\_list(pstack[n-1], null, 1000); end\_diagnostic(false);$ end This code is used in section 392. **401.** (Show the text of the macro being expanded 401)  $\equiv$ **begin** begin\_diagnostic; print\_ln; print\_cs(warning\_index); token\_show(ref\_count);  $end\_diagnostic(false);$ end

- **402.** Basic scanning subroutines. Let's turn now to some procedures that TEX calls upon frequently to digest certain kinds of patterns in the input. Most of these are quite simple; some are quite elaborate. Almost all of the routines call *get\_x\_token*, which can cause them to be invoked recursively.
- **403.** The *scan\_left\_brace* routine is called when a left brace is supposed to be the next non-blank token. (The term "left brace" means, more precisely, a character whose catcode is *left\_brace*.) TEX allows \relax to appear before the *left\_brace*.

```
procedure scan_left_brace; { reads a mandatory left_brace }
  begin (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
  if cur\_cmd \neq left\_brace then
     begin print_err("Missing_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup}inserted");
     help_4("A_{\square}left_{\square}brace_{\square}was_{\square}mandatory_{\square}here,_{\square}so_{\square}I`ve_{\square}put_{\square}one_{\square}in.")
     ("You_might_want_to_delete_and/or_insert_some_corrections")
     ("so_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}will_{\sqcup}find_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}matching_{\sqcup}right_{\sqcup}brace_{\sqcup}soon.")
     ("(If_you're_confused_by_all_this,_try_typing_'I}'_now.)"); back_error;
     cur\_tok \leftarrow left\_brace\_token + "{"}; cur\_cmd \leftarrow left\_brace; cur\_chr \leftarrow "{"}; incr(align\_state);
     end:
  end;
404. \langle Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404\rangle \equiv
  repeat get_x_token;
  until (cur\_cmd \neq spacer) \land (cur\_cmd \neq relax)
This code is used in sections 403, 1078, 1084, 1151, 1160, 1211, 1226, and 1270.
405. The scan_optional_equals routine looks for an optional '=' sign preceded by optional spaces; '\relax'
is not ignored here.
procedure scan_optional_equals;
  begin (Get the next non-blank non-call token 406);
  if cur\_tok \neq other\_token + "=" then back\_input;
  end;
406. \langle Get the next non-blank non-call token 406\rangle
  repeat get_x_token;
  until cur\_cmd \neq spacer
This code is used in sections 405, 441, 455, 503, 526, 577, 785, 791, and 1045.
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**407.** In case you are getting bored, here is a slightly less trivial routine: Given a string of lowercase letters, like 'pt' or 'plus' or 'width', the  $scan\_keyword$  routine checks to see whether the next tokens of input match this string. The match must be exact, except that uppercase letters will match their lowercase counterparts; uppercase equivalents are determined by subtracting "a" - "A", rather than using the  $uc\_code$  table, since TeX uses this routine only for its own limited set of keywords.

If a match is found, the characters are effectively removed from the input and *true* is returned. Otherwise *false* is returned, and the input is left essentially unchanged (except for the fact that some macros may have been expanded, etc.).

```
function scan\_keyword(s:str\_number): boolean; {look for a given string}
  label exit:
  var p: pointer; { tail of the backup list }
     q: pointer; { new node being added to the token list via store_new_token }
     k: pool_pointer; { index into str_pool }
  begin p \leftarrow backup\_head; link(p) \leftarrow null; k \leftarrow str\_start[s];
  while k < str\_start[s+1] do
     begin get_x_token; { recursion is possible here }
     \mathbf{if}\ (cur\_cs = 0) \land ((cur\_chr = so(str\_pool[k])) \lor (cur\_chr = so(str\_pool[k]) - \mathtt{"a"} + \mathtt{"A"}))\ \mathbf{then}
       begin store\_new\_token(cur\_tok); incr(k);
       end
     else if (cur\_cmd \neq spacer) \lor (p \neq backup\_head) then
         begin back_input;
         if p \neq backup\_head then back\_list(link(backup\_head));
         scan\_keyword \leftarrow false;  return;
         end;
     end:
  flush\_list(link(backup\_head)); scan\_keyword \leftarrow true;
exit: end;
408.
       Here is a procedure that sounds an alarm when mu and non-mu units are being switched.
procedure mu_error;
  begin print_err("Incompatible glue units");
  help1("I´mugoingutouassumeuthatu1mu=1ptuwhenuthey´reumixed."); error;
  end:
```

409. The next routine 'scan\_something\_internal' is used to fetch internal numeric quantities like '\hsize', and also to handle the '\the' when expanding constructions like '\the\toks0' and '\the\baselineskip'. Soon we will be considering the scan\_int procedure, which calls scan\_something\_internal; on the other hand, scan\_something\_internal also calls scan\_int, for constructions like '\catcode`\\$' or '\fontdimen 3 \ff'. So we have to declare scan\_int as a forward procedure. A few other procedures are also declared at this point.

```
procedure scan\_int; forward; {scans an integer value} 
 \langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle \langle Declare procedures that scan font-related stuff 577\rangle
```

410. TeX doesn't know exactly what to expect when scan\_something\_internal begins. For example, an integer or dimension or glue value could occur immediately after '\hskip'; and one can even say \the with respect to token lists in constructions like '\xdef\o{\the\output}'. On the other hand, only integers are allowed after a construction like '\count'. To handle the various possibilities, scan\_something\_internal has a level parameter, which tells the "highest" kind of quantity that scan\_something\_internal is allowed to produce. Six levels are distinguished, namely int\_val, dimen\_val, glue\_val, mu\_val, ident\_val, and tok\_val.

The output of  $scan\_something\_internal$  (and of the other routines  $scan\_int$ ,  $scan\_dimen$ , and  $scan\_glue$  below) is put into the global variable  $cur\_val$ , and its level is put into  $cur\_val\_level$ . The highest values of  $cur\_val\_level$  are special:  $mu\_val$  is used only when  $cur\_val$  points to something in a "muskip" register, or to one of the three parameters  $\t$ hinmuskip,  $\t$ hickmuskip;  $ident\_val$  is used only when  $cur\_val$  points to a font identifier;  $tok\_val$  is used only when  $cur\_val$  points to null or to the reference count of a token list. The last two cases are allowed only when  $scan\_something\_internal$  is called with  $level = tok\_val$ .

If the output is glue,  $cur\_val$  will point to a glue specification, and the reference count of that glue will have been updated to reflect this reference; if the output is a nonempty token list,  $cur\_val$  will point to its reference count, but in this case the count will not have been updated. Otherwise  $cur\_val$  will contain the integer or scaled value in question.

```
define int\_val = 0 { integer values }
define dimen\_val = 1 { dimension values }
define glue\_val = 2 { glue specifications }
define mu\_val = 3 { math glue specifications }
define ident\_val = 4 { font identifier }
define tok\_val = 5 { token lists }
\langle Global variables 13 \rangle +\equiv
cur\_val: integer; { value returned by numeric scanners }
cur\_val\_level: int\_val ... tok\_val; { the "level" of this value }
```

**411.** The hash table is initialized with '\count', '\dimen', '\skip', and '\muskip' all having register as their command code; they are distinguished by the chr\_code, which is either int\_val, dimen\_val, glue\_val, or mu\_val.

```
⟨ Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226⟩ +≡
    primitive("count", register, int_val); primitive("dimen", register, dimen_val);
    primitive("skip", register, glue_val); primitive("muskip", register, mu_val);

412. ⟨ Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227⟩ +≡
    register: if chr_code = int_val then print_esc("count")
    else if chr_code = dimen_val then print_esc("dimen")
    else if chr_code = glue_val then print_esc("skip")
    else print_esc("muskip");
```

This code is used in section 413.

**413.** OK, we're ready for  $scan\_something\_internal$  itself. A second parameter, negative, is set true if the value that is found should be negated. It is assumed that  $cur\_cmd$  and  $cur\_chr$  represent the first token of the internal quantity to be scanned; an error will be signalled if  $cur\_cmd < min\_internal$  or  $cur\_cmd > max\_internal$ .

```
define scanned\_result\_end(\#) \equiv cur\_val\_level \leftarrow \#; end
  define scanned\_result(\#) \equiv \mathbf{begin} \ cur\_val \leftarrow \#; \ scanned\_result\_end
procedure scan_something_internal(level: small_number; negative: boolean);
          { fetch an internal parameter }
  var m: halfword; { chr_{-}code part of the operand token }
     p: 0 \dots nest\_size; \{ index into nest \}
  begin m \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  case cur_cmd of
  def_code: \( \text{Fetch a character code from some table 414} \);
  toks_register, assign_toks, def_family, set_font, def_font: \( \) Fetch a token list or font identifier, provided
          that level = tok\_val \ 415;
  assign\_int: scanned\_result(eqtb[m].int)(int\_val);
  assign\_dimen: scanned\_result(eqtb[m].sc)(dimen\_val);
  assign\_glue: scanned\_result(equiv(m))(glue\_val);
  assign\_mu\_glue: scanned\_result(equiv(m))(mu\_val);
  set_aux: \langle Fetch the space_factor or the prev_depth 418 \rangle;
  set\_prev\_qraf: \langle Fetch the prev\_qraf 422\rangle;
  set_page_int: \langle Fetch the dead_cycles or the insert_penalties 419 \rangle;
  set_page_dimen: \langle Fetch something on the page_so_far 421 \rangle;
  set\_shape: \langle Fetch the par\_shape size 423\rangle;
  set\_box\_dimen: \langle Fetch a box dimension 420\rangle;
  char_given, math_given: scanned_result(cur_chr)(int_val);
  assign_font_dimen: \langle Fetch a font dimension 425 \rangle;
  assign\_font\_int: \langle Fetch a font integer 426 \rangle;
  register: \langle Fetch a register 427\rangle;
  last_item: (Fetch an item in the current node, if appropriate 424);
  othercases (Complain that \the can't do this; give zero result 428)
  endcases:
  while cur\_val\_level > level do \langle Convert \ cur\_val \ to a lower level 429 \rangle;
  ⟨ Fix the reference count, if any, and negate cur_val if negative 430⟩;
  end;
414. \langle Fetch a character code from some table 414\rangle \equiv
  begin scan_char_num;
  if m = math\_code\_base then scanned\_result(ho(math\_code(cur\_val)))(int\_val)
  else if m < math\_code\_base then scanned\_result(equiv(m + cur\_val))(int\_val)
     else scanned\_result(eqtb[m + cur\_val].int)(int\_val);
  end
```

othercases print\_esc("badness")

endcases;

```
\langle Fetch a token list or font identifier, provided that level = tok\_val 415\rangle \equiv
  if level \neq tok\_val then
    begin print_err("Missing_number, _treated_as_zero");
    help3("A_number_should_have_been_here;_l_I_inserted_"0".")
    ("(If_{\cup}you_{\cup}can^{\prime}t_{\cup}figure_{\cup}out_{\cup}why_{\cup}I_{\cup}needed_{\cup}to_{\cup}see_{\cup}a_{\cup}number,")
    ("look_up__`weird_error´_in_the_index_to_The_TeXbook.)"); back_error;
    scanned\_result(0)(dimen\_val);
    end
  else if cur\_cmd \leq assign\_toks then
       begin if cur\_cmd < assign\_toks then { cur\_cmd = toks\_register }
         begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; m \leftarrow toks\_base + cur\_val;
       scanned\_result(equiv(m))(tok\_val);
    else begin back_input; scan_font_ident; scanned_result(font_id_base + cur_val)(ident_val);
This code is used in section 413.
416. Users refer to '\the\spacefactor' only in horizontal mode, and to '\the\prevdepth' only in vertical
mode; so we put the associated mode in the modifier part of the set_aux command. The set_page_int
command has modifier 0 or 1, for '\deadcycles' and '\insertpenalties', respectively. The set_box_dimen
command is modified by either width_offset, height_offset, or depth_offset. And the last_item command is
modified by either int_val, dimen_val, qlue_val, input_line_no_code, or badness_code.
  define input\_line\_no\_code = qlue\_val + 1  { code for \inputlineno }
  define badness\_code = glue\_val + 2  { code for \badness }
\langle Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table 226 \rangle +=
  primitive("spacefactor", set_aux, hmode); primitive("prevdepth", set_aux, vmode);
  primitive (\verb"deadcycles", set\_page\_int, 0); \ primitive (\verb"insertpenalties", set\_page\_int, 1);
  primitive("wd", set_box_dimen, width_offset); primitive("ht", set_box_dimen, height_offset);
  primitive("dp", set_box_dimen, depth_offset); primitive("lastpenalty", last_item, int_val);
  primitive("lastkern", last_item, dimen_val); primitive("lastskip", last_item, qlue_val);
  primitive("inputlineno", last_item, input_line_no_code); primitive("badness", last_item, badness_code);
       \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
set_aux: if chr_code = vmode then print_esc("prevdepth") else print_esc("spacefactor");
set_page_int: if chr_code = 0 then print_esc("deadcycles") else print_esc("insertpenalties");
set_box_dimen: if chr_code = width_offset then print_esc("wd")
  else if chr_code = height_offset then print_esc("ht")
    else print_{-}esc("dp");
last\_item: case chr\_code of
  int_val: print_esc("lastpenalty");
  dimen_val: print_esc("lastkern");
  qlue_val: print_esc("lastskip");
  input_line_no_code: print_esc("inputlineno");
```

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418. \langle Fetch the space_factor or the prev_depth 418\rangle \equiv
  if abs(mode) \neq m then
     begin print_err("Improper<sub>□</sub>"); print_cmd_chr(set_aux, m);
     help4 ("You\sqcupcan\sqcuprefer\sqcupto\sqcup\spacefactor\sqcuponly\sqcupin\sqcuphorizontal\sqcupmode;")
     ("you_can_refer_to_\prevdepth_only_in_vertical_mode; and")
     ("neither_{\cup}of_{\cup}these_{\cup}is_{\cup}meaningful_{\cup}inside_{\cup}\write._{\cup}So")
     ("I'muforgettinguwhatuyouusaiduanduusinguzerouinstead."); error;
     if level \neq tok\_val then scanned\_result(0)(dimen\_val)
     else scanned_result(0)(int_val);
     end
  else if m = vmode then scanned\_result(prev\_depth)(dimen\_val)
     else scanned\_result(space\_factor)(int\_val)
This code is used in section 413.
419. \langle Fetch the dead_cycles or the insert_penalties 419\rangle \equiv
  begin if m = 0 then cur\_val \leftarrow dead\_cycles else cur\_val \leftarrow insert\_penalties;
  cur\_val\_level \leftarrow int\_val;
  end
This code is used in section 413.
420. \langle Fetch a box dimension 420 \rangle \equiv
  begin scan_eight_bit_int;
  if box(cur\_val) = null then cur\_val \leftarrow 0 else cur\_val \leftarrow mem[box(cur\_val) + m].sc;
  cur\_val\_level \leftarrow dimen\_val;
  \mathbf{end}
This code is used in section 413.
421. Inside an \output routine, a user may wish to look at the page totals that were present at the moment
when output was triggered.
  define max\_dimen \equiv 777777777777  { 2^{30} - 1 }
\langle Fetch something on the page_so_far 421\rangle \equiv
  begin if (page\_contents = empty) \land (\neg output\_active) then
     if m = 0 then cur\_val \leftarrow max\_dimen else cur\_val \leftarrow 0
  else cur\_val \leftarrow page\_so\_far[m];
  cur\_val\_level \leftarrow dimen\_val;
  end
This code is used in section 413.
422. \langle Fetch the prev\_graf \langle 422\rangle \equiv
  if mode = 0 then scanned\_result(0)(int\_val) { prev\_graf = 0 within \write}
  else begin nest[nest\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_list; p \leftarrow nest\_ptr;
     while abs(nest[p].mode\_field) \neq vmode do decr(p);
     scanned\_result(nest[p].pg\_field)(int\_val);
     end
This code is used in section 413.
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423.
        \langle \text{ Fetch the } par\_shape \text{ size } 423 \rangle \equiv
  begin if par\_shape\_ptr = null then cur\_val \leftarrow 0
  else cur\_val \leftarrow info(par\_shape\_ptr);
  cur\_val\_level \leftarrow int\_val;
  end
This code is used in section 413.
424. Here is where \lastpenalty, \lastkern, and \lastskip are implemented. The reference count for
\lastskip will be updated later.
  We also handle \inputlineno and \badness here, because they are legal in similar contexts.
\langle Fetch an item in the current node, if appropriate 424\rangle \equiv
  if cur\_chr > qlue\_val then
     begin if cur\_chr = input\_line\_no\_code then cur\_val \leftarrow line
     else cur\_val \leftarrow last\_badness; { cur\_chr = badness\_code }
     cur\_val\_level \leftarrow int\_val;
  else begin if cur\_chr = glue\_val then cur\_val \leftarrow zero\_glue else cur\_val \leftarrow 0;
     cur\_val\_level \leftarrow cur\_chr;
     if \neg is\_char\_node(tail) \land (mode \neq 0) then
        case cur_chr of
        int\_val: if type(tail) = penalty\_node then cur\_val \leftarrow penalty(tail);
        dimen\_val: if type(tail) = kern\_node then cur\_val \leftarrow width(tail);
        glue\_val: if type(tail) = glue\_node then
             begin cur\_val \leftarrow glue\_ptr(tail);
             if subtype(tail) = mu\_glue then cur\_val\_level \leftarrow mu\_val;
             end;
        end { there are no other cases }
     else if (mode = vmode) \land (tail = head) then
          case cur_chr of
          int\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow last\_penalty;
          dimen\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow last\_kern;
          glue\_val: if last\_glue \neq max\_halfword then cur\_val \leftarrow last\_glue;
          end; { there are no other cases }
     end
This code is used in section 413.
425. \langle Fetch a font dimension 425 \rangle \equiv
  begin find\_font\_dimen(false); font\_info[fmem\_ptr].sc \leftarrow 0;
  scanned\_result(font\_info[cur\_val].sc)(dimen\_val);
  end
This code is used in section 413.
426. \langle Fetch a font integer 426\rangle \equiv
  begin scan_font_ident;
  if m = 0 then scanned\_result(hyphen\_char[cur\_val])(int\_val)
  else scanned\_result(skew\_char[cur\_val])(int\_val);
  end
```

**431.**  $\langle$  Negate all three glue components of *cur\_val* 431 $\rangle \equiv$ 

end

This code is used in section 430.

```
427.
        \langle Fetch a register 427\rangle \equiv
  begin scan_eight_bit_int;
  case m of
  int\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow count(cur\_val);
  dimen\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow dimen(cur\_val);
  qlue\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow skip(cur\_val);
  mu\_val: cur\_val \leftarrow mu\_skip(cur\_val);
  end; { there are no other cases }
  cur\_val\_level \leftarrow m;
  end
This code is used in section 413.
428. \langle Complain that \the can't do this; give zero result 428 \rangle \equiv
  \mathbf{begin} \ print\_err("You \sqsubseteq \mathsf{can't} \sqsubseteq \mathsf{use} \sqsubseteq `"); \ print\_emd\_chr(\mathit{cur\_cmd}, \mathit{cur\_chr}); \ print("` \sqsubseteq \mathsf{after} \sqsubseteq");
  print_esc("the"); help1("I´m_forgetting_what_you_said_and_using_zero_instead."); error;
  if level \neq tok\_val then scanned\_result(0)(dimen\_val)
  else scanned\_result(0)(int\_val);
  end
This code is used in section 413.
429. When a glue_val changes to a dimen_val, we use the width component of the glue; there is no need to
decrease the reference count, since it has not yet been increased. When a dimen_val changes to an int_val,
we use scaled points so that the value doesn't actually change. And when a mu\_val changes to a glue\_val,
the value doesn't change either.
\langle \text{Convert } cur\_val \text{ to a lower level } 429 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_val\_level = glue\_val then cur\_val \leftarrow width(cur\_val)
  else if cur_val_level = mu_val then mu_error;
  decr(cur\_val\_level);
  end
This code is used in section 413.
430. If curval points to a glue specification at this point, the reference count for the glue does not yet
include the reference by cur\_val. If negative is true, cur\_val\_level is known to be \leq mu\_val.
\langle Fix the reference count, if any, and negate cur_val if negative 430\rangle \equiv
  if negative then
     if cur\_val\_level \ge glue\_val then
        begin cur\_val \leftarrow new\_spec(cur\_val); \langle Negate all three glue components of cur\_val 431\rangle;
     else negate(cur\_val)
  else if (cur\_val\_level \ge glue\_val) \land (cur\_val\_level \le mu\_val) then add\_glue\_ref(cur\_val)
This code is used in section 413.
```

**432.** Our next goal is to write the  $scan\_int$  procedure, which scans anything that TEX treats as an integer. But first we might as well look at some simple applications of  $scan\_int$  that have already been made inside of  $scan\_something\_internal$ .

**begin**  $negate(width(cur\_val)); negate(stretch(cur\_val)); negate(shrink(cur\_val));$ 

```
\langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle \equiv
procedure scan\_eight\_bit\_int;
  begin scan_int;
  if (cur\_val < 0) \lor (cur\_val > 255) then
     begin print_err("Bad_register_code");
     help2("A_{||}register_{||}number_{||}must_{||}be_{||}between_{||}0_{||}and_{||}255.")
     ("I_{\sqcup} changed_{\sqcup} this_{\sqcup} one_{\sqcup} to_{\sqcup} zero."); int_{error} (cur_{\cdot} val); cur_{\cdot} val \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end:
See also sections 434, 435, 436, and 437.
This code is used in section 409.
434. \langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_char_num;
  begin scan_int;
  if (cur\_val < 0) \lor (cur\_val > 255) then
     begin print_err("Bad_character_code");
     help2("A_{i}character_{i}number_{i}must_{i}be_{i}between_{i}0_{i}and_{i}255.")
     ("I_{\sqcup} changed_{\sqcup} this_{\sqcup} one_{\sqcup} to_{\sqcup} zero."); int_{error} (cur_{\sqcup} val); cur_{\sqcup} val \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end;
435. While we're at it, we might as well deal with similar routines that will be needed later.
\langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_four_bit_int;
  begin scan_int;
  if (cur\_val < 0) \lor (cur\_val > 15) then
     begin print_err("Bad_number");
     help2 ("Since_I_expected_to_read_a_number_between_0_and_15,")
     ("I_{\sqcup} changed_{\sqcup} this_{\sqcup} one_{\sqcup} to_{\sqcup} zero."); int_{error} (cur_{val}); cur_{val} \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end;
436. \langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_fifteen_bit_int;
  begin scan_int;
  if (cur\_val < 0) \lor (cur\_val > 777777) then
     \mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{print\_err}(\texttt{"Bad\_mathchar"}); \ \mathit{help2}(\texttt{"A\_mathchar\_number\_must\_be\_between\_0\_and\_32767."})
     ("I_{\sqcup} changed_{\sqcup} this_{\sqcup} one_{\sqcup} to_{\sqcup} zero."); int_{error} (cur_{-}val); cur_{-}val \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end;
437. \langle Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433\rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_twenty_seven_bit_int;
  begin scan_int:
  if (cur\_val < 0) \lor (cur\_val > 7777777777) then
     begin print_err("Bad_delimiter_code");
     help2("A_{\sqcup}numeric_{\sqcup}delimiter_{\sqcup}code_{\sqcup}must_{\sqcup}be_{\sqcup}between_{\sqcup}0_{\sqcup}and_{\sqcup}2^{2}}-1.")
     ("I_{\sqcup}changed_{\sqcup}this_{\sqcup}one_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}zero."); int_error(cur_val); cur_val \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end;
```

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438. An integer number can be preceded by any number of spaces and '+' or '-' signs. Then comes either a decimal constant (i.e., radix 10), an octal constant (i.e., radix 8, preceded by '), a hexadecimal constant (radix 16, preceded by "), an alphabetic constant (preceded by '), or an internal variable. After scanning is complete,  $cur_val$  will contain the answer, which must be at most  $2^{31} - 1 = 2147483647$  in absolute value. The value of radix is set to 10, 8, or 16 in the cases of decimal, octal, or hexadecimal constants, otherwise radix is set to zero. An optional space follows a constant.

```
define octal_token = other_token + "'" { apostrophe, indicates an octal constant }
  define hex_token = other_token + """ { double quote, indicates a hex constant }
  define alpha_token = other_token + """ { reverse apostrophe, precedes alpha constants }
  define point_token = other_token + "." { decimal point }
  define continental_point_token = other_token + "," { decimal point, Eurostyle }
  \lambda Global variables 13 \rangle +=
  radix: small_number; { scan_int sets this to 8, 10, 16, or zero }
```

**439.** We initialize the following global variables just in case *expand* comes into action before any of the basic scanning routines has assigned them a value.

```
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle +\equiv cur\_val \leftarrow 0; cur\_val\_level \leftarrow int\_val; radix \leftarrow 0; cur\_order \leftarrow normal;
```

**440.** The  $scan\_int$  routine is used also to scan the integer part of a fraction; for example, the '3' in '3.14159' will be found by  $scan\_int$ . The  $scan\_dimen$  routine assumes that  $cur\_tok = point\_token$  after the integer part of such a fraction has been scanned by  $scan\_int$ , and that the decimal point has been backed up to be scanned again.

```
procedure scan_int; { sets cur_val to an integer }
  label done;
  var negative: boolean; { should the answer be negated? }
     m: integer; \{2^{31} \text{ div } radix, \text{ the threshold of danger}\}
     d: small_number; { the digit just scanned }
     vacuous: boolean; { have no digits appeared? }
     OK\_so\_far: boolean; { has an error message been issued? }
  begin radix \leftarrow 0; OK\_so\_far \leftarrow true;
  (Get the next non-blank non-sign token; set negative appropriately 441);
  if cur\_tok = alpha\_token then \langle Scan an alphabetic character code into <math>cur\_val 442\rangle
  else if (cur\_cmd \ge min\_internal) \land (cur\_cmd \le max\_internal) then
       scan\_something\_internal(int\_val, false)
     else (Scan a numeric constant 444);
  if negative then negate(cur_val);
  end;
441. \langle Get the next non-blank non-sign token; set negative appropriately 441\rangle
  negative \leftarrow false;
  repeat (Get the next non-blank non-call token 406);
     if cur\_tok = other\_token + "-" then
       begin negative \leftarrow \neg negative; cur\_tok \leftarrow other\_token + "+";
  until cur\_tok \neq other\_token + "+"
This code is used in sections 440, 448, and 461.
```

442. A space is ignored after an alphabetic character constant, so that such constants behave like numeric ones.  $\langle$  Scan an alphabetic character code into  $cur_val$  442 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin** *get\_token*; { suppress macro expansion } if  $cur\_tok < cs\_token\_flag$  then **begin**  $cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ; if  $cur\_cmd \le right\_brace$  then **if**  $cur\_cmd = right\_brace$  **then**  $incr(align\_state)$ else  $decr(align\_state)$ ; end else if  $cur\_tok < cs\_token\_flag + single\_base$  then  $cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_tok - cs\_token\_flag - active\_base$ else  $cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_tok - cs\_token\_flag - single\_base$ ; if  $cur\_val > 255$  then begin print\_err("Improper\_alphabetic\_constant");  $help2("A_{\sqcup}one-character_{\sqcup}control_{\sqcup}sequence_{\sqcup}belongs_{\sqcup}after_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}`_{\sqcup}mark.")$  $("So_{\sqcup}I'm_{\sqcup}essentially_{\sqcup}inserting_{\sqcup}\backslash 0_{\sqcup}here."); cur_val \leftarrow "0"; back_error;$ else  $\langle Scan an optional space 443 \rangle$ ; end This code is used in section 440. **443.**  $\langle$  Scan an optional space 443 $\rangle$   $\equiv$ **begin**  $qet_{-}x_{-}token$ : if  $cur\_cmd \neq spacer$  then  $back\_input$ ; This code is used in sections 442, 448, 455, and 1200. **444.**  $\langle$  Scan a numeric constant 444 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $radix \leftarrow 10$ ;  $m \leftarrow 214748364$ ; if  $cur\_tok = octal\_token$  then **begin**  $radix \leftarrow 8$ ;  $m \leftarrow 20000000000$ ;  $get\_x\_token$ ; endelse if  $cur\_tok = hex\_token$  then **begin**  $radix \leftarrow 16$ ;  $m \leftarrow 100000000000$ ;  $qet_x\_token$ ; end:  $vacuous \leftarrow true; cur\_val \leftarrow 0;$  $\langle$  Accumulate the constant until *cur\_tok* is not a suitable digit 445 $\rangle$ ;

if vacuous then (Express astonishment that no number was here 446)

This code is used in section 440.

end

else if  $cur\_cmd \neq spacer$  then  $back\_input$ ;

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```
define zero\_token = other\_token + "0"  { zero, the smallest digit }
  define A\_token = letter\_token + "A"  { the smallest special hex digit }
  define other\_A\_token = other\_token + "A"  { special hex digit of type other\_char }
\langle Accumulate the constant until cur_tok is not a suitable digit 445\rangle \equiv
  loop begin if (cur\_tok < zero\_token + radix) \land (cur\_tok \ge zero\_token) \land (cur\_tok \le zero\_token + 9)
             then d \leftarrow cur\_tok - zero\_token
     else if radix = 16 then
          if (cur\_tok \le A\_token + 5) \land (cur\_tok \ge A\_token) then d \leftarrow cur\_tok - A\_token + 10
          else if (cur\_tok \le other\_A\_token + 5) \land (cur\_tok \ge other\_A\_token) then
                d \leftarrow cur\_tok - other\_A\_token + 10
             else goto done
        else goto done;
     vacuous \leftarrow false;
     if (cur\_val \ge m) \land ((cur\_val > m) \lor (d > 7) \lor (radix \ne 10)) then
        begin if OK_{-}so_{-}far then
          begin print_err("Number too big");
          help2 ("I_{\perp}can_{\perp}only_{\perp}go_{\perp}up_{\perp}to_{\perp}2147483647= ´17777777777=""7FFFFFFF,")
          ("so_{\sqcup}I`m_{\sqcup}using_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}number_{\sqcup}instead_{\sqcup}of_{\sqcup}yours."); error; cur_val \leftarrow infinity;
          OK\_so\_far \leftarrow false;
          end;
        end
     else cur_val \leftarrow cur_val * radix + d;
     qet_x_token;
     end:
done.
This code is used in section 444.
446. \langle Express astonishment that no number was here 446\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Missing_number, _treated_as_zero");
  help3("A_{\sqcup}number_{\sqcup}should_{\sqcup}have_{\sqcup}been_{\sqcup}here;_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}inserted_{\sqcup}`0`.")
  ("(If_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}can `t_{\sqcup}figure_{\sqcup}out_{\sqcup}why_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}needed_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}number,")
  ("look_up__`weird_error`_in_the_index_to_The_TeXbook.)"); back_error;
  end
This code is used in section 444.
```

**447.** The *scan\_dimen* routine is similar to *scan\_int*, but it sets *cur\_val* to a *scaled* value, i.e., an integral number of sp. One of its main tasks is therefore to interpret the abbreviations for various kinds of units and to convert measurements to scaled points.

There are three parameters: mu is true if the finite units must be 'mu', while mu is false if 'mu' units are disallowed; inf is true if the infinite units 'fil', 'fill' are permitted; and shortcut is true if  $cur_val$  already contains an integer and only the units need to be considered.

The order of infinity that was found in the case of infinite glue is returned in the global variable  $cur\_order$ .  $\langle$  Global variables 13 $\rangle$  + $\equiv$   $cur\_order$ :  $glue\_ord$ ;  $\{$  order of infinity found by  $scan\_dimen$  $\}$ 

**448.** Constructions like '-'77 pt' are legal dimensions, so *scan\_dimen* may begin with *scan\_int*. This explains why it is convenient to use *scan\_int* also for the integer part of a decimal fraction.

Several branches of  $scan\_dimen$  work with  $cur\_val$  as an integer and with an auxiliary fraction f, so that the actual quantity of interest is  $cur\_val + f/2^{16}$ . At the end of the routine, this "unpacked" representation is put into the single word  $cur\_val$ , which suddenly switches significance from *integer* to scaled.

```
define attach\_fraction = 88  { go here to pack cur\_val and f into cur\_val }
  define attach\_sign = 89 { go here when cur\_val is correct except perhaps for sign }
  define scan\_normal\_dimen \equiv scan\_dimen(false, false, false)
procedure scan\_dimen(mu, inf, shortcut : boolean); { sets cur\_val to a dimension }
  label done, done1, done2, found, not_found, attach_fraction, attach_sign;
  var negative: boolean; { should the answer be negated? }
     f: integer; { numerator of a fraction whose denominator is 2^{16} }
     (Local variables for dimension calculations 450)
  begin f \leftarrow 0; arith\_error \leftarrow false; cur\_order \leftarrow normal; negative \leftarrow false;
  if \neg shortcut then
     begin (Get the next non-blank non-sign token; set negative appropriately 441);
     if (cur\_cmd \ge min\_internal) \land (cur\_cmd \le max\_internal) then
       (Fetch an internal dimension and goto attach_sign, or fetch an internal integer 449)
     else begin back_input;
       if cur\_tok = continental\_point\_token then cur\_tok \leftarrow point\_token;
       if cur\_tok \neq point\_token then scan\_int
       else begin radix \leftarrow 10; cur_val \leftarrow 0;
         end;
       if cur\_tok = continental\_point\_token then cur\_tok \leftarrow point\_token;
       if (radix = 10) \land (cur\_tok = point\_token) then \langle Scan decimal fraction 452 \rangle;
       end;
     end;
  if cur_val < 0 then {in this case f = 0}
     begin negative \leftarrow \neg negative; negate(cur\_val);
    end;
  (Scan units and set cur\_val to x \cdot (cur\_val + f/2^{16}), where there are x sp per unit; goto attach\_sign if
       the units are internal 453);
  (Scan an optional space 443);
attach_sign: if arith\_error \lor (abs(cur\_val) \ge 100000000000) then
     \langle Report that this dimension is out of range 460\rangle;
  if negative then negate(cur_val);
  end;
449. Fetch an internal dimension and goto attach_sign, or fetch an internal integer 449 \geq
     begin scan\_something\_internal(mu\_val, false); \langle Coerce glue to a dimension 451 \rangle;
     if cur_val_level = mu_val then goto attach_sign;
     if cur_val_level \neq int_val then mu_error;
  else begin scan_something_internal(dimen_val, false);
     if cur_val_level = dimen_val then goto attach_sign;
     end
This code is used in section 448.
```

```
450. \langle Local variables for dimension calculations 450 \rangle \equiv num, denom: 1...65536; {conversion ratio for the scanned units} k, kk: small\_number; {number of digits in a decimal fraction} p, q: pointer; {top of decimal digit stack} v: scaled; {an internal dimension} scaled; {an internal dimension} scaled; {temporary storage of cur\_val} This code is used in section 448.
```

**451.** The following code is executed when  $scan\_something\_internal$  was called asking for  $mu\_val$ , when we really wanted a "mudimen" instead of "muglue."

```
\langle Coerce glue to a dimension 451\rangle \equiv if cur\_val\_level \geq glue\_val then begin v \leftarrow width(cur\_val); delete\_glue\_ref(cur\_val); cur\_val \leftarrow v; end
```

This code is used in sections 449 and 455.

**452.** When the following code is executed, we have  $cur\_tok = point\_token$ , but this token has been backed up using  $back\_input$ ; we must first discard it.

It turns out that a decimal point all by itself is equivalent to '0.0'. Let's hope people don't use that fact.

```
 \langle \text{Scan decimal fraction } 452 \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{begin } k \leftarrow 0; \ p \leftarrow null; \ get\_token; \ \ \{ \ point\_token \ \text{is being re-scanned} \} \\ \textbf{loop begin } get\_x\_token; \\ \textbf{if } (cur\_tok > zero\_token + 9) \lor (cur\_tok < zero\_token) \ \textbf{then goto} \ done1; \\ \textbf{if } k < 17 \ \textbf{then} \quad \{ \ \text{digits for } k \geq 17 \ \text{cannot affect the result} \} \\ \textbf{begin } q \leftarrow get\_avail; \ link(q) \leftarrow p; \ info(q) \leftarrow cur\_tok - zero\_token; \ p \leftarrow q; \ incr(k); \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{done1: for } kk \leftarrow k \ \textbf{downto} \ 1 \ \textbf{do} \\ \textbf{begin } dig[kk - 1] \leftarrow info(p); \ q \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow link(p); \ free\_avail(q); \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{f} \leftarrow round\_decimals(k); \\ \textbf{if } cur\_cmd \neq spacer \ \textbf{then } back\_input; \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 448.

This code is used in section 453.

**453.** Now comes the harder part: At this point in the program,  $cur_{}^{}val$  is a nonnegative integer and  $f/2^{16}$  is a nonnegative fraction less than 1; we want to multiply the sum of these two quantities by the appropriate factor, based on the specified units, in order to produce a *scaled* result, and we want to do the calculation with fixed point arithmetic that does not overflow.

```
(Scan units and set cur_val to x \cdot (cur_val + f/2^{16}), where there are x sp per unit; goto attach_sign if the
       units are internal 453 \rangle \equiv
  if inf then (Scan for fil units; goto attach_fraction if found 454);
  (Scan for units that are internal dimensions; goto attach_sign with cur_val set if found 455);
  if mu then \langle Scan for mu units and goto attach\_fraction 456\rangle;
  if scan\_keyword("true") then \langle Adjust for the magnification ratio 457\rangle;
  if scan_keyword("pt") then goto attach_fraction; { the easy case }
  \langle Scan for all other units and adjust cur-val and f accordingly; goto done in the case of scaled
       points 458;
attach\_fraction: if cur\_val \ge 40000 then arith\_error \leftarrow true
  \mathbf{else}\ cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_val * unity + f;
This code is used in section 448.
454. A specification like 'fillll' or 'fill L L L' will lead to two error messages (one for each additional
keyword "1").
\langle Scan \text{ for fil units; goto } attach\_fraction \text{ if found } 454 \rangle \equiv
  if scan_keyword("fil") then
     begin cur\_order \leftarrow fil:
     while scan_keyword("1") do
       begin if cur\_order = filll then
         begin print_err("Illegal_unit_of_measure_("); print("replaced_by_fill1)");
         help1("I⊔dddon tugo⊔any⊔higher⊔than⊔filll."); error;
         end
       else incr(cur_order);
       end;
     goto attach_fraction;
     end
```

```
\langle Scan for units that are internal dimensions; goto attach_sign with cur_val set if found 455\rangle
  save\_cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_val; \langle Get \text{ the next non-blank non-call token } 406 \rangle;
  if (cur\_cmd < min\_internal) \lor (cur\_cmd > max\_internal) then back\_input
  else begin if mu then
        begin scan\_something\_internal(mu\_val, false); \langle Coerce glue to a dimension 451 \rangle;
        if cur\_val\_level \neq mu\_val then mu\_error;
     else scan_something_internal(dimen_val, false);
     v \leftarrow cur\_val; goto found;
     end:
  if mu then goto not_found;
  if scan\_keyword("em") then v \leftarrow (\langle \text{The em width for } cur\_font 558 \rangle)
  else if scan\_keyword("ex") then v \leftarrow (\langle \text{The x-height for } cur\_font 559 \rangle)
     else goto not_found;
  \langle Scan an optional space 443 \rangle;
found: cur\_val \leftarrow nx\_plus\_y(save\_cur\_val, v, xn\_over\_d(v, f, 200000)); goto attach\_sign;
not\_found:
This code is used in section 453.
456. \langle Scan for mu units and goto attach_fraction 456\rangle
  if scan_keyword("mu") then goto attach_fraction
  else begin print_err("Illegal_unit_of_measure_("); print("mu_inserted)");
     help4("The\_unit\_of\_measurement\_in\_math\_glue\_must\_be\_mu.")
     ("To \sqcup recover \sqcup gracefully \sqcup from \sqcup this \sqcup error, \sqcup it`s \sqcup best \sqcup to")
     ("delete⊔the⊔erroneous⊔units; ue.g., utypeu`2´uto⊔delete")
     ("two_letters. (See_Chapter_27_of_The_TeXbook.)"); error; goto attach_fraction;
     end
This code is used in section 453.
457. \langle Adjust for the magnification ratio 457\rangle \equiv
  begin prepare_mag;
  if mag \neq 1000 then
     begin cur\_val \leftarrow xn\_over\_d(cur\_val, 1000, mag); f \leftarrow (1000 * f + '200000 * remainder) div mag;
     cur_val \leftarrow cur_val + (f \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 200000); f \leftarrow f \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} 2000000;
     end;
  end
```

This code is used in section 453.

**458.** The necessary conversion factors can all be specified exactly as fractions whose numerator and denominator sum to 32768 or less. According to the definitions here,  $2660 \, dd \approx 1000.33297 \, mm$ ; this agrees well with the value  $1000.333 \, mm$  cited by Bosshard in *Technische Grundlagen zur Satzherstellung* (Bern, 1980).

```
define set\_conversion\_end(\#) \equiv denom \leftarrow \#;
          end
  define set\_conversion(\#) \equiv \mathbf{begin} \ num \leftarrow \#; \ set\_conversion\_end
\langle Scan for all other units and adjust cur_val and f accordingly; goto done in the case of scaled points 458\rangle
  if scan\_keyword("in") then set\_conversion(7227)(100)
  else if scan\_keyword("pc") then set\_conversion(12)(1)
     else if scan\_keyword("cm") then set\_conversion(7227)(254)
       else if scan_keyword("mm") then set_conversion(7227)(2540)
          else if scan\_keyword("bp") then set\_conversion(7227)(7200)
            else if scan_keyword("dd") then set_conversion(1238)(1157)
               else if scan\_keyword("cc") then set\_conversion(14856)(1157)
                  else if scan_keyword("sp") then goto done
                    else (Complain about unknown unit and goto done2 459);
  cur\_val \leftarrow xn\_over\_d(cur\_val, num, denom); f \leftarrow (num * f + 200000 * remainder) div denom;
  cur\_val \leftarrow cur\_val + (f \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 200000); f \leftarrow f \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} 2000000;
done 2:
This code is used in section 453.
459. Complain about unknown unit and goto done2 459 \ge 10^{-2}
  begin print_err("Illegal_unit_of_measure_("); print("pt_inserted)");
  help6 ("Dimensions can be in units of em, ex, in, pt, pc,")
  ("cm, _mm, _dd, _cc, _bp, _or _sp; _but_yours_is_a_new_one!")
  ("I'll_{\square}assume_{\square}that_{\square}you_{\square}meant_{\square}to_{\square}say_{\square}pt,_{\square}for_{\square}printer's_{\square}points.")
  ("To\_recover\_gracefully\_from\_this\_error,\_it`s\_best\_to")
  ("delete_the_erroneous_units; _e.g., _type__`2´_to_delete")
  ("two_letters._(See_Chapter_27_of_The_TeXbook.)"); error; goto done2;
This code is used in section 458.
460. \langle Report that this dimension is out of range 460\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Dimension_too_large");
  help2("I_{\sqcup}can^{t_{\sqcup}work_{\sqcup}with_{\sqcup}sizes_{\sqcup}bigger_{\sqcup}than_{\sqcup}about_{\sqcup}19_{\sqcup}feet.")
  ("Continue_and_I`ll_use_the_largest_value_I_can.");
  error; cur\_val \leftarrow max\_dimen; arith\_error \leftarrow false;
  end
This code is used in section 448.
```

**461.** The final member of TEX's value-scanning trio is  $scan\_glue$ , which makes  $cur\_val$  point to a glue specification. The reference count of that glue spec will take account of the fact that  $cur\_val$  is pointing to it.

The level parameter should be either glue\_val or mu\_val.

Since scan\_dimen was so much more complex than scan\_int, we might expect scan\_glue to be even worse. But fortunately, it is very simple, since most of the work has already been done.

```
procedure scan\_glue(level : small\_number); { sets <math>cur\_val to a glue spec pointer }
  label exit;
  var negative: boolean; { should the answer be negated? }
     q: pointer; { new glue specification }
     mu: boolean; \{ does level = mu\_val? \}
  begin mu \leftarrow (level = mu\_val); \langle Get the next non-blank non-sign token; set negative appropriately 441\rangle;
  if (cur\_cmd \ge min\_internal) \land (cur\_cmd \le max\_internal) then
     begin scan_something_internal(level, negative);
     if cur\_val\_level \ge glue\_val then
       begin if cur_{val\_level} \neq level then mu_{error};
       return:
       end;
     if cur\_val\_level = int\_val then scan\_dimen(mu, false, true)
     else if level = mu\_val then mu\_error;
     end
  else begin back\_input; scan\_dimen(mu, false, false);
     if negative then negate(cur_val);
  \langle Create a new glue specification whose width is cur_val; scan for its stretch and shrink components 462\rangle;
exit: end;
462.
        (Create a new glue specification whose width is cur_val; scan for its stretch and shrink
       components 462 \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow new\_spec(zero\_glue); width(q) \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if scan_keyword("plus") then
     begin scan\_dimen(mu, true, false); stretch(q) \leftarrow cur\_val; stretch\_order(q) \leftarrow cur\_order;
  if scan_keyword("minus") then
     begin scan\_dimen(mu, true, false); shrink(q) \leftarrow cur\_val; shrink\_order(q) \leftarrow cur\_order;
     end:
  cur\_val \leftarrow q
This code is used in section 461.
```

**463.** Here's a similar procedure that returns a pointer to a rule node. This routine is called just after  $T_EX$  has seen  $\$  therefore  $cur\_cmd$  will be either hrule or vrule. The idea is to store the default rule dimensions in the node, then to override them if 'height' or 'width' or 'depth' specifications are found (in any order).

```
define default\_rule = 26214 \{ 0.4 \text{ pt } \}
function scan_rule_spec: pointer;
  label reswitch;
  var q: pointer; { the rule node being created }
  \mathbf{begin} \ q \leftarrow new\_rule; \quad \{ \ width, \ depth, \ \mathrm{and} \ height \ \ \mathrm{all} \ \ \mathrm{equal} \ \ null\_flag \ \ \mathrm{now} \ \}
  if cur\_cmd = vrule then width(q) \leftarrow default\_rule
  else begin height(q) \leftarrow default\_rule; depth(q) \leftarrow 0;
reswitch: if scan_keyword("width") then
      begin scan\_normal\_dimen; width(q) \leftarrow cur\_val; goto reswitch;
      end;
  if scan_keyword("height") then
      begin scan\_normal\_dimen; height(q) \leftarrow cur\_val; goto reswitch;
      end;
  \mathbf{if} \ \mathit{scan\_keyword}(\texttt{"depth"}) \ \mathbf{then}
      begin scan\_normal\_dimen; depth(q) \leftarrow cur\_val; goto reswitch;
  scan\_rule\_spec \leftarrow q;
  end;
```

**464.** Building token lists. The token lists for macros and for other things like \mark and \output and \write are produced by a procedure called *scan\_toks*.

Before we get into the details of  $scan\_toks$ , let's consider a much simpler task, that of converting the current string into a token list. The  $str\_toks$  function does this; it classifies spaces as type spacer and everything else as type  $other\_char$ .

The token list created by  $str\_toks$  begins at  $link(temp\_head)$  and ends at the value p that is returned. (If  $p = temp\_head$ , the list is empty.)

```
function str\_toks(b:pool\_pointer): pointer; { converts str\_pool[b...pool\_ptr-1] to a token list } var p: pointer; { tail of the token list } q: pointer; { new node being added to the token list via store\_new\_token } t: halfword; { token being appended } k: pool\_pointer; { index into str\_pool } begin str\_room(1); p \leftarrow temp\_head; link(p) \leftarrow null; k \leftarrow b; while k < pool\_ptr do begin t \leftarrow so(str\_pool[k]); if t = "\_" then t \leftarrow space\_token else t \leftarrow other\_token + t; fast\_store\_new\_token(t); incr(k); end; pool\_ptr \leftarrow b; str\_toks \leftarrow p; end;
```

**465.** The main reason for wanting *str\_toks* is the next function, *the\_toks*, which has similar input/output characteristics

This procedure is supposed to scan something like '\skip\count12', i.e., whatever can follow '\the', and it constructs a token list containing something like '-3.0pt minus 0.5fill'.

```
function the_toks: pointer;
```

```
var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { holds selector setting }
  p, q, r: pointer; { used for copying a token list }
  b: pool_pointer; { base of temporary string }
begin get_x_token; scan_something_internal(tok_val, false);
if cur\_val\_level \ge ident\_val then \langle Copy \text{ the token list } 466 \rangle
else begin old\_setting \leftarrow selector; selector \leftarrow new\_string; b \leftarrow pool\_ptr;
  case cur\_val\_level of
  int\_val: print\_int(cur\_val);
  dimen_val: begin print_scaled(cur_val); print("pt");
  glue_val: begin print_spec(cur_val, "pt"); delete_glue_ref(cur_val);
  mu_val: begin print_spec(cur_val, "mu"); delete_glue_ref(cur_val);
     end:
  end; { there are no other cases }
  selector \leftarrow old\_setting; the\_toks \leftarrow str\_toks(b);
  end;
\mathbf{end};
```

```
466.
        \langle \text{Copy the token list } 466 \rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow temp\_head; link(p) \leftarrow null;
  if cur\_val\_level = ident\_val then store\_new\_token(cs\_token\_flag + cur\_val)
  else if cur_val \neq null then
       begin r \leftarrow link(cur\_val); { do not copy the reference count }
       while r \neq null do
          begin fast\_store\_new\_token(info(r)); r \leftarrow link(r);
          end:
       end;
  the\_toks \leftarrow p;
  end
This code is used in section 465.
467. Here's part of the expand subroutine that we are now ready to complete:
procedure ins_the_toks;
  begin link(garbage) \leftarrow the\_toks; ins\_list(link(temp\_head));
  end:
       The primitives \number, \romannumeral, \string, \meaning, \fontname, and \jobname are defined
as follows.
  define number\_code = 0 { command code for \number}
  define roman_numeral_code = 1 { command code for \romannumeral }
  define string\_code = 2 { command code for \string}
  \mathbf{define}\ \mathit{meaning\_code} = 3 \quad \{\, \mathrm{command\ code\ for\ \backslash meaning}\,\}
  \mathbf{define} \ font\_name\_code = 4 \quad \{ \ \mathrm{command} \ \mathrm{code} \ \mathrm{for} \ \backslash \mathbf{fontname} \ \}
  define job\_name\_code = 5 { command code for \jobname}
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +=
  primitive("number", convert, number_code);
  primitive("romannumeral", convert, roman_numeral_code);
  primitive("string", convert, string_code);
  primitive("meaning", convert, meaning_code);
  primitive("fontname", convert, font_name_code);
  primitive("jobname", convert, job_name_code);
469. \langle Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227 \rangle + \equiv
convert: case chr_code of
  number_code: print_esc("number");
  roman_numeral_code: print_esc("romannumeral");
  string_code: print_esc("string");
  meaning_code: print_esc("meaning");
  font_name_code: print_esc("fontname");
  othercases print_esc("jobname")
  endcases;
```

job\_name\_code: print(job\_name);
end { there are no other cases }

This code is used in section 470.

The procedure  $conv_{-}toks$  uses  $str_{-}toks$  to insert the token list for convert functions into the scanner; '\outer' control sequences are allowed to follow '\string' and '\meaning'. **procedure** *conv\_toks*; var old\_setting: 0 .. max\_selector; { holds selector setting } c: number\_code .. job\_name\_code; { desired type of conversion } save\_scanner\_status: small\_number; { scanner\_status upon entry } b: pool\_pointer; { base of temporary string } **begin**  $c \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ; (Scan the argument for command c 471);  $old\_setting \leftarrow selector; selector \leftarrow new\_string; b \leftarrow pool\_ptr; \langle Print the result of command c 472 \rangle;$  $selector \leftarrow old\_setting; \ link(garbage) \leftarrow str\_toks(b); \ ins\_list(link(temp\_head));$ end; **471.**  $\langle$  Scan the argument for command c 471 $\rangle \equiv$ case c of number\_code, roman\_numeral\_code: scan\_int;  $string\_code$ ,  $meaning\_code$ : begin  $save\_scanner\_status \leftarrow scanner\_status$ ;  $scanner\_status \leftarrow normal$ ;  $get\_token$ ;  $scanner\_status \leftarrow save\_scanner\_status$ ; font\_name\_code: scan\_font\_ident;  $job\_name\_code$ : **if**  $job\_name = 0$  **then**  $open\_log\_file$ ; **end** { there are no other cases } This code is used in section 470. **472.**  $\langle$  Print the result of command c 472 $\rangle \equiv$ case c of number\_code: print\_int(cur\_val); roman\_numeral\_code: print\_roman\_int(cur\_val);  $string\_code$ : if  $cur\_cs \neq 0$  then  $sprint\_cs(cur\_cs)$ else  $print\_char(cur\_chr)$ ; meaning\_code: print\_meaning; font\_name\_code: **begin** print(font\_name[cur\_val]); if  $font\_size[cur\_val] \neq font\_dsize[cur\_val]$  then begin print("uatu"); print\_scaled(font\_size[cur\_val]); print("pt"); end: end:

**473.** Now we can't postpone the difficulties any longer; we must bravely tackle  $scan\_toks$ . This function returns a pointer to the tail of a new token list, and it also makes  $def\_ref$  point to the reference count at the head of that list.

There are two boolean parameters,  $macro\_def$  and xpand. If  $macro\_def$  is true, the goal is to create the token list for a macro definition; otherwise the goal is to create the token list for some other  $T_EX$  primitive: \mark, \output, \everypar, \lowercase, \uppercase, \message, \errmessage, \write, or \special. In the latter cases a left brace must be scanned next; this left brace will not be part of the token list, nor will the matching right brace that comes at the end. If xpand is false, the token list will simply be copied from the input using  $get\_token$ . Otherwise all expandable tokens will be expanded until unexpandable tokens are left, except that the results of expanding '\the' are not expanded further. If both  $macro\_def$  and xpand are true, the expansion applies only to the macro body (i.e., to the material following the first  $left\_brace$  character).

The value of *cur\_cs* when *scan\_toks* begins should be the *eqtb* address of the control sequence to display in "runaway" error messages.

```
function scan_toks(macro_def, xpand : boolean): pointer;
  label found, continue, done, done1, done2;
  var t: halfword; { token representing the highest parameter number }
    s: halfword; { saved token }
    p: pointer; { tail of the token list being built }
    q: pointer; { new node being added to the token list via store_new_token }
    unbalance: halfword; { number of unmatched left braces }
    hash_brace: halfword; { possible '#{' token }
  begin if macro\_def then scanner\_status \leftarrow defining else scanner\_status \leftarrow absorbing;
  warninq\_index \leftarrow cur\_cs; def\_ref \leftarrow qet\_avail; token\_ref\_count(def\_ref) \leftarrow null; p \leftarrow def\_ref;
  hash\_brace \leftarrow 0; \ t \leftarrow zero\_token;
  if macro_def then (Scan and build the parameter part of the macro definition 474)
  else scan_left_brace; { remove the compulsory left brace }
  (Scan and build the body of the token list; goto found when finished 477);
found: scanner\_status \leftarrow normal;
  if hash\_brace \neq 0 then store\_new\_token(hash\_brace);
  scan\_toks \leftarrow p;
  end;
474. \langle Scan and build the parameter part of the macro definition 474 \rangle \equiv
  begin loop
    begin continue: get_token; { set cur_cmd, cur_chr, cur_tok }
    if cur\_tok < right\_brace\_limit then goto done1;
    if cur\_cmd = mac\_param then \langle If the next character is a parameter number, make cur\_tok a match
            token; but if it is a left brace, store 'left_brace, end_match', set hash_brace, and goto done 476';
    store\_new\_token(cur\_tok);
done1: store_new_token(end_match_token);
  if cur\_cmd = right\_brace then \langle \text{Express shock} \text{ at the missing left brace}; goto found 475\rangle;
done: end
This code is used in section 473.
475. (Express shock at the missing left brace; goto found 475) \equiv
  begin print_err("Missing_\(\lambda\); inserted"); incr(align_state);
  help2 ("Where_was_the_left_brace?_You_said_something_like_`\def\a}´,")
  ("which_I m_going_to_interpret_as_`\def\a{} ."); error; goto found;
  end
This code is used in section 474.
```

```
476.
       (If the next character is a parameter number, make cur_tok a match token; but if it is a left brace,
       store 'left_brace, end_match', set hash_brace, and goto done 476 \rangle \equiv
  begin s \leftarrow match\_token + cur\_chr; get\_token;
  if cur\_tok < left\_brace\_limit then
     begin hash\_brace \leftarrow cur\_tok; store\_new\_token(cur\_tok); store\_new\_token(end\_match\_token);
     goto done;
     end:
  if t = zero\_token + 9 then
     begin print_err("You_already_have_nine_parameters");
     help2("Im_{\square}going_{\square}to_{\square}ignore_{\square}the_{\square}\#_{\square}sign_{\square}you_{\square}just_{\square}used,")
     ("asuwelluasutheutokenuthatufolloweduit."); error; goto continue;
     end
  else begin incr(t);
     if cur\_tok \neq t then
       begin print_err("Parameters umust ube unumbered uconsecutively");
       help2("I`ve_{\sqcup}inserted_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}digit_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}should_{\sqcup}have_{\sqcup}used_{\sqcup}after_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}\#.")
       ("Type__`1'__to__delete_what_you_did_use."); back_error;
       end;
     cur\_tok \leftarrow s;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 474.
477. \langle Scan and build the body of the token list; goto found when finished 477\rangle \equiv
  unbalance \leftarrow 1;
  loop begin if xpand then \langle Expand the next part of the input 478\rangle
     else qet_token;
     if cur\_tok < right\_brace\_limit then
       if cur_cmd < right_brace then incr(unbalance)
       else begin decr(unbalance);
          if unbalance = 0 then goto found;
          end
     else if cur\_cmd = mac\_param then
          if macro\_def then \langle Look \text{ for parameter number or ## 479} \rangle;
     store_new_token(cur_tok);
     end
This code is used in section 473.
```

Here we insert an entire token list created by the\_toks without expanding it further.  $\langle$  Expand the next part of the input 478 $\rangle \equiv$ begin loop **begin**  $qet\_next$ ; if  $cur\_cmd < max\_command$  then goto done2; if  $cur\_cmd \neq the$  then expandelse begin  $q \leftarrow the\_toks$ ; if  $link(temp\_head) \neq null$  then **begin**  $link(p) \leftarrow link(temp\_head); p \leftarrow q;$ end; end;  $done2: x\_token$ endThis code is used in section 477. **479.**  $\langle$  Look for parameter number or ## 479 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $s \leftarrow cur\_tok$ ; if xpand then get\_x\_token **else** *get\_token*; if  $cur\_cmd \neq mac\_param$  then if  $(cur\_tok \leq zero\_token) \lor (cur\_tok > t)$  then begin print\_err("Illegal\_parameter\_number\_in\_definition\_of\_"); sprint\_cs(warning\_index); help3("You\_meant\_to\_type\_##\_instead\_of\_#,\_right?") ("Or∟maybe\_a\_}\_\uwas\_forgotten\_somewhere\_earlier, and things")  $("are_lall_lscrewed_lup?_lf_mlgoing_lto_lassume_lthat_lyou_meant_l##."); back_error; cur_tok \leftarrow s;$ else  $cur\_tok \leftarrow out\_param\_token - "0" + cur\_chr;$ end This code is used in section 477. 480. Another way to create a token list is via the \read command. The sixteen files potentially usable for

reading appear in the following global variables. The value of read\_open[n] will be closed if stream number n has not been opened or if it has been fully read; just\_open if an \openin but not a \read has been done; and *normal* if it is open and ready to read the next line.

```
define closed = 2 { not open, or at end of file }
  define just\_open = 1 { newly opened, first line not yet read }
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
read_file: array [0..15] of alpha_file; { used for \read}
read\_open: array [0...16] of normal...closed; { state of read\_file[n] }
481. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  for k \leftarrow 0 to 16 do read\_open[k] \leftarrow closed;
```

**482.** The  $read\_toks$  procedure constructs a token list like that for any macro definition, and makes  $cur\_val$  point to it. Parameter r points to the control sequence that will receive this token list.

```
procedure read\_toks(n:integer; r:pointer);
  label done;
  var p: pointer; { tail of the token list }
     q: pointer; { new node being added to the token list via store_new_token }
     s: integer; { saved value of align_state }
     m: small_number; { stream number }
  begin scanner\_status \leftarrow defining; warning\_index \leftarrow r; def\_ref \leftarrow qet\_avail;
  token\_ref\_count(def\_ref) \leftarrow null; \ p \leftarrow def\_ref; \ \{ the reference count \} 
  store_new_token(end_match_token);
  if (n < 0) \lor (n > 15) then m \leftarrow 16 else m \leftarrow n;
  s \leftarrow align\_state; align\_state \leftarrow 1000000; { disable tab marks, etc. }
  repeat (Input and store tokens from the next line of the file 483);
  until align\_state = 1000000;
  cur\_val \leftarrow def\_ref; scanner\_status \leftarrow normal; align\_state \leftarrow s;
  end:
483. (Input and store tokens from the next line of the file 483) \equiv
  begin\_file\_reading; name \leftarrow m+1;
  if read\_open[m] = closed then \langle Input for \read from the terminal 484 \rangle
  else if read\_open[m] = just\_open then \langle Input the first line of read\_file[m] 485\rangle
     else \langle \text{Input the next line of } read\_file[m] \ 486 \rangle;
  limit \leftarrow last;
  if end_line_char_inactive then decr(limit)
  else buffer[limit] \leftarrow end\_line\_char;
  first \leftarrow limit + 1; loc \leftarrow start; state \leftarrow new\_line;
  loop begin get_token;
     if cur\_tok = 0 then goto done; { cur\_cmd = cur\_chr = 0 will occur at the end of the line }
     if align_state < 1000000 then { unmatched '}' aborts the line }
       begin repeat get_token;
       until cur\_tok = 0;
       align\_state \leftarrow 1000000; \ \mathbf{goto} \ done;
       end;
     store\_new\_token(cur\_tok);
     end:
done: end_file_reading
This code is used in section 482.
484. Here we input on-line into the buffer array, prompting the user explicitly if n \ge 0. The value of n is
set negative so that additional prompts will not be given in the case of multi-line input.
\langle \text{Input for } \rangle = 484 \rangle \equiv
  if interaction > nonstop_mode then
     if n < 0 then prompt_input("")
     else begin wake\_up\_terminal; print\_ln; sprint\_cs(r); prompt\_input("="); n \leftarrow -1;
  else fatal_error("***_(cannot_\read_from_terminal_in_nonstop_modes)")
This code is used in section 483.
```

```
485.
         The first line of a file must be treated specially, since input_ln must be told not to start with get.
\langle \text{Input the first line of } read\_file[m] | 485 \rangle \equiv
   \textbf{if} \ \textit{input\_ln}(\textit{read\_file}[m], \textit{false}) \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{read\_open}[m] \leftarrow \textit{normal}
   else begin a\_close(read\_file[m]); read\_open[m] \leftarrow closed;
This code is used in section 483.
         An empty line is appended at the end of a read_file.
\langle \text{Input the next line of } read\_file[m] | 486 \rangle \equiv
   begin if \neg input\_ln(read\_file[m], true) then
      begin a\_close(read\_file[m]); read\_open[m] \leftarrow closed;
      if align\_state \neq 1000000 then
         \mathbf{begin} \ runaway; \ print\_err("\texttt{File}\_\texttt{ended}\_\texttt{within}\_"); \ print\_esc("\texttt{read}");
         help1 ("This_\read_has_unbalanced_braces."); align\_state \leftarrow 1000000; limit \leftarrow 0; error;
      end;
   end
This code is used in section 483.
```

487. Conditional processing. We consider now the way TEX handles various kinds of \if commands.

define if\_char\_code = 0 { '\if' }
define if\_cat\_code = 1 { '\ifcat' }
define if\_int\_code = 2 { '\ifnum' }
define if\_dim\_code = 3 { '\ifdum' }
define if\_odd\_code = 4 { '\ifodd' }

**define**  $if\_odd\_code = 4$  { '\ifodd' } **define**  $if\_vmode\_code = 5$  { '\ifvmode' } **define**  $if\_hmode\_code = 6$  { '\ifhmode' } **define**  $if_{-}mmode_{-}code = 7$  { '\ifmmode' } **define**  $if\_inner\_code = 8$  { '\ifinner' }  $\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{if\_void\_code} = 9 \quad \{ \text{ `\linearity} \ \}$ **define**  $if\_hbox\_code = 10$  { '\ifhbox' **define**  $if\_vbox\_code = 11$  { '\ifvbox' }  $\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{ifx\_code} = 12 \quad \{ \text{ `\fx'}\ \}$ **define**  $if\_eof\_code = 13$  { '\ifeof' } define *if\_true\_code* = 14 { '\iftrue' } **define**  $if_{-}false_{-}code = 15$  { '\iffalse', } **define**  $if\_case\_code = 16$  { '\ifcase' }  $\langle$  Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226 $\rangle$  += primitive("if", if\_test, if\_char\_code); primitive("ifcat", if\_test, if\_cat\_code); primitive("ifnum", if\_test, if\_int\_code); primitive("ifdim", if\_test, if\_dim\_code); primitive("ifodd", if\_test, if\_odd\_code); primitive("ifvmode", if\_test, if\_vmode\_code);  $primitive("ifhmode", if\_test, if\_hmode\_code"); primitive("ifmmode", if\_test, if\_mmode\_code");$ primitive("ifinner", if\_test, if\_inner\_code); primitive("ifvoid", if\_test, if\_void\_code); primitive("ifhbox", if\_test, if\_hbox\_code); primitive("ifvbox", if\_test, if\_vbox\_code); primitive("ifx", if\_test, ifx\_code); primitive("ifeof", if\_test, if\_eof\_code);

primitive("ifinner", if\_test, if\_inner\_code); primitive("ifvoid", if\_test, if\_void\_code)
primitive("ifhbox", if\_test, if\_hbox\_code); primitive("ifvbox", if\_test, if\_vbox\_code);
primitive("ifx", if\_test, ifx\_code); primitive("ifeof", if\_test, if\_eof\_code);
primitive("iftrue", if\_test, if\_true\_code); primitive("iffalse", if\_test, if\_false\_code);
primitive("ifcase", if\_test, if\_case\_code);
488. \( \text{Cases of } \text{print\_cmd\_chr} \) for symbolic printing of primitives 227 \( \text{} \) +\( \ext{} \)

*if\_test*: **case** *chr\_code* **of** if\_cat\_code: print\_esc("ifcat"); if\_int\_code: print\_esc("ifnum");  $if\_dim\_code: \ print\_esc("ifdim");$ if\_odd\_code: print\_esc("ifodd"); if\_vmode\_code: print\_esc("ifvmode"); if\_hmode\_code: print\_esc("ifhmode"); if\_mmode\_code: print\_esc("ifmmode"); if\_inner\_code: print\_esc("ifinner"); if\_void\_code: print\_esc("ifvoid"); if\_hbox\_code: print\_esc("ifhbox"); if\_vbox\_code: print\_esc("ifvbox"); ifx\_code: print\_esc("ifx"); if\_eof\_code: print\_esc("ifeof"); if\_true\_code: print\_esc("iftrue"); if\_false\_code: print\_esc("iffalse"); if\_case\_code: print\_esc("ifcase"); othercases print\_esc("if") endcases;

Conditions can be inside conditions, and this nesting has a stack that is independent of the save\_stack. Four global variables represent the top of the condition stack: cond\_ptr points to pushed-down entries, if any; if-limit specifies the largest code of a fi-or-else command that is syntactically legal; cur-if is the name of the current type of conditional; and *if\_line* is the line number at which it began.

If no conditions are currently in progress, the condition stack has the special state  $cond_{-}ptr = null$ ,  $if\_limit = normal, cur\_if = 0, if\_line = 0.$  Otherwise  $cond\_ptr$  points to a two-word node; the type, subtype, and link fields of the first word contain if\_limit, cur\_if, and cond\_ptr at the next level, and the second word contains the corresponding *if\_line*.

```
define if\_node\_size = 2 { number of words in stack entry for conditionals }
  define if\_line\_field(\#) \equiv mem[\# + 1].int
  define if\_code = 1  { code for \if... being evaluated }
  \mathbf{define}\ \dot{f_{-}}code = 2\quad \{\ \mathrm{code\ for\ \backslash fi}\ \}
  define else\_code = 3  { code for \else }
  define or\_code = 4  { code for \or }
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
cond_ptr: pointer; { top of the condition stack }
\it if\_limit: normal ... or\_code; \ \{ \ upper \ bound \ on \ \it fi\_or\_else \ codes \} 
cur_if: small_number; { type of conditional being worked on }
if_line: integer; { line where that conditional began }
490. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  cond\_ptr \leftarrow null; if\_limit \leftarrow normal; cur\_if \leftarrow 0; if\_line \leftarrow 0;
491. \langle Put each of T<sub>F</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle + \equiv
  primitive("fi", fi\_or\_else, fi\_code); text(frozen\_fi) \leftarrow "fi"; eqtb[frozen\_fi] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_val];
  primitive("or", fi_or_else, or_code); primitive("else", fi_or_else, else_code);
492. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
f_{-}or_{-}else: if chr_{-}code = f_{-}code then print_{-}esc("fi")
  else if chr_code = or_code then print_esc("or")
     else print_esc("else");
493. When we skip conditional text, we keep track of the line number where skipping began, for use in
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
```

error messages.

```
skip_line: integer; { skipping began here }
```

**494.** Here is a procedure that ignores text until coming to an \or, \else, or \fi at the current level of \if...\fi nesting. After it has acted, *cur\_chr* will indicate the token that was found, but *cur\_tok* will not be set (because this makes the procedure run faster).

```
procedure pass_text;
  label done;
  var l: integer; { level of \if ... \fi nesting }
     save_scanner_status: small_number; { scanner_status upon entry }
  begin save_scanner_status \leftarrow scanner_status; scanner_status \leftarrow skipping; l \leftarrow 0; skip_line \leftarrow line;
  loop begin get_next;
     if cur\_cmd = fi\_or\_else then
        begin if l = 0 then goto done;
        if cur\_chr = fl\_code then decr(l);
     else if cur\_cmd = if\_test then incr(l);
done: scanner\_status \leftarrow save\_scanner\_status;
  end:
495. When we begin to process a new \if, we set if\_limit \leftarrow if\_code; then if \or or \else or \fi occurs
before the current \if condition has been evaluated, \relax will be inserted. For example, a sequence of
commands like '\ifvoid1\else...\fi' would otherwise require something after the '1'.
\langle Push the condition stack 495 \rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow get\_node(if\_node\_size); link(p) \leftarrow cond\_ptr; type(p) \leftarrow if\_limit; subtype(p) \leftarrow cur\_if;
  if\_line\_field(p) \leftarrow if\_line; \ cond\_ptr \leftarrow p; \ cur\_if \leftarrow cur\_chr; \ if\_limit \leftarrow if\_code; \ if\_line \leftarrow line;
  end
This code is used in section 498.
496. \langle Pop the condition stack 496\rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow cond\_ptr; if\_line \leftarrow if\_line\_field(p); cur\_if \leftarrow subtype(p); if\_limit \leftarrow type(p);
  cond\_ptr \leftarrow link(p); free\_node(p, if\_node\_size);
This code is used in sections 498, 500, 509, and 510.
      Here's a procedure that changes the if_limit code corresponding to a given value of cond_ptr.
procedure change_if_limit(l : small_number; p : pointer);
  label exit;
  var q: pointer;
  begin if p = cond_{-}ptr then if_{-}limit \leftarrow l { that's the easy case }
  else begin q \leftarrow cond\_ptr;
     loop begin if q = null then confusion("if");
        if link(q) = p then
          begin type(q) \leftarrow l; return;
          end;
        q \leftarrow link(q);
        end;
     end;
exit: end;
```

This code is used in section 498.

**498.** A condition is started when the *expand* procedure encounters an *if\_test* command; in that case *expand* reduces to *conditional*, which is a recursive procedure.

```
procedure conditional;
  label exit, common_ending;
  var b: boolean; { is the condition true? }
     r: "<" .. ">"; { relation to be evaluated }
     m, n: integer; { to be tested against the second operand }
    p, q: pointer; { for traversing token lists in \ifx tests }
     save_scanner_status: small_number; { scanner_status upon entry }
     save_cond_ptr: pointer; { cond_ptr corresponding to this conditional }
     this_if: small_number; { type of this conditional }
  begin (Push the condition stack 495); save\_cond\_ptr \leftarrow cond\_ptr; this\_if \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  \langle Either process \ifcase or set b to the value of a boolean condition 501 \rangle;
  if tracing\_commands > 1 then \langle Display the value of <math>b = 502 \rangle;
  if b then
     begin change_if_limit(else_code, save_cond_ptr); return; { wait for \else or \fi }
  ⟨Skip to \else or \fi, then goto common_ending 500⟩;
common_ending: if cur\_chr = fi\_code then \langle Pop \text{ the condition stack } 496 \rangle
  else if\_limit \leftarrow fi\_code; { wait for \fi}
exit: end;
```

499. In a construction like '\if\iftrue abc\else d\fi', the first \else that we come to after learning that the \if is false is not the \else we're looking for. Hence the following curious logic is needed.

```
500. ⟨Skip to \else or \fi, then goto common_ending 500⟩ ≡
loop begin pass_text;
if cond_ptr = save_cond_ptr then
    begin if cur_chr ≠ or_code then goto common_ending;
    print_err("Extra_"); print_esc("or");
    help1("I´m_ignoring_this; _it_doesn´t_match_any_\if."); error;
    end
    else if cur_chr = fi_code then ⟨Pop the condition stack 496⟩;
end
```

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```
501.
                    \langle Either process \ifcase or set b to the value of a boolean condition 501 \rangle \equiv
      case this_if of
      if_char_code, if_cat_code: \( Test if two characters match 506 \);
      if\_int\_code, if\_dim\_code: \langle Test relation between integers or dimensions 503 \rangle;
      if\_odd\_code: \langle Test if an integer is odd 504\rangle;
      if\_vmode\_code: b \leftarrow (abs(mode) = vmode);
      if\_hmode\_code: b \leftarrow (abs(mode) = hmode);
      if\_mmode\_code: b \leftarrow (abs(mode) = mmode);
      if\_inner\_code: b \leftarrow (mode < 0);
      if_void_code, if_hbox_code, if_vbox_code: \(\text{Test box register status 505}\);
      ifx\_code: \langle \text{ Test if two tokens match 507} \rangle;
      if\_eof\_code: begin scan\_four\_bit\_int; b \leftarrow (read\_open[cur\_val] = closed);
      if\_true\_code: b \leftarrow true;
      if\_false\_code: b \leftarrow false;
      if_case_code: \( \) Select the appropriate case and return or goto common_ending 509 \( \);
      end { there are no other cases }
This code is used in section 498.
502. \langle \text{ Display the value of } b \text{ 502} \rangle \equiv
      begin begin_diagnostic;
      if b then print("{true}") else print("{false}");
      end\_diagnostic(false);
      end
This code is used in section 498.
                    Here we use the fact that "<", "=", and ">" are consecutive ASCII codes.
\langle Test relation between integers or dimensions 503\rangle \equiv
      begin if this\_if = if\_int\_code then scan\_int else scan\_normal\_dimen;
      n \leftarrow cur_{-}val; \langle \text{Get the next non-blank non-call token } 406 \rangle;
      if (cur\_tok \ge other\_token + "<") \land (cur\_tok \le other\_token + ">") then r \leftarrow cur\_tok - other\_token
      else begin print_err("Missing_=_inserted_for_"); print_cmd_chr(if_test, this_if);
             help1("I_{\sqcup}was_{\sqcup}expecting_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}`<`,_{\sqcup}`=`,_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}`>`._{\sqcup}Didn`t."); \ back\_error; \ r\leftarrow "="; \ r\leftarrow "="; \ back\_error; \ r\leftarrow "="; \ back\_error; \ r\leftarrow "="; \ 
             end:
       \textbf{if } \textit{this\_if} = \textit{if\_int\_code } \textbf{then } \textit{scan\_int } \textbf{else } \textit{scan\_normal\_dimen}; \\
      case r of
      "<": b \leftarrow (n < cur_val);
      "=": b \leftarrow (n = cur_val);
      ">": b \leftarrow (n > cur_val);
      end;
      end
This code is used in section 501.
504. \langle Test if an integer is odd 504\rangle \equiv
      begin scan\_int; b \leftarrow odd(cur\_val);
      end
This code is used in section 501.
```

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```
505. \langle Test box register status 505\rangle \equiv begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; p \leftarrow box(cur\_val); if this\_if = if\_void\_code then b \leftarrow (p = null) else if p = null then b \leftarrow false else if this\_if = if\_hbox\_code then b \leftarrow (type(p) = hlist\_node) else b \leftarrow (type(p) = vlist\_node); end
```

506. An active character will be treated as category 13 following \if\noexpand or following \ifcat\noexpand. We use the fact that active characters have the smallest tokens, among all control sequences.

```
define qet\_x\_token\_or\_active\_char \equiv
          begin get_x_token;
          if cur\_cmd = relax then
             if cur\_chr = no\_expand\_flag then
                begin cur\_cmd \leftarrow active\_char; cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_tok - cs\_token\_flag - active\_base;
                end:
          end
\langle Test if two characters match 506\rangle \equiv
  begin get_x_token_or_active_char;
  if (cur\_cmd > active\_char) \lor (cur\_chr > 255) then { not a character }
     begin m \leftarrow relax; n \leftarrow 256;
     end
  else begin m \leftarrow cur\_cmd; n \leftarrow cur\_chr;
     end;
  get_x_token_or_active_char;
  if (cur\_cmd > active\_char) \lor (cur\_chr > 255) then
     begin cur\_cmd \leftarrow relax; cur\_chr \leftarrow 256;
  if this\_if = if\_char\_code then b \leftarrow (n = cur\_chr) else b \leftarrow (m = cur\_cmd);
```

This code is used in section 501.

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**507.** Note that '\ifx' will declare two macros different if one is *long* or *outer* and the other isn't, even though the texts of the macros are the same.

We need to reset *scanner\_status*, since **\outer** control sequences are allowed, but we might be scanning a macro definition or preamble.

```
\langle Test if two tokens match 507\rangle \equiv begin save_scanner_status \leftarrow scanner_status; scanner_status \leftarrow normal; get_next; n \leftarrow cur_cs; p \leftarrow cur_cmd; q \leftarrow cur_chr; get_next; if cur_cmd \neq p then b \leftarrow false else if cur_cmd < call then b \leftarrow (cur_chr = q) else \langle Test if two macro texts match 508\rangle; scanner_status \leftarrow save_scanner_status; end
```

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This code is used in section 367.

508. Note also that '\ifx' decides that macros \a and \b are different in examples like this:

```
\def\a\{\c\}
                                                                  \left( \left( \cdot \right) \right)
                                              \def\b{\d}
                                                                  \left( def d{} \right)
\langle Test if two macro texts match 508\rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow link(cur\_chr); q \leftarrow link(equiv(n)); \{ omit reference counts \}
  if p = q then b \leftarrow true
  else begin while (p \neq null) \land (q \neq null) do
       if info(p) \neq info(q) then p \leftarrow null
       else begin p \leftarrow link(p); q \leftarrow link(q);
     b \leftarrow ((p = null) \land (q = null));
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 507.
509. \langle Select the appropriate case and return or goto common_ending 509\rangle \equiv
  begin scan\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val; \{ n \text{ is the number of cases to pass } \}
  if tracing\_commands > 1 then
     begin begin_diagnostic; print("{case□"); print_int(n); print_char("}"); end_diagnostic(false);
     end;
  while n \neq 0 do
     begin pass_text;
     if cond_ptr = save_cond_ptr then
       if cur\_chr = or\_code then decr(n)
       else goto common_ending
     else if cur\_chr = fl\_code then \langle Pop \text{ the condition stack 496} \rangle;
  change_if_limit(or_code, save_cond_ptr); return; { wait for \or, \else, or \fi }
  end
This code is used in section 501.
510. The processing of conditionals is complete except for the following code, which is actually part of
expand. It comes into play when \or, \else, or \fi is scanned.
\langle Terminate the current conditional and skip to \backslashfi 510\rangle \equiv
  if cur\_chr > if\_limit then
     if if\_limit = if\_code then insert\_relax { condition not yet evaluated }
     else begin print_err("Extra_"); print_cmd_chr(fi_or_else, cur_chr);
       help1("I´m_ignoring_this; _it_doesn´t_match_any_\if."); error;
  else begin while cur\_chr \neq fi\_code do pass\_text; { skip to \fi}
     \langle \text{ Pop the condition stack 496} \rangle;
```

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**511. File names.** It's time now to fret about file names. Besides the fact that different operating systems treat files in different ways, we must cope with the fact that completely different naming conventions are used by different groups of people. The following programs show what is required for one particular operating system; similar routines for other systems are not difficult to devise.

TEX assumes that a file name has three parts: the name proper; its "extension"; and a "file area" where it is found in an external file system. The extension of an input file or a write file is assumed to be '.tex' unless otherwise specified; it is '.log' on the transcript file that records each run of TEX; it is '.tfm' on the font metric files that describe characters in the fonts TEX uses; it is '.dvi' on the output files that specify typesetting information; and it is '.fmt' on the format files written by INITEX to initialize TEX. The file area can be arbitrary on input files, but files are usually output to the user's current area. If an input file cannot be found on the specified area, TEX will look for it on a special system area; this special area is intended for commonly used input files like webmac.tex.

Simple uses of TEX refer only to file names that have no explicit extension or area. For example, a person usually says '\input paper' or '\font\tenrm = helvetica' instead of '\input paper.new' or '\font\tenrm = <csd.knuth>test'. Simple file names are best, because they make the TEX source files portable; whenever a file name consists entirely of letters and digits, it should be treated in the same way by all implementations of TEX. However, users need the ability to refer to other files in their environment, especially when responding to error messages concerning unopenable files; therefore we want to let them use the syntax that appears in their favorite operating system.

The following procedures don't allow spaces to be part of file names; but some users seem to like names that are spaced-out. System-dependent changes to allow such things should probably be made with reluctance, and only when an entire file name that includes spaces is "quoted" somehow.

**512.** In order to isolate the system-dependent aspects of file names, the system-independent parts of  $T_EX$  are expressed in terms of three system-dependent procedures called  $begin\_name$ ,  $more\_name$ , and  $end\_name$ . In essence, if the user-specified characters of the file name are  $c_1 \ldots c_n$ , the system-independent driver program does the operations

```
begin\_name; more\_name(c_1); ...; more\_name(c_n); end\_name.
```

These three procedures communicate with each other via global variables. Afterwards the file name will appear in the string pool as three strings called *cur\_name*, *cur\_area*, and *cur\_ext*; the latter two are null (i.e., ""), unless they were explicitly specified by the user.

Actually the situation is slightly more complicated, because  $T_{EX}$  needs to know when the file name ends. The  $more\_name$  routine is a function (with side effects) that returns true on the calls  $more\_name(c_1), \ldots, more\_name(c_{n-1})$ . The final call  $more\_name(c_n)$  returns false; or, it returns true and the token following  $c_n$  is something like '\hbox' (i.e., not a character). In other words,  $more\_name$  is supposed to return true unless it is sure that the file name has been completely scanned; and  $end\_name$  is supposed to be able to finish the assembly of  $cur\_name$ ,  $cur\_area$ , and  $cur\_ext$  regardless of whether  $more\_name(c_n)$  returned true or false.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle += cur\_name: str\_number; { name of file just scanned } cur\_area: str\_number; { file area just scanned, or "" } cur\_ext: str\_number; { file extension just scanned, or "" }
```

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**513.** The file names we shall deal with for illustrative purposes have the following structure: If the name contains '>' or ':', the file area consists of all characters up to and including the final such character; otherwise the file area is null. If the remaining file name contains '.', the file extension consists of all such characters from the first remaining '.' to the end, otherwise the file extension is null.

We can scan such file names easily by using two global variables that keep track of the occurrences of area and extension delimiters:

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv area_delimiter: pool_pointer; { the most recent '>' or ':', if any } ext_delimiter: pool_pointer; { the relevant '.', if any }
```

**514.** Input files that can't be found in the user's area may appear in a standard system area called  $TEX\_area$ . Font metric files whose areas are not given explicitly are assumed to appear in a standard system area called  $TEX\_font\_area$ . These system area names will, of course, vary from place to place.

```
define TEX\_area \equiv "TeXinputs:" define TEX\_font\_area \equiv "TeXfonts:"
```

515. Here now is the first of the system-dependent routines for file name scanning.

```
procedure begin\_name;

begin area\_delimiter \leftarrow 0; ext\_delimiter \leftarrow 0;

end;
```

**516.** And here's the second. The string pool might change as the file name is being scanned, since a new \csname might be entered; therefore we keep area\_delimiter and ext\_delimiter relative to the beginning of the current string, instead of assigning an absolute address like pool\_ptr to them.

```
function more\_name(c : ASCII\_code): boolean;
  begin if c = "_{\perp}" then more\_name \leftarrow false
  else begin str\_room(1); append\_char(c); {contribute c to the current string}
     if (c = ">") \lor (c = ":") then
        begin area\_delimiter \leftarrow cur\_length; ext\_delimiter \leftarrow 0;
     else if (c = ".") \land (ext\_delimiter = 0) then ext\_delimiter \leftarrow cur\_length;
     more\_name \leftarrow true;
     end;
  end;
517. The third.
procedure end_name;
  begin if str\_ptr + 3 > max\_strings then overflow("number\_of\_strings", max\_strings - init\_str\_ptr);
  if area\_delimiter = 0 then cur\_area \leftarrow ""
  else begin cur\_area \leftarrow str\_ptr; str\_start[str\_ptr + 1] \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr] + area\_delimiter; incr(str\_ptr);
     end:
  if ext\_delimiter = 0 then
     begin cur\_ext \leftarrow ""; cur\_name \leftarrow make\_string;
     end
  else begin cur\_name \leftarrow str\_ptr;
     str\_start[str\_ptr + 1] \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr] + ext\_delimiter - area\_delimiter - 1; incr(str\_ptr);
     cur\_ext \leftarrow make\_string;
     end:
  \mathbf{end};
```

**518.** Conversely, here is a routine that takes three strings and prints a file name that might have produced them. (The routine is system dependent, because some operating systems put the file area last instead of first.)

```
\langle Basic printing procedures 57\rangle +\equiv procedure print\_file\_name(n, a, e : integer);  
   begin <math>slow\_print(a); slow\_print(n); slow\_print(e); 
   end;
```

**519.** Another system-dependent routine is needed to convert three internal  $T_EX$  strings into the  $name\_of\_file$  value that is used to open files. The present code allows both lowercase and uppercase letters in the file name.

```
define append\_to\_name(\#) \equiv  begin c \leftarrow \#; incr(k); if k \leq file\_name\_size then name\_of\_file[k] \leftarrow xchr[c]; end

procedure pack\_file\_name(n, a, e : str\_number);
var k: integer; {number of positions filled in name\_of\_file}
c: ASCII\_code; {character being packed}
j: pool\_pointer; {index into str\_pool}
begin k \leftarrow 0;
for j \leftarrow str\_start[a] to str\_start[a+1]-1 do append\_to\_name(so(str\_pool[j]));
for j \leftarrow str\_start[a] to str\_start[a+1]-1 do append\_to\_name(so(str\_pool[j]));
for j \leftarrow str\_start[e] to str\_start[e+1]-1 do append\_to\_name(so(str\_pool[j]));
if k \leq file\_name\_size then name\_length \leftarrow k else name\_length \leftarrow file\_name\_size;
for k \leftarrow name\_length + 1 to file\_name\_size do name\_of\_file[k] \leftarrow `\Box`;
end;
```

**520.** A messier routine is also needed, since format file names must be scanned before TEX's string mechanism has been initialized. We shall use the global variable TEX\_format\_default to supply the text for default system areas and extensions related to format files.

```
define format_default_length = 20 { length of the TEX_format_default string }
  define format_area_length = 11 { length of its area part }
  define format_ext_length = 4 { length of its '.fmt' part }
  define format_extension = ".fmt" { the extension, as a WEB constant }
  ⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
  TEX_format_default: packed array [1.. format_default_length] of char;

521. ⟨Set initial values of key variables 21⟩ +≡
  TEX_format_default ← 'TeXformats:plain.fmt';

522. ⟨Check the "constant" values for consistency 14⟩ +≡
```

if  $format\_default\_length > file\_name\_size$  then  $bad \leftarrow 31$ ;

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**523.** Here is the messy routine that was just mentioned. It sets  $name\_of\_file$  from the first n characters of  $TEX\_format\_default$ , followed by buffer[a ... b], followed by the last  $format\_ext\_length$  characters of  $TEX\_format\_default$ .

We dare not give error messages here, since TEX calls this routine before the *error* routine is ready to roll. Instead, we simply drop excess characters, since the error will be detected in another way when a strange file name isn't found.

```
procedure pack\_buffered\_name(n:small\_number; a, b:integer);
var k:integer; {number of positions filled in name\_of\_file}
c:ASCII\_code; {character being packed}
j:integer; {index into buffer or TEX\_format\_default}
begin if n+b-a+1+format\_ext\_length > file\_name\_size then
b \leftarrow a+file\_name\_size - n-1-format\_ext\_length;
k \leftarrow 0;
for j \leftarrow 1 to n do append\_to\_name(xord[TEX\_format\_default[j]]);
for j \leftarrow a to b do append\_to\_name(buffer[j]);
for j \leftarrow format\_default\_length - format\_ext\_length + 1 to format\_default\_length do append\_to\_name(xord[TEX\_format\_default[j]]);
if k \leq file\_name\_size then name\_length \leftarrow k else name\_length \leftarrow file\_name\_size;
for k \leftarrow name\_length + 1 to file\_name\_size do name\_of\_file[k] \leftarrow `u`;
end;
```

**524.** Here is the only place we use  $pack\_buffered\_name$ . This part of the program becomes active when a "virgin"  $T_EX$  is trying to get going, just after the preliminary initialization, or when the user is substituting another format file by typing '&' after the initial '\*\*' prompt. The buffer contains the first line of input in buffer[loc..(last-1)], where loc < last and  $buffer[loc] \neq "_{\sqcup}"$ .

```
\langle Declare the function called open_fmt_file 524\rangle \equiv
function open_fmt_file: boolean;
  label found, exit;
  var j: 0 \dots buf\_size; { the first space after the format file name }
  begin j \leftarrow loc;
  if buffer[loc] = "\&" then
     begin incr(loc); j \leftarrow loc; buffer[last] \leftarrow " ";
     while buffer[j] \neq " \sqcup " do incr(j);
     pack\_buffered\_name(0, loc, j - 1); { try first without the system file area }
     if w_{-}open_{-}in(fmt_{-}file) then goto found;
     pack\_buffered\_name(format\_area\_length, loc, j-1); { now try the system format file area }
     if w_open_in(fmt_file) then goto found;
     wake\_up\_terminal; \ wterm\_ln(\texttt{`Sorry,} \sqcup \texttt{I} \sqcup \texttt{can``t} \sqcup \texttt{find} \sqcup \texttt{that} \sqcup \texttt{format;`,`} \sqcup \texttt{will} \sqcup \texttt{try} \sqcup \texttt{PLAIN.`)};
     update\_terminal;
     end; { now pull out all the stops: try for the system plain file }
   pack\_buffered\_name(format\_default\_length - format\_ext\_length, 1, 0);
  if \neg w\_open\_in(fmt\_file) then
     begin wake_up_terminal; wterm_ln('I_|can''t_|find_the_|PLAIN_format_file!');
     open\_fmt\_file \leftarrow false;  return;
     end:
found: loc \leftarrow j; open\_fmt\_file \leftarrow true;
exit: end;
This code is used in section 1303.
```

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**525.** Operating systems often make it possible to determine the exact name (and possible version number) of a file that has been opened. The following routine, which simply makes a  $T_EX$  string from the value of  $name\_of\_file$ , should ideally be changed to deduce the full name of file f, which is the file most recently opened, if it is possible to do this in a Pascal program.

This routine might be called after string memory has overflowed, hence we dare not use 'str\_room'.

```
function make_name_string: str_number;
  var k: 1 .. file_name_size; { index into name_of_file }
  begin if (pool\_ptr + name\_length > pool\_size) \lor (str\_ptr = max\_strings) \lor (cur\_length > 0) then
     make\_name\_string \leftarrow "?"
  else begin for k \leftarrow 1 to name_length do append_char(xord[name_of_file[k]]);
     make\_name\_string \leftarrow make\_string;
     end;
  end;
function a_make_name_string(var f : alpha_file): str_number;
  begin a\_make\_name\_string \leftarrow make\_name\_string;
function b\_make\_name\_string(\mathbf{var}\ f: byte\_file): str\_number;
  begin b\_make\_name\_string \leftarrow make\_name\_string;
  end;
function w_make_name_string(\mathbf{var}\ f : word_file): str_number;
  begin w_make_name_string \leftarrow make_name_string;
  end;
```

**526.** Now let's consider the "driver" routines by which TEX deals with file names in a system-independent manner. First comes a procedure that looks for a file name in the input by calling get\_x\_token for the information.

```
procedure scan_file_name;
label done;
begin name_in_progress ← true; begin_name; ⟨Get the next non-blank non-call token 406⟩;
loop begin if (cur_cmd > other_char) ∨ (cur_chr > 255) then { not a character }
    begin back_input; goto done;
    end;
    if ¬more_name(cur_chr) then goto done;
    get_x_token;
    end;
done: end_name; name_in_progress ← false;
end;
```

**527.** The global variable  $name\_in\_progress$  is used to prevent recursive use of  $scan\_file\_name$ , since the  $begin\_name$  and other procedures communicate via global variables. Recursion would arise only by devious tricks like '\input\input f'; such attempts at sabotage must be thwarted. Furthermore,  $name\_in\_progress$  prevents \input from being initiated when a font size specification is being scanned.

Another global variable, *job\_name*, contains the file name that was first \input by the user. This name is extended by '.log' and '.dvi' and '.fmt' in the names of TEX's output files.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv name_in_progress: boolean; { is a file name being scanned? } job_name: str_number; { principal file name } log_opened: boolean; { has the transcript file been opened? }
```

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**528.** Initially  $job\_name = 0$ ; it becomes nonzero as soon as the true name is known. We have  $job\_name = 0$  if and only if the 'log' file has not been opened, except of course for a short time just after  $job\_name$  has become nonzero.

```
\langle \text{ Initialize the output routines } 55 \rangle + \equiv job\_name \leftarrow 0; name\_in\_progress \leftarrow false; log\_opened \leftarrow false;
```

**529.** Here is a routine that manufactures the output file names, assuming that  $job\_name \neq 0$ . It ignores and changes the current settings of  $cur\_area$  and  $cur\_ext$ .

```
define pack\_cur\_name \equiv pack\_file\_name(cur\_name, cur\_area, cur\_ext)

procedure pack\_job\_name(s: str\_number); \quad \{s = ".log", ".dvi", or format\_extension\}

begin cur\_area \leftarrow ""; cur\_ext \leftarrow s; cur\_name \leftarrow job\_name; pack\_cur\_name;
end;
```

**530.** If some trouble arises when  $T_EX$  tries to open a file, the following routine calls upon the user to supply another file name. Parameter s is used in the error message to identify the type of file; parameter e is the default extension if none is given. Upon exit from the routine, variables  $cur\_name$ ,  $cur\_area$ ,  $cur\_ext$ , and  $name\_of\_file$  are ready for another attempt at file opening.

```
procedure prompt\_file\_name(s, e : str\_number);
  label done;
  var k: 0...buf\_size; {index into buffer}
  begin if interaction = scroll_mode then wake_up_terminal;
  \textbf{if } s = \texttt{"input} \_ \texttt{file} \_ \texttt{name" then } print\_err(\texttt{"I} \_ \texttt{can't} \_ \texttt{find} \_ \texttt{file} \_ \texttt{`"})
  else print_err("I_can t_write_on_file_");
  print_file_name(cur_name, cur_area, cur_ext); print("'.");
  if e = ".tex" then show\_context;
  print_{-}nl("Please_{\sqcup}type_{\sqcup}another_{\sqcup}"); print(s);
  if interaction < scroll_mode then fatal_error("***" (job aborted, ifile error in nonstop mode)");
  clear\_terminal; prompt\_input(":"); \langle Scan file name in the buffer 531 \rangle;
  if cur_{-}ext = "" then cur_{-}ext \leftarrow e;
  pack_cur_name;
  end;
531. \langle Scan file name in the buffer 531\rangle \equiv
  begin begin\_name; k \leftarrow first;
  while (buffer[k] = " \sqcup ") \land (k < last) do incr(k);
  loop begin if k = last then goto done;
     if \neg more\_name(buffer[k]) then goto done;
     incr(k);
     end;
done: end_name;
  end
```

This code is used in section 530.

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**532.** Here's an example of how these conventions are used. Whenever it is time to ship out a box of stuff, we shall use the macro *ensure\_dvi\_open*.

```
define ensure_dvi_open ≡
    if output_file_name = 0 then
        begin if job_name = 0 then open_log_file;
        pack_job_name(".dvi");
        while ¬b_open_out(dvi_file) do prompt_file_name("file_name_for_output", ".dvi");
        output_file_name ← b_make_name_string(dvi_file);
        end

⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
    dvi_file: byte_file; { the device-independent output goes here }
    output_file_name: str_number; { full name of the output file }
    log_name: str_number; { full name of the log file }

533. ⟨Initialize the output routines 55⟩ +≡
    output_file_name ← 0;
```

**534.** The *open\_log\_file* routine is used to open the transcript file and to help it catch up to what has previously been printed on the terminal.

```
procedure open_log_file;
```

```
var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { previous selector setting }
  k: 0... buf_size; { index into months and buffer }
  l: 0 .. buf_size; { end of first input line }
  months: packed array [1...36] of char; { abbreviations of month names }
begin old\_setting \leftarrow selector;
if job\_name = 0 then job\_name \leftarrow "texput";
pack\_job\_name(".log");
while \neg a\_open\_out(log\_file) do \langle Try to get a different log file name 535\rangle;
log\_name \leftarrow a\_make\_name\_string(log\_file); selector \leftarrow log\_only; log\_opened \leftarrow true;
(Print the banner line, including the date and time 536);
input\_stack[input\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_input;  { make sure bottom level is in memory }
print_nl("**"); l \leftarrow input\_stack[0].limit\_field; { last position of first line }
if buffer[l] = end\_line\_char then decr(l);
for k \leftarrow 1 to l do print(buffer[k]);
print_ln; { now the transcript file contains the first line of input }
selector \leftarrow old\_setting + 2; \{ log\_only \text{ or } term\_and\_log \}
end;
```

**535.** Sometimes open\_log\_file is called at awkward moments when TEX is unable to print error messages or even to show\_context. The prompt\_file\_name routine can result in a fatal\_error, but the error routine will not be invoked because log\_opened will be false.

The normal idea of *batch\_mode* is that nothing at all should be written on the terminal. However, in the unusual case that no log file could be opened, we make an exception and allow an explanatory message to be seen.

Incidentally, the program always refers to the log file as a 'transcript file', because some systems cannot use the extension '.log' for this file.

```
\langle \text{Try to get a different log file name } 535 \rangle \equiv  begin selector \leftarrow term\_only; prompt\_file\_name("transcript_\updarfile_\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\underline\u
```

This code is used in section 534.

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**537.** Let's turn now to the procedure that is used to initiate file reading when an '\input' command is being processed. Beware: For historic reasons, this code foolishly conserves a tiny bit of string pool space; but that can confuse the interactive 'E' option.

```
procedure start_input; { TEX will \input something }
  label done;
  begin scan_file_name; { set cur_name to desired file name }
  if cur\_ext = "" then <math>cur\_ext \leftarrow ".tex";
  pack_cur_name;
  loop begin begin_file_reading; { set up cur_file and new level of input }
    if a_open_in(cur_file) then goto done;
    if cur\_area = "" then
       begin pack_file_name(cur_name, TEX_area, cur_ext);
       if a_open_in(cur_file) then goto done;
    end_file_reading; { remove the level that didn't work }
    prompt_file_name("input_file_name", ".tex");
    end;
done: name \leftarrow a\_make\_name\_string(cur\_file);
  if job\_name = 0 then
    begin job\_name \leftarrow cur\_name; open\_log\_file;
    end; { open_log_file doesn't show_context, so limit and loc needn't be set to meaningful values yet }
  if term\_offset + length(name) > max\_print\_line - 2 then print\_ln
  else if (term\_offset > 0) \lor (file\_offset > 0) then print\_char("_{\sqcup}");
  print\_char("("); incr(open\_parens); slow\_print(name); update\_terminal; state \leftarrow new\_line;
  if name = str_ptr - 1 then {conserve string pool space (but see note above)}
    begin flush_string; name \leftarrow cur\_name;
    end:
  (Read the first line of the new file 538);
  end;
```

**538.** Here we have to remember to tell the  $input\_ln$  routine not to start with a get. If the file is empty, it is considered to contain a single blank line.

```
\langle \text{ Read the first line of the new file } 538 \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{begin } line \leftarrow 1; \\ \textbf{if } input\_ln(cur\_file, false) \textbf{ then } do\_nothing; \\ firm\_up\_the\_line; \\ \textbf{if } end\_line\_char\_inactive \textbf{ then } decr(limit) \\ \textbf{else } buffer[limit] \leftarrow end\_line\_char; \\ first \leftarrow limit + 1; \ loc \leftarrow start; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 537.

**539.** Font metric data. T<sub>E</sub>X gets its knowledge about fonts from font metric files, also called TFM files; the 'T' in 'TFM' stands for T<sub>E</sub>X, but other programs know about them too.

The information in a TFM file appears in a sequence of 8-bit bytes. Since the number of bytes is always a multiple of 4, we could also regard the file as a sequence of 32-bit words, but T<sub>E</sub>X uses the byte interpretation. The format of TFM files was designed by Lyle Ramshaw in 1980. The intent is to convey a lot of different kinds of information in a compact but useful form.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv tfm_file: byte_file;
```

**540.** The first 24 bytes (6 words) of a TFM file contain twelve 16-bit integers that give the lengths of the various subsequent portions of the file. These twelve integers are, in order:

```
lf = length of the entire file, in words; lh = length of the header data, in words; bc = smallest character code in the font; ec = largest character code in the font; nw = number of words in the width table; nh = number of words in the height table; nd = number of words in the depth table; ni = number of words in the italic correction table; ni = number of words in the lig/kern table; nk = number of words in the kern table; nk = number of words in the extensible character table; ne = number of font parameter words.
```

They are all nonnegative and less than  $2^{15}$ . We must have  $bc - 1 \le ec \le 255$ , and

```
lf = 6 + lh + (ec - bc + 1) + nw + nh + nd + ni + nl + nk + ne + np.
```

Note that a font may contain as many as 256 characters (if bc = 0 and ec = 255), and as few as 0 characters (if bc = ec + 1).

Incidentally, when two or more 8-bit bytes are combined to form an integer of 16 or more bits, the most significant bytes appear first in the file. This is called BigEndian order.

**541.** The rest of the TFM file may be regarded as a sequence of ten data arrays having the informal specification

```
\begin{array}{l} header: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ lh-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ stuff \\ char\_info: \mathbf{array} \ [bc \ .. \ ec] \ \mathbf{of} \ char\_info\_word \\ width: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nw-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ height: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nh-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ depth: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nd-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ italic: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nl-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ lig\_kern: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nl-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ kern: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ nk-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ exten: \mathbf{array} \ [0 \ .. \ ne-1] \ \mathbf{of} \ extensible\_recipe \\ param: \mathbf{array} \ [1 \ .. \ np] \ \mathbf{of} \ fix\_word \\ \end{array}
```

The most important data type used here is a  $fix\_word$ , which is a 32-bit representation of a binary fraction. A  $fix\_word$  is a signed quantity, with the two's complement of the entire word used to represent negation. Of the 32 bits in a  $fix\_word$ , exactly 12 are to the left of the binary point; thus, the largest  $fix\_word$  value is  $2048 - 2^{-20}$ , and the smallest is -2048. We will see below, however, that all but two of the  $fix\_word$  values must lie between -16 and +16.

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542. The first data array is a block of header information, which contains general facts about the font. The header must contain at least two words, header[0] and header[1], whose meaning is explained below. Additional header information of use to other software routines might also be included, but TEX82 does not need to know about such details. For example, 16 more words of header information are in use at the Xerox Palo Alto Research Center; the first ten specify the character coding scheme used (e.g., 'XEROX text' or 'TeX math symbols'), the next five give the font identifier (e.g., 'HELVETICA' or 'CMSY'), and the last gives the "face byte." The program that converts DVI files to Xerox printing format gets this information by looking at the TFM file, which it needs to read anyway because of other information that is not explicitly repeated in DVI format.

header [0] is a 32-bit check sum that TEX will copy into the DVI output file. Later on when the DVI file is printed, possibly on another computer, the actual font that gets used is supposed to have a check sum that agrees with the one in the TFM file used by TEX. In this way, users will be warned about potential incompatibilities. (However, if the check sum is zero in either the font file or the TFM file, no check is made.) The actual relation between this check sum and the rest of the TFM file is not important; the check sum is simply an identification number with the property that incompatible fonts almost always have distinct check sums.

header [1] is a fix\_word containing the design size of the font, in units of TEX points. This number must be at least 1.0; it is fairly arbitrary, but usually the design size is 10.0 for a "10 point" font, i.e., a font that was designed to look best at a 10-point size, whatever that really means. When a TEX user asks for a font 'at  $\delta$  pt', the effect is to override the design size and replace it by  $\delta$ , and to multiply the x and y coordinates of the points in the font image by a factor of  $\delta$  divided by the design size. All other dimensions in the TFM file are fix\_word numbers in design-size units, with the exception of param [1] (which denotes the slant ratio). Thus, for example, the value of param [6], which defines the em unit, is often the fix\_word value  $2^{20} = 1.0$ , since many fonts have a design size equal to one em. The other dimensions must be less than 16 design-size units in absolute value; thus, header [1] and param [1] are the only fix\_word entries in the whole TFM file whose first byte might be something besides 0 or 255.

**543.** Next comes the *char\_info* array, which contains one *char\_info\_word* per character. Each word in this part of the file contains six fields packed into four bytes as follows.

first byte: width\_index (8 bits)

second byte: height\_index (4 bits) times 16, plus depth\_index (4 bits)

third byte: italic\_index (6 bits) times 4, plus tag (2 bits)

fourth byte: remainder (8 bits)

The actual width of a character is  $width[width\_index]$ , in design-size units; this is a device for compressing information, since many characters have the same width. Since it is quite common for many characters to have the same height, depth, or italic correction, the TFM format imposes a limit of 16 different heights, 16 different depths, and 64 different italic corrections.

The italic correction of a character has two different uses. (a) In ordinary text, the italic correction is added to the width only if the TEX user specifies '\/' after the character. (b) In math formulas, the italic correction is always added to the width, except with respect to the positioning of subscripts.

Incidentally, the relation width[0] = height[0] = depth[0] = italic[0] = 0 should always hold, so that an index of zero implies a value of zero. The  $width\_index$  should never be zero unless the character does not exist in the font, since a character is valid if and only if it lies between bc and ec and has a nonzero  $width\_index$ .

**544.** The tag field in a char\_info\_word has four values that explain how to interpret the remainder field.

- tag = 0 (no\_tag) means that remainder is unused.
- tag = 1 ( $lig\_tag$ ) means that this character has a ligature/kerning program starting at position remainder in the  $lig\_kern$  array.
- tag = 2 ( $list\_tag$ ) means that this character is part of a chain of characters of ascending sizes, and not the largest in the chain. The remainder field gives the character code of the next larger character.
- $tag = 3 \; (ext\_tag)$  means that this character code represents an extensible character, i.e., a character that is built up of smaller pieces so that it can be made arbitrarily large. The pieces are specified in exten[remainder].

Characters with tag = 2 and tag = 3 are treated as characters with tag = 0 unless they are used in special circumstances in math formulas. For example, the \sum operation looks for a  $list\_tag$ , and the \left operation looks for both  $list\_tag$  and  $ext\_tag$ .

```
define no\_tag = 0 { vanilla character }

define lig\_tag = 1 { character has a ligature/kerning program }

define list\_tag = 2 { character has a successor in a charlist }

define ext\_tag = 3 { character is extensible }
```

**545.** The *lig\_kern* array contains instructions in a simple programming language that explains what to do for special letter pairs. Each word in this array is a *lig\_kern\_command* of four bytes.

first byte:  $skip\_byte$ , indicates that this is the final program step if the byte is 128 or more, otherwise the next step is obtained by skipping this number of intervening steps.

second byte: next\_char, "if next\_char follows the current character, then perform the operation and stop, otherwise continue."

third byte:  $op\_byte$ , indicates a ligature step if less than 128, a kern step otherwise. fourth byte: remainder.

In a kern step, an additional space equal to  $kern[256*(op\_byte-128) + remainder]$  is inserted between the current character and  $next\_char$ . This amount is often negative, so that the characters are brought closer together by kerning; but it might be positive.

There are eight kinds of ligature steps, having  $op\_byte$  codes 4a+2b+c where  $0 \le a \le b+c$  and  $0 \le b, c \le 1$ . The character whose code is remainder is inserted between the current character and  $next\_char$ ; then the current character is deleted if b=0, and  $next\_char$  is deleted if c=0; then we pass over a characters to reach the next current character (which may have a ligature/kerning program of its own).

If the very first instruction of the  $lig\_kern$  array has  $skip\_byte = 255$ , the  $next\_char$  byte is the so-called boundary character of this font; the value of  $next\_char$  need not lie between bc and ec. If the very last instruction of the  $lig\_kern$  array has  $skip\_byte = 255$ , there is a special ligature/kerning program for a boundary character at the left, beginning at location  $256 * op\_byte + remainder$ . The interpretation is that TeX puts implicit boundary characters before and after each consecutive string of characters from the same font. These implicit characters do not appear in the output, but they can affect ligatures and kerning.

If the very first instruction of a character's  $lig\_kern$  program has  $skip\_byte > 128$ , the program actually begins in location  $256 * op\_byte + remainder$ . This feature allows access to large  $lig\_kern$  arrays, because the first instruction must otherwise appear in a location  $\leq 255$ .

Any instruction with  $skip\_byte > 128$  in the  $lig\_kern$  array must satisfy the condition

```
256 * op\_byte + remainder < nl.
```

If such an instruction is encountered during normal program execution, it denotes an unconditional halt; no ligature or kerning command is performed.

```
define stop\_flag \equiv qi(128) { value indicating 'STOP' in a lig/kern program } define kern\_flag \equiv qi(128) { op code for a kern step } define skip\_byte(\#) \equiv \#.b0 define next\_char(\#) \equiv \#.b1 define op\_byte(\#) \equiv \#.b2 define rem\_byte(\#) \equiv \#.b3
```

**546.** Extensible characters are specified by an *extensible\_recipe*, which consists of four bytes called *top*, *mid*, *bot*, and *rep* (in this order). These bytes are the character codes of individual pieces used to build up a large symbol. If *top*, *mid*, or *bot* are zero, they are not present in the built-up result. For example, an extensible vertical line is like an extensible bracket, except that the top and bottom pieces are missing.

Let T, M, B, and R denote the respective pieces, or an empty box if the piece isn't present. Then the extensible characters have the form  $TR^kMR^kB$  from top to bottom, for some  $k \geq 0$ , unless M is absent; in the latter case we can have  $TR^kB$  for both even and odd values of k. The width of the extensible character is the width of R; and the height-plus-depth is the sum of the individual height-plus-depths of the components used, since the pieces are butted together in a vertical list.

```
define ext\_top(\#) \equiv \#.b0 { top piece in a recipe }

define ext\_mid(\#) \equiv \#.b1 { mid piece in a recipe }

define ext\_bot(\#) \equiv \#.b2 { bot piece in a recipe }

define ext\_rep(\#) \equiv \#.b3 { rep piece in a recipe }
```

**547.** The final portion of a TFM file is the param array, which is another sequence of fix\_word values.

param[1] = slant is the amount of italic slant, which is used to help position accents. For example, slant = .25 means that when you go up one unit, you also go .25 units to the right. The slant is a pure number; it's the only  $fix\_word$  other than the design size itself that is not scaled by the design size.

param[2] = space is the normal spacing between words in text. Note that character " $_{\sqcup}$ " in the font need not have anything to do with blank spaces.

```
param[3] = space\_stretch is the amount of glue stretching between words.
```

 $param[4] = space\_shrink$  is the amount of glue shrinking between words.

 $param[5] = x\_height$  is the size of one ex in the font; it is also the height of letters for which accents don't have to be raised or lowered.

param[6] = quad is the size of one em in the font.

 $param[7] = extra\_space$  is the amount added to param[2] at the ends of sentences.

If fewer than seven parameters are present, TeX sets the missing parameters to zero. Fonts used for math symbols are required to have additional parameter information, which is explained later.

```
\begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ slant\_code = 1 \\ \textbf{define} \ space\_code = 2 \\ \textbf{define} \ space\_stretch\_code = 3 \\ \textbf{define} \ space\_shrink\_code = 4 \\ \textbf{define} \ x\_height\_code = 5 \\ \textbf{define} \ quad\_code = 6 \\ \textbf{define} \ extra\_space\_code = 7 \end{array}
```

**548.** So that is what TFM files hold. Since TEX has to absorb such information about lots of fonts, it stores most of the data in a large array called *font\_info*. Each item of *font\_info* is a *memory\_word*; the *fix\_word* data gets converted into *scaled* entries, while everything else goes into words of type *four\_quarters*.

When the user defines f, say, f assigns an internal number to the user's font f. Adding this number to f and f are gives the f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f and f are f and f are f and f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f are f and f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f are f are f and f are f are f and f are f are f and f ar

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\langle \text{Types in the outer block } 18 \rangle + \equiv internal\_font\_number = font\_base ... font\_max; {font in a char\_node} font\_index = 0 ... font\_mem\_size; {index into font\_info}
```

```
549.
       Here now is the (rather formidable) array of font arrays.
  define non\_char \equiv qi(256) { a halfword code that can't match a real character }
  define non\_address = 0 { a spurious bchar\_label }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
font_info: array [font_index] of memory_word; { the big collection of font data }
fmem_ptr: font_index; { first unused word of font_info }
font_ptr: internal_font_number; { largest internal font number in use }
font_check: array [internal_font_number] of four_quarters; { check sum }
font_size: array [internal_font_number] of scaled; { "at" size }
font_dsize: array [internal_font_number] of scaled; { "design" size }
font_params: array [internal_font_number] of font_index; { how many font parameters are present }
font_name: array [internal_font_number] of str_number; { name of the font }
font_area: array [internal_font_number] of str_number; { area of the font }
font_bc: array [internal_font_number] of eight_bits; { beginning (smallest) character code }
font_ec: array [internal_font_number] of eight_bits; { ending (largest) character code }
font_glue: array [internal_font_number] of pointer;
         { glue specification for interword space, null if not allocated }
font_used: array [internal_font_number] of boolean;
         { has a character from this font actually appeared in the output? }
hyphen_char: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { current \hyphenchar values }
skew_char: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { current \skewchar values }
bchar_label: array [internal_font_number] of font_index;
         { start of liq_kern program for left boundary character, non_address if there is none }
font_bchar: array [internal_font_number] of min_quarterword .. non_char;
         \{ boundary character, non\_char if there is none \}
font_false_bchar: array [internal_font_number] of min_quarterword .. non_char;
         { font_bchar if it doesn't exist in the font, otherwise non_char }
550. Besides the arrays just enumerated, we have directory arrays that make it easy to get at the
individual entries in font\_info. For example, the char\_info data for character c in font f will be in
font\_info[char\_base[f]+c].qqqq; and if w is the width\_index part of this word (the b\theta field), the width of
the character is font\_info[width\_base[f] + w].sc. (These formulas assume that min\_quarterword has already
been added to c and to w, since T<sub>E</sub>X stores its quarterwords that way.)
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
char_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for char_info }
width_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for widths }
height_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for heights }
depth_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for depths }
italic_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for italic corrections }
liq_kern_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for ligature/kerning programs }
kern_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for kerns }
exten_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for extensible recipes }
param_base: array [internal_font_number] of integer; { base addresses for font parameters }
551. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle +\equiv
  for k \leftarrow font\_base to font\_max do font\_used[k] \leftarrow false;
```

**552.** TEX always knows at least one font, namely the null font. It has no characters, and its seven parameters are all equal to zero.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \text{Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) } 164 \rangle + \equiv \\ font\_ptr \leftarrow null\_font; \ fmem\_ptr \leftarrow 7; \ font\_name[null\_font] \leftarrow "nullfont"; \ font\_area[null\_font] \leftarrow ""; \\ hyphen\_char[null\_font] \leftarrow "-"; \ skew\_char[null\_font] \leftarrow -1; \ bchar\_label[null\_font] \leftarrow non\_address; \\ font\_bchar[null\_font] \leftarrow non\_char; \ font\_false\_bchar[null\_font] \leftarrow non\_char; \ font\_bc[null\_font] \leftarrow 1; \\ font\_ec[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ font\_size[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ font\_dsize[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ char\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \\ width\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ height\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ depth\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \\ italic\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ lig\_kern\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ kern\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \\ exten\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow 0; \ font\_glue[null\_font] \leftarrow null; \ font\_params[null\_font] \leftarrow 7; \\ param\_base[null\_font] \leftarrow -1; \\ \textbf{for} \ k \leftarrow 0 \ \textbf{to} \ 6 \ \textbf{do} \ font\_info[k].sc \leftarrow 0; \\ \end{array}
```

**553.**  $\langle \text{Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle +\equiv primitive("nullfont", set_font, null_font); text(frozen_null_font) \leftarrow "nullfont"; eqtb[frozen_null_font] \leftarrow eqtb[cur_val];$ 

**554.** Of course we want to define macros that suppress the detail of how font information is actually packed, so that we don't have to write things like

```
font\_info[width\_base[f] + font\_info[char\_base[f] + c].qqqq.b0].sc
```

too often. The WEB definitions here make  $char\_info(f)(c)$  the  $four\_quarters$  word of font information corresponding to character c of font f. If q is such a word,  $char\_width(f)(q)$  will be the character's width; hence the long formula above is at least abbreviated to

```
char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(c)).
```

Usually, of course, we will fetch q first and look at several of its fields at the same time.

The italic correction of a character will be denoted by  $char\_italic(f)(q)$ , so it is analogous to  $char\_width$ . But we will get at the height and depth in a slightly different way, since we usually want to compute both height and depth if we want either one. The value of  $height\_depth(q)$  will be the 8-bit quantity

```
b = height\_index \times 16 + depth\_index,
```

and if b is such a byte we will write  $char\_height(f)(b)$  and  $char\_depth(f)(b)$  for the height and depth of the character c for which  $q = char\_info(f)(c)$ . Got that?

The tag field will be called  $char\_tag(q)$ ; the remainder byte will be called  $rem\_byte(q)$ , using a macro that we have already defined above.

Access to a character's width, height, depth, and tag fields is part of TEX's inner loop, so we want these macros to produce code that is as fast as possible under the circumstances.

```
define char\_info\_end(\#) \equiv \# ] .qqqq define char\_info(\#) \equiv font\_info [ char\_base[\#] + char\_info\_end define char\_width\_end(\#) \equiv \#.b0 ] .sc define char\_width(\#) \equiv font\_info [ width\_base[\#] + char\_width\_end define char\_exists(\#) \equiv (\#.b0) = min\_quarterword) define char\_italic\_end(\#) \equiv (qo(\#.b2)) div 4 ] .sc define char\_italic(\#) \equiv font\_info [ italic\_base[\#] + char\_italic\_end define height\_depth(\#) \equiv qo(\#.b1) define char\_height\_end(\#) \equiv (\#) div 16 ] .sc define char\_height(\#) \equiv font\_info [ height\_base[\#] + char\_height\_end define char\_depth\_end(\#) \equiv (\#) mod 16 ] .sc define char\_depth(\#) \equiv font\_info [ depth\_base[\#] + char\_depth\_end define char\_depth(\#) \equiv font\_info [ depth\_base[\#] + char\_depth\_end define char\_tag(\#) \equiv ((qo(\#.b2))) mod 4)
```

**555.** The global variable *null\_character* is set up to be a word of *char\_info* for a character that doesn't exist. Such a word provides a convenient way to deal with erroneous situations.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv null_character: four_quarters; { nonexistent character information }
```

```
556. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv null\_character.b0 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; null\_character.b1 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; null\_character.b2 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; null\_character.b3 \leftarrow min\_quarterword;
```

Here are some macros that help process ligatures and kerns. We write  $char_kern(f)(j)$  to find the amount of kerning specified by kerning command j in font f. If j is the char\_info for a character with a ligature/kern program, the first instruction of that program is either  $i = font\_info[lig\_kern\_start(f)(j)]$  or  $font\_info[lig\_kern\_restart(f)(i)]$ , depending on whether or not  $skip\_byte(i) \leq stop\_flag$ .

The constant kern\_base\_offset should be simplified, for Pascal compilers that do not do local optimization.

```
define char\_kern\_end(\#) \equiv 256 * op\_byte(\#) + rem\_byte(\#)] .sc
  define char\_kern(\#) \equiv font\_info [kern\_base[\#] + char\_kern\_end]
  define kern\_base\_offset \equiv 256 * (128 + min\_quarterword)
  define liq_kern_start(\#) \equiv liq_kern_base(\#) + rem_byte { beginning of lig/kern program }
  define lig\_kern\_restart\_end(\#) \equiv 256 * op\_byte(\#) + rem\_byte(\#) + 32768 - kern\_base\_offset
  define lig\_kern\_restart(\#) \equiv lig\_kern\_base[\#] + lig\_kern\_restart\_end
       Font parameters are referred to as slant(f), space(f), etc.
  define param\_end(\#) \equiv param\_base[\#] \mid .sc
  define param(\#) \equiv font\_info \ [\ \# + param\_end\ ]
  define slant \equiv param(slant\_code) { slant to the right, per unit distance upward }
  define space \equiv param(space\_code) { normal space between words }
  define space\_stretch \equiv param(space\_stretch\_code) { stretch between words }
  define space\_shrink \equiv param(space\_shrink\_code) { shrink between words }
  define x\_height \equiv param(x\_height\_code) { one ex }
  define quad \equiv param(quad\_code) { one em }
  define extra\_space \equiv param(extra\_space\_code) { additional space at end of sentence }
\langle The em width for cur\_font 558 \rangle \equiv
  quad(cur\_font)
This code is used in section 455.
559. \langle The x-height for cur\_font 559 \rangle \equiv
```

 $x_height(cur_font)$ 

This code is used in section 455.

**560.** T<sub>E</sub>X checks the information of a TFM file for validity as the file is being read in, so that no further checks will be needed when typesetting is going on. The somewhat tedious subroutine that does this is called  $read\_font\_info$ . It has four parameters: the user font identifier u, the file name and area strings nom and aire, and the "at" size s. If s is negative, it's the negative of a scale factor to be applied to the design size; s = -1000 is the normal case. Otherwise s will be substituted for the design size; in this case, s must be positive and less than 2048 pt (i.e., it must be less than  $2^{27}$  when considered as an integer).

The subroutine opens and closes a global file variable called tfm-file. It returns the value of the internal font number that was just loaded. If an error is detected, an error message is issued and no font information is stored; null-font is returned in this case.

```
define bad\_tfm = 11 { label for read\_font\_info }
  define abort \equiv \mathbf{goto} \ bad\_tfm \ \{ do this when the TFM data is wrong \}
function read\_font\_info(u:pointer; nom, aire:str\_number; s:scaled): internal\_font\_number;
          { input a TFM file }
  label done, bad_tfm, not_found;
  var k: font_index; { index into font_info }
    file_opened: boolean; { was tfm_file successfully opened? }
    lf, lh, bc, ec, nw, nh, nd, ni, nl, nk, ne, np: halfword; { sizes of subfiles }
    f: internal_font_number; { the new font's number }
    g: internal_font_number; { the number to return }
    a, b, c, d: eight\_bits; { byte variables }
    qw: four_quarters; sw: scaled; { accumulators }
    bch_label: integer; { left boundary start location, or infinity }
    bchar: 0..256; { boundary character, or 256 }
    z: scaled; { the design size or the "at" size }
    alpha: integer; beta: 1..16; { auxiliary quantities used in fixed-point multiplication }
  begin g \leftarrow null\_font;
  Read and check the font data; abort if the TFM file is malformed; if there's no room for this font, say so
       and goto done; otherwise incr(font_ptr) and goto done 562);
bad\_tfm: \langle Report that the font won't be loaded 561\rangle;
done: if file_opened then b_close(tfm_file);
  read\_font\_info \leftarrow g;
  end:
```

561. There are programs called TFtoPL and PLtoTF that convert between the TFM format and a symbolic property-list format that can be easily edited. These programs contain extensive diagnostic information, so T<sub>F</sub>X does not have to bother giving precise details about why it rejects a particular TFM file.

```
define start\_font\_error\_message \equiv print\_err("Font_{||}"); sprint\_cs(u); print\_char("=");
           print_file_name(nom, aire, "");
          if s \ge 0 then
             begin print("_{\sqcup}at_{\sqcup}"); print\_scaled(s); print("pt");
          else if s \neq -1000 then
                begin print("\_scaled_{\bot}"); print\_int(-s);
\langle Report that the font won't be loaded 561\rangle \equiv
  start_font_error_message;
  if file\_opened then print("\_not\_loadable:\_Bad\_metric\_(TFM)\_file")
  else print("unotuloadable:uMetricu(TFM)ufileunotufound");
  help5("I_{\sqcup}wasn't_{\sqcup}able_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}read_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}size_{\sqcup}data_{\sqcup}for_{\sqcup}this_{\sqcup}font,")
  ("so_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}will_{\sqcup}ignore_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}font_{\sqcup}specification.")
   ("[Wizards_can_fix_TFM_files_using_TFtoPL/PLtoTF.]")
  ("You \_ might \_ try \_ inserting \_ a \_ different \_ font \_ spec;")
  ("e.g., utypeu`I\font<sameufontuid>=<substituteufontuname>´."); error
This code is used in section 560.
        Read and check the font data; abort if the TFM file is malformed; if there's no room for this font,
        say so and goto done; otherwise incr(font\_ptr) and goto done 562 \rangle \equiv
   \langle \text{ Open } tfm\_file \text{ for input } 563 \rangle;
   \langle \text{ Read the TFM size fields 565} \rangle;
    Use size fields to allocate font information 566);
   \langle \text{ Read the TFM header 568} \rangle;
    Read character data 569);
    Read box dimensions 571);
    Read ligature/kern program 573);
    Read extensible character recipes 574);
    Read font parameters 575);
   \langle Make final adjustments and goto done 576\rangle
This code is used in section 560.
563. \langle \text{ Open } tfm\_file \text{ for input } 563 \rangle \equiv
  file\_opened \leftarrow false;
  if aire = "" then pack_file_name(nom, TEX_font_area, ".tfm")
  else pack_file_name(nom, aire, ".tfm");
  if \neg b\_open\_in(tfm\_file) then abort;
  file\_opened \leftarrow true
This code is used in section 562.
```

**564.** Note: A malformed TFM file might be shorter than it claims to be; thus  $eof(tfm\_file)$  might be true when  $read\_font\_info$  refers to  $tfm\_file\uparrow$  or when it says  $get(tfm\_file)$ . If such circumstances cause system error messages, you will have to defeat them somehow, for example by defining fget to be 'begin  $get(tfm\_file)$ ; if  $eof(tfm\_file)$  then abort; end'.

```
define fget \equiv get(tfm\_file)
define fbyte \equiv tfm_{-}file \uparrow
define read\_sixteen(\#) \equiv
           begin # \leftarrow fbyte;
           if \# > 127 then abort;
           fget; # \leftarrow # * \cancel{400} + fbyte;
           end
define store\_four\_quarters(\#) \equiv
           begin fget; a \leftarrow fbyte; qw.b0 \leftarrow qi(a); fget; b \leftarrow fbyte; qw.b1 \leftarrow qi(b); fget; c \leftarrow fbyte;
           qw.b2 \leftarrow qi(c); fget; d \leftarrow fbyte; qw.b3 \leftarrow qi(d); \# \leftarrow qw;
           end
     \langle \text{ Read the TFM size fields 565} \rangle \equiv
begin read_sixteen(lf); fget; read_sixteen(lh); fget; read_sixteen(bc); fget; read_sixteen(ec);
if (bc > ec + 1) \lor (ec > 255) then abort;
if bc > 255 then \{bc = 256 \text{ and } ec = 255\}
  begin bc \leftarrow 1; ec \leftarrow 0;
  end;
fget; read_sixteen(nw); fget; read_sixteen(nh); fget; read_sixteen(nd); fget; read_sixteen(ni); fget;
read_sixteen(nl); fget; read_sixteen(nk); fget; read_sixteen(np); fget; read_sixteen(np);
if lf \neq 6 + lh + (ec - bc + 1) + nw + nh + nd + ni + nl + nk + ne + np then abort;
if (nw = 0) \lor (nh = 0) \lor (nd = 0) \lor (ni = 0) then abort;
end
```

This code is used in section 562.

**566.** The preliminary settings of the index-offset variables *char\_base*, *width\_base*, *lig\_kern\_base*, *kern\_base*, and *exten\_base* will be corrected later by subtracting *min\_quarterword* from them; and we will subtract 1 from *param\_base* too. It's best to forget about such anomalies until later.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \text{ Use size fields to allocate font information } 566 \rangle \equiv \\ lf \leftarrow lf - 6 - lh; \quad \{lf \text{ words should be loaded into } font\_info \} \\ \textbf{if } np < 7 \textbf{ then } lf \leftarrow lf + 7 - np; \quad \{\text{ at least seven parameters will appear } \} \\ \textbf{if } (font\_ptr = font\_max) \lor (fmem\_ptr + lf > font\_mem\_size) \textbf{ then} \\ \langle \text{ Apologize for not loading the font, } \textbf{goto } done \ 567 \rangle; \\ f \leftarrow font\_ptr + 1; \ char\_base[f] \leftarrow fmem\_ptr - bc; \ width\_base[f] \leftarrow char\_base[f] + ec + 1; \\ height\_base[f] \leftarrow width\_base[f] + nw; \ depth\_base[f] \leftarrow height\_base[f] + nh; \\ italic\_base[f] \leftarrow depth\_base[f] + nd; \ lig\_kern\_base[f] \leftarrow italic\_base[f] + ni; \\ kern\_base[f] \leftarrow lig\_kern\_base[f] + nl - kern\_base\_offset; \\ exten\_base[f] \leftarrow kern\_base[f] + kern\_base\_offset + nk; \ param\_base[f] \leftarrow exten\_base[f] + ne \\ \text{This code is used in section } 562. \\ \end{array}
```

```
567. 〈Apologize for not loading the font, goto done 567〉 ≡
begin start_font_error_message; print("unotuloaded:uNotulenoughuroomuleft");
help4("I´muafraiduIuwon´tubeuableutoumakeuuseuofuthisufont,")
("becauseumyumemoryuforucharacter-sizeudatauisutoousmall.")
("Ifuyou´reureallyustuck,uaskuauwizardutouenlargeume.")
("Orumaybeutryu`I\font<sameufontuid>=<nameuofuloadedufont>´."); error; goto done;
end
```

This code is used in section 566.

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This code is used in section 562.

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568.
         Only the first two words of the header are needed by T<sub>E</sub>X82.
\langle \text{ Read the TFM header 568} \rangle \equiv
  begin if lh < 2 then abort;
  store\_four\_quarters(font\_check[f]); fget; read\_sixteen(z); \{this rejects a negative design size \}
  fget; z \leftarrow z * '400 + fbyte; fget; z \leftarrow (z * '20) + (fbyte \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} '20);
  if z < unity then abort;
  while lh > 2 do
     begin fget; fget; fget; decr(lh); {ignore the rest of the header}
     end;
  font\_dsize[f] \leftarrow z;
  if s \neq -1000 then
     if s \geq 0 then z \leftarrow s
     else z \leftarrow xn\_over\_d(z, -s, 1000);
  font\_size[f] \leftarrow z;
  end
This code is used in section 562.
569. \langle \text{Read character data 569} \rangle \equiv
  for k \leftarrow fmem\_ptr to width\_base[f] - 1 do
     begin store\_four\_quarters(font\_info[k].qqqq);
     if (a \ge nw) \lor (b \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 20 \ge nh) \lor (b \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} 20 \ge nd) \lor (c \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 4 \ge ni) then abort;
     case c \mod 4 of
     lig_{-}tag: if d > nl then abort:
     ext\_tag: if d > ne then abort;
     list\_tag: \langle Check for charlist cycle 570\rangle;
     othercases do\_nothing \{ no\_tag \}
     endcases;
     end
```

**570.** We want to make sure that there is no cycle of characters linked together by *list\_tag* entries, since such a cycle would get T<sub>E</sub>X into an endless loop. If such a cycle exists, the routine here detects it when processing the largest character code in the cycle.

```
define check\_byte\_range(\#) \equiv 
begin if (\# < bc) \lor (\# > ec) then abort
end
define current\_character\_being\_worked\_on \equiv k + bc - fmem\_ptr
\langle Check for charlist cycle 570 \rangle \equiv 
begin check\_byte\_range(d);
while d < current\_character\_being\_worked\_on do
begin qw \leftarrow char\_info(f)(d); \quad \{N.B.: not qi(d), since char\_base[f] hasn't been adjusted yet \}
if char\_tag(qw) \neq list\_tag then goto not\_found;
d \leftarrow qo(rem\_byte(qw)); \quad \{next character on the list \}
end;
if d = current\_character\_being\_worked\_on then abort; \quad \{yes, there's a cycle \}
not\_found: end
This code is used in section 569.
```

571. A fix\_word whose four bytes are (a, b, c, d) from left to right represents the number

$$x = \begin{cases} b \cdot 2^{-4} + c \cdot 2^{-12} + d \cdot 2^{-20}, & \text{if } a = 0; \\ -16 + b \cdot 2^{-4} + c \cdot 2^{-12} + d \cdot 2^{-20}, & \text{if } a = 255. \end{cases}$$

(No other choices of a are allowed, since the magnitude of a number in design-size units must be less than 16.) We want to multiply this quantity by the integer z, which is known to be less than  $2^{27}$ . If  $z < 2^{23}$ , the individual multiplications  $b \cdot z$ ,  $c \cdot z$ ,  $d \cdot z$  cannot overflow; otherwise we will divide z by 2, 4, 8, or 16, to obtain a multiplier less than  $2^{23}$ , and we can compensate for this later. If z has thereby been replaced by  $z'=z/2^e,$  let  $\beta=2^{4-e};$  we shall compute

$$|(b+c\cdot 2^{-8}+d\cdot 2^{-16})z'/\beta|$$

if a=0, or the same quantity minus  $\alpha=2^{4+e}z'$  if a=255. This calculation must be done exactly, in order to guarantee portability of T<sub>E</sub>X between computers.

```
define store\_scaled(\#) \equiv
             begin fget; a \leftarrow fbyte; fget; b \leftarrow fbyte; fget; c \leftarrow fbyte; fget; d \leftarrow fbyte;
             sw \leftarrow (((((d*z) \mathbf{div} '400) + (c*z)) \mathbf{div} '400) + (b*z)) \mathbf{div} beta;
             if a = 0 then # \leftarrow sw else if a = 255 then # \leftarrow sw - alpha else abort;
             end
\langle \text{ Read box dimensions } 571 \rangle \equiv
  begin (Replace z by z' and compute \alpha, \beta 572);
  for k \leftarrow width\_base[f] to lig\_kern\_base[f] - 1 do store\_scaled(font\_info[k].sc);
  if font\_info[width\_base[f]].sc \neq 0 then abort; { width[0] must be zero }
  if font\_info[height\_base[f]].sc \neq 0 then abort; { height[0] must be zero}}
  if font\_info[depth\_base[f]].sc \neq 0 then abort; { depth[0] must be zero }
  if font\_info[italic\_base[f]].sc \neq 0 then abort; { italic[0] must be zero }
  end
This code is used in section 562.
```

```
572. \langle \text{Replace } z \text{ by } z' \text{ and compute } \alpha, \beta \text{ 572} \rangle \equiv
   begin alpha \leftarrow 16;
   while z \geq 40000000 do
        begin z \leftarrow z \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2; alpha \leftarrow alpha + alpha;
   beta \leftarrow 256 \, \mathbf{div} \, alpha; \, alpha \leftarrow alpha * z;
   end
```

This code is used in section 571.

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573.
        define check\_existence(\#) \equiv
          begin check\_byte\_range(\#); qw \leftarrow char\_info(f)(\#); \{ \text{N.B.: not } qi(\#) \}
          if \neg char\_exists(qw) then abort;
          end
\langle \text{Read ligature/kern program } 573 \rangle \equiv
  bch\_label \leftarrow '777777; bchar \leftarrow 256;
  if nl > 0 then
     begin for k \leftarrow lig\_kern\_base[f] to kern\_base[f] + kern\_base\_offset - 1 do
        begin store\_four\_quarters(font\_info[k].qqqq);
        if a > 128 then
          begin if 256 * c + d \ge nl then abort;
          if a = 255 then
             if k = lig\_kern\_base[f] then bchar \leftarrow b;
          end
        else begin if b \neq bchar then check\_existence(b);
          if c < 128 then check\_existence(d) { check ligature }
          else if 256 * (c - 128) + d \ge nk then abort; { check kern }
          if a < 128 then
             \textbf{if} \ k-\mathit{lig\_kern\_base}[f] + a + 1 \geq nl \ \textbf{then} \ \mathit{abort};
          end;
        end;
     if a = 255 then bch\_label \leftarrow 256 * c + d;
  for k \leftarrow kern\_base[f] + kern\_base\_offset to exten\_base[f] - 1 do store\_scaled(font\_info[k].sc);
This code is used in section 562.
574. \langle Read extensible character recipes 574\rangle \equiv
  for k \leftarrow exten\_base[f] to param\_base[f] - 1 do
     begin store\_four\_quarters(font\_info[k].qqqq);
     if a \neq 0 then check\_existence(a);
     if b \neq 0 then check\_existence(b);
     if c \neq 0 then check\_existence(c);
     check\_existence(d);
     end
This code is used in section 562.
575. We check to see that the TFM file doesn't end prematurely; but no error message is given for files
having more than lf words.
\langle \text{Read font parameters } 575 \rangle \equiv
  begin for k \leftarrow 1 to np do
     if k = 1 then { the slant parameter is a pure number }
        begin fget; sw \leftarrow fbyte;
        if sw > 127 then sw \leftarrow sw - 256;
        fget; sw \leftarrow sw * 400 + fbyte; fget; sw \leftarrow sw * 400 + fbyte; fget;
        font\_info[param\_base[f]].sc \leftarrow (sw * '20) + (fbyte \ div '20);
     else store\_scaled(font\_info[param\_base[f] + k - 1].sc);
  if eof (tfm_file) then abort;
  for k \leftarrow np + 1 to 7 do font\_info[param\_base[f] + k - 1].sc \leftarrow 0;
  end
This code is used in section 562.
```

**576.** Now to wrap it up, we have checked all the necessary things about the TFM file, and all we need to do is put the finishing touches on the data for the new font.

```
define adjust(\#) \equiv \#[f] \leftarrow qo(\#[f]) { correct for the excess min\_quarterword that was added } 
 \langle \text{Make final adjustments and } \mathbf{goto} \ done \ 576 \rangle \equiv 
 if np \geq 7 then font\_params[f] \leftarrow np else font\_params[f] \leftarrow 7;
 hyphen\_char[f] \leftarrow default\_hyphen\_char; \ skew\_char[f] \leftarrow default\_skew\_char;
 if bch\_label < nl then bchar\_label[f] \leftarrow bch\_label + lig\_kern\_base[f]
 else bchar\_label[f] \leftarrow non\_address;
 font\_bchar[f] \leftarrow qi(bchar); \ font\_false\_bchar[f] \leftarrow qi(bchar);
 if bchar \leq ec then
 if bchar \geq bc then
 begin qw \leftarrow char\_info(f)(bchar); { N.B.: not qi(bchar) }
 if char\_exists(qw) then font\_false\_bchar[f] \leftarrow non\_char;
 end;
 font\_name[f] \leftarrow nom; \ font\_area[f] \leftarrow aire; \ font\_bc[f] \leftarrow bc; \ font\_ec[f] \leftarrow ec; \ font\_glue[f] \leftarrow null;
 adjust(char\_base); \ adjust(width\_base); \ adjust(lig\_kern\_base); \ adjust(kern\_base); \ adjust(exten\_base);
 decr(param\_base[f]); \ fmem\_ptr \leftarrow fmem\_ptr + lf; \ font\_ptr \leftarrow f; \ g \leftarrow f; \ goto \ done
 This code is used in section 562.
```

**577.** Before we forget about the format of these tables, let's deal with two of TEX's basic scanning routines related to font information.

```
\langle Declare procedures that scan font-related stuff 577\rangle \equiv
procedure scan_font_ident;
  var f: internal_font_number; m: halfword;
  begin (Get the next non-blank non-call token 406);
  if cur\_cmd = def\_font then f \leftarrow cur\_font
  else if cur\_cmd = set\_font then f \leftarrow cur\_chr
     else if cur\_cmd = def\_family then
          begin m \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_four\_bit\_int; f \leftarrow equiv(m + cur\_val);
          end
        else begin print_err("Missing_font_identifier");
          help2("I_{\sqcup}was_{\sqcup}looking_{\sqcup}for_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}control_{\sqcup}sequence_{\sqcup}whose")
          ("current_meaning_has_mbeen_defined_by_hfont."); back_error; f \leftarrow null_font;
          end;
  cur\_val \leftarrow f;
  end;
See also section 578.
```

This code is used in section 409.

The following routine is used to implement '\fontdimen n f'. The boolean parameter writing is set true if the calling program intends to change the parameter value.  $\langle$  Declare procedures that scan font-related stuff 577 $\rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** find\_font\_dimen(writing: boolean); { sets cur\_val to font\_info location } var f: internal\_font\_number; n: integer; { the parameter number } **begin**  $scan\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val; scan\_font\_ident; f \leftarrow cur\_val;$ if  $n \leq 0$  then  $cur_{-}val \leftarrow fmem_{-}ptr$ else begin if  $writing \land (n \leq space\_shrink\_code) \land (n \geq space\_code) \land (font\_glue[f] \neq null)$  then **begin**  $delete\_glue\_ref(font\_glue[f]); font\_glue[f] \leftarrow null;$ end; if  $n > font\_params[f]$  then if  $f < font\_ptr$  then  $cur\_val \leftarrow fmem\_ptr$ else (Increase the number of parameters in the last font 580) else  $cur\_val \leftarrow n + param\_base[f];$ end:  $\langle \text{Issue an error message if } cur\_val = fmem\_ptr 579 \rangle;$ end: **579.** (Issue an error message if  $cur_val = fmem_ptr_{579}$ )  $\equiv$ if  $cur_val = fmem_ptr$  then  $\mathbf{begin} \ print\_err("Font_{\sqcup}"); \ print\_esc(font\_id\_text(f)); \ print("_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}");$  $print_int(font_params[f]); print(" fontdimen_parameters");$  $help2("To\_increase\_the\_number\_of\_font\_parameters,\_you\_must")$ ("use\_\fontdimen\_immediately\_after\_the\_\font\_is\_loaded."); error; end This code is used in section 578. **580.** (Increase the number of parameters in the last font 580)  $\equiv$ begin repeat if  $fmem\_ptr = font\_mem\_size$  then  $overflow("font\_memory", font\_mem\_size);$  $font\_info[fmem\_ptr].sc \leftarrow 0; incr(fmem\_ptr); incr(font\_params[f]);$ **until**  $n = font\_params[f];$  $cur\_val \leftarrow fmem\_ptr - 1; \quad \{ \text{this equals } param\_base[f] + font\_params[f] \}$ This code is used in section 578. 581. When T<sub>F</sub>X wants to typeset a character that doesn't exist, the character node is not created; thus

the output routine can assume that characters exist when it sees them. The following procedure prints a warning message unless the user has suppressed it.

```
procedure char\_warning(f:internal\_font\_number; c:eight\_bits);
  begin if tracing\_lost\_chars > 0 then
    begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("Missing_character:_There_is_no_"); print_ASCII(c);
    print("⊔in⊔font⊔"); slow_print(font_name[f]); print_char("!"); end_diagnostic(false);
    end:
  end;
```

 $\S 582$ 

**582.** Here is a function that returns a pointer to a character node for a given character in a given font. If that character doesn't exist, *null* is returned instead.

```
\begin{array}{l} \textbf{function} \ new\_character(f:internal\_font\_number; \ c:eight\_bits): \ pointer; \\ \textbf{label} \ exit; \\ \textbf{var} \ p: \ pointer; \ \ \{ \ new \ | \ allocated \ node \ \} \\ \textbf{begin} \ \ \textbf{if} \ \ font\_bc[f] \leq c \ \ \textbf{then} \\ \textbf{if} \ \ font\_ec[f] \geq c \ \ \textbf{then} \\ \textbf{if} \ \ char\_exists(char\_info(f)(qi(c))) \ \ \textbf{then} \\ \textbf{begin} \ \ p \leftarrow \ get\_avail; \ font(p) \leftarrow f; \ \ character(p) \leftarrow qi(c); \ \ new\_character \leftarrow p; \ \ \textbf{return}; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ char\_warning(f,c); \ \ new\_character \leftarrow null; \\ exit: \ \ \textbf{end}; \\ \end{array}
```

**583.** Device-independent file format. The most important output produced by a run of TEX is the "device independent" (DVI) file that specifies where characters and rules are to appear on printed pages. The form of these files was designed by David R. Fuchs in 1979. Almost any reasonable typesetting device can be driven by a program that takes DVI files as input, and dozens of such DVI-to-whatever programs have been written. Thus, it is possible to print the output of TEX on many different kinds of equipment, using TEX as a device-independent "front end."

A DVI file is a stream of 8-bit bytes, which may be regarded as a series of commands in a machine-like language. The first byte of each command is the operation code, and this code is followed by zero or more bytes that provide parameters to the command. The parameters themselves may consist of several consecutive bytes; for example, the ' $set\_rule$ ' command has two parameters, each of which is four bytes long. Parameters are usually regarded as nonnegative integers; but four-byte-long parameters, and shorter parameters that denote distances, can be either positive or negative. Such parameters are given in two's complement notation. For example, a two-byte-long distance parameter has a value between  $-2^{15}$  and  $2^{15} - 1$ . As in TFM files, numbers that occupy more than one byte position appear in BigEndian order.

A DVI file consists of a "preamble," followed by a sequence of one or more "pages," followed by a "postamble." The preamble is simply a pre command, with its parameters that define the dimensions used in the file; this must come first. Each "page" consists of a bop command, followed by any number of other commands that tell where characters are to be placed on a physical page, followed by an eop command. The pages appear in the order that TEX generated them. If we ignore nop commands and fnt\_def commands (which are allowed between any two commands in the file), each eop command is immediately followed by a bop command, or by a post command; in the latter case, there are no more pages in the file, and the remaining bytes form the postamble. Further details about the postamble will be explained later.

Some parameters in DVI commands are "pointers." These are four-byte quantities that give the location number of some other byte in the file; the first byte is number 0, then comes number 1, and so on. For example, one of the parameters of a *bop* command points to the previous *bop*; this makes it feasible to read the pages in backwards order, in case the results are being directed to a device that stacks its output face up. Suppose the preamble of a DVI file occupies bytes 0 to 99. Now if the first page occupies bytes 100 to 999, say, and if the second page occupies bytes 1000 to 1999, then the *bop* that starts in byte 1000 points to 100 and the *bop* that starts in byte 2000 points to 1000. (The very first *bop*, i.e., the one starting in byte 100, has a pointer of -1.)

**584.** The DVI format is intended to be both compact and easily interpreted by a machine. Compactness is achieved by making most of the information implicit instead of explicit. When a DVI-reading program reads the commands for a page, it keeps track of several quantities: (a) The current font f is an integer; this value is changed only by fnt and  $fnt\_num$  commands. (b) The current position on the page is given by two numbers called the horizontal and vertical coordinates, h and v. Both coordinates are zero at the upper left corner of the page; moving to the right corresponds to increasing the horizontal coordinate, and moving down corresponds to increasing the vertical coordinate. Thus, the coordinates are essentially Cartesian, except that vertical directions are flipped; the Cartesian version of (h, v) would be (h, -v). (c) The current spacing amounts are given by four numbers w, x, y, and z, where w and x are used for horizontal spacing and where y and z are used for vertical spacing. (d) There is a stack containing (h, v, w, x, y, z) values; the DVI commands push and pop are used to change the current level of operation. Note that the current font f is not pushed and popped; the stack contains only information about positioning.

The values of h, v, w, x, y, and z are signed integers having up to 32 bits, including the sign. Since they represent physical distances, there is a small unit of measurement such that increasing h by 1 means moving a certain tiny distance to the right. The actual unit of measurement is variable, as explained below; TEX sets things up so that its DVI output is in sp units, i.e., scaled points, in agreement with all the *scaled* dimensions in TeX's data structures.

- **585.** Here is a list of all the commands that may appear in a DVI file. Each command is specified by its symbolic name (e.g., bop), its opcode byte (e.g., 139), and its parameters (if any). The parameters are followed by a bracketed number telling how many bytes they occupy; for example, 'p[4]' means that parameter p is four bytes long.
- $set\_char\_0$  0. Typeset character number 0 from font f such that the reference point of the character is at (h, v). Then increase h by the width of that character. Note that a character may have zero or negative width, so one cannot be sure that h will advance after this command; but h usually does increase.
- set\_char\_1 through set\_char\_127 (opcodes 1 to 127). Do the operations of set\_char\_0; but use the character whose number matches the opcode, instead of character 0.
- set1 128 c[1]. Same as  $set\_char\_0$ , except that character number c is typeset. TEX82 uses this command for characters in the range  $128 \le c < 256$ .
- set 2 129 c[2]. Same as set1, except that c is two bytes long, so it is in the range  $0 \le c < 65536$ . TEX82 never uses this command, but it should come in handy for extensions of TEX that deal with oriental languages.
- set3 130 c[3]. Same as set1, except that c is three bytes long, so it can be as large as  $2^{24} 1$ . Not even the Chinese language has this many characters, but this command might prove useful in some yet unforeseen extension.
- set 4 131 c[4]. Same as set 1, except that c is four bytes long. Imagine that.
- set\_rule 132 a[4] b[4]. Typeset a solid black rectangle of height a and width b, with its bottom left corner at (h,v). Then set  $h \leftarrow h+b$ . If either  $a \leq 0$  or  $b \leq 0$ , nothing should be typeset. Note that if b < 0, the value of h will decrease even though nothing else happens. See below for details about how to typeset rules so that consistency with METAFONT is guaranteed.
- put 1133 c[1]. Typeset character number c from font f such that the reference point of the character is at (h, v). (The 'put' commands are exactly like the 'set' commands, except that they simply put out a character or a rule without moving the reference point afterwards.)
- put2 134 c[2]. Same as set2, except that h is not changed.
- put3 135 c[3]. Same as set3, except that h is not changed.
- put4 136 c[4]. Same as set4, except that h is not changed.
- $put\_rule\ 137\ a[4]\ b[4]$ . Same as  $set\_rule$ , except that h is not changed.
- nop 138. No operation, do nothing. Any number of nop's may occur between DVI commands, but a nop cannot be inserted between a command and its parameters or between two parameters.
- bop 139  $c_0[4]$   $c_1[4]$  ...  $c_9[4]$  p[4]. Beginning of a page: Set  $(h, v, w, x, y, z) \leftarrow (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$  and set the stack empty. Set the current font f to an undefined value. The ten  $c_i$  parameters hold the values of \count0 ... \count9 in TeX at the time \shipout was invoked for this page; they can be used to identify pages, if a user wants to print only part of a DVI file. The parameter p points to the previous bop in the file; the first bop has p = -1.
- eop 140. End of page: Print what you have read since the previous bop. At this point the stack should be empty. (The DVI-reading programs that drive most output devices will have kept a buffer of the material that appears on the page that has just ended. This material is largely, but not entirely, in order by v coordinate and (for fixed v) by h coordinate; so it usually needs to be sorted into some order that is appropriate for the device in question.)
- push 141. Push the current values of (h, v, w, x, y, z) onto the top of the stack; do not change any of these values. Note that f is not pushed.
- pop 142. Pop the top six values off of the stack and assign them respectively to (h, v, w, x, y, z). The number of pops should never exceed the number of pushes, since it would be highly embarrassing if the stack were empty at the time of a pop command.
- right 143 b[1]. Set  $h \leftarrow h + b$ , i.e., move right b units. The parameter is a signed number in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le b < 128$ ; if b < 0, the reference point moves left.

- right2 144 b[2]. Same as right1, except that b is a two-byte quantity in the range  $-32768 \le b < 32768$ .
- right 3 145 b[3]. Same as right 1, except that b is a three-byte quantity in the range  $-2^{23} \le b < 2^{23}$ .
- right 146 b[4]. Same as right 1, except that b is a four-byte quantity in the range  $-2^{31} \le b < 2^{31}$ .
- $w\theta$  147. Set  $h \leftarrow h + w$ ; i.e., move right w units. With luck, this parameterless command will usually suffice, because the same kind of motion will occur several times in succession; the following commands explain how w gets particular values.
- w1 148 b[1]. Set  $w \leftarrow b$  and  $h \leftarrow h + b$ . The value of b is a signed quantity in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le b < 128$ . This command changes the current w spacing and moves right by b.
- w2 149 b[2]. Same as w1, but b is two bytes long,  $-32768 \le b < 32768$ .
- w3 150 b[3]. Same as w1, but b is three bytes long,  $-2^{23} \le b < 2^{23}$ .
- $w4\ 151\ b[4]$ . Same as w1, but b is four bytes long,  $-2^{31} < b < 2^{31}$ .
- x0 152. Set  $h \leftarrow h + x$ ; i.e., move right x units. The 'x' commands are like the 'w' commands except that they involve x instead of w.
- x1 153 b[1]. Set  $x \leftarrow b$  and  $h \leftarrow h + b$ . The value of b is a signed quantity in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le b < 128$ . This command changes the current x spacing and moves right by b.
- $x2\ 154\ b[2]$ . Same as x1, but b is two bytes long,  $-32768 \le b < 32768$ .
- x3 155 b[3]. Same as x1, but b is three bytes long,  $-2^{23} \le b < 2^{23}$ .
- $x_4$  156 b[4]. Same as  $x_1$ , but b is four bytes long,  $-2^{31} < b < 2^{31}$ .
- down1 157 a[1]. Set  $v \leftarrow v + a$ , i.e., move down a units. The parameter is a signed number in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le a < 128$ ; if a < 0, the reference point moves up.
- down2 158 a[2]. Same as down1, except that a is a two-byte quantity in the range  $-32768 \le a < 32768$ .
- down3 159 a[3]. Same as down1, except that a is a three-byte quantity in the range  $-2^{23} \le a < 2^{23}$ .
- down4 160 a[4]. Same as down1, except that a is a four-byte quantity in the range  $-2^{31} \le a < 2^{31}$ .
- $y\theta$  161. Set  $v \leftarrow v + y$ ; i.e., move down y units. With luck, this parameterless command will usually suffice, because the same kind of motion will occur several times in succession; the following commands explain how y gets particular values.
- y1 162 a[1]. Set  $y \leftarrow a$  and  $v \leftarrow v + a$ . The value of a is a signed quantity in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le a < 128$ . This command changes the current y spacing and moves down by a.
- y2 163 a[2]. Same as y1, but a is two bytes long,  $-32768 \le a < 32768$ .
- y3 164 a[3]. Same as y1, but a is three bytes long,  $-2^{23} \le a < 2^{23}$ .
- y4 165 a[4]. Same as y1, but a is four bytes long,  $-2^{31} \le a < 2^{31}$ .
- z0 166. Set  $v \leftarrow v + z$ ; i.e., move down z units. The 'z' commands are like the 'y' commands except that they involve z instead of y.
- z1 167 a[1]. Set  $z \leftarrow a$  and  $v \leftarrow v + a$ . The value of a is a signed quantity in two's complement notation,  $-128 \le a < 128$ . This command changes the current z spacing and moves down by a.
- $z2\ 168\ a[2]$ . Same as z1, but a is two bytes long,  $-32768 \le a < 32768$ .
- z3 169 a[3]. Same as z1, but a is three bytes long,  $-2^{23} \le a < 2^{23}$ .
- $z_4$  170 a[4]. Same as  $z_1$ , but a is four bytes long,  $-2^{31} \le a < 2^{31}$ .
- $fnt\_num\_0$  171. Set  $f \leftarrow 0$ . Font 0 must previously have been defined by a  $fnt\_def$  instruction, as explained below.
- $fnt_num_1$  through  $fnt_num_63$  (opcodes 172 to 234). Set  $f \leftarrow 1, \ldots, f \leftarrow 63$ , respectively.
- fnt1 235 k[1]. Set  $f \leftarrow k$ . TEX82 uses this command for font numbers in the range  $64 \le k < 256$ .
- fnt2 236 k[2]. Same as fnt1, except that k is two bytes long, so it is in the range  $0 \le k < 65536$ . TEX82 never generates this command, but large font numbers may prove useful for specifications of color or texture, or they may be used for special fonts that have fixed numbers in some external coding scheme.

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fnt3 237 k[3]. Same as fnt1, except that k is three bytes long, so it can be as large as 2^{24} - 1.
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fnt4 238 k[4]. Same as fnt1, except that k is four bytes long; this is for the really big font numbers (and for the negative ones).

xxx1 239 k[1] x[k]. This command is undefined in general; it functions as a (k+2)-byte nop unless special DVI-reading programs are being used. TEX82 generates xxx1 when a short enough \special appears, setting k to the number of bytes being sent. It is recommended that x be a string having the form of a keyword followed by possible parameters relevant to that keyword.

```
xxx2 240 \ k[2] \ x[k]. Like xxx1, but 0 \le k < 65536.
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```
xxx3 241 k[3] x[k]. Like xxx1, but 0 \le k < 2^{24}.
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xxx4 242 k[4] x[k]. Like xxx1, but k can be ridiculously large. TeX82 uses xxx4 when sending a string of length 256 or more.

 $fnt\_def1$  243 k[1] c[4] s[4] d[4] a[1] l[1] n[a+l]. Define font k, where  $0 \le k < 256$ ; font definitions will be explained shortly.

```
fnt_{-}def2 244 k[2] c[4] s[4] d[4] a[1] l[1] n[a+l]. Define font k, where 0 \le k < 65536.
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fnt\_def3\ 245\ k[3]\ c[4]\ s[4]\ d[4]\ a[1]\ l[1]\ n[a+l]. Define font k, where 0 \le k < 2^{24}.
```

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fnt_def_4 246 k[4] c[4] s[4] d[4] a[1] l[1] n[a+l]. Define font k, where -2^{31} \le k < 2^{31}.
```

pre 247 i[1] num[4] den[4] mag[4] k[1] x[k]. Beginning of the preamble; this must come at the very beginning of the file. Parameters i, num, den, mag, k, and x are explained below.

post 248. Beginning of the postamble, see below.

post\_post 249. Ending of the postamble, see below.

Commands 250–255 are undefined at the present time.

```
586. define set\_char\_0 = 0 { typeset character 0 and move right }
  define set1 = 128 { typeset a character and move right }
  define set_rule = 132 { typeset a rule and move right }
  define put\_rule = 137 { typeset a rule }
  define nop = 138 { no operation }
  define bop = 139 { beginning of page }
  define eop = 140 { ending of page }
  define push = 141 { save the current positions }
  define pop = 142 { restore previous positions }
  define right1 = 143  { move right }
  define w\theta = 147 { move right by w }
  define w1 = 148
                    \{ \text{ move right and set } w \}
  define x\theta = 152 { move right by x }
  define x1 = 153 { move right and set x }
  define down1 = 157  { move down }
  define y\theta = 161 \quad \{ \text{ move down by } y \}
  define y1 = 162 { move down and set y }
  define z\theta = 166 \quad \{ \text{ move down by } z \}
  define z1 = 167 { move down and set z }
  define fnt_num_0 = 171 { set current font to 0 }
  define fnt1 = 235 { set current font }
  define xxx1 = 239 { extension to DVI primitives }
  define xxx4 = 242 { potentially long extension to DVI primitives }
  define fnt\_def1 = 243 { define the meaning of a font number }
  define pre = 247 { preamble }
  define post = 248 { postamble beginning }
  define post\_post = 249 { postamble ending }
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**587.** The preamble contains basic information about the file as a whole. As stated above, there are six parameters:

The *i* byte identifies DVI format; currently this byte is always set to 2. (The value i = 3 is currently used for an extended format that allows a mixture of right-to-left and left-to-right typesetting. Some day we will set i = 4, when DVI format makes another incompatible change—perhaps in the year 2048.)

The next two parameters, num and den, are positive integers that define the units of measurement; they are the numerator and denominator of a fraction by which all dimensions in the DVI file could be multiplied in order to get lengths in units of  $10^{-7}$  meters. Since 7227pt = 254cm, and since  $T_EX$  works with scaled points where there are  $2^{16}$  sp in a point,  $T_EX$  sets  $num/den = (254 \cdot 10^5)/(7227 \cdot 2^{16}) = 25400000/473628672$ .

The mag parameter is what TEX calls \mag, i.e., 1000 times the desired magnification. The actual fraction by which dimensions are multiplied is therefore  $mag \cdot num/1000den$ . Note that if a TEX source document does not call for any 'true' dimensions, and if you change it only by specifying a different \mag setting, the DVI file that TEX creates will be completely unchanged except for the value of mag in the preamble and postamble. (Fancy DVI-reading programs allow users to override the mag setting when a DVI file is being printed.)

Finally, k and x allow the DVI writer to include a comment, which is not interpreted further. The length of comment x is k, where  $0 \le k < 256$ .

**define**  $id_byte = 2$  { identifies the kind of DVI files described here }

**588.** Font definitions for a given font number k contain further parameters

$$c[4] \ s[4] \ d[4] \ a[1] \ l[1] \ n[a+l].$$

The four-byte value c is the check sum that T<sub>E</sub>X found in the TFM file for this font; c should match the check sum of the font found by programs that read this DVI file.

Parameter s contains a fixed-point scale factor that is applied to the character widths in font k; font dimensions in TFM files and other font files are relative to this quantity, which is called the "at size" elsewhere in this documentation. The value of s is always positive and less than  $2^{27}$ . It is given in the same units as the other DVI dimensions, i.e., in sp when TEX82 has made the file. Parameter d is similar to s; it is the "design size," and (like s) it is given in DVI units. Thus, font k is to be used at  $mag \cdot s/1000d$  times its normal size.

The remaining part of a font definition gives the external name of the font, which is an ASCII string of length a + l. The number a is the length of the "area" or directory, and l is the length of the font name itself; the standard local system font area is supposed to be used when a = 0. The n field contains the area in its first a bytes.

Font definitions must appear before the first use of a particular font number. Once font k is defined, it must not be defined again; however, we shall see below that font definitions appear in the postamble as well as in the pages, so in this sense each font number is defined exactly twice, if at all. Like *nop* commands, font definitions can appear before the first bop, or between an eop and a bop.

**589.** Sometimes it is desirable to make horizontal or vertical rules line up precisely with certain features in characters of a font. It is possible to guarantee the correct matching between DVI output and the characters generated by METAFONT by adhering to the following principles: (1) The METAFONT characters should be positioned so that a bottom edge or left edge that is supposed to line up with the bottom or left edge of a rule appears at the reference point, i.e., in row 0 and column 0 of the METAFONT raster. This ensures that the position of the rule will not be rounded differently when the pixel size is not a perfect multiple of the units of measurement in the DVI file. (2) A typeset rule of height a>0 and width b>0 should be equivalent to a METAFONT-generated character having black pixels in precisely those raster positions whose METAFONT coordinates satisfy  $0 \le x < \alpha b$  and  $0 \le y < \alpha a$ , where  $\alpha$  is the number of pixels per DVI unit.

**590.** The last page in a DVI file is followed by 'post'; this command introduces the postamble, which summarizes important facts that T<sub>E</sub>X has accumulated about the file, making it possible to print subsets of the data with reasonable efficiency. The postamble has the form

```
post p[4] num[4] den[4] mag[4] l[4] u[4] s[2] t[2] ⟨ font definitions ⟩ post_post q[4] i[1] 223's[≥4]
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Here p is a pointer to the final bop in the file. The next three parameters, num, den, and mag, are duplicates of the quantities that appeared in the preamble.

Parameters l and u give respectively the height-plus-depth of the tallest page and the width of the widest page, in the same units as other dimensions of the file. These numbers might be used by a DVI-reading program to position individual "pages" on large sheets of film or paper; however, the standard convention for output on normal size paper is to position each page so that the upper left-hand corner is exactly one inch from the left and the top. Experience has shown that it is unwise to design DVI-to-printer software that attempts cleverly to center the output; a fixed position of the upper left corner is easiest for users to understand and to work with. Therefore l and u are often ignored.

Parameter s is the maximum stack depth (i.e., the largest excess of push commands over pop commands) needed to process this file. Then comes t, the total number of pages (bop commands) present.

The postamble continues with font definitions, which are any number of  $fnt\_def$  commands as described above, possibly interspersed with nop commands. Each font number that is used in the DVI file must be defined exactly twice: Once before it is first selected by a fnt command, and once in the postamble.

**591.** The last part of the postamble, following the  $post\_post$  byte that signifies the end of the font definitions, contains q, a pointer to the post command that started the postamble. An identification byte, i, comes next; this currently equals 2, as in the preamble.

The i byte is followed by four or more bytes that are all equal to the decimal number 223 (i.e., '337 in octal). TeX puts out four to seven of these trailing bytes, until the total length of the file is a multiple of four bytes, since this works out best on machines that pack four bytes per word; but any number of 223's is allowed, as long as there are at least four of them. In effect, 223 is a sort of signature that is added at the very end.

This curious way to finish off a DVI file makes it feasible for DVI-reading programs to find the postamble first, on most computers, even though  $T_{\rm E}X$  wants to write the postamble last. Most operating systems permit random access to individual words or bytes of a file, so the DVI reader can start at the end and skip backwards over the 223's until finding the identification byte. Then it can back up four bytes, read q, and move to byte q of the file. This byte should, of course, contain the value 248 (post); now the postamble can be read, so the DVI reader can discover all the information needed for typesetting the pages. Note that it is also possible to skip through the DVI file at reasonably high speed to locate a particular page, if that proves desirable. This saves a lot of time, since DVI files used in production jobs tend to be large.

Unfortunately, however, standard Pascal does not include the ability to access a random position in a file, or even to determine the length of a file. Almost all systems nowadays provide the necessary capabilities, so DVI format has been designed to work most efficiently with modern operating systems. But if DVI files have to be processed under the restrictions of standard Pascal, one can simply read them from front to back, since the necessary header information is present in the preamble and in the font definitions. (The l and u and u and u are "frills" that are handy but not absolutely necessary.)

592. Shipping pages out. After considering TeX's eyes and stomach, we come now to the bowels.

The  $ship\_out$  procedure is given a pointer to a box; its mission is to describe that box in DVI form, outputting a "page" to  $dvi\_file$ . The DVI coordinates (h, v) = (0, 0) should correspond to the upper left corner of the box being shipped.

Since boxes can be inside of boxes inside of boxes, the main work of *ship\_out* is done by two mutually recursive routines, *hlist\_out* and *vlist\_out*, which traverse the hlists and vlists inside of horizontal and vertical boxes.

As individual pages are being processed, we need to accumulate information about the entire set of pages, since such statistics must be reported in the postamble. The global variables *total\_pages*, *max\_v*, *max\_h*, *max\_push*, and *last\_bop* are used to record this information.

The variable *doing\_leaders* is *true* while leaders are being output. The variable *dead\_cycles* contains the number of times an output routine has been initiated since the last *ship\_out*.

A few additional global variables are also defined here for use in *vlist\_out* and *hlist\_out*. They could have been local variables, but that would waste stack space when boxes are deeply nested, since the values of these variables are not needed during recursive calls.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
total_pages: integer; {the number of pages that have been shipped out }
max_v: scaled; {maximum height-plus-depth of pages shipped so far }
max_h: scaled; {maximum width of pages shipped so far }
max_push: integer; {deepest nesting of push commands encountered so far }
last_bop: integer; {location of previous bop in the DVI output }
dead_cycles: integer; {recent outputs that didn't ship anything out }
doing_leaders: boolean; {are we inside a leader box?}
c, f: quarterword; {character and font in current char_node }
rule_ht, rule_dp, rule_wd: scaled; {size of current rule being output }
g: pointer; {current glue specification }
lq, lr: integer; {quantities used in calculations for leaders}
593. ⟨Set initial values of key variables 21⟩ +≡
total_pages ← 0; max_v ← 0; max_h ← 0; max_push ← 0; last_bop ← −1; doing_leaders ← false;
dead_cycles ← 0; cur_s ← −1;
```

**594.** The DVI bytes are output to a buffer instead of being written directly to the output file. This makes it possible to reduce the overhead of subroutine calls, thereby measurably speeding up the computation, since output of DVI bytes is part of TEX's inner loop. And it has another advantage as well, since we can change instructions in the buffer in order to make the output more compact. For example, a 'down2' command can be changed to a 'y2', thereby making a subsequent 'y0' command possible, saving two bytes.

The output buffer is divided into two parts of equal size; the bytes found in  $dvi\_buf[0 ... half\_buf - 1]$  constitute the first half, and those in  $dvi\_buf[half\_buf ... dvi\_buf\_size - 1]$  constitute the second. The global variable  $dvi\_ptr$  points to the position that will receive the next output byte. When  $dvi\_ptr$  reaches  $dvi\_limit$ , which is always equal to one of the two values  $half\_buf$  or  $dvi\_buf\_size$ , the half buffer that is about to be invaded next is sent to the output and  $dvi\_limit$  is changed to its other value. Thus, there is always at least a half buffer's worth of information present, except at the very beginning of the job.

Bytes of the DVI file are numbered sequentially starting with 0; the next byte to be generated will be number  $dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr$ . A byte is present in the buffer only if its number is  $\geq dvi\_gone$ .

```
\langle Types in the outer block 18\rangle +\equiv dvi\_index = 0 ... dvi\_buf\_size; { an index into the output buffer }
```

**595.** Some systems may find it more efficient to make  $dvi_buf$  a **packed** array, since output of four bytes at once may be facilitated.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
dvi\_buf: \mathbf{array} [dvi\_index] \mathbf{of} \ eight\_bits; \ \{ \mathbf{buffer} \ for \ \mathsf{DVI} \ output \} 
half\_buf: \ dvi\_index; \ \{ \mathbf{half} \ of \ dvi\_buf\_size \} 
dvi\_limit: \ dvi\_index; \ \{ \mathbf{end} \ of \ the \ current \ half \ buffer \} 
dvi\_ptr: \ dvi\_index; \ \{ \mathbf{the} \ next \ available \ buffer \ address \} 
dvi\_offset: \ integer; \ \{ dvi\_buf\_size \ times \ the \ number \ of \ times \ the \ output \ buffer \ has \ been \ fully \ emptied \} 
dvi\_gone: \ integer; \ \{ \mathbf{the} \ number \ of \ bytes \ already \ output \ to \ dvi\_file \} 
\mathbf{596.} \ Initially \ the \ buffer \ is \ all \ in \ one \ piece; \ we \ will \ output \ half \ of \ it \ only \ after \ it \ first \ fills \ up. 
\langle \mathbf{Set} \ initial \ values \ of \ key \ variables \ 21 \rangle +\equiv half\_buf \leftarrow dvi\_buf\_size \ div \ 2; \ dvi\_limit \leftarrow dvi\_buf\_size; \ dvi\_ptr \leftarrow 0; \ dvi\_offset \leftarrow 0; \ dvi\_qone \leftarrow 0;
```

**597.** The actual output of  $dvi\_buf[a..b]$  to  $dvi\_file$  is performed by calling  $write\_dvi(a,b)$ . For best results, this procedure should be optimized to run as fast as possible on each particular system, since it is part of TEX's inner loop. It is safe to assume that a and b+1 will both be multiples of 4 when  $write\_dvi(a,b)$  is called; therefore it is possible on many machines to use efficient methods to pack four bytes per word and to output an array of words with one system call.

```
procedure write\_dvi(a, b: dvi\_index);

var k: dvi\_index;

begin for k \leftarrow a to b do write(dvi\_file, dvi\_buf[k]);

end:
```

**598.** To put a byte in the buffer without paying the cost of invoking a procedure each time, we use the macro  $dvi\_out$ .

```
 \begin{aligned} & \textbf{define} \ dvi\_out(\#) \equiv \textbf{begin} \ dvi\_buf [dvi\_ptr] \leftarrow \#; \ incr(dvi\_ptr); \\ & \textbf{if} \ dvi\_ptr = dvi\_limit \ \textbf{then} \ dvi\_swap; \\ & \textbf{end} \end{aligned}   \begin{aligned} & \textbf{procedure} \ dvi\_swap; \ \{ \ \text{outputs half of the buffer} \} \\ & \textbf{begin if} \ dvi\_limit = dvi\_buf\_size \ \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin} \ write\_dvi(0, half\_buf - 1); \ dvi\_limit \leftarrow half\_buf; \ dvi\_offset \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_buf\_size; \\ & dvi\_ptr \leftarrow 0; \\ & \textbf{end} \end{aligned}   \begin{aligned} & \textbf{else begin} \ write\_dvi(half\_buf, dvi\_buf\_size - 1); \ dvi\_limit \leftarrow dvi\_buf\_size; \\ & \textbf{end}; \\ & dvi\_gone \leftarrow dvi\_gone + half\_buf; \\ & \textbf{end}; \end{aligned}
```

**599.** Here is how we clean out the buffer when T<sub>F</sub>X is all through; dvi\_ptr will be a multiple of 4.

```
\langle Empty the last bytes out of dvi\_buf 599\rangle \equiv if dvi\_limit = half\_buf then write\_dvi(half\_buf, dvi\_buf\_size - 1); if dvi\_ptr > 0 then write\_dvi(0, dvi\_ptr - 1) This code is used in section 642.
```

**600.** The *dvi\_four* procedure outputs four bytes in two's complement notation, without risking arithmetic overflow.

**601.** A mild optimization of the output is performed by the  $dvi\_pop$  routine, which issues a pop unless it is possible to cancel a 'push pop' pair. The parameter to  $dvi\_pop$  is the byte address following the old push that matches the new pop.

```
procedure dvi\_pop(l:integer);
begin if (l = dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr) \land (dvi\_ptr > 0) then decr(dvi\_ptr)
else dvi\_out(pop);
end;
```

**602.** Here's a procedure that outputs a font definition. Since T<sub>E</sub>X82 uses at most 256 different fonts per job, fnt\_def1 is always used as the command code.

```
procedure dvi\_font\_def(f:internal\_font\_number);

var k: pool\_pointer; {index into str\_pool }

begin dvi\_out(fnt\_def1); dvi\_out(f-font\_base-1);

dvi\_out(qo(font\_check[f].b0)); dvi\_out(qo(font\_check[f].b1)); dvi\_out(qo(font\_check[f].b2));

dvi\_out(qo(font\_check[f].b3));

dvi\_four(font\_size[f]); dvi\_four(font\_dsize[f]);

dvi\_out(length(font\_area[f])); dvi\_out(length(font\_name[f]));

\langle Output the font name whose internal number is <math>f 603 \rangle;

end;
```

```
603. \langle Output the font name whose internal number is f 603\rangle \equiv for k \leftarrow str\_start[font\_area[f]] to str\_start[font\_area[f]+1]-1 do dvi\_out(so(str\_pool[k])); for k \leftarrow str\_start[font\_name[f]] to str\_start[font\_name[f]+1]-1 do dvi\_out(so(str\_pool[k])) This code is used in section 602.
```

**604.** Versions of  $T_EX$  intended for small computers might well choose to omit the ideas in the next few parts of this program, since it is not really necessary to optimize the DVI code by making use of the  $w\theta$ ,  $x\theta$ ,  $y\theta$ , and  $z\theta$  commands. Furthermore, the algorithm that we are about to describe does not pretend to give an optimum reduction in the length of the DVI code; after all, speed is more important than compactness. But the method is surprisingly effective, and it takes comparatively little time.

We can best understand the basic idea by first considering a simpler problem that has the same essential characteristics. Given a sequence of digits, say 3141592653589, we want to assign subscripts d, y, or z to each digit so as to maximize the number of "y-hits" and "z-hits"; a y-hit is an instance of two appearances of the same digit with the subscript y, where no y's intervene between the two appearances, and a z-hit is defined similarly. For example, the sequence above could be decorated with subscripts as follows:

$$3_z 1_y 4_d 1_y 5_y 9_d 2_d 6_d 5_y 3_z 5_y 8_d 9_d$$
.

There are three y-hits  $(1_y \dots 1_y \text{ and } 5_y \dots 5_y \dots 5_y)$  and one z-hit  $(3_z \dots 3_z)$ ; there are no d-hits, since the two appearances of  $9_d$  have d's between them, but we don't count d-hits so it doesn't matter how many there are. These subscripts are analogous to the DVI commands called down, y, and z, and the digits are analogous to different amounts of vertical motion; a y-hit or z-hit corresponds to the opportunity to use the one-byte commands  $y\theta$  or  $z\theta$  in a DVI file.

TEX's method of assigning subscripts works like this: Append a new digit, say  $\delta$ , to the right of the sequence. Now look back through the sequence until one of the following things happens: (a) You see  $\delta_y$  or  $\delta_z$ , and this was the first time you encountered a y or z subscript, respectively. Then assign y or z to the new  $\delta$ ; you have scored a hit. (b) You see  $\delta_d$ , and no y subscripts have been encountered so far during this search. Then change the previous  $\delta_d$  to  $\delta_y$  (this corresponds to changing a command in the output buffer), and assign y to the new  $\delta$ ; it's another hit. (c) You see  $\delta_d$ , and a y subscript has been seen but not a z. Change the previous  $\delta_d$  to  $\delta_z$  and assign z to the new  $\delta$ . (d) You encounter both y and z subscripts before encountering a suitable  $\delta$ , or you scan all the way to the front of the sequence. Assign d to the new  $\delta$ ; this assignment may be changed later.

The subscripts  $3_z 1_y 4_d \dots$  in the example above were, in fact, produced by this procedure, as the reader can verify. (Go ahead and try it.)

**605.** In order to implement such an idea,  $T_EX$  maintains a stack of pointers to the down, y, and z commands that have been generated for the current page. And there is a similar stack for right, w, and x commands. These stacks are called the down stack and right stack, and their top elements are maintained in the variables  $down\_ptr$  and  $right\_ptr$ .

Each entry in these stacks contains four fields: The *width* field is the amount of motion down or to the right; the *location* field is the byte number of the DVI command in question (including the appropriate *dvi\_offset*); the *link* field points to the next item below this one on the stack; and the *info* field encodes the options for possible change in the DVI command.

```
define movement_node_size = 3 { number of words per entry in the down and right stacks }
define location(#) ≡ mem[# + 2].int { DVI byte number for a movement command }

⟨ Global variables 13 ⟩ +≡
down_ptr, right_ptr: pointer; { heads of the down and right stacks }
606. ⟨ Set initial values of key variables 21 ⟩ +≡
down_ptr ← null; right_ptr ← null;
```

**607.** Here is a subroutine that produces a DVI command for some specified downward or rightward motion. It has two parameters: w is the amount of motion, and o is either down1 or right1. We use the fact that the command codes have convenient arithmetic properties: y1 - down1 = w1 - right1 and z1 - down1 = x1 - right1.

```
procedure movement(w: scaled; o: eight_bits);
  label exit, found, not_found, 2, 1;
  var mstate: small\_number; \{ have we seen a y or z? \}
     p, q: pointer; { current and top nodes on the stack }
     k: integer; { index into dvi_buf, modulo dvi_buf_size }
  begin q \leftarrow get\_node(movement\_node\_size); { new node for the top of the stack }
  width(q) \leftarrow w; \ location(q) \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr;
  if o = down1 then
     begin link(q) \leftarrow down\_ptr; down\_ptr \leftarrow q;
     end
  else begin link(q) \leftarrow right\_ptr; right\_ptr \leftarrow q;
  (Look at the other stack entries until deciding what sort of DVI command to generate; goto found if
       node p is a "hit" 611 \rangle;
  \langle Generate a down or right command for w and return 610\rangle;
found: \langle \text{Generate a } y0 \text{ or } z0 \text{ command in order to reuse a previous appearance of } w 609 \rangle;
exit: end;
```

**608.** The *info* fields in the entries of the down stack or the right stack have six possible settings:  $y\_here$  or  $z\_here$  mean that the DVI command refers to y or z, respectively (or to w or x, in the case of horizontal motion);  $yz\_OK$  means that the DVI command is down (or right) but can be changed to either y or z (or to either w or x);  $y\_OK$  means that it is down and can be changed to y but not z;  $z\_OK$  is similar; and  $d\_fixed$  means it must stay down.

The four settings  $yz\_OK$ ,  $y\_OK$ ,  $z\_OK$ ,  $d\_fixed$  would not need to be distinguished from each other if we were simply solving the digit-subscripting problem mentioned above. But in TEX's case there is a complication because of the nested structure of push and pop commands. Suppose we add parentheses to the digit-subscripting problem, redefining hits so that  $\delta_y \dots \delta_y$  is a hit if all y's between the  $\delta$ 's are enclosed in properly nested parentheses, and if the parenthesis level of the right-hand  $\delta_y$  is deeper than or equal to that of the left-hand one. Thus, '(' and ')' correspond to 'push' and 'pop'. Now if we want to assign a subscript to the final 1 in the sequence

$$2_y 7_d 1_d (8_z 2_y 8_z) 1$$

we cannot change the previous  $1_d$  to  $1_y$ , since that would invalidate the  $2_y \dots 2_y$  hit. But we can change it to  $1_z$ , scoring a hit since the intervening  $8_z$ 's are enclosed in parentheses.

The program below removes movement nodes that are introduced after a push, before it outputs the corresponding pop.

```
\begin{array}{ll} \textbf{define} \ y\_here = 1 & \{ \ info \ \text{when the movement entry points to a} \ y \ \text{command} \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ z\_here = 2 & \{ \ info \ \text{when the movement entry points to a} \ z \ \text{command} \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ y\_OK = 3 & \{ \ info \ \text{corresponding to a} \ unconstrained \ down \ \text{command} \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ y\_OK = 4 & \{ \ info \ \text{corresponding to a} \ down \ \text{that can't become a} \ z \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ z\_OK = 5 & \{ \ info \ \text{corresponding to a} \ down \ \text{that can't become a} \ y \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ d\_fixed = 6 & \{ \ info \ \text{corresponding to a} \ down \ \text{that can't change} \ \} \\ \end{array}
```

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**609.** When the *movement* procedure gets to the label *found*, the value of info(p) will be either  $y\_here$  or  $z\_here$ . If it is, say,  $y\_here$ , the procedure generates a  $y\theta$  command (or a  $w\theta$  command), and marks all info fields between q and p so that y is not OK in that range.

```
\langle Generate a y0 or z0 command in order to reuse a previous appearance of w 609\rangle \equiv
  info(q) \leftarrow info(p);
  if info(q) = y_-here then
     begin dvi\_out(o + y\theta - down1); { y\theta or w\theta }
     while link(q) \neq p do
        begin q \leftarrow link(q);
        case info(q) of
        yz\_OK: info(q) \leftarrow z\_OK;
        y_{-}OK: info(q) \leftarrow d_{-}fixed;
        othercases do_nothing
        endcases:
        end;
     end
  else begin dvi_{-}out(o + z0 - down1); \{ z0 \text{ or } x0 \}
     while link(q) \neq p do
        begin q \leftarrow link(q);
        case info(q) of
        yz\_OK: info(q) \leftarrow y\_OK;
        z_{-}OK: info(q) \leftarrow d_{-}fixed;
        othercases do_nothing
        endcases;
        end:
     end
This code is used in section 607.
610. \langle Generate a down or right command for w and return 610\rangle \equiv
  info(q) \leftarrow yz\_OK;
  if abs(w) \ge 400000000 then
     begin dvi\_out(o+3); { down \neq or \ right \neq \}
     dvi_{-}four(w); return;
     end:
  if abs(w) \geq 1000000 then
     begin dvi_out(o+2); { down3 or right3 }
     if w < 0 then w \leftarrow w + 10000000000;
     dvi_{-}out(w \text{ div '}200000); w \leftarrow w \text{ mod '}200000; \text{ goto } 2;
     end:
  if abs(w) \geq 200 then
     begin dvi_out(o+1); { down2 or right2 }
     if w < 0 then w \leftarrow w + 2000000;
     goto 2;
     end;
  dvi\_out(o); \{ down1 \text{ or } right1 \}
  if w < 0 then w \leftarrow w + 400;
  goto 1;
2: dvi_-out(w \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} '400);
1: dvi_out(w \bmod 400); return
This code is used in section 607.
```

**611.** As we search through the stack, we are in one of three states,  $y\_seen$ ,  $z\_seen$ , or  $none\_seen$ , depending on whether we have encountered  $y\_here$  or  $z\_here$  nodes. These states are encoded as multiples of 6, so that they can be added to the info fields for quick decision-making.

```
define none\_seen = 0 { no y\_here or z\_here nodes have been encountered yet }
  define y\_seen = 6 { we have seen y\_here but not z\_here }
  define z\_seen = 12 { we have seen z\_here but not y\_here }
Look at the other stack entries until deciding what sort of DVI command to generate; goto found if node
       p \text{ is a "hit" } 611 \rangle \equiv
  p \leftarrow link(q); mstate \leftarrow none\_seen;
  while p \neq null do
     begin if width(p) = w then (Consider a node with matching width; goto found if it's a hit 612)
     else case mstate + info(p) of
       none\_seen + y\_here: mstate \leftarrow y\_seen;
       none\_seen + z\_here: mstate \leftarrow z\_seen;
       y\_seen + z\_here, z\_seen + y\_here: goto not\_found;
       othercases do_nothing
       endcases;
     p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
not\_found:
This code is used in section 607.
612. We might find a valid hit in a y or z byte that is already gone from the buffer. But we can't change
bytes that are gone forever; "the moving finger writes, ...."
\langle Consider a node with matching width; goto found if it's a hit 612\rangle \equiv
  case mstate + info(p) of
  none\_seen + yz\_OK, none\_seen + y\_OK, z\_seen + yz\_OK, z\_seen + y\_OK:
     if location(p) < dvi\_gone then goto not\_found
     else \langle Change buffered instruction to y or w and goto found 613\rangle;
  none\_seen + z\_OK, y\_seen + yz\_OK, y\_seen + z\_OK:
     if location(p) < dvi\_gone then goto not\_found
     else \langle Change buffered instruction to z or x and goto found 614\rangle;
  none\_seen + y\_here, none\_seen + z\_here, y\_seen + z\_here, z\_seen + y\_here: goto found;
  othercases do\_nothing
  endcases
This code is used in section 611.
613. Change buffered instruction to y or w and goto found 613 \geq
  begin k \leftarrow location(p) - dvi\_offset;
  if k < 0 then k \leftarrow k + dvi\_buf\_size;
  dvi\_buf[k] \leftarrow dvi\_buf[k] + y1 - down1; info(p) \leftarrow y\_here; goto found;
  end
This code is used in section 612.
614. Change buffered instruction to z or x and goto found 614 \geq
  begin k \leftarrow location(p) - dvi\_offset;
  if k < 0 then k \leftarrow k + dvi\_buf\_size;
  dvi\_buf[k] \leftarrow dvi\_buf[k] + z1 - down1; info(p) \leftarrow z\_here; goto found;
This code is used in section 612.
```

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**615.** In case you are wondering when all the movement nodes are removed from TEX's memory, the answer is that they are recycled just before *hlist\_out* and *vlist\_out* finish outputting a box. This restores the down and right stacks to the state they were in before the box was output, except that some *info*'s may have become more restrictive.

```
procedure prune\_movements(l:integer); { delete movement nodes with location \ge l } label done, exit; var p: pointer; { node being deleted } begin while down\_ptr \ne null do begin if location(down\_ptr) < l then goto done; p \leftarrow down\_ptr; down\_ptr \leftarrow link(p); free\_node(p, movement\_node\_size); end; done: while right\_ptr \ne null do begin if location(right\_ptr) < l then return; p \leftarrow right\_ptr; right\_ptr \leftarrow link(p); free\_node(p, movement\_node\_size); end; exit: end;
```

**616.** The actual distances by which we want to move might be computed as the sum of several separate movements. For example, there might be several glue nodes in succession, or we might want to move right by the width of some box plus some amount of glue. More importantly, the baselineskip distances are computed in terms of glue together with the depth and height of adjacent boxes, and we want the DVI file to lump these three quantities together into a single motion.

Therefore, T<sub>E</sub>X maintains two pairs of global variables:  $dvi_-h$  and  $dvi_-v$  are the h and v coordinates corresponding to the commands actually output to the DVI file, while  $cur_-h$  and  $cur_-v$  are the coordinates corresponding to the current state of the output routines. Coordinate changes will accumulate in  $cur_-h$  and  $cur_-v$  without being reflected in the output, until such a change becomes necessary or desirable; we can call the movement procedure whenever we want to make  $dvi_-h = cur_-h$  or  $dvi_-v = cur_-v$ .

The current font reflected in the DVI output is called  $dvi_f$ ; there is no need for a 'cur\_f' variable.

The depth of nesting of  $hlist\_out$  and  $vlist\_out$  is called  $cur\_s$ ; this is essentially the depth of push commands in the DVI output.

```
define synch\_h \equiv
if cur\_h \neq dvi\_h then
begin movement(cur\_h - dvi\_h, right1); dvi\_h \leftarrow cur\_h;
end
define synch\_v \equiv
if cur\_v \neq dvi\_v then
begin movement(cur\_v - dvi\_v, down1); dvi\_v \leftarrow cur\_v;
end
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
dvi\_h, dvi\_v : scaled; \{ \text{a DVI reader program thinks we are here } \}
cur\_h, cur\_v : scaled; \{ \text{TEX thinks we are here } \}
dvi\_f : internal\_font\_number; \{ \text{the current font } \}
cur\_s : integer; \{ \text{current depth of output box nesting, initially } -1 \}
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617. \langle \text{Initialize variables as } ship\_out \text{ begins } 617 \rangle \equiv dvi\_h \leftarrow 0; \ dvi\_v \leftarrow 0; \ cur\_h \leftarrow h\_offset; \ dvi\_f \leftarrow null\_font; \ ensure\_dvi\_open; if total\_pages = 0 then

begin dvi\_out(pre); \ dvi\_out(id\_byte); \ \{ \text{ output the preamble } \}
dvi\_four(25400000); \ dvi\_four(473628672); \ \{ \text{ conversion ratio for sp } \}
prepare\_mag; \ dvi\_four(mag); \ \{ \text{ magnification factor is frozen } \}
old\_setting \leftarrow selector; \ selector \leftarrow new\_string; \ print("\_TeX\_output\_"); \ print\_int(year);
print\_char("."); \ print\_two(month); \ print\_char("."); \ print\_two(day); \ print\_char(":");
print\_two(time \ div \ 60); \ print\_two(time \ mod \ 60); \ selector \leftarrow old\_setting; \ dvi\_out(cur\_length);
for s \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr] to pool\_ptr - 1 do dvi\_out(so(str\_pool[s]));
pool\_ptr \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr]; \ \{ \text{flush the current string } \}
end
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This code is used in section 640.

**618.** When  $hlist\_out$  is called, its duty is to output the box represented by the  $hlist\_node$  pointed to by  $temp\_ptr$ . The reference point of that box has coordinates  $(cur\_h, cur\_v)$ .

Similarly, when  $vlist\_out$  is called, its duty is to output the box represented by the  $vlist\_node$  pointed to by  $temp\_ptr$ . The reference point of that box has coordinates  $(cur\_h, cur\_v)$ .

procedure vlist\_out; forward; { hlist\_out and vlist\_out are mutually recursive }

**619.** The recursive procedures  $hlist\_out$  and  $vlist\_out$  each have local variables  $save\_h$  and  $save\_v$  to hold the values of  $dvi\_h$  and  $dvi\_v$  just before entering a new level of recursion. In effect, the values of  $save\_h$  and  $save\_v$  on TeX's run-time stack correspond to the values of h and v that a DVI-reading program will push onto its coordinate stack.

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define move\_past = 13 { go to this label when advancing past glue or a rule }
  define fin\_rule = 14 { go to this label to finish processing a rule }
  define next_p = 15 { go to this label when finished with node p }
⟨ Declare procedures needed in hlist_out, vlist_out 1368⟩
procedure hlist_out; { output an hlist_node box }
  label reswitch, move_past, fin_rule, next_p;
  var base_line: scaled; { the baseline coordinate for this box }
     left_edge: scaled; { the left coordinate for this box }
     save_h, save_v: scaled; { what dvi_h and dvi_v should pop to }
     this_box: pointer; { pointer to containing box }
     g\_order: glue\_ord; { applicable order of infinity for glue }
     g_sign: normal .. shrinking; { selects type of glue }
     p: pointer; { current position in the hlist }
     save_loc: integer; { DVI byte location upon entry }
     leader_box: pointer; { the leader box being replicated }
     leader_wd: scaled; { width of leader box being replicated }
     lx: scaled; { extra space between leader boxes }
     outer_doing_leaders: boolean; { were we doing leaders? }
     edge: scaled; { left edge of sub-box, or right edge of leader space }
     glue_temp: real; { glue value before rounding }
     cur_glue: real; { glue seen so far }
     cur_g: scaled; { rounded equivalent of cur_glue times the glue ratio }
  begin cur\_g \leftarrow 0; cur\_glue \leftarrow float\_constant(0); this\_box \leftarrow temp\_ptr; g\_order \leftarrow glue\_order(this\_box);
  g\_sign \leftarrow glue\_sign(this\_box); p \leftarrow list\_ptr(this\_box); incr(cur\_s);
  if cur_s > 0 then dvi_out(push);
  if cur\_s > max\_push then max\_push \leftarrow cur\_s;
  save\_loc \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr; \ base\_line \leftarrow cur\_v; \ left\_edge \leftarrow cur\_h;
  while p \neq null do (Output node p for hlist_out and move to the next node, maintaining the condition
          cur_v = base\_line 620;
  prune\_movements(save\_loc);
  if cur_{-s} > 0 then dvi_{-pop}(save_{-loc});
  decr(cur_s);
  end;
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This code is used in section 620.

We ought to give special care to the efficiency of one part of hlist\_out, since it belongs to T<sub>F</sub>X's inner loop. When a char\_node is encountered, we save a little time by processing several nodes in succession until reaching a non-char\_node. The program uses the fact that  $set\_char\_0 = 0$ .  $\langle \text{Output node } p \text{ for } hlist\_out \text{ and move to the next node, maintaining the condition } cur\_v = base\_line 620 \rangle \equiv$ reswitch: **if** is\_char\_node(p) **then begin**  $synch_h$ ;  $synch_v$ ; **repeat**  $f \leftarrow font(p); \ c \leftarrow character(p);$ if  $f \neq dvi_{-}f$  then (Change font  $dvi_{-}f$  to f 621); if  $c \geq qi(128)$  then  $dvi\_out(set1)$ ;  $dvi\_out(qo(c));$  $cur_h \leftarrow cur_h + char_width(f)(char_info(f)(c)); \ p \leftarrow link(p);$ **until**  $\neg is\_char\_node(p)$ ;  $dvi_h \leftarrow cur_h;$ endelse (Output the non-char\_node p for hlist\_out and move to the next node 622) This code is used in section 619. **621.**  $\langle$  Change font  $dvi_{-}f$  to f 621  $\rangle \equiv$ begin if  $\neg font\_used[f]$  then **begin**  $dvi\_font\_def(f)$ ;  $font\_used[f] \leftarrow true$ ; end; if  $f \le 64 + font\_base$  then  $dvi\_out(f - font\_base - 1 + fnt\_num\_\theta)$ else begin  $dvi\_out(fnt1)$ ;  $dvi\_out(f-font\_base-1)$ ; end;  $dvi_{-}f \leftarrow f;$ end This code is used in section 620. **622.** Output the non-char\_node p for hlist\_out and move to the next node  $622 \ge 10^{-3}$ begin case type(p) of *hlist\_node*, *vlist\_node*: (Output a box in an hlist 623);  $rule\_node$ : **begin**  $rule\_ht \leftarrow height(p)$ ;  $rule\_dp \leftarrow depth(p)$ ;  $rule\_wd \leftarrow width(p)$ ; **goto**  $fin\_rule$ ; whatsit\_node:  $\langle \text{Output the whatsit node } p \text{ in an hlist } 1367 \rangle$ ;

rule\_node: begin rule\_ht  $\leftarrow$  height(p); rule\_dp  $\leftarrow$  depth(p); rule\_wd  $\leftarrow$  width(p); goto fin\_sequence:

end;

whatsit\_node:  $\langle$  Output the whatsit node p in an hlist 1367 $\rangle$ ;

glue\_node:  $\langle$  Move right or output leaders 625 $\rangle$ ;

kern\_node, math\_node:  $cur_h \leftarrow cur_h + width(p)$ ;

ligature\_node:  $\langle$  Make node p look like a char\_node and goto reswitch 652 $\rangle$ ;

othercases do\_nothing

endcases;

goto next\_p;

fin\_rule:  $\langle$  Output a rule in an hlist 624 $\rangle$ ;

move\_past:  $cur_h \leftarrow cur_h + rule_wd$ ;

next\_p:  $p \leftarrow link(p)$ ;

end

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623. \langle \text{ Output a box in an hlist 623} \rangle \equiv
  if list\_ptr(p) = null then cur\_h \leftarrow cur\_h + width(p)
  else begin save\_h \leftarrow dvi\_h; save\_v \leftarrow dvi\_v; cur\_v \leftarrow base\_line + shift\_amount(p);
           { shift the box down }
     temp\_ptr \leftarrow p; \ edge \leftarrow cur\_h;
     if type(p) = vlist\_node then vlist\_out else hlist\_out;
     dvi_-h \leftarrow save_-h; dvi_-v \leftarrow save_-v; cur_-h \leftarrow edge + width(p); cur_-v \leftarrow base\_line;
     end
This code is used in section 622.
624. \langle \text{ Output a rule in an hlist 624} \rangle \equiv
  if is\_running(rule\_ht) then rule\_ht \leftarrow height(this\_box);
  if is\_running(rule\_dp) then rule\_dp \leftarrow depth(this\_box);
  rule\_ht \leftarrow rule\_ht + rule\_dp; { this is the rule thickness }
  if (rule\_ht > 0) \land (rule\_wd > 0) then { we don't output empty rules }
     begin synch_h; cur_v \leftarrow base\_line + rule\_dp; synch_v; dvi\_out(set\_rule); dvi\_four(rule\_ht);
     dvi\_four(rule\_wd); cur\_v \leftarrow base\_line; dvi\_h \leftarrow dvi\_h + rule\_wd;
     end
This code is used in section 622.
625. define billion \equiv float\_constant(1000000000)
  define vet\_glue(\#) \equiv glue\_temp \leftarrow \#;
           if glue\_temp > billion then glue\_temp \leftarrow billion
           else if glue\_temp < -billion then glue\_temp \leftarrow -billion
\langle Move right or output leaders 625\rangle \equiv
  begin g \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p); rule\_wd \leftarrow width(g) - cur\_g;
  if g\_sign \neq normal then
     begin if g\_sign = stretching then
        begin if stretch\_order(g) = g\_order then
           begin cur\_glue \leftarrow cur\_glue + stretch(g); vet\_glue(float(glue\_set(this\_box)) * cur\_glue);
           cur\_g \leftarrow round(glue\_temp);
           end;
        end
     else if shrink\_order(g) = g\_order then
           begin cur\_glue \leftarrow cur\_glue - shrink(g); vet\_glue(float(glue\_set(this\_box)) * cur\_glue);
           cur\_g \leftarrow round(glue\_temp);
           end;
     end:
  rule\_wd \leftarrow rule\_wd + cur\_g;
  if subtype(p) \ge a\_leaders then
      (Output leaders in an hlist, goto fin_rule if a rule or to next_p if done 626);
  goto move_past;
  end
```

This code is used in section 622.

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626. ⟨Output leaders in an hlist, goto fin_rule if a rule or to next_p if done 626⟩ ≡
begin leader_box ← leader_ptr(p);
if type(leader_box) = rule_node then
begin rule_ht ← height(leader_box); rule_dp ← depth(leader_box); goto fin_rule;
end;
leader_wd ← width(leader_box);
if (leader_wd > 0) ∧ (rule_wd > 0) then
begin rule_wd ← rule_wd + 10; { compensate for floating-point rounding }
edge ← cur_h + rule_wd; lx ← 0; ⟨Let cur_h be the position of the first box, and set leader_wd + lx to
the spacing between corresponding parts of boxes 627⟩;
while cur_h + leader_wd ≤ edge do
⟨Output a leader box at cur_h, then advance cur_h by leader_wd + lx 628⟩;
cur_h ← edge - 10; goto next_p;
end;
end
```

This code is used in section 625.

**627.** The calculations related to leaders require a bit of care. First, in the case of a\_leaders (aligned leaders), we want to move  $cur_h$  to  $left_edge$  plus the smallest multiple of  $leader_wd$  for which the result is not less than the current value of  $cur_h$ ; i.e.,  $cur_h$  should become  $left_edge + leader_wd \times \lceil (cur_h - left_edge)/leader_wd \rceil$ . The program here should work in all cases even though some implementations of Pascal give nonstandard results for the **div** operation when  $cur_h$  is less than  $left_edge$ .

In the case of  $c\_leaders$  (centered leaders), we want to increase  $cur\_h$  by half of the excess space not occupied by the leaders; and in the case of  $x\_leaders$  (expanded leaders) we increase  $cur\_h$  by 1/(q+1) of this excess space, where q is the number of times the leader box will be replicated. Slight inaccuracies in the division might accumulate; half of this rounding error is placed at each end of the leaders.

(Let  $cur\_h$  be the position of the first box, and set  $leader\_wd + lx$  to the spacing between corresponding parts of boxes 627)  $\equiv$ 

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if subtype(p) = a\_leaders then begin save\_h \leftarrow cur\_h; cur\_h \leftarrow left\_edge + leader\_wd * ((cur\_h - left\_edge) \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} leader\_wd); if cur\_h < save\_h then cur\_h \leftarrow cur\_h + leader\_wd; end else begin lq \leftarrow rule\_wd div leader\_wd; {the number of box copies} lr \leftarrow rule\_wd \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} leader\_wd; {the remaining space} if subtype(p) = c\_leaders then cur\_h \leftarrow cur\_h + (lr \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2) else begin lx \leftarrow lr \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} (lq + 1); cur\_h \leftarrow cur\_h + ((lr - (lq - 1) * lx) \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2); end; end
```

This code is used in section 626.

**628.** The 'synch' operations here are intended to decrease the number of bytes needed to specify horizontal and vertical motion in the DVI output.

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⟨ Output a leader box at cur\_h, then advance cur\_h by leader\_wd + lx 628⟩ ≡ begin cur\_v \leftarrow base\_line + shift\_amount(leader\_box); synch\_v; save\_v \leftarrow dvi\_v; synch\_h; save\_h \leftarrow dvi\_h; temp\_ptr \leftarrow leader\_box; outer\_doing\_leaders \leftarrow doing\_leaders; doing\_leaders \leftarrow true; if type(leader\_box) = vlist\_node then vlist\_out else hlist\_out; doing\_leaders \leftarrow outer\_doing\_leaders; dvi\_v \leftarrow save\_v; dvi\_h \leftarrow save\_h; cur\_v \leftarrow base\_line; cur\_h \leftarrow save\_h + leader\_wd + lx; end
```

This code is used in section 626.

This code is used in section 629.

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629.
       The vlist_out routine is similar to hlist_out, but a bit simpler.
procedure vlist_out; { output a vlist_node box }
  label move_past, fin_rule, next_p;
  var left_edge: scaled; { the left coordinate for this box }
     top_edge: scaled; { the top coordinate for this box }
     save\_h, save\_v : scaled;  { what dvi\_h and dvi\_v should pop to }
     this_box: pointer; { pointer to containing box }
     g\_order: glue\_ord; { applicable order of infinity for glue }
     g_sign: normal .. shrinking; { selects type of glue }
     p: pointer; { current position in the vlist }
     save_loc: integer; { DVI byte location upon entry }
     leader_box: pointer; { the leader box being replicated }
     leader_ht: scaled; { height of leader box being replicated }
     lx: scaled; { extra space between leader boxes }
     outer_doing_leaders: boolean; { were we doing leaders? }
     edge: scaled; { bottom boundary of leader space }
     glue_temp: real; { glue value before rounding }
     cur_glue: real; { glue seen so far }
     cur_g: scaled; { rounded equivalent of cur_glue times the glue ratio }
  begin cur\_g \leftarrow 0; cur\_glue \leftarrow float\_constant(0); this\_box \leftarrow temp\_ptr; g\_order \leftarrow glue\_order(this\_box);
  g\_sign \leftarrow glue\_sign(this\_box); p \leftarrow list\_ptr(this\_box); incr(cur\_s);
  if cur_s > 0 then dvi_out(push);
  if cur_s > max_push then max_push \leftarrow cur_s;
  save\_loc \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr; left\_edge \leftarrow cur\_h; cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v - height(this\_box); top\_edge \leftarrow cur\_v;
  while p \neq null do (Output node p for vlist_out and move to the next node, maintaining the condition
          cur_h = left_edge 630;
  prune_movements(save_loc);
  if cur_s > 0 then dvi_pop(save_loc);
  decr(cur\_s);
  end;
       \langle \text{Output node } p \text{ for } vlist\_out \text{ and move to the next node, maintaining the condition} \rangle
       cur_h = left_edge 630 \rangle \equiv
  begin if is_char_node(p) then confusion("vlistout")
  else \langle Output the non-char_node p for vlist_out 631 \rangle;
next_p: p \leftarrow link(p);
  end
```

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\langle \text{ Output the non-} char\_node \ p \text{ for } vlist\_out \ 631 \rangle \equiv
  begin case type(p) of
  hlist_node, vlist_node: (Output a box in a vlist 632);
  rule\_node: begin rule\_ht \leftarrow height(p); rule\_dp \leftarrow depth(p); rule\_wd \leftarrow width(p); goto fin\_rule;
  whatsit_node: \langle \text{Output the whatsit node } p \text{ in a vlist } 1366 \rangle;
  glue_node: (Move down or output leaders 634);
  kern\_node: cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + width(p);
  othercases do_nothing
  endcases;
  goto next_p;
fin_rule: (Output a rule in a vlist, goto next_p 633);
move\_past: cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + rule\_ht;
  end
This code is used in section 630.
        The synch_{-}v here allows the DVI output to use one-byte commands for adjusting v in most cases,
since the baselineskip distance will usually be constant.
\langle \text{Output a box in a vlist } 632 \rangle \equiv
  if list\_ptr(p) = null then cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + height(p) + depth(p)
  else begin cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + height(p); synch\_v; save\_h \leftarrow dvi\_h; save\_v \leftarrow dvi\_v;
     cur_h \leftarrow left_edge + shift_amount(p);  { shift the box right }
     temp_ptr \leftarrow p:
     if type(p) = vlist\_node then vlist\_out else hlist\_out;
     dvi_h \leftarrow save_h; dvi_v \leftarrow save_v; cur_v \leftarrow save_v + depth(p); cur_h \leftarrow left_edge;
     end
This code is used in section 631.
633. \langle \text{ Output a rule in a vlist, goto } next_p 633 \rangle \equiv
  if is\_running(rule\_wd) then rule\_wd \leftarrow width(this\_box);
  rule\_ht \leftarrow rule\_ht + rule\_dp; { this is the rule thickness }
  cur_v \leftarrow cur_v + rule_ht;
  if (rule\_ht > 0) \land (rule\_wd > 0) then { we don't output empty rules }
     begin synch_h; synch_v; dvi_out(put_rule); dvi_four(rule_ht); dvi_four(rule_wd);
     end;
  goto next_p
This code is used in section 631.
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634.
        \langle Move down or output leaders 634\rangle \equiv
  begin g \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p); rule\_ht \leftarrow width(g) - cur\_g;
  if g\_sign \neq normal then
     begin if g\_sign = stretching then
        begin if stretch\_order(g) = g\_order then
          \mathbf{begin} \ cur\_glue \leftarrow cur\_glue + stretch(g); \ vet\_glue(float(glue\_set(this\_box)) * cur\_glue);
          cur\_g \leftarrow round(glue\_temp);
          end;
        end
     else if shrink\_order(g) = g\_order then
          begin cur\_glue \leftarrow cur\_glue - shrink(g); vet\_glue(float(glue\_set(this\_box)) * cur\_glue);
           cur\_g \leftarrow round(glue\_temp);
          end;
     end:
  rule\_ht \leftarrow rule\_ht + cur\_g;
  if subtype(p) \geq a\_leaders then
      (Output leaders in a vlist, goto fin_rule if a rule or to next_p if done 635);
  goto move_past;
  end
This code is used in section 631.
635. Output leaders in a vlist, goto fin_rule if a rule or to next_p if done 635 \geq
  begin leader\_box \leftarrow leader\_ptr(p);
  if type(leader\_box) = rule\_node then
     begin rule\_wd \leftarrow width(leader\_box); rule\_dp \leftarrow 0; goto fin\_rule;
     end;
  leader\_ht \leftarrow height(leader\_box) + depth(leader\_box);
  if (leader_ht > 0) \land (rule_ht > 0) then
     begin rule\_ht \leftarrow rule\_ht + 10; {compensate for floating-point rounding}
     edge \leftarrow cur_v + rule_h t; lx \leftarrow 0; (Let cur_v t be the position of the first box, and set leader_h t + lx to
          the spacing between corresponding parts of boxes 636);
     while cur_v + leader_ht \le edge do
        (Output a leader box at cur_v, then advance cur_v by leader_ht + lx 637);
     cur_{-}v \leftarrow edge - 10; goto next_{-}p;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 634.
        (Let cur_{-}v be the position of the first box, and set leader_{-}ht + lx to the spacing between
        corresponding parts of boxes 636 \rangle \equiv
  if subtype(p) = a\_leaders then
     begin save\_v \leftarrow cur\_v; cur\_v \leftarrow top\_edge + leader\_ht * ((cur\_v - top\_edge) div <math>leader\_ht);
     if cur_v < save_v then cur_v \leftarrow cur_v + leader_ht;
  else begin lq \leftarrow rule\_ht \text{ div } leader\_ht; { the number of box copies }
     lr \leftarrow rule\_ht \ \mathbf{mod} \ leader\_ht; \ \{ \text{the remaining space} \}
     if subtype(p) = c\_leaders then cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + (lr \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2)
     else begin lx \leftarrow lr \operatorname{div}(lq+1); cur_{-}v \leftarrow cur_{-}v + ((lr - (lq-1) * lx) \operatorname{div} 2);
        end:
     end
This code is used in section 635.
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**637.** When we reach this part of the program,  $cur_{-}v$  indicates the top of a leader box, not its baseline.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \  \, \text{Output a leader box at } \  \, cur\_v \  \, \text{then advance } \  \, cur\_v \  \, \text{by } \  \, leader\_ht + lx \  \, 637 \, \rangle \equiv \\ \  \, \textbf{begin } \  \, cur\_h \leftarrow left\_edge + shift\_amount(leader\_box); \  \, synch\_h; \  \, save\_h \leftarrow dvi\_h; \\ \  \, cur\_v \leftarrow cur\_v + height(leader\_box); \  \, synch\_v; \  \, save\_v \leftarrow dvi\_v; \  \, temp\_ptr \leftarrow leader\_box; \\ \  \, outer\_doing\_leaders \leftarrow doing\_leaders; \  \, doing\_leaders \leftarrow true; \\ \  \, \textbf{if } \  \, type(leader\_box) = vlist\_node \  \, \textbf{then } \  \, vlist\_out \  \, \textbf{else } \  \, hlist\_out; \\ \  \, doing\_leaders \leftarrow outer\_doing\_leaders; \  \, dvi\_v \leftarrow save\_v; \  \, dvi\_h \leftarrow save\_h; \  \, cur\_h \leftarrow left\_edge; \\ \  \, cur\_v \leftarrow save\_v - height(leader\_box) + leader\_ht + lx; \\ \  \, \textbf{end} \end{array}
```

This code is used in section 635.

**638.** The  $hlist\_out$  and  $vlist\_out$  procedures are now complete, so we are ready for the  $ship\_out$  routine that gets them started in the first place.

```
procedure ship\_out(p:pointer); { output the box p }
  label done;
  var page_loc: integer; { location of the current bop }
    j, k: 0...9; { indices to first ten count registers }
    s: pool_pointer; { index into str_pool }
    old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { saved selector setting }
  begin if tracing\_output > 0 then
    begin print_nl(""); print_ln; print("Completed_box_being_shipped_out");
    end:
  if term\_offset > max\_print\_line - 9 then print\_ln
  else if (term\_offset > 0) \lor (file\_offset > 0) then print\_char(""");
  print\_char("["];\ j \leftarrow 9;
  while (count(j) = 0) \land (j > 0) do decr(j);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to j do
    begin print_int(count(k));
    if k < j then print\_char(".");
    end;
  update_terminal;
  if tracing\_output > 0 then
    begin print_char("]"); begin_diagnostic; show_box(p); end_diagnostic(true);
    end:
  \langle \text{Ship box } p \text{ out } 640 \rangle;
  if tracing\_output \leq 0 then print\_char("]");
  dead\_cycles \leftarrow 0; update\_terminal; { progress report }
  ⟨ Flush the box from memory, showing statistics if requested 639⟩;
  end;
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639.
        \langle Flush the box from memory, showing statistics if requested 639\rangle \equiv
  stat if tracing\_stats > 1 then
     begin print_nl("Memory_usage_before:_u"); print_int(var_used); print_char("&");
     print_int(dyn_used); print_char(";");
  tats
  flush\_node\_list(p);
  stat if tracing\_stats > 1 then
     begin print("uafter:u"); print_int(var_used); print_char("&"); print_int(dyn_used);
     print("; \_still\_untouched: \_"); print\_int(hi\_mem\_min - lo\_mem\_max - 1); print\_ln;
     end:
  tats
This code is used in section 638.
640. \langle \text{Ship box } p \text{ out } 640 \rangle \equiv
  \langle \text{Update the values of } max\_h \text{ and } max\_v; \text{ but if the page is too large, goto } done 641 \rangle;
  \langle \text{ Initialize variables as } ship\_out \text{ begins } 617 \rangle;
  page\_loc \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr; dvi\_out(bop);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to 9 do dvi\_four(count(k));
  dvi\_four(last\_bop); last\_bop \leftarrow page\_loc; cur\_v \leftarrow height(p) + v\_offset; temp\_ptr \leftarrow p;
  if type(p) = vlist\_node then vlist\_out else hlist\_out;
  dvi\_out(eop); incr(total\_pages); cur\_s \leftarrow -1;
done:
This code is used in section 638.
641. Sometimes the user will generate a huge page because other error messages are being ignored. Such
pages are not output to the dvi file, since they may confuse the printing software.
\langle Update the values of max_h and max_v; but if the page is too large, goto done 641 \rangle \equiv
  if (height(p) > max\_dimen) \lor (depth(p) > max\_dimen) \lor
          (height(p) + depth(p) + v\_offset > max\_dimen) \lor (width(p) + h\_offset > max\_dimen) then
     \mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{print\_err}("\texttt{Huge}\_\texttt{page}\_\texttt{cannot}\_\texttt{be}\_\texttt{shipped}\_\texttt{out"});
     help2("The_page_just_created_is_more_than_18_feet_tall_or")
     ("more_than_18_feet_wide, _so_1_suspect_something_went_wrong."); error;
     if tracing\_output < 0 then
        \mathbf{begin}\ begin\_diagnostic;\ print\_nl("The_lfollowing_lbox_lhas_lbeen_ldeleted:");\ show\_box(p);
        end\_diagnostic(true);
        end;
     goto done;
     end:
  if height(p) + depth(p) + v_{-}offset > max_{-}v then max_{-}v \leftarrow height(p) + depth(p) + v_{-}offset;
  if width(p) + h\_offset > max\_h then max\_h \leftarrow width(p) + h\_offset
This code is used in section 640.
```

**642.** At the end of the program, we must finish things off by writing the postamble. If  $total\_pages = 0$ , the DVI file was never opened. If  $total\_pages \ge 65536$ , the DVI file will lie. And if  $max\_push \ge 65536$ , the user deserves whatever chaos might ensue.

```
An integer variable k will be declared for use by this routine.
```

```
\langle \text{ Finish the DVI file } 642 \rangle \equiv
  while cur_{-}s > -1 do
     begin if cur_{-s} > 0 then dvi_{-out}(pop)
     else begin dvi\_out(eop); incr(total\_pages);
       end;
     decr(cur_s);
     end;
  if total\_pages = 0 then print\_nl("No\_pages\_of\_output.")
  else begin dvi\_out(post); { beginning of the postamble }
     dvi\_four(last\_bop); last\_bop \leftarrow dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr - 5; {post location}
     dvi\_four(25400000); dvi\_four(473628672);  { conversion ratio for sp }
     prepare\_mag; dvi\_four(mag); \{ magnification factor \}
     dvi_{-}four(max_{-}v); dvi_{-}four(max_{-}h);
     dvi\_out(max\_push \ \mathbf{div} \ 256); \ dvi\_out(max\_push \ \mathbf{mod} \ 256);
     dvi_out((total_pages div 256) mod 256); dvi_out(total_pages mod 256);
     Output the font definitions for all fonts that were used 643);
     dvi\_out(post\_post); dvi\_four(last\_bop); dvi\_out(id\_byte);
     k \leftarrow 4 + ((dvi\_buf\_size - dvi\_ptr) \bmod 4); { the number of 223's }
     while k > 0 do
       begin dvi\_out(223); decr(k);
       end:
     \langle \text{ Empty the last bytes out of } dvi_buf 599 \rangle;
     print_nl("Output_uwritten_on_"); slow_print(output_file_name); print("u("); print_int(total_pages);
     print("\_page");
     if total\_pages \neq 1 then print\_char("s");
     print(", "); print_int(dvi\_offset + dvi\_ptr); print("ubytes)."); b\_close(dvi\_file);
     end
This code is used in section 1333.
643. Output the font definitions for all fonts that were used 643 \ge 10^{-2}
  while font_ptr > font_base do
     begin if font_used[font_ptr] then dvi_font_def(font_ptr);
     decr(font\_ptr);
     end
```

This code is used in section 642.

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**644.** Packaging. We're essentially done with the parts of TEX that are concerned with the input  $(get\_next)$  and the output  $(ship\_out)$ . So it's time to get heavily into the remaining part, which does the real work of typesetting.

After lists are constructed, T<sub>E</sub>X wraps them up and puts them into boxes. Two major subroutines are given the responsibility for this task: hpack applies to horizontal lists (hlists) and vpack applies to vertical lists (vlists). The main duty of hpack and vpack is to compute the dimensions of the resulting boxes, and to adjust the glue if one of those dimensions is pre-specified. The computed sizes normally enclose all of the material inside the new box; but some items may stick out if negative glue is used, if the box is overfull, or if a \vbox includes other boxes that have been shifted left.

The subroutine call hpack(p, w, m) returns a pointer to an  $hlist\_node$  for a box containing the hlist that starts at p. Parameter w specifies a width; and parameter m is either 'exactly' or 'additional'. Thus, hpack(p, w, exactly) produces a box whose width is exactly w, while hpack(p, w, additional) yields a box whose width is the natural width plus w. It is convenient to define a macro called 'natural' to cover the most common case, so that we can say hpack(p, natural) to get a box that has the natural width of list p.

Similarly, vpack(p, w, m) returns a pointer to a  $vlist\_node$  for a box containing the vlist that starts at p. In this case w represents a height instead of a width; the parameter m is interpreted as in hpack.

```
define exactly = 0 { a box dimension is pre-specified } define additional = 1 { a box dimension is increased from the natural one } define natural \equiv 0, additional { shorthand for parameters to hpack and vpack }
```

**645.** The parameters to *hpack* and *vpack* correspond to T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives like '\hbox to 300pt', '\hbox spread 10pt'; note that '\hbox' with no dimension following it is equivalent to '\hbox spread 0pt'. The *scan\_spec* subroutine scans such constructions in the user's input, including the mandatory left brace that follows them, and it puts the specification onto *save\_stack* so that the desired box can later be obtained by executing the following code:

```
save\_ptr \leftarrow save\_ptr - 2;

hpack(p, saved(1), saved(0)).
```

Special care is necessary to ensure that the special  $save\_stack$  codes are placed just below the new group code, because scanning can change  $save\_stack$  when \csname appears.

```
procedure scan\_spec(c:group\_code; three\_codes:boolean); { scans a box specification and left brace } label found; var s:integer; { temporarily saved value } spec\_code: exactly ... additional; begin if three\_codes then s \leftarrow saved(0); if scan\_keyword("to") then spec\_code \leftarrow exactly else if scan\_keyword("spread") then spec\_code \leftarrow additional else begin spec\_code \leftarrow additional; cur\_val \leftarrow 0; goto found; end; scan\_normal\_dimen; found: if three\_codes then begin saved(0) \leftarrow s; incr(save\_ptr); end; saved(0) \leftarrow spec\_code; saved(1) \leftarrow cur\_val; save\_ptr \leftarrow save\_ptr + 2; new\_save\_level(c); scan\_left\_brace; end;
```

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To figure out the glue setting, hpack and vpack determine how much stretchability and shrinkability are present, considering all four orders of infinity. The highest order of infinity that has a nonzero coefficient is then used as if no other orders were present.

For example, suppose that the given list contains six glue nodes with the respective stretchabilities 3pt, 8fill, 5fil, 6pt, -3fil, -8fill. Then the total is essentially 2fil; and if a total additional space of 6pt is to be achieved by stretching, the actual amounts of stretch will be 0pt, 0pt, 15pt, 0pt, -9pt, and 0pt, since only 'fil' glue will be considered. (The 'fill' glue is therefore not really stretching infinitely with respect to 'fil'; nobody would actually want that to happen.)

The arrays total\_stretch and total\_shrink are used to determine how much glue of each kind is present. A global variable *last\_badness* is used to implement \badness.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
total_stretch, total_shrink: array [glue_ord] of scaled; { glue found by hpack or vpack }
last_badness: integer; { badness of the most recently packaged box }
```

**647.** If the global variable adjust\_tail is non-null, the hpack routine also removes all occurrences of ins\_node, mark\_node, and adjust\_node items and appends the resulting material onto the list that ends at location  $adjust\_tail$ .

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
adjust_tail: pointer; { tail of adjustment list }
      \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  adjust\_tail \leftarrow null; \ last\_badness \leftarrow 0;
        Here now is hpack, which contains few if any surprises.
function hpack(p : pointer; w : scaled; m : small_number): pointer;
  label reswitch, common_ending, exit;
  var r: pointer; { the box node that will be returned }
     q: pointer; \{ trails behind p \}
     h, d, x: scaled; { height, depth, and natural width }
     s: scaled; { shift amount }
     g: pointer; { points to a glue specification }
     o: qlue_ord; { order of infinity }
     f: internal_font_number; { the font in a char_node }
     i: four_quarters; { font information about a char_node }
     hd: eight_bits; { height and depth indices for a character }
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow 0; r \leftarrow get\_node(box\_node\_size); type(r) \leftarrow hlist\_node;
  subtype(r) \leftarrow min\_quarterword; \ shift\_amount(r) \leftarrow 0; \ q \leftarrow r + list\_offset; \ link(q) \leftarrow p;
  h \leftarrow 0; (Clear dimensions to zero 650);
  while p \neq null do (Examine node p in the hlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the
          new box, or moving it to the adjustment list; then advance p to the next node 651;
  if adjust\_tail \neq null then link(adjust\_tail) \leftarrow null;
  height(r) \leftarrow h; depth(r) \leftarrow d;
```

 $\langle$  Determine the value of width(r) and the appropriate glue setting; then **return** or **goto**  $common\_ending 657$ ;

common\_ending: (Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull hbox 663);  $exit: hpack \leftarrow r;$ 

end;

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650. \langle Clear dimensions to zero 650 \rangle \equiv d \leftarrow 0; x \leftarrow 0; total\_stretch[normal] \leftarrow 0; total\_stretch[fil] \leftarrow 0; total\_stretch[fil] \leftarrow 0; total\_stretch[fill] \leftarrow 0 This code is used in sections 649 and 668.
```

**651.**  $\langle$  Examine node p in the hlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the new box, or moving it to the adjustment list; then advance p to the next node  $651\rangle \equiv$ 

**begin** reswitch: **while**  $is\_char\_node(p)$  **do**  $\langle$  Incorporate character dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it, then move to the next node 654 $\rangle$ ;

```
if p \neq null then
```

```
begin case type(p) of
```

 $hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node, unset\_node$ :  $\langle$  Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it 653 $\rangle$ ;

```
ins\_node, mark\_node, adjust\_node: if adjust\_tail \neq null then \langle Transfer node p to the adjustment list 655\rangle;
```

```
whatsit_node: \langle Incorporate a whatsit node into an hbox 1360\rangle; glue\_node: \langle Incorporate glue into the horizontal totals 656\rangle;
```

 $kern\_node$ ,  $math\_node$ :  $x \leftarrow x + width(p)$ ;  $ligature\_node$ :  $\langle Make node p look like a char\_node$  and **goto** reswitch 652 $\rangle$ ;

othercases do\_nothing

endcases;  $p \leftarrow link(p)$ ; end;

end

This code is used in section 649.

**652.**  $\langle$  Make node p look like a  $char\_node$  and **goto** reswitch  $_{652}\rangle \equiv$  begin  $mem[lig\_trick] \leftarrow mem[lig\_char(p)]; link(lig\_trick) \leftarrow link(p); p \leftarrow lig\_trick; goto reswitch; end$ 

This code is used in sections 622, 651, and 1147.

**653.** The code here implicitly uses the fact that running dimensions are indicated by *null\_flag*, which will be ignored in the calculations because it is a highly negative number.

```
\langle Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it 653\rangle \equiv begin x \leftarrow x + width(p); if type(p) \geq rule\_node then s \leftarrow 0 else s \leftarrow shift\_amount(p); if height(p) - s > h then h \leftarrow height(p) - s; if depth(p) + s > d then d \leftarrow depth(p) + s;
```

This code is used in section 651.

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**654.** The following code is part of TEX's inner loop; i.e., adding another character of text to the user's input will cause each of these instructions to be exercised one more time.

 $\langle$  Incorporate character dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it, then move to the next node 654 $\rangle$   $\equiv$ 

```
\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{begin}\ f \leftarrow font(p);\ i \leftarrow char\_info(f)(character(p));\ hd \leftarrow height\_depth(i);\ x \leftarrow x + char\_width(f)(i);\\ s \leftarrow char\_height(f)(hd);\ \mathbf{if}\ s > h\ \mathbf{then}\ h \leftarrow s;\\ s \leftarrow char\_depth(f)(hd);\ \mathbf{if}\ s > d\ \mathbf{then}\ d \leftarrow s;\\ p \leftarrow link(p);\\ \mathbf{end} \end{array}
```

This code is used in section 651.

**655.** Although node q is not necessarily the immediate predecessor of node p, it always points to some node in the list preceding p. Thus, we can delete nodes by moving q when necessary. The algorithm takes linear time, and the extra computation does not intrude on the inner loop unless it is necessary to make a deletion.

```
\langle Transfer node p to the adjustment list 655\rangle \equiv
  begin while link(q) \neq p do q \leftarrow link(q);
  if type(p) = adjust\_node then
     begin link(adjust\_tail) \leftarrow adjust\_ptr(p);
     while link(adjust\_tail) \neq null do adjust\_tail \leftarrow link(adjust\_tail);
     p \leftarrow link(p); \; free\_node(link(q), small\_node\_size);
  else begin link(adjust\_tail) \leftarrow p; adjust\_tail \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow link(p);
     end;
  link(q) \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow q;
  end
This code is used in section 651.
656. \langle Incorporate glue into the horizontal totals 656\rangle \equiv
  begin g \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p); x \leftarrow x + width(g);
  o \leftarrow stretch\_order(g); total\_stretch[o] \leftarrow total\_stretch[o] + stretch(g); o \leftarrow shrink\_order(g);
  total\_shrink[o] \leftarrow total\_shrink[o] + shrink(g);
  if subtype(p) > a\_leaders then
     begin g \leftarrow leader\_ptr(p);
     if height(g) > h then h \leftarrow height(g);
     if depth(g) > d then d \leftarrow depth(g);
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 651.
```

**657.** When we get to the present part of the program, x is the natural width of the box being packaged.

```
\langle Determine the value of width(r) and the appropriate glue setting; then return or goto common\_ending 657 \rangle \equiv if m = additional then w \leftarrow x + w;
```

```
width(r) \leftarrow w; \ x \leftarrow w - x; \ \{ \text{now } x \text{ is the excess to be made up } \}
if x = 0 then
begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; \ glue\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; \ set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r)); return;
```

end else if x > 0 then  $\langle$  Determine horizontal glue stretch setting, then return or goto  $common\_ending 658 \rangle$  else  $\langle$  Determine horizontal glue shrink setting, then return or goto  $common\_ending 664 \rangle$ 

This code is used in section 649.

```
\langle Determine horizontal glue stretch setting, then return or goto common_ending 658\rangle \equiv
  begin (Determine the stretch order 659);
  glue\_order(r) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow stretching;
  if total\_stretch[o] \neq 0 then glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat(x/total\_stretch[o])
  else begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r)); \{there's nothing to stretch\}
     end:
  if o = normal then
     if list_ptr(r) \neq null then
       Report an underfull hbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 660);
  return:
  end
This code is used in section 657.
659. \langle Determine the stretch order 659\rangle \equiv
  if total\_stretch[filll] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow filll
  else if total\_stretch[fill] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow fill
     else if total\_stretch[fil] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow fil
       else o \leftarrow normal
This code is used in sections 658, 673, and 796.
        \langle Report an underfull hbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 660\rangle \equiv
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow badness(x, total\_stretch[normal]);
  if last\_badness > hbadness then
     begin print_ln;
     if last_badness > 100 then print_nl("Underfull") else print_nl("Loose");
     print("¬\hbox¬(badness¬"); print_int(last_badness); goto common_ending;
     end:
  end
This code is used in section 658.
661. In order to provide a decent indication of where an overfull or underfull box originated, we use a
global variable pack_begin_line that is set nonzero only when hpack is being called by the paragraph builder
or the alignment finishing routine.
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
pack_begin_line: integer; { source file line where the current paragraph or alignment began; a negative
       value denotes alignment }
      \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
```

 $pack\_begin\_line \leftarrow 0;$ 

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663.
        \langle Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull hbox 663\rangle \equiv
  if output\_active then print(")_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}occurred_{\sqcup}while_{\sqcup}\setminus output_{\sqcup}is_{\sqcup}active")
  else begin if pack\_begin\_line \neq 0 then
       begin if pack\_begin\_line > 0 then print(")_{\sqcup}in_{\sqcup}paragraph_{\sqcup}at_{\sqcup}lines_{\sqcup}")
       else print(") in alignment at lines ");
       print_int(abs(pack_begin_line)); print("--");
     else print(")_detected_at_line_");
     print_int(line);
     end:
  print_ln;
  font\_in\_short\_display \leftarrow null\_font; short\_display(list\_ptr(r)); print\_ln;
  begin\_diagnostic; show\_box(r); end\_diagnostic(true)
This code is used in section 649.
        \langle Determine horizontal glue shrink setting, then return or goto common_ending 664\rangle
  begin (Determine the shrink order 665);
  glue\_order(r) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow shrinking;
  if total\_shrink[o] \neq 0 then glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((-x)/total\_shrink[o])
  else begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r)); \{there's nothing to shrink \}
     end;
  if (total\_shrink[o] < -x) \land (o = normal) \land (list\_ptr(r) \neq null) then
     begin last\_badness \leftarrow 1000000; set\_glue\_ratio\_one(glue\_set(r)); { use the maximum shrinkage }
     ⟨ Report an overfull hbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 666⟩;
     end
  else if o = normal then
       if list_ptr(r) \neq null then
          Report a tight hbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 667);
  return;
  end
This code is used in section 657.
       \langle Determine the shrink order 665\rangle \equiv
  if total\_shrink[filll] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow filll
  else if total\_shrink[fill] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow fill
     else if total\_shrink[fil] \neq 0 then o \leftarrow fil
       else o \leftarrow normal
This code is used in sections 664, 676, and 796.
666. (Report an overfull hbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 666) \equiv
  if (-x - total\_shrink[normal] > hfuzz) \lor (hbadness < 100) then
     begin if (overfull\_rule > 0) \land (-x - total\_shrink[normal] > hfuzz) then
       begin while link(q) \neq null do q \leftarrow link(q);
       link(q) \leftarrow new\_rule; \ width(link(q)) \leftarrow overfull\_rule;
       end;
     print_ln; print_nl("Overfull_\hbox_\("); print_scaled(-x - total_shrink[normal]);
     print("pt_too_wide"); goto common_ending;
This code is used in section 664.
```

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667.
        \langle \text{Report a tight hbox and goto } common\_ending, \text{ if this box is sufficiently bad } 667 \rangle \equiv
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow badness(-x, total\_shrink[normal]);
  if last\_badness > hbadness then
     begin print_ln; print_nl("Tight_\hbox_\( (badness_\)"); print_int(last_badness); goto common_ending;
  end
This code is used in section 664.
```

**668.** The *vpack* subroutine is actually a special case of a slightly more general routine called *vpackage*, which has four parameters. The fourth parameter, which is max\_dimen in the case of vpack, specifies the maximum depth of the page box that is constructed. The depth is first computed by the normal rules; if it exceeds this limit, the reference point is simply moved down until the limiting depth is attained.

```
define vpack(\#) \equiv vpackage(\#, max\_dimen) { special case of unconstrained depth }
function vpackage(p: pointer; h: scaled; m: small_number; l: scaled): pointer;
  label common_ending, exit;
  var r: pointer; { the box node that will be returned }
     w, d, x: scaled; { width, depth, and natural height }
     s: scaled; { shift amount }
     g: pointer; { points to a glue specification }
     o: glue_ord; { order of infinity }
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow 0; r \leftarrow get\_node(box\_node\_size); type(r) \leftarrow vlist\_node;
  subtype(r) \leftarrow min\_quarterword; shift\_amount(r) \leftarrow 0; list\_ptr(r) \leftarrow p;
  w \leftarrow 0; (Clear dimensions to zero 650);
  while p \neq null do (Examine node p in the vlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the
         new box; then advance p to the next node 669\rangle;
  width(r) \leftarrow w;
  if d > l then
     begin x \leftarrow x + d - l; depth(r) \leftarrow l;
    end
  else depth(r) \leftarrow d;
  \langle Determine the value of height(r) and the appropriate glue setting; then return or goto
       common\_ending 672;
common_ending: (Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull vbox 675);
exit: vpackage \leftarrow r;
  end:
669.
       \langle Examine node p in the vlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the new box; then
       advance p to the next node 669 \ge \equiv
  begin if is_char_node(p) then confusion("vpack")
  else case type(p) of
     hlist_node, vlist_node, rule_node, unset_node: \( \) Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the
            vbox that will contain it 670):
     whatsit_node: (Incorporate a whatsit node into a vbox 1359);
     glue_node: (Incorporate glue into the vertical totals 671);
     kern\_node: begin x \leftarrow x + d + width(p); d \leftarrow 0;
     othercases do_nothing
     endcases;
  p \leftarrow link(p);
  end
```

This code is used in section 668.

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```
\langle Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the vbox that will contain it 670\rangle
  begin x \leftarrow x + d + height(p); d \leftarrow depth(p);
  if type(p) \ge rule\_node then s \leftarrow 0 else s \leftarrow shift\_amount(p);
  if width(p) + s > w then w \leftarrow width(p) + s;
  end
This code is used in section 669.
671. \langle Incorporate glue into the vertical totals 671\rangle \equiv
  begin x \leftarrow x + d; d \leftarrow 0;
  g \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p); \ x \leftarrow x + width(g);
  o \leftarrow stretch\_order(g); total\_stretch[o] \leftarrow total\_stretch[o] + stretch(g); o \leftarrow shrink\_order(g);
  total\_shrink[o] \leftarrow total\_shrink[o] + shrink(g);
  if subtype(p) \ge a\_leaders then
     begin g \leftarrow leader_ptr(p);
     if width(g) > w then w \leftarrow width(g);
     end:
  end
This code is used in section 669.
672. When we get to the present part of the program, x is the natural height of the box being packaged.
\langle Determine the value of height(r) and the appropriate glue setting; then return or goto
        common\_ending 672 \rangle \equiv
  if m = additional then h \leftarrow x + h;
  height(r) \leftarrow h; \ x \leftarrow h - x; \ \{ \text{now } x \text{ is the excess to be made up } \}
  if x = 0 then
     begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; glue\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r)); return;
  else if x > 0 then \(\text{Determine vertical glue stretch setting, then return or goto common_ending 673}\)
     else (Determine vertical glue shrink setting, then return or goto common_ending 676)
This code is used in section 668.
673. \langle Determine vertical glue stretch setting, then return or goto common_ending 673\rangle
  begin (Determine the stretch order 659);
  glue\_order(r) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow stretching;
  if total\_stretch[o] \neq 0 then glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat(x/total\_stretch[o])
  else begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r)); \{there's nothing to stretch\}
     end:
  if o = normal then
     if list_ptr(r) \neq null then
        (Report an underfull vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 674);
  return;
  end
This code is used in section 672.
```

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\langle Report an underfull vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 674\rangle \equiv
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow badness(x, total\_stretch[normal]);
  if last\_badness > vbadness then
     begin print_ln;
     if last_badness > 100 then print_nl("Underfull") else print_nl("Loose");
     print("_\vbox_\(\bar{badness}\); print_\(\int(\last_badness)\); goto common_ending;
     end:
  end
This code is used in section 673.
675. \langle Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull vbox 675\rangle \equiv
  if output_active then print(") _ has _ occurred _ while _ \output _ is _ active")
  else begin if pack\_begin\_line \neq 0 then {it's actually negative}
       begin print(") ∟in ∟alignment ∟at ∟lines ∟"); print_int(abs(pack_begin_line)); print("--");
     else print(") \( \) detected \( \) at \( \) line \( \);
     print\_int(line); print\_ln;
     end:
  begin\_diagnostic; show\_box(r); end\_diagnostic(true)
This code is used in section 668.
676. \langle Determine vertical glue shrink setting, then return or goto common_ending 676\rangle \equiv
  begin (Determine the shrink order 665);
  glue\_order(r) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow shrinking;
  if total\_shrink[o] \neq 0 then glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((-x)/total\_shrink[o])
  else begin qlue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_qlue\_ratio\_zero(qlue\_set(r));  { there's nothing to shrink }
     end:
  if (total\_shrink[o] < -x) \land (o = normal) \land (list\_ptr(r) \neq null) then
     begin last\_badness \leftarrow 1000000; set\_glue\_ratio\_one(glue\_set(r)); { use the maximum shrinkage }
     (Report an overfull vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 677);
     end
  else if o = normal then
       if list_ptr(r) \neq null then
          (Report a tight vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 678);
  return;
  end
This code is used in section 672.
677. (Report an overfull vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 677) \equiv
  if (-x - total\_shrink[normal] > vfuzz) \lor (vbadness < 100) then
     begin print_ln; print_nl("Overfull_\vbox_\u00a1("); <math>print_scaled(-x - total\_shrink[normal]);
     print("pt⊔too⊔high"); goto common_ending;
     end
This code is used in section 676.
678. (Report a tight vbox and goto common_ending, if this box is sufficiently bad 678) \equiv
  begin last\_badness \leftarrow badness(-x, total\_shrink[normal]);
  if last\_badness > vbadness then
     begin print_ln; print_nl("Tight_\vbox_\( (badness_\)"); print_int(last_badness); goto common_ending;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 676.
```

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**679.** When a box is being appended to the current vertical list, the baselineskip calculation is handled by the  $append\_to\_vlist$  routine.

```
procedure append_to_vlist(b: pointer);
var d: scaled; { deficiency of space between baselines }
p: pointer; { a new glue node }
begin if prev_depth > ignore_depth then
begin d \leftarrow width(baseline\_skip) - prev\_depth - height(b);
if d < line\_skip\_limit then p \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(line\_skip\_code)
else begin p \leftarrow new\_skip\_param(baseline\_skip\_code); width(temp\_ptr) \leftarrow d; { temp\_ptr = glue\_ptr(p) } end;
link(tail) \leftarrow p; tail \leftarrow p;
end;
link(tail) \leftarrow b; tail \leftarrow b; prev\_depth \leftarrow depth(b);
end;
end;
```

**680.** Data structures for math mode. When T<sub>E</sub>X reads a formula that is enclosed between \$'s, it constructs an *mlist*, which is essentially a tree structure representing that formula. An mlist is a linear sequence of items, but we can regard it as a tree structure because mlists can appear within mlists. For example, many of the entries can be subscripted or superscripted, and such "scripts" are mlists in their own right.

An entire formula is parsed into such a tree before any of the actual typesetting is done, because the current style of type is usually not known until the formula has been fully scanned. For example, when the formula '\$a+b \over c+d\$' is being read, there is no way to tell that 'a+b' will be in script size until '\over' has appeared.

During the scanning process, each element of the mlist being built is classified as a relation, a binary operator, an open parenthesis, etc., or as a construct like '\sqrt' that must be built up. This classification appears in the mlist data structure.

After a formula has been fully scanned, the mlist is converted to an hlist so that it can be incorporated into the surrounding text. This conversion is controlled by a recursive procedure that decides all of the appropriate styles by a "top-down" process starting at the outermost level and working in towards the subformulas. The formula is ultimately pasted together using combinations of horizontal and vertical boxes, with glue and penalty nodes inserted as necessary.

An mlist is represented internally as a linked list consisting chiefly of "noads" (pronounced "no-adds"), to distinguish them from the somewhat similar "nodes" in hlists and vlists. Certain kinds of ordinary nodes are allowed to appear in mlists together with the noads; TEX tells the difference by means of the *type* field, since a noad's *type* is always greater than that of a node. An mlist does not contain character nodes, hlist nodes, vlist nodes, math nodes, ligature nodes, or unset nodes; in particular, each mlist item appears in the variable-size part of *mem*, so the *type* field is always present.

**681.** Each noad is four or more words long. The first word contains the *type* and *subtype* and *link* fields that are already so familiar to us; the second, third, and fourth words are called the noad's *nucleus*, *subscr*, and *supscr* fields.

Consider, for example, the simple formula ' $x^2$ ', which would be parsed into an mlist containing a single element called an  $ord\_noad$ . The nucleus of this noad is a representation of 'x', the subscr is empty, and the supscr is a representation of 'z'.

The *nucleus*, *subscr*, and *supscr* fields are further broken into subfields. If p points to a noad, and if q is one of its principal fields (e.g., q = subscr(p)), there are several possibilities for the subfields, depending on the  $math\_type$  of q.

 $math\_type(q) = math\_char$  means that fam(q) refers to one of the sixteen font families, and character(q) is the number of a character within a font of that family, as in a character node.

 $math\_type(q) = math\_text\_char$  is similar, but the character is unsubscripted and unsuperscripted and it is followed immediately by another character from the same font. (This  $math\_type$  setting appears only briefly during the processing; it is used to suppress unwanted italic corrections.)

 $math\_type(q) = empty$  indicates a field with no value (the corresponding attribute of noad p is not present).

 $math\_type(q) = sub\_box$  means that info(q) points to a box node (either an  $hlist\_node$  or a  $vlist\_node$ ) that should be used as the value of the field. The  $shift\_amount$  in the subsidiary box node is the amount by which that box will be shifted downward.

 $math\_type(q) = sub\_mlist$  means that info(q) points to an mlist; the mlist must be converted to an hlist in order to obtain the value of this field.

In the latter case, we might have info(q) = null. This is not the same as  $math\_type(q) = empty$ ; for example, '\$P\_{}\$' and '\$P\$' produce different results (the former will not have the "italic correction" added to the width of P, but the "script skip" will be added).

The definitions of subfields given here are evidently wasteful of space, since a halfword is being used for the *math\_type* although only three bits would be needed. However, there are hardly ever many noads present at once, since they are soon converted to nodes that take up even more space, so we can afford to represent them in whatever way simplifies the programming.

```
define noad\_size = 4 { number of words in a normal noad } define nucleus(\#) \equiv \#+1 { the nucleus field of a noad } define supscr(\#) \equiv \#+2 { the supscr field of a noad } define subscr(\#) \equiv \#+3 { the subscr field of a noad } define math\_type \equiv link { a halfword in mem } define fam \equiv font { a quarterword in mem } define math\_char = 1 { math\_type when the attribute is simple } define sub\_box = 2 { math\_type when the attribute is a box } define sub\_mlist = 3 { math\_type when the attribute is a formula } define math\_text\_char = 4 { math\_type when italic correction is dubious }
```

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**682.** Each portion of a formula is classified as Ord, Op, Bin, Rel, Open, Close, Punct, or Inner, for purposes of spacing and line breaking. An ord\_noad, op\_noad, bin\_noad, rel\_noad, open\_noad, close\_noad, punct\_noad, or inner\_noad is used to represent portions of the various types. For example, an '=' sign in a formula leads to the creation of a rel\_noad whose nucleus field is a representation of an equals sign (usually fam = 0, character = '75). A formula preceded by \mathrel also results in a rel\_noad. When a rel\_noad is followed by an op\_noad, say, and possibly separated by one or more ordinary nodes (not noads), TEX will insert a penalty node (with the current rel\_penalty) just after the formula that corresponds to the rel\_noad, unless there already was a penalty immediately following; and a "thick space" will be inserted just before the formula that corresponds to the op\_noad.

A noad of type  $ord\_noad$ ,  $op\_noad$ , ...,  $inner\_noad$  usually has a subtype = normal. The only exception is that an  $op\_noad$  might have subtype = limits or  $no\_limits$ , if the normal positioning of limits has been overridden for this operator.

```
define ord\_noad = unset\_node + 3 { type of a noad classified Ord } define op\_noad = ord\_noad + 1 { type of a noad classified Op } define bin\_noad = ord\_noad + 2 { type of a noad classified Bin } define rel\_noad = ord\_noad + 3 { type of a noad classified Rel } define open\_noad = ord\_noad + 4 { type of a noad classified Open } define close\_noad = ord\_noad + 5 { type of a noad classified Close } define punct\_noad = ord\_noad + 6 { type of a noad classified Punct } define inner\_noad = ord\_noad + 7 { type of a noad classified Inner } define limits = 1 { subtype of op\_noad whose scripts are to be above, below } define no\_limits = 2 { subtype of op\_noad whose scripts are to be normal }
```

 $\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv$ 

end;

**683.** A radical\_noad is five words long; the fifth word is the left\_delimiter field, which usually represents a square root sign.

A fraction\_noad is six words long; it has a right\_delimiter field as well as a left\_delimiter.

Delimiter fields are of type four\_quarters, and they have four subfields called small\_fam, small\_char, large\_fam, large\_char. These subfields represent variable-size delimiters by giving the "small" and "large" starting characters, as explained in Chapter 17 of The TFXbook.

A fraction\_noad is actually quite different from all other noads. Not only does it have six words, it has thickness, denominator, and numerator fields instead of nucleus, subscr, and supscr. The thickness is a scaled value that tells how thick to make a fraction rule; however, the special value default\_code is used to stand for the default\_rule\_thickness of the current size. The numerator and denominator point to mlists that define a fraction; we always have

```
math\_type(numerator) = math\_type(denominator) = sub\_mlist.
```

The *left\_delimiter* and *right\_delimiter* fields specify delimiters that will be placed at the left and right of the fraction. In this way, a *fraction\_noad* is able to represent all of TEX's operators \over, \atop, \above, \overwithdelims, \atopwithdelims, and \abovewithdelims.

**684.** The global variable  $empty\_field$  is set up for initialization of empty fields in new noads. Similarly,  $null\_delimiter$  is for the initialization of delimiter fields.

```
empty_field: two_halves;
null_delimiter: four_quarters;

685. ⟨Set initial values of key variables 21⟩ +≡
empty_field.rh ← empty; empty_field.lh ← null;
null_delimiter.b0 ← 0; null_delimiter.b1 ← min_quarterword;
null_delimiter.b2 ← 0; null_delimiter.b3 ← min_quarterword;

686. The new_noad function creates an ord_noad that is completely null.
function new_noad: pointer;
var p: pointer;
begin p ← get_node(noad_size); type(p) ← ord_noad; subtype(p) ← normal;
mem[nucleus(p)].hh ← empty_field; mem[subscr(p)].hh ← empty_field;
mem[supscr(p)].hh ← empty_field; new_noad ← p;
```

**687.** A few more kinds of noads will complete the set: An  $under_noad$  has its nucleus underlined; an  $over_noad$  has it overlined. An  $accent_noad$  places an accent over its nucleus; the accent character appears as  $fam(accent_chr(p))$  and  $character(accent_chr(p))$ . A  $vcenter_noad$  centers its nucleus vertically with respect to the axis of the formula; in such noads we always have  $math_type(nucleus(p)) = sub_box$ .

And finally, we have *left\_noad* and *right\_noad* types, to implement TeX's \left and \right. The *nucleus* of such noads is replaced by a *delimiter* field; thus, for example, '\left(' produces a *left\_noad* such that *delimiter(p)* holds the family and character codes for all left parentheses. A *left\_noad* never appears in an mlist except as the first element, and a *right\_noad* never appears in an mlist except as the last element; furthermore, we either have both a *left\_noad* and a *right\_noad*, or neither one is present. The *subscr* and *supscr* fields are always *empty* in a *left\_noad* and a *right\_noad*.

```
define under\_noad = fraction\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for underlining } \} define over\_noad = under\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for overlining } \} define accent\_noad = over\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for accented subformulas } \} define accent\_noad\_size = 5 \quad \{ \text{ number of } mem \text{ words in an accent noad } \} define accent\_chr(\#) \equiv \# + 4 \quad \{ \text{ the } accent\_chr \text{ field of an accent noad } \} define vcenter\_noad = accent\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for } \text{vcenter} \} define left\_noad = vcenter\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for } \text{left} \} define right\_noad = left\_noad + 1 \quad \{ type \text{ of a noad for } \text{right} \} define delimiter \equiv nucleus \quad \{ delimiter \text{ field in left and right noads } \} define scripts\_allowed(\#) \equiv (type(\#) \geq ord\_noad) \land (type(\#) < left\_noad)
```

**688.** Math formulas can also contain instructions like \textstyle that override TEX's normal style rules. A  $style\_node$  is inserted into the data structure to record such instructions; it is three words long, so it is considered a node instead of a noad. The subtype is either  $display\_style$  or  $text\_style$  or  $script\_style$ . The second and third words of a  $style\_node$  are not used, but they are present because a  $choice\_node$  is converted to a  $style\_node$ .

TEX uses even numbers 0, 2, 4, 6 to encode the basic styles  $display\_style$ , ...,  $script\_script\_style$ , and adds 1 to get the "cramped" versions of these styles. This gives a numerical order that is backwards from the convention of Appendix G in  $The\ TEXbook$ ; i.e., a smaller style has a larger numerical value.

```
define style\_node = unset\_node + 1 { type of a style node } define style\_node\_size = 3 { number of words in a style node } define <math>display\_style = 0 { subtype for \displaystyle } define text\_style = 2 { subtype for \textstyle } define script\_style = 4 { subtype for \scriptstyle } define script\_style = 6 { subtype for \scriptscriptstyle } define cramped = 1 { add this to an uncramped style if you want to cramp it } function new\_style(s:small\_number): pointer; { create a style node } var p: pointer; { the new node } var p: pointer; { var p: pointer;} {
```

Finally, the \mathchoice primitive creates a choice\_node, which has special subfields display\_mlist,  $text\_mlist$ ,  $script\_mlist$ , and  $script\_script\_mlist$  pointing to the mlists for each style.

```
define choice\_node = unset\_node + 2  { type of a choice node }
  define display\_mlist(\#) \equiv info(\# + 1) { mlist to be used in display style }
  define text\_mlist(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) { mlist to be used in text style }
  define script\_mlist(\#) \equiv info(\# + 2) { mlist to be used in script style }
  define script\_script\_mlist(\#) \equiv link(\#+2) { mlist to be used in scriptscript style }
function new_choice: pointer; { create a choice node }
  var p: pointer; { the new node }
  begin p \leftarrow get\_node(style\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow choice\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow 0;
        \{ \text{ the } subtype \text{ is not used } \}
  display\_mlist(p) \leftarrow null; text\_mlist(p) \leftarrow null; script\_mlist(p) \leftarrow null; script\_script\_mlist(p) \leftarrow null;
  new\_choice \leftarrow p;
  end;
```

**690.** Let's consider now the previously unwritten part of show\_node\_list that displays the things that can only be present in mlists; this program illustrates how to access the data structures just defined.

In the context of the following program, p points to a node or noad that should be displayed, and the current string contains the "recursion history" that leads to this point. The recursion history consists of a dot for each outer level in which p is subsidiary to some node, or in which p is subsidiary to the nucleus field of some noad; the dot is replaced by '\_' or '\' or '\' if p is descended from the subscr or supscr or denominator or numerator fields of noads. For example, the current string would be '.^.\_/' if p points to the  $ord\_noad$  for x in the (ridiculous) formula '\$\sqrt{a^{\mathbb{c}}e^x+y}}}'s'.

```
\langle \text{ Cases of } show\_node\_list \text{ that arise in mlists only } 690 \rangle \equiv
style\_node: print\_style(subtype(p));
choice_node: \langle \text{Display choice node } p 695 \rangle;
ord\_noad, op\_noad, bin\_noad, rel\_noad, open\_noad, close\_noad, punct\_noad,
        inner\_noad, radical\_noad, over\_noad, under\_noad, vcenter\_noad, accent\_noad, left\_noad, right\_noad:
        \langle \text{ Display normal noad } p 696 \rangle;
fraction\_noad: \langle Display fraction noad p 697 \rangle;
This code is used in section 183.
691. Here are some simple routines used in the display of noads.
\langle Declare procedures needed for displaying the elements of mlists 691 \rangle \equiv
```

```
procedure print_fam_and_char(p: pointer); { prints family and character }
  begin print\_esc("fam"); print\_int(fam(p)); print\_char("<math>\_"); print\_ASCII(qo(character(p)));
  end:
procedure print_delimiter(p: pointer); { prints a delimiter as 24-bit hex value }
  var a: integer; { accumulator }
  begin a \leftarrow small\_fam(p) * 256 + qo(small\_char(p));
  a \leftarrow a * "1000 + large\_fam(p) * 256 + qo(large\_char(p));
  if a < 0 then print_int(a) { this should never happen }
  else print_hex(a);
  end;
```

See also sections 692 and 694.

This code is used in section 179.

**692.** The next subroutine will descend to another level of recursion when a subsidiary mlist needs to be displayed. The parameter c indicates what character is to become part of the recursion history. An empty mlist is distinguished from a field with  $math\_type(p) = empty$ , because these are not equivalent (as explained above).

```
\langle Declare procedures needed for displaying the elements of mlists 691\rangle +\equiv
procedure show_info; forward;
                                    \{ show\_node\_list(info(temp\_ptr)) \}
procedure print_subsidiary_data(p: pointer; c: ASCII_code); { display a noad field }
  begin if cur\_length \ge depth\_threshold then
    begin if math\_type(p) \neq empty then print(" [ ] ");
    end
  else begin append\_char(c); {include c in the recursion history}
    temp\_ptr \leftarrow p; { prepare for show\_info if recursion is needed }
    case math\_type(p) of
    math_char: begin print_ln; print_current_string; print_fam_and_char(p);
       end:
    sub_box: show_info; { recursive call }
    sub\_mlist: if info(p) = null then
         begin print_ln; print_current_string; print("{}");
         end
       else show_info; { recursive call }
    othercases do_nothing { empty }
    endcases;
    flush\_char; { remove c from the recursion history }
    end;
  end:
```

**693.** The inelegant introduction of *show\_info* in the code above seems better than the alternative of using Pascal's strange *forward* declaration for a procedure with parameters. The Pascal convention about dropping parameters from a post-*forward* procedure is, frankly, so intolerable to the author of T<sub>E</sub>X that he would rather stoop to communication via a global temporary variable. (A similar stoopidity occurred with respect to *hlist\_out* and *vlist\_out* above, and it will occur with respect to *mlist\_to\_hlist* below.)

```
procedure show_info; { the reader will kindly forgive this }
  begin show_node_list(info(temp_ptr));
  end;
```

**694.**  $\langle$  Declare procedures needed for displaying the elements of mlists 691  $\rangle +\equiv$  **procedure**  $print\_style(c:integer);$ 

```
begin case c \operatorname{div} 2 of

0: print\_esc("displaystyle"); \{display\_style = 0\}

1: print\_esc("textstyle"); \{text\_style = 2\}

2: print\_esc("scriptstyle"); \{script\_style = 4\}

3: print\_esc("scriptscriptstyle"); \{script\_script\_style = 6\}

othercases print("Unknown\_style!")

endcases;

end;
```

```
695.
       \langle \text{ Display choice node } p \text{ 695} \rangle \equiv
  begin print_esc("mathchoice"); append_char("D"); show_node_list(display_mlist(p)); flush_char;
  append_char("T"); show_node_list(text_mlist(p)); flush_char; append_char("S");
  show\_node\_list(script\_mlist(p)); \ flush\_char; \ append\_char("s"); \ show\_node\_list(script\_script\_mlist(p));
  flush\_char;
  end
This code is used in section 690.
696. \langle \text{ Display normal noad } p \text{ 696} \rangle \equiv
  begin case type(p) of
  ord_noad: print_esc("mathord");
  op_noad: print_esc("mathop");
  bin_noad: print_esc("mathbin");
  rel_noad: print_esc("mathrel");
  open_noad: print_esc("mathopen");
  close_noad: print_esc("mathclose");
  punct_noad: print_esc("mathpunct");
  inner_noad: print_esc("mathinner");
  over_noad: print_esc("overline");
  under_noad: print_esc("underline");
  vcenter_noad: print_esc("vcenter");
  radical_noad: begin print_esc("radical"); print_delimiter(left_delimiter(p));
    end;
  accent_noad: begin print_esc("accent"); print_fam_and_char(accent_chr(p));
  left_noad: begin print_esc("left"); print_delimiter(delimiter(p));
  right_noad: begin print_esc("right"); print_delimiter(delimiter(p));
    end;
  end;
  if subtype(p) \neq normal then
    if subtype(p) = limits then print_esc("limits")
    else print_esc("nolimits");
  if type(p) < left_noad then print_subsidiary_data(nucleus(p), ".");
  print\_subsidiary\_data(supscr(p), "`"); print\_subsidiary\_data(subscr(p), "\_");
  end
This code is used in section 690.
```

This code is used in section 202.

```
697.
        \langle \text{ Display fraction noad } p \text{ 697} \rangle \equiv
  begin print_esc("fraction, _thickness_");
  if thickness(p) = default\_code then print("=\_default")
  else print\_scaled(thickness(p));
  if (small\_fam(left\_delimiter(p)) \neq 0) \lor (small\_char(left\_delimiter(p)) \neq min\_quarterword) \lor
       (large\_fam(left\_delimiter(p)) \neq 0) \vee (large\_char(left\_delimiter(p)) \neq min\_quarterword) then
  begin print(", left-delimiter_l"); print_delimiter(left_delimiter(p));
  end;
  if (small\_fam(right\_delimiter(p)) \neq 0) \lor (small\_char(right\_delimiter(p)) \neq min\_quarterword) \lor
          (large\_fam(right\_delimiter(p)) \neq 0) \lor (large\_char(right\_delimiter(p)) \neq min\_quarterword) then
     begin print(", __right-delimiter__"); print_delimiter(right_delimiter(p));
     end;
  print\_subsidiary\_data(numerator(p), "\"); print\_subsidiary\_data(denominator(p), "\");
  end
This code is used in section 690.
       That which can be displayed can also be destroyed.
\langle \text{ Cases of } flush\_node\_list \text{ that arise in mlists only } 698 \rangle \equiv
style_node: begin free_node(p, style_node_size); goto done;
choice\_node: begin flush\_node\_list(display\_mlist(p)); flush\_node\_list(text\_mlist(p));
  flush\_node\_list(script\_mlist(p)); flush\_node\_list(script\_script\_mlist(p)); free\_node(p, style\_node\_size);
  goto done;
  end:
ord\_noad, op\_noad, bin\_noad, rel\_noad, open\_noad, close\_noad, punct\_noad, inner\_noad, radical\_noad,
       over_noad, under_noad, vcenter_noad, accent_noad:
  begin if math\_type(nucleus(p)) \ge sub\_box then flush\_node\_list(info(nucleus(p)));
  if math\_type(supscr(p)) \ge sub\_box then flush\_node\_list(info(supscr(p)));
  if math\_type(subscr(p)) \ge sub\_box then flush\_node\_list(info(subscr(p)));
  if type(p) = radical\_noad then free\_node(p, radical\_noad\_size)
  else if type(p) = accent\_noad then free\_node(p, accent\_noad\_size)
     \mathbf{else}\; free\_node(p,noad\_size);
  goto done;
  end:
left_noad, right_noad: begin free_node(p, noad_size); goto done;
fraction\_noad: \mathbf{begin} \ flush\_node\_list(info(numerator(p))); \ flush\_node\_list(info(denominator(p)));
  free_node(p, fraction_noad_size); goto done;
  end:
```

**699.** Subroutines for math mode. In order to convert mlists to hlists, i.e., noads to nodes, we need several subroutines that are conveniently dealt with now.

Let us first introduce the macros that make it easy to get at the parameters and other font information. A size code, which is a multiple of 16, is added to a family number to get an index into the table of internal font numbers for each combination of family and size. (Be alert: Size codes get larger as the type gets smaller.)

```
define text\_size = 0 { size code for the largest size in a family } define script\_size = 16 { size code for the medium size in a family } define script\_script\_size = 32 { size code for the smallest size in a family } \langle Basic printing procedures 57 \rangle + \equiv procedure print\_size(s:integer); begin if s = text\_size then print\_esc("textfont") else if s = script\_size then print\_esc("scriptfont") else print\_esc("scriptscriptfont"); end;
```

700. Before an mlist is converted to an hlist, TeX makes sure that the fonts in family 2 have enough parameters to be math-symbol fonts, and that the fonts in family 3 have enough parameters to be math-extension fonts. The math-symbol parameters are referred to by using the following macros, which take a size code as their parameter; for example,  $num1(cur\_size)$  gives the value of the num1 parameter for the current size.

```
define mathsy\_end(\#) \equiv fam\_fnt(2 + \#) \mid .sc
\mathbf{define}\ \mathit{mathsy}(\mathbf{\#}) \equiv \mathit{font\_info}\ [\ \mathbf{\#} + \mathit{param\_base}\ [\ \mathit{mathsy\_end}
define math_x height \equiv mathsy(5) { height of 'x'}
define math\_quad \equiv mathsy(6)  { 18mu }
define num1 \equiv mathsy(8) { numerator shift-up in display styles }
define num2 \equiv mathsy(9)
                               { numerator shift-up in non-display, non-\atop }
define num3 \equiv mathsy(10)
                                { numerator shift-up in non-display \atop }
define denom1 \equiv mathsy(11) { denominator shift-down in display styles }
define denom2 \equiv mathsy(12)
                                  { denominator shift-down in non-display styles }
define sup1 \equiv mathsy(13)
                                { superscript shift-up in uncramped display style }
define sup2 \equiv mathsy(14)
                                { superscript shift-up in uncramped non-display }
                                { superscript shift-up in cramped styles }
define sup3 \equiv mathsy(15)
define sub1 \equiv mathsy(16)
                                { subscript shift-down if superscript is absent }
define sub2 \equiv mathsy(17)
                                { subscript shift-down if superscript is present }
define sup\_drop \equiv mathsy(18)
                                    { superscript baseline below top of large box }
define sub\_drop \equiv mathsy(19)
                                   { subscript baseline below bottom of large box }
define delim1 \equiv mathsy(20) { size of \atopwithdelims delimiters in display styles }
define delim2 \equiv mathsy(21) { size of \atopwithdelims delimiters in non-displays }
define axis\_height \equiv mathsy(22)
                                      { height of fraction lines above the baseline }
define total\_mathsy\_params = 22
```

701. The math-extension parameters have similar macros, but the size code is omitted (since it is always cur\_size when we refer to such parameters).

```
define mathex(\#) \equiv font\_info[\# + param\_base[fam\_fnt(3 + cur\_size)]].sc define default\_rule\_thickness \equiv mathex(8) { thickness of \over bars } define big\_op\_spacing1 \equiv mathex(9) { minimum clearance above a displayed op } define big\_op\_spacing2 \equiv mathex(10) { minimum clearance below a displayed op } define big\_op\_spacing3 \equiv mathex(11) { minimum baselineskip above displayed op } define big\_op\_spacing4 \equiv mathex(12) { minimum baselineskip below displayed op } define big\_op\_spacing5 \equiv mathex(13) { padding above and below displayed limits } define total\_mathex\_params = 13
```

**702.** We also need to compute the change in style between mlists and their subsidiaries. The following macros define the subsidiary style for an overlined nucleus (*cramped\_style*), for a subscript or a superscript (*sub\_style* or *sup\_style*), or for a numerator or denominator (*num\_style* or *denom\_style*).

```
define cramped\_style(\#) \equiv 2*(\# \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2) + cramped \quad \{ \operatorname{cramp the style} \}

define sub\_style(\#) \equiv 2*(\# \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 4) + script\_style + cramped \quad \{ \operatorname{smaller and cramped} \}

define sup\_style(\#) \equiv 2*(\# \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 4) + script\_style + (\# \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} 2) \quad \{ \operatorname{smaller} \}

define num\_style(\#) \equiv \# + 2 - 2*(\# \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 2) + cramped + 2 - 2*(\# \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 6) \quad \{ \operatorname{smaller, cramped} \}
```

**703.** When the style changes, the following piece of program computes associated information:

```
\langle Set up the values of cur\_size and cur\_mu, based on cur\_style 703 \rangle \equiv begin if cur\_style < script\_style then cur\_size \leftarrow text\_size else cur\_size \leftarrow 16 * ((cur\_style - text\_style) \text{ div } 2); cur\_mu \leftarrow x\_over\_n(math\_quad(cur\_size), 18); end
```

This code is used in sections 720, 726, 730, 754, 760, and 763.

**704.** Here is a function that returns a pointer to a rule node having a given thickness t. The rule will extend horizontally to the boundary of the vlist that eventually contains it.

```
function fraction\_rule(t:scaled): pointer; { construct the bar for a fraction } var p: pointer; { the new node } begin p \leftarrow new\_rule; height(p) \leftarrow t; depth(p) \leftarrow 0; fraction\_rule \leftarrow p; end;
```

**705.** The *overbar* function returns a pointer to a vlist box that consists of a given box b, above which has been placed a kern of height k under a fraction rule of thickness t under additional space of height t.

```
function overbar(b:pointer; k, t:scaled): pointer;

\mathbf{var}\ p, q:\ pointer; { nodes being constructed }

\mathbf{begin}\ p \leftarrow new\_kern(k);\ link(p) \leftarrow b;\ q \leftarrow fraction\_rule(t);\ link(q) \leftarrow p;\ p \leftarrow new\_kern(t);\ link(p) \leftarrow q;

overbar \leftarrow vpack(p,natural);

\mathbf{end};
```

(Declare subprocedures for var\_delimiter 709)

**706.** The  $var\_delimiter$  function, which finds or constructs a sufficiently large delimiter, is the most interesting of the auxiliary functions that currently concern us. Given a pointer d to a delimiter field in some noad, together with a size code s and a vertical distance v, this function returns a pointer to a box that contains the smallest variant of d whose height plus depth is v or more. (And if no variant is large enough, it returns the largest available variant.) In particular, this routine will construct arbitrarily large delimiters from extensible components, if d leads to such characters.

The value returned is a box whose *shift\_amount* has been set so that the box is vertically centered with respect to the axis in the given size. If a built-up symbol is returned, the height of the box before shifting will be the height of its topmost component.

```
function var\_delimiter(d:pointer; s:small\_number; v:scaled): pointer;
  label found, continue;
  var b: pointer; { the box that will be constructed }
     f, g: internal_font_number; { best-so-far and tentative font codes }
     c, x, y: quarterword; { best-so-far and tentative character codes }
     m, n: integer; { the number of extensible pieces }
                 { height-plus-depth of a tentative character }
     u: scaled:
     w: scaled; { largest height-plus-depth so far }
     q: four_quarters; { character info }
     hd: eight_bits; { height-depth byte }
     r: four_quarters; { extensible pieces }
     z: small_number; { runs through font family members }
     large_attempt: boolean; { are we trying the "large" variant? }
  begin f \leftarrow null\_font; w \leftarrow 0; large\_attempt \leftarrow false; z \leftarrow small\_fam(d); x \leftarrow small\_char(d);
  loop begin (Look at the variants of (z, x); set f and c whenever a better character is found; goto
         found as soon as a large enough variant is encountered 707);
     if large_attempt then goto found; { there were none large enough }
     large\_attempt \leftarrow true; \ z \leftarrow large\_fam(d); \ x \leftarrow large\_char(d);
found: if f \neq null-font then (Make variable b point to a box for (f,c) 710)
  else begin b \leftarrow new\_null\_box; width(b) \leftarrow null\_delimiter\_space;
          { use this width if no delimiter was found }
  shift\_amount(b) \leftarrow half(height(b) - depth(b)) - axis\_height(s); var\_delimiter \leftarrow b;
  end;
707. The search process is complicated slightly by the facts that some of the characters might not be
present in some of the fonts, and they might not be probed in increasing order of height.
Look at the variants of (z,x); set f and c whenever a better character is found; goto found as soon as a
       large enough variant is encountered 707 \ge 
  if (z \neq 0) \lor (x \neq min\_quarterword) then
     begin z \leftarrow z + s + 16;
     repeat z \leftarrow z - 16; q \leftarrow fam_{-}fnt(z);
       if q \neq null-font then (Look at the list of characters starting with x in font q; set f and c whenever
              a better character is found; goto found as soon as a large enough variant is encountered 708);
     until z < 16;
     end
This code is used in section 706.
```

**708.**  $\langle$  Look at the list of characters starting with x in font g; set f and c whenever a better character is found; **goto** found as soon as a large enough variant is encountered  $708 \rangle \equiv$ 

```
begin y \leftarrow x;
if (qo(y) \ge font\_bc[g]) \land (qo(y) \le font\_ec[g]) then
  begin continue: q \leftarrow char\_info(g)(y);
  if char\_exists(q) then
     begin if char_{-}tag(q) = ext_{-}tag then
        begin f \leftarrow g; c \leftarrow y; goto found;
     hd \leftarrow height\_depth(q); \ u \leftarrow char\_height(g)(hd) + char\_depth(g)(hd);
     if u > w then
        begin f \leftarrow g; c \leftarrow y; w \leftarrow u;
        if u \ge v then goto found;
        end;
     if char_{-}tag(q) = list_{-}tag then
        begin y \leftarrow rem\_byte(q); goto continue;
        end:
     end:
  end;
end
```

This code is used in section 707.

**709.** Here is a subroutine that creates a new box, whose list contains a single character, and whose width includes the italic correction for that character. The height or depth of the box will be negative, if the height or depth of the character is negative; thus, this routine may deliver a slightly different result than hpack would produce.

```
⟨ Declare subprocedures for var\_delimiter 709⟩ ≡ function char\_box(f:internal\_font\_number; c:quarterword): pointer; var q:four\_quarters; hd:eight\_bits; { height\_depth byte } b,p:pointer; { the new box and its character node } begin q \leftarrow char\_info(f)(c); hd \leftarrow height\_depth(q); b \leftarrow new\_null\_box; width(b) \leftarrow char\_width(f)(q) + char\_italic(f)(q); height(b) \leftarrow char\_height(f)(hd); depth(b) \leftarrow char\_depth(f)(hd); p \leftarrow get\_avail; character(p) \leftarrow c; font(p) \leftarrow f; list\_ptr(b) \leftarrow p; char\_box \leftarrow b; end;
```

See also sections 711 and 712.

This code is used in section 706.

**710.** When the following code is executed,  $char_{-}tag(q)$  will be equal to  $ext_{-}tag$  if and only if a built-up symbol is supposed to be returned.

```
\langle Make variable b point to a box for (f,c) 710\rangle \equiv

if char\_tag(q) = ext\_tag then

\langle Construct an extensible character in a new box b, using recipe rem\_byte(q) and font f 713\rangle else b \leftarrow char\_box(f,c)

This code is used in section 706.
```

end

This code is used in section 710.

**711.** When we build an extensible character, it's handy to have the following subroutine, which puts a given character on top of the characters already in box b:

```
\langle Declare subprocedures for var\_delimiter 709\rangle +\equiv
procedure stack_into_box(b : pointer; f : internal_font_number; c : quarterword);
  var p: pointer; { new node placed into b }
  begin p \leftarrow char\_box(f,c); link(p) \leftarrow list\_ptr(b); list\_ptr(b) \leftarrow p; height(b) \leftarrow height(p);
  end;
712.
       Another handy subroutine computes the height plus depth of a given character:
\langle Declare subprocedures for var\_delimiter 709\rangle +\equiv
function height\_plus\_depth(f:internal\_font\_number; c:quarterword): scaled;
  var q: four_quarters; hd: eight_bits; { height_depth byte }
  begin q \leftarrow char\_info(f)(c); hd \leftarrow height\_depth(q);
  height\_plus\_depth \leftarrow char\_height(f)(hd) + char\_depth(f)(hd);
  end;
713. (Construct an extensible character in a new box b, using recipe rem_byte(q) and font f 713) \equiv
  \mathbf{begin}\ b \leftarrow new\_null\_box;\ type(b) \leftarrow vlist\_node;\ r \leftarrow font\_info[exten\_base[f] + rem\_byte(q)].qqqq;
  \langle Compute the minimum suitable height, w, and the corresponding number of extension steps, n; also set
        width(b) 714\rangle;
  c \leftarrow ext\_bot(r);
  if c \neq min\_quarterword then stack\_into\_box(b, f, c);
  c \leftarrow ext\_rep(r);
  for m \leftarrow 1 to n do stack\_into\_box(b, f, c);
  c \leftarrow ext\_mid(r);
  if c \neq min\_quarterword then
     begin stack\_into\_box(b, f, c); c \leftarrow ext\_rep(r);
     for m \leftarrow 1 to n do stack\_into\_box(b, f, c);
     end:
  c \leftarrow ext\_top(r);
  if c \neq min\_quarterword then stack\_into\_box(b, f, c);
  depth(b) \leftarrow w - height(b);
```

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**714.** The width of an extensible character is the width of the repeatable module. If this module does not have positive height plus depth, we don't use any copies of it, otherwise we use as few as possible (in groups of two if there is a middle part).

```
 \langle \text{Compute the minimum suitable height}, \ w, \text{ and the corresponding number of extension steps}, \ n; \text{ also set}  width(b) \ 714 \rangle \equiv  c \leftarrow ext\_rep(r); \ u \leftarrow height\_plus\_depth(f,c); \ w \leftarrow 0; \ q \leftarrow char\_info(f)(c);  width(b) \leftarrow char\_width(f)(q) + char\_italic(f)(q);  c \leftarrow ext\_bot(r); \ \textbf{if} \ c \neq min\_quarterword \ \textbf{then} \ w \leftarrow w + height\_plus\_depth(f,c);  c \leftarrow ext\_mid(r); \ \textbf{if} \ c \neq min\_quarterword \ \textbf{then} \ w \leftarrow w + height\_plus\_depth(f,c);  c \leftarrow ext\_top(r); \ \textbf{if} \ c \neq min\_quarterword \ \textbf{then} \ w \leftarrow w + height\_plus\_depth(f,c);  n \leftarrow 0;  n \leftarrow 0;
```

This code is used in section 713.

**715.** The next subroutine is much simpler; it is used for numerators and denominators of fractions as well as for displayed operators and their limits above and below. It takes a given box b and changes it so that the new box is centered in a box of width w. The centering is done by putting \hss glue at the left and right of the list inside b, then packaging the new box; thus, the actual box might not really be centered, if it already contains infinite glue.

The given box might contain a single character whose italic correction has been added to the width of the box; in this case a compensating kern is inserted.

```
function rebox(b:pointer; w:scaled): pointer;
  var p: pointer; { temporary register for list manipulation }
     f: internal_font_number; { font in a one-character box }
     v: scaled; { width of a character without italic correction }
  begin if (width(b) \neq w) \land (list\_ptr(b) \neq null) then
     begin if type(b) = vlist\_node then b \leftarrow hpack(b, natural);
     p \leftarrow list\_ptr(b);
     if (is\_char\_node(p)) \land (link(p) = null) then
        begin f \leftarrow font(p); \ v \leftarrow char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(p)));
        if v \neq width(b) then link(p) \leftarrow new\_kern(width(b) - v);
        end:
     free\_node(b, box\_node\_size); b \leftarrow new\_glue(ss\_glue); link(b) \leftarrow p;
     while link(p) \neq null do p \leftarrow link(p);
     link(p) \leftarrow new\_glue(ss\_glue); rebox \leftarrow hpack(b, w, exactly);
  else begin width(b) \leftarrow w; rebox \leftarrow b;
     end:
  end;
```

716. Here is a subroutine that creates a new glue specification from another one that is expressed in 'mu', given the value of the math unit.

```
define mu\_mult(\#) \equiv nx\_plus\_y(n, \#, xn\_over\_d(\#, f, `200000))
function math\_glue(g:pointer; m:scaled): pointer;
  var p: pointer; { the new glue specification }
     n: integer; \{integer part of m\}
     f: scaled; \{ fraction part of m \} 
  begin n \leftarrow x\_over\_n(m, 200000); f \leftarrow remainder;
  if f < 0 then
     begin decr(n); f \leftarrow f + 200000;
     end:
  p \leftarrow get\_node(glue\_spec\_size); \ width(p) \leftarrow mu\_mult(width(g)); \ \{convert \ mu \ to \ pt \}
  stretch\_order(p) \leftarrow stretch\_order(g);
  if stretch\_order(p) = normal then stretch(p) \leftarrow mu\_mult(stretch(g))
  else stretch(p) \leftarrow stretch(g);
  shrink\_order(p) \leftarrow shrink\_order(g);
  if shrink\_order(p) = normal then shrink(p) \leftarrow mu\_mult(shrink(g))
  else shrink(p) \leftarrow shrink(g);
  math\_glue \leftarrow p;
  end;
717. The math_kern subroutine removes mu_qlue from a kern node, given the value of the math unit.
procedure math\_kern(p:pointer; m:scaled);
  var n: integer; { integer part of m }
     f: scaled; \{ fraction part of m \} 
  begin if subtype(p) = mu\_glue then
     begin n \leftarrow x\_over\_n(m, '200000); f \leftarrow remainder;
     if f < 0 then
       begin decr(n); f \leftarrow f + 2000000;
       end;
     width(p) \leftarrow mu\_mult(width(p)); subtype(p) \leftarrow explicit;
     end:
  end;
718. Sometimes it is necessary to destroy an mlist. The following subroutine empties the current list,
assuming that abs(mode) = mmode.
procedure flush_math;
  begin flush\_node\_list(link(head)); flush\_node\_list(incompleat\_noad); link(head) \leftarrow null; tail \leftarrow head;
  incompleat\_noad \leftarrow null;
  end;
```

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719. Typesetting math formulas. TEX's most important routine for dealing with formulas is called mlist\_to\_hlist. After a formula has been scanned and represented as an mlist, this routine converts it to an hlist that can be placed into a box or incorporated into the text of a paragraph. There are three implicit parameters, passed in global variables: cur\_mlist points to the first node or noad in the given mlist (and it might be null); cur\_style is a style code; and mlist\_penalties is true if penalty nodes for potential line breaks are to be inserted into the resulting hlist. After mlist\_to\_hlist has acted, link(temp\_head) points to the translated hlist.

Since mlists can be inside mlists, the procedure is recursive. And since this is not part of TeX's inner loop, the program has been written in a manner that stresses compactness over efficiency.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv cur\_mlist: pointer; { beginning of mlist to be translated } cur\_style: small\_number; { style code at current place in the list } cur\_size: small\_number; { size code corresponding to cur\_style } cur\_mu: scaled; { the math unit width corresponding to cur\_size } mlist\_penalties: boolean; { should mlist\_to\_hlist insert penalties? }
```

**720.** The recursion in *mlist\_to\_hlist* is due primarily to a subroutine called *clean\_box* that puts a given noad field into a box using a given math style; *mlist\_to\_hlist* can call *clean\_box*, which can call *mlist\_to\_hlist*. The box returned by *clean\_box* is "clean" in the sense that its *shift\_amount* is zero.

```
procedure mlist_to_hlist; forward;
function clean_box(p : pointer; s : small_number): pointer;
  label found;
  var q: pointer; { beginning of a list to be boxed }
     save_style: small_number; { cur_style to be restored }
     x: pointer; \{ box to be returned \}
     r: pointer; { temporary pointer }
  begin case math\_type(p) of
  math\_char: begin cur\_mlist \leftarrow new\_noad; mem[nucleus(cur\_mlist)] \leftarrow mem[p];
  sub\_box: begin q \leftarrow info(p); goto found;
  sub\_mlist: cur\_mlist \leftarrow info(p);
  othercases begin q \leftarrow new\_null\_box; goto found;
     end
  endcases:
  save\_style \leftarrow cur\_style; \ cur\_style \leftarrow s; \ mlist\_penalties \leftarrow false;
  mlist\_to\_hlist; \ q \leftarrow link(temp\_head); \ \{ recursive call \}
  cur\_style \leftarrow save\_style; { restore the style }
  \langle Set up the values of cur_size and cur_mu, based on cur_style 703\rangle;
found: if is\_char\_node(q) \lor (q = null) then x \leftarrow hpack(q, natural)
  else if (link(q) = null) \land (type(q) \le vlist\_node) \land (shift\_amount(q) = 0) then x \leftarrow q
             { it's already clean }
     else x \leftarrow hpack(q, natural);
  (Simplify a trivial box 721);
  clean\_box \leftarrow x;
  end;
```

 $\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv$ 

cur\_f: internal\_font\_number; { the font field of a math\_char } cur\_c: quarterword; { the character field of a math\_char }

cur\_i: four\_quarters; { the char\_info of a math\_char, or a lig/kern instruction }

```
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        Here we save memory space in a common case.
\langle \text{Simplify a trivial box } 721 \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow list\_ptr(x);
  if is\_char\_node(q) then
     begin r \leftarrow link(q);
     if r \neq null then
       if link(r) = null then
          if \neg is\_char\_node(r) then
             if type(r) = kern\_node then { unneeded italic correction }
               begin free\_node(r, small\_node\_size); link(q) \leftarrow null;
               end:
     end
This code is used in section 720.
722. It is convenient to have a procedure that converts a math_char field to an "unpacked" form. The
fetch routine sets cur_f, cur_c, and cur_i to the font code, character code, and character information bytes
of a given noad field. It also takes care of issuing error messages for nonexistent characters; in such cases,
char_exists(cur_i) will be false after fetch has acted, and the field will also have been reset to empty.
procedure fetch(a:pointer); { unpack the math\_char field a }
  begin cur\_c \leftarrow character(a); cur\_f \leftarrow fam\_fnt(fam(a) + cur\_size);
  if cur_f = null\_font then \langle Complain about an undefined family and set <math>cur_i null 723\rangle
  else begin if (qo(cur_c) \geq font_bc[cur_f]) \wedge (qo(cur_c) \leq font_ec[cur_f]) then
        cur_{-i} \leftarrow char_{-info}(cur_{-f})(cur_{-c})
     else cur_i \leftarrow null\_character;
     if \neg(char\_exists(cur\_i)) then
       begin char\_warning(cur\_f, qo(cur\_c)); math\_type(a) \leftarrow empty; cur\_i \leftarrow null\_character;
       end;
     end;
  end;
        \langle Complain about an undefined family and set cur_i null 723\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err(""); print_size(cur_size); print_char("\( \) "); print_int(fam(a));
  print("\_is\_undefined\_(character\_"); print\_ASCII(qo(cur\_c)); print\_char(")");
  help4 ("Somewhere_in_the_math_formula_just_ended,_you_used_the")
  ("stated_{\sqcup}character_{\sqcup}from_{\sqcup}an_{\sqcup}undefined_{\sqcup}font_{\sqcup}family._{\sqcup}For_{\sqcup}example,")
  ("plain_TeX_doesn t_allow_\it_or_\sl_in_subscripts._Proceed,")
  ("and \sqcup I \cap I \sqcup try \sqcup to \sqcup forget \sqcup that \sqcup I \sqcup needed \sqcup that \sqcup character."); error; cur_i \leftarrow null\_character;
  math\_type(a) \leftarrow empty;
  end
This code is used in section 722.
       The outputs of fetch are placed in global variables.
```

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725. We need to do a lot of different things, so mlist\_to\_hlist makes two passes over the given mlist.

The first pass does most of the processing: It removes "mu" spacing from glue, it recursively evaluates all subsidiary mlists so that only the top-level mlist remains to be handled, it puts fractions and square roots and such things into boxes, it attaches subscripts and superscripts, and it computes the overall height and depth of the top-level mlist so that the size of delimiters for a *left\_noad* and a *right\_noad* will be known. The hlist resulting from each noad is recorded in that noad's *new\_hlist* field, an integer field that replaces the *nucleus* or *thickness*.

The second pass eliminates all noads and inserts the correct glue and penalties between nodes.

```
define new\_hlist(\#) \equiv mem[nucleus(\#)].int  { the translation of an mlist }
```

```
Here is the overall plan of mlist_to_hlist, and the list of its local variables.
  define done\_with\_noad = 80 { go here when a noad has been fully translated }
  define done\_with\_node = 81 { go here when a node has been fully converted }
  define check\_dimensions = 82 { go here to update max\_h and max\_d }
  define delete_q = 83 { go here to delete q and move to the next node }
(Declare math construction procedures 734)
procedure mlist_to_hlist;
  {\bf label}\ \it reswitch, check\_dimensions, done\_with\_noad, done\_with\_node, delete\_q, done;
  var mlist: pointer; { beginning of the given list }
     penalties: boolean; { should penalty nodes be inserted? }
     style: small_number; { the given style }
     save_style: small_number; { holds cur_style during recursion }
     q: pointer; { runs through the mlist }
     r: pointer; { the most recent noad preceding q }
     r_{type}: small_number; { the type of noad r, or op_noad if r = null }
     t: small_number; { the effective type of noad q during the second pass }
     p, x, y, z: pointer; { temporary registers for list construction }
     pen: integer; { a penalty to be inserted }
     s: small_number; { the size of a noad to be deleted }
     max_h, max_d: scaled; { maximum height and depth of the list translated so far }
     delta: scaled; { offset between subscript and superscript }
  begin mlist \leftarrow cur\_mlist; penalties \leftarrow mlist\_penalties; style \leftarrow cur\_style;
       { tuck global parameters away as local variables }
  q \leftarrow mlist; \ r \leftarrow null; \ r\_type \leftarrow op\_noad; \ max\_h \leftarrow 0; \ max\_d \leftarrow 0;
  \langle Set up the values of cur_size and cur_mu, based on cur_style 703\rangle;
  while q \neq null do (Process node-or-noad q as much as possible in preparation for the second pass of
          mlist\_to\_hlist, then move to the next item in the mlist 727\rangle;
  \langle \text{Convert a final } bin\_noad \text{ to an } ord\_noad \text{ } 729 \rangle;
  (Make a second pass over the mlist, removing all noads and inserting the proper spacing and
       penalties 760);
  end;
```

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rel\_noad, close\_noad, punct\_noad, right\_noad: begin

 $\langle \text{Convert a final } bin\_noad \text{ to an } ord\_noad \text{ } 729 \rangle;$ 

if  $type(q) = right\_noad$  then goto  $done\_with\_noad$ ; end:

(Cases for noads that can follow a bin\_noad 733)

(Cases for nodes that can appear in an mlist, after which we goto done\_with\_node 730) othercases confusion("mlist1")

endcases;

endcases;

 $\langle \text{Convert } nucleus(q) \text{ to an hlist and attach the sub/superscripts 754} \rangle$ This code is used in section 727.

**729.**  $\langle \text{Convert a final } bin\_noad \text{ to an } ord\_noad \text{ 729} \rangle \equiv$ if  $r\_type = bin\_noad$  then  $type(r) \leftarrow ord\_noad$ 

This code is used in sections 726 and 728.

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This code is used in section 730.

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730.
        \langle Cases for nodes that can appear in an mlist, after which we goto done_with_node 730 \rangle
style\_node: begin cur\_style \leftarrow subtype(q);
  \langle Set up the values of cur_size and cur_mu, based on cur_style 703\rangle;
  goto done_with_node;
  end;
choice_node: (Change this node to a style node followed by the correct choice, then goto
       done\_with\_node 731;
ins_node, mark_node, adjust_node, whatsit_node, penalty_node, disc_node: goto done_with_node;
rule\_node: begin if height(q) > max\_h then max\_h \leftarrow height(q);
  if depth(q) > max_d then max_d \leftarrow depth(q);
  goto done_with_node;
  end;
glue_node: begin (Convert math glue to ordinary glue 732);
  goto done_with_node;
  end:
kern_node: begin math_kern(q, cur_mu); goto done_with_node;
  end:
This code is used in section 728.
       define choose\_mlist(\#) \equiv
            begin p \leftarrow \#(q); \#(q) \leftarrow null; end
\langle Change this node to a style node followed by the correct choice, then goto done_with_node 731\rangle
  begin case cur_style div 2 of
  0: choose\_mlist(display\_mlist); { display\_style = 0 }
  1: choose\_mlist(text\_mlist); { text\_style = 2 }
  2: choose\_mlist(script\_mlist); { script\_style = 4 }
  3: choose_mlist(script_script_mlist); { script_script_style = 6 }
  end; { there are no other cases }
  flush\_node\_list(display\_mlist(q)); \ flush\_node\_list(text\_mlist(q)); \ flush\_node\_list(script\_mlist(q));
  flush\_node\_list(script\_script\_mlist(q));
  type(q) \leftarrow style\_node; \ subtype(q) \leftarrow cur\_style; \ width(q) \leftarrow 0; \ depth(q) \leftarrow 0;
  if p \neq null then
     begin z \leftarrow link(q); link(q) \leftarrow p;
     while link(p) \neq null do p \leftarrow link(p);
    link(p) \leftarrow z;
    end;
  goto done_with_node;
  end
```

This code is used in section 726.

**732.** Conditional math glue ('\nonscript') results in a  $glue\_node$  pointing to  $zero\_glue$ , with  $subtype(q) = cond\_math\_glue$ ; in such a case the node following will be eliminated if it is a glue or kern node and if the current size is different from  $text\_size$ . Unconditional math glue ('\muskip') is converted to normal glue by multiplying the dimensions by  $cur\_mu$ .

```
\langle Convert math glue to ordinary glue 732\rangle \equiv
  if subtype(q) = mu\_glue then
     begin x \leftarrow glue\_ptr(q); \ y \leftarrow math\_glue(x, cur\_mu); \ delete\_glue\_ref(x); \ glue\_ptr(q) \leftarrow y;
     subtype(q) \leftarrow normal;
  else if (cur\_size \neq text\_size) \land (subtype(q) = cond\_math\_glue) then
       begin p \leftarrow link(q);
       if p \neq null then
          if (type(p) = glue\_node) \lor (type(p) = kern\_node) then
            begin link(q) \leftarrow link(p); link(p) \leftarrow null; flush\_node\_list(p);
            end;
       end
This code is used in section 730.
        \langle \text{ Cases for noads that can follow a } bin\_noad 733 \rangle \equiv
left_noad: goto done_with_noad;
fraction\_noad: begin make\_fraction(q); goto check\_dimensions;
op\_noad: begin delta \leftarrow make\_op(q):
  if subtype(q) = limits then goto check\_dimensions;
  end;
ord\_noad: make\_ord(q);
open_noad, inner_noad: do_nothing;
radical\_noad: make\_radical(q);
over\_noad: make\_over(q);
under\_noad: make\_under(q);
accent\_noad: make\_math\_accent(q);
vcenter\_noad: make\_vcenter(q);
This code is used in section 728.
734. Most of the actual construction work of mlist_to_hlist is done by procedures with names like make_fraction,
make_radical, etc. To illustrate the general setup of such procedures, let's begin with a couple of simple
\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle \equiv
procedure make\_over(q:pointer);
  begin info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow overbar(clean\_box(nucleus(q), cramped\_style(cur\_style)),
       3*default\_rule\_thickness, default\_rule\_thickness); math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_box;
  end:
See also sections 735, 736, 737, 738, 743, 749, 752, 756, and 762.
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\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_under(q : pointer);
  var p, x, y: pointer; { temporary registers for box construction }
     delta: scaled; { overall height plus depth }
  begin x \leftarrow clean\_box(nucleus(q), cur\_style); p \leftarrow new\_kern(3 * default\_rule\_thickness); link(x) \leftarrow p;
  link(p) \leftarrow fraction\_rule(default\_rule\_thickness); \ y \leftarrow vpack(x, natural);
  delta \leftarrow height(y) + depth(y) + default\_rule\_thickness; height(y) \leftarrow height(x);
  depth(y) \leftarrow delta - height(y); info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow y; math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_box;
  end;
736. \langle \text{Declare math construction procedures } 734 \rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_vcenter(q:pointer);
  var v: pointer; { the box that should be centered vertically }
     delta: scaled; { its height plus depth }
  begin v \leftarrow info(nucleus(q));
  if type(v) \neq vlist\_node then confusion("vcenter");
  delta \leftarrow height(v) + depth(v); \ height(v) \leftarrow axis\_height(cur\_size) + half(delta);
  depth(v) \leftarrow delta - height(v);
  end;
```

737. According to the rules in the DVI file specifications, we ensure alignment between a square root sign and the rule above its nucleus by assuming that the baseline of the square-root symbol is the same as the bottom of the rule. The height of the square-root symbol will be the thickness of the rule, and the depth of the square-root symbol should exceed or equal the height-plus-depth of the nucleus plus a certain minimum clearance clr. The symbol will be placed so that the actual clearance is clr plus half the excess.

**738.** Slants are not considered when placing accents in math mode. The accenter is centered over the accentee, and the accent width is treated as zero with respect to the size of the final box.

```
\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_math\_accent(q:pointer);
  label done, done1;
  var p, x, y: pointer; { temporary registers for box construction }
     a: integer; { address of lig/kern instruction }
     c: quarterword; { accent character }
     f: internal_font_number; { its font }
     i: four_quarters; { its char_info }
     s: scaled; { amount to skew the accent to the right }
     h: scaled; { height of character being accented }
     delta: scaled; { space to remove between accent and accentee }
     w: scaled; { width of the accentee, not including sub/superscripts }
  begin fetch(accent\_chr(q));
  if char_exists(cur_i) then
     begin i \leftarrow cur\_i; c \leftarrow cur\_c; f \leftarrow cur\_f;
     \langle Compute the amount of skew 741\rangle;
     x \leftarrow clean\_box(nucleus(q), cramped\_style(cur\_style)); w \leftarrow width(x); h \leftarrow height(x);
     (Switch to a larger accent if available and appropriate 740);
     if h < x\_height(f) then delta \leftarrow h else delta \leftarrow x\_height(f);
     if (math\_type(supscr(q)) \neq empty) \lor (math\_type(subscr(q)) \neq empty) then
        if math\_type(nucleus(q)) = math\_char then \langle Swap the subscript and superscript into box x 742 \rangle;
     y \leftarrow char\_box(f,c); shift\_amount(y) \leftarrow s + half(w - width(y)); width(y) \leftarrow 0; p \leftarrow new\_kern(-delta);
     link(p) \leftarrow x; link(y) \leftarrow p; y \leftarrow vpack(y, natural); width(y) \leftarrow width(x);
     if height(y) < h then \langle Make the height of box y equal to h 739 \rangle;
     info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow y; math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_box;
     end;
  end;
      \langle Make the height of box y equal to h 739\rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow new\_kern(h - height(y)); link(p) \leftarrow list\_ptr(y); list\_ptr(y) \leftarrow p; height(y) \leftarrow h;
  end
This code is used in section 738.
740. \langle Switch to a larger accent if available and appropriate 740\rangle \equiv
  loop begin if char\_tag(i) \neq list\_tag then goto done;
     y \leftarrow rem\_byte(i); i \leftarrow char\_info(f)(y);
     if \neg char\_exists(i) then goto done;
     if char_width(f)(i) > w then goto done;
     c \leftarrow y;
     end;
done:
This code is used in section 738.
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741.
        \langle Compute the amount of skew 741 \rangle \equiv
  s \leftarrow 0;
  if math\_type(nucleus(q)) = math\_char then
     begin fetch(nucleus(q));
     if char_{tag}(cur_{ti}) = lig_{tag} then
        begin a \leftarrow lig\_kern\_start(cur\_f)(cur\_i); cur\_i \leftarrow font\_info[a].qqqq;
        if skip\_byte(cur\_i) > stop\_flag then
          begin a \leftarrow lig\_kern\_restart(cur\_f)(cur\_i); cur\_i \leftarrow font\_info[a].qqqq;
        loop begin if qo(next\_char(cur\_i)) = skew\_char[cur\_f] then
             begin if op\_byte(cur\_i) \ge kern\_flag then
                if skip\_byte(cur\_i) \le stop\_flag then s \leftarrow char\_kern(cur\_f)(cur\_i);
             goto done1;
             end;
          if skip\_byte(cur\_i) \ge stop\_flag then goto done1;
          a \leftarrow a + qo(skip\_byte(cur\_i)) + 1; cur\_i \leftarrow font\_info[a].qqqq;
          end:
        end:
     end:
done1:
This code is used in section 738.
        \langle Swap the subscript and superscript into box x 742\rangle \equiv
  begin flush\_node\_list(x); x \leftarrow new\_noad; mem[nucleus(x)] \leftarrow mem[nucleus(q)];
  mem[supscr(x)] \leftarrow mem[supscr(q)]; \ mem[subscr(x)] \leftarrow mem[subscr(q)];
  mem[supscr(q)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field; mem[subscr(q)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field;
  math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_mlist; info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow x; x \leftarrow clean\_box(nucleus(q), cur\_style);
  delta \leftarrow delta + height(x) - h; h \leftarrow height(x);
  end
This code is used in section 738.
743. The make_fraction procedure is a bit different because it sets new\_hlist(q) directly rather than making
a sub-box.
\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_fraction(q:pointer);
  var p, v, x, y, z: pointer; { temporary registers for box construction }
     delta, delta1, delta2, shift_up, shift_down, clr: scaled; { dimensions for box calculations }
  \textbf{begin if} \ \textit{thickness}(q) = \textit{default\_code} \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{thickness}(q) \leftarrow \textit{default\_rule\_thickness};
  \langle Create equal-width boxes x and z for the numerator and denominator, and compute the default amounts
        shift_up and shift_down by which they are displaced from the baseline 744;
  if thickness(q) = 0 then \langle Adjust \, shift\_up \, and \, shift\_down \, for the case of no fraction line 745 <math>\rangle
  else \langle Adjust \, shift\_up \, and \, shift\_down \, for the case of a fraction line 746 \rangle;
  (Construct a vlist box for the fraction, according to shift_up and shift_down 747);
  \langle Put the fraction into a box with its delimiters, and make new_-hlist(q) point to it 748\rangle;
  end:
```

This code is used in section 743.

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744.
        \langle Create equal-width boxes x and z for the numerator and denominator, and compute the default
        amounts shift\_up and shift\_down by which they are displaced from the baseline 744\rangle
  x \leftarrow clean\_box(numerator(q), num\_style(cur\_style));
  z \leftarrow clean\_box(denominator(q), denom\_style(cur\_style));
  if width(x) < width(z) then x \leftarrow rebox(x, width(z))
  else z \leftarrow rebox(z, width(x));
  if cur_style < text_style then { display style }
     begin shift\_up \leftarrow num1(cur\_size); shift\_down \leftarrow denom1(cur\_size);
  else begin shift\_down \leftarrow denom2(cur\_size);
     if thickness(q) \neq 0 then shift_up \leftarrow num2(cur\_size)
     else shift_up \leftarrow num3(cur\_size);
This code is used in section 743.
        The numerator and denominator must be separated by a certain minimum clearance, called clr in
the following program. The difference between clr and the actual clearance is twice delta.
\langle \text{Adjust } shift\_up \text{ and } shift\_down \text{ for the case of no fraction line } 745 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_style < text\_style then clr \leftarrow 7 * default\_rule\_thickness
  else clr \leftarrow 3 * default\_rule\_thickness;
  delta \leftarrow half(clr - ((shift\_up - depth(x)) - (height(z) - shift\_down)));
  if delta > 0 then
     begin shift_up \leftarrow shift_up + delta; shift_down \leftarrow shift_down + delta;
     end:
  end
This code is used in section 743.
746. In the case of a fraction line, the minimum clearance depends on the actual thickness of the line.
\langle \text{Adjust } shift\_up \text{ and } shift\_down \text{ for the case of a fraction line } 746 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_style < text\_style then clr \leftarrow 3 * thickness(q)
  else clr \leftarrow thickness(q);
  delta \leftarrow half(thickness(q)); delta1 \leftarrow clr - ((shift\_up - depth(x)) - (axis\_height(cur\_size) + delta));
  delta2 \leftarrow clr - ((axis\_height(cur\_size) - delta) - (height(z) - shift\_down));
  if delta1 > 0 then shift_up \leftarrow shift_up + delta1;
  if delta2 > 0 then shift\_down \leftarrow shift\_down + delta2;
  end
This code is used in section 743.
747. (Construct a vlist box for the fraction, according to shift_up and shift_down 747) \equiv
  v \leftarrow new\_null\_box; type(v) \leftarrow vlist\_node; height(v) \leftarrow shift\_up + height(x);
  depth(v) \leftarrow depth(z) + shift\_down; \ width(v) \leftarrow width(x); \ \{ \text{this also equals } width(z) \}
  if thickness(q) = 0 then
     begin p \leftarrow new\_kern((shift\_up - depth(x)) - (height(z) - shift\_down)); link(p) \leftarrow z;
     end
  else begin y \leftarrow fraction\_rule(thickness(q));
     p \leftarrow new\_kern((axis\_height(cur\_size) - delta) - (height(z) - shift\_down));
     link(y) \leftarrow p; \ link(p) \leftarrow z;
     p \leftarrow new\_kern((shift\_up - depth(x)) - (axis\_height(cur\_size) + delta)); link(p) \leftarrow y;
     end;
  link(x) \leftarrow p; \ list\_ptr(v) \leftarrow x
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748. \langle \text{Put the fraction into a box with its delimiters, and make } new\_hlist(q) \text{ point to it } 748 \rangle \equiv  if cur\_style < text\_style \text{ then } delta \leftarrow delim1(cur\_size) else delta \leftarrow delim2(cur\_size); x \leftarrow var\_delimiter(left\_delimiter(q), cur\_size, delta); link(x) \leftarrow v; z \leftarrow var\_delimiter(right\_delimiter(q), cur\_size, delta); link(v) \leftarrow z; new\_hlist(q) \leftarrow hpack(x, natural) This code is used in section 743.
```

**749.** If the nucleus of an *op\_noad* is a single character, it is to be centered vertically with respect to the axis, after first being enlarged (via a character list in the font) if we are in display style. The normal convention for placing displayed limits is to put them above and below the operator in display style.

The italic correction is removed from the character if there is a subscript and the limits are not being displayed. The *make\_op* routine returns the value that should be used as an offset between subscript and superscript.

After  $make\_op$  has acted, subtype(q) will be limits if and only if the limits have been set above and below the operator. In that case,  $new\_hlist(q)$  will already contain the desired final box.

```
\langle \text{ Declare math construction procedures } 734 \rangle + \equiv
function make\_op(q:pointer): scaled;
  var delta: scaled; { offset between subscript and superscript }
     p, v, x, y, z: pointer; {temporary registers for box construction}
     c: quarterword; i: four_quarters; { registers for character examination }
     shift_up, shift_down: scaled; { dimensions for box calculation }
  begin if (subtype(q) = normal) \land (cur\_style < text\_style) then subtype(q) \leftarrow limits;
  if math\_type(nucleus(q)) = math\_char then
     begin fetch(nucleus(q));
     if (cur\_style < text\_style) \land (char\_tag(cur\_i) = list\_tag) then { make it larger }
        begin c \leftarrow rem\_byte(cur\_i); i \leftarrow char\_info(cur\_f)(c);
        \mathbf{if} \ \mathit{char\_exists}(i) \ \mathbf{then}
          begin cur_{-}c \leftarrow c; cur_{-}i \leftarrow i; character(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow c;
          end;
        end;
     delta \leftarrow char\_italic(cur\_f)(cur\_i); \ x \leftarrow clean\_box(nucleus(q), cur\_style);
     if (math\_type(subscr(q)) \neq empty) \land (subtype(q) \neq limits) then width(x) \leftarrow width(x) - delta;
              { remove italic correction }
     shift_amount(x) \leftarrow half(height(x) - depth(x)) - axis_height(cur_size); { center vertically }
     math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_box; info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow x;
     end
  else delta \leftarrow 0;
  if subtype(q) = limits then (Construct a box with limits above and below it, skewed by delta 750);
  make\_op \leftarrow delta;
  end;
```

**750.** The following program builds a vlist box v for displayed limits. The width of the box is not affected by the fact that the limits may be skewed.

```
 \langle \text{Construct a box with limits above and below it, skewed by } \textit{delta 750} \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{begin } x \leftarrow \textit{clean\_box}(\textit{supscr}(q), \textit{sup\_style}(\textit{cur\_style})); \ y \leftarrow \textit{clean\_box}(\textit{nucleus}(q), \textit{cur\_style}); \\ z \leftarrow \textit{clean\_box}(\textit{subscr}(q), \textit{sub\_style}(\textit{cur\_style})); \ v \leftarrow \textit{new\_null\_box}; \ \textit{type}(v) \leftarrow \textit{vlist\_node}; \\ \textit{width}(v) \leftarrow \textit{width}(y); \\ \textbf{if } \textit{width}(x) > \textit{width}(v) \textbf{ then } \textit{width}(v) \leftarrow \textit{width}(x); \\ \textbf{if } \textit{width}(z) > \textit{width}(v) \textbf{ then } \textit{width}(v) \leftarrow \textit{width}(z); \\ x \leftarrow \textit{rebox}(x, \textit{width}(v)); \ y \leftarrow \textit{rebox}(y, \textit{width}(v)); \ z \leftarrow \textit{rebox}(z, \textit{width}(v)); \\ \textit{shift\_amount}(x) \leftarrow \textit{half}(\textit{delta}); \ \textit{shift\_amount}(z) \leftarrow -\textit{shift\_amount}(x); \ \textit{height}(v) \leftarrow \textit{height}(y); \\ \textit{depth}(v) \leftarrow \textit{depth}(y); \\ \langle \text{Attach the limits to } y \text{ and adjust } \textit{height}(v), \ \textit{depth}(v) \text{ to account for their presence 751} \rangle; \\ \textit{new\_hlist}(q) \leftarrow v; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 749.

**751.** We use  $shift\_up$  and  $shift\_down$  in the following program for the amount of glue between the displayed operator y and its limits x and z. The vlist inside box v will consist of x followed by y followed by z, with kern nodes for the spaces between and around them.

```
\langle Attach the limits to y and adjust height(v), depth(v) to account for their presence 751\rangle
  if math\_type(supscr(q)) = empty then
     begin free\_node(x, box\_node\_size); list\_ptr(v) \leftarrow y;
     end
  else begin shift_up \leftarrow big_op_spacing3 - depth(x);
     if shift_up < big_op_spacing1 then shift_up \leftarrow big_op_spacing1;
     p \leftarrow new\_kern(shift\_up); link(p) \leftarrow y; link(x) \leftarrow p;
     p \leftarrow new\_kern(big\_op\_spacing5); link(p) \leftarrow x; list\_ptr(v) \leftarrow p;
     height(v) \leftarrow height(v) + big\_op\_spacing5 + height(x) + depth(x) + shift\_up;
  if math\_type(subscr(q)) = empty then free\_node(z, box\_node\_size)
  else begin shift_down \leftarrow big_op_spacing4 - height(z);
     if shift\_down < big\_op\_spacing2 then shift\_down \leftarrow big\_op\_spacing2;
     p \leftarrow new\_kern(shift\_down); link(y) \leftarrow p; link(p) \leftarrow z;
     p \leftarrow new\_kern(big\_op\_spacing5); link(z) \leftarrow p;
     depth(v) \leftarrow depth(v) + big\_op\_spacing5 + height(z) + depth(z) + shift\_down;
     end
```

This code is used in section 750.

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**752.** A ligature found in a math formula does not create a *ligature\_node*, because there is no question of hyphenation afterwards; the ligature will simply be stored in an ordinary *char\_node*, after residing in an *ord\_noad*.

The  $math\_type$  is converted to  $math\_text\_char$  here if we would not want to apply an italic correction to the current character unless it belongs to a math font (i.e., a font with space = 0).

No boundary characters enter into these ligatures.

```
\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_ord(q:pointer);
  label restart, exit;
  var a: integer; { address of lig/kern instruction }
                      { temporary registers for list manipulation }
     p, r: pointer;
  begin restart:
  if math\_type(subscr(q)) = empty then
     if math\_type(supscr(q)) = empty then
        if math\_type(nucleus(q)) = math\_char then
          begin p \leftarrow link(q);
          if p \neq null then
             if (type(p) \ge ord\_noad) \land (type(p) \le punct\_noad) then
               \mathbf{if}\ \mathit{math\_type}\left(\mathit{nucleus}\left(p\right)\right) = \mathit{math\_char}\ \mathbf{then}
                  if fam(nucleus(p)) = fam(nucleus(q)) then
                     begin math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow math\_text\_char; fetch(nucleus(q));
                     if char\_tag(cur\_i) = lig\_tag then
                       begin a \leftarrow lig\_kern\_start(cur\_f)(cur\_i); cur\_c \leftarrow character(nucleus(p));
                        cur_i \leftarrow font_info[a].qqqq;
                       if skip\_byte(cur\_i) > stop\_flag then
                          begin a \leftarrow lig\_kern\_restart(cur\_f)(cur\_i); cur\_i \leftarrow font\_info[a].qqqq;
                          end;
                       loop begin (If instruction cur_i is a kern with cur_ic, attach the kern after q; or if it is
                               a ligature with cur_{-}c, combine noads q and p appropriately; then return if the
                               cursor has moved past a noad, or goto restart 753);
                          if skip\_byte(cur\_i) \ge stop\_flag then return;
                          a \leftarrow a + qo(skip\_byte(cur\_i)) + 1; cur\_i \leftarrow font\_info[a].qqqq;
                          end;
                       end;
                     end;
          end:
exit: end:
```

**753.** Note that a ligature between an *ord\_noad* and another kind of noad is replaced by an *ord\_noad*, when the two noads collapse into one. But we could make a parenthesis (say) change shape when it follows certain letters. Presumably a font designer will define such ligatures only when this convention makes sense.

```
\langle If instruction cur_{-i} is a kern with cur_{-c}, attach the kern after q; or if it is a ligature with cur_{-c},
        combine noads q and p appropriately; then return if the cursor has moved past a noad, or goto
        restart 753 \rangle \equiv
  if next\_char(cur\_i) = cur\_c then
     if skip\_byte(cur\_i) \leq stop\_flag then
        if op\_byte(cur\_i) \ge kern\_flag then
          begin p \leftarrow new\_kern(char\_kern(cur\_f)(cur\_i)); \ link(p) \leftarrow link(q); \ link(q) \leftarrow p; \ \mathbf{return};
        else begin check_interrupt; { allow a way out of infinite ligature loop }
          case op\_byte(cur\_i) of
          qi(1), qi(5): character(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow rem\_byte(cur\_i); \{=:|,=:|>\}
          qi(2), qi(6): character(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow rem\_byte(cur\_i); \{ \mid =:, \mid =: > \}
          qi(3), qi(7), qi(11): begin r \leftarrow new\_noad; { |=: |, |=: |>, |=: |>> }
             character(nucleus(r)) \leftarrow rem\_byte(cur\_i); fam(nucleus(r)) \leftarrow fam(nucleus(q));
             link(q) \leftarrow r; \ link(r) \leftarrow p;
             if op\_byte(cur\_i) < qi(11) then math\_type(nucleus(r)) \leftarrow math\_char
             else math\_type(nucleus(r)) \leftarrow math\_text\_char; { prevent combination }
             end;
          othercases begin link(q) \leftarrow link(p); character(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow rem\_byte(cur\_i); {=:}
             mem[subscr(q)] \leftarrow mem[subscr(p)]; mem[supscr(q)] \leftarrow mem[supscr(p)];
             free\_node(p, noad\_size);
             end
          endcases;
          if op_-byte(cur_-i) > qi(3) then return;
          math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow math\_char; goto restart;
```

This code is used in section 752.

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This code is used in section 754.

**754.** When we get to the following part of the program, we have "fallen through" from cases that did not lead to *check\_dimensions* or *done\_with\_noad* or *done\_with\_noad*. Thus, q points to a noad whose nucleus may need to be converted to an hlist, and whose subscripts and superscripts need to be appended if they are present.

If nucleus(q) is not a  $math\_char$ , the variable delta is the amount by which a superscript should be moved right with respect to a subscript when both are present.

```
\langle \text{Convert } nucleus(q) \text{ to an hlist and attach the sub/superscripts } 754 \rangle \equiv
  case math\_type(nucleus(q)) of
  math\_char, math\_text\_char: \langle Create a character node p for nucleus(q), possibly followed by a kern node
          for the italic correction, and set delta to the italic correction if a subscript is present 755);
  empty: p \leftarrow null;
  sub\_box: p \leftarrow info(nucleus(q));
  sub\_mlist: begin cur\_mlist \leftarrow info(nucleus(q)); save\_style \leftarrow cur\_style; mlist\_penalties \leftarrow false;
     mlist_to_hlist; { recursive call }
     cur\_style \leftarrow save\_style; \langle Set up the values of <math>cur\_size and cur\_mu, based on cur\_style 703 \rangle;
     p \leftarrow hpack(link(temp\_head), natural);
     end:
  othercases confusion("mlist2")
  endcases;
  new\_hlist(q) \leftarrow p;
  \textbf{if} \ (math\_type(subscr(q)) = empty) \land (math\_type(supscr(q)) = empty) \ \textbf{then} \ \textbf{goto} \ check\_dimensions;
  make\_scripts(q, delta)
This code is used in section 728.
        \langle Create a character node p for nucleus(q), possibly followed by a kern node for the italic correction,
        and set delta to the italic correction if a subscript is present 755 \equiv
  begin fetch(nucleus(q));
  if char_exists(cur_i) then
     begin delta \leftarrow char\_italic(cur\_f)(cur\_i); p \leftarrow new\_character(cur\_f, qo(cur\_c));
     if (math\_type(nucleus(q)) = math\_text\_char) \land (space(cur\_f) \neq 0) then delta \leftarrow 0;
              { no italic correction in mid-word of text font }
     if (math\_type(subscr(q)) = empty) \land (delta \neq 0) then
        begin link(p) \leftarrow new\_kern(delta); delta \leftarrow 0;
        end:
     end
  else p \leftarrow null;
  end
```

This code is used in section 756.

**756.** The purpose of  $make\_scripts(q, delta)$  is to attach the subscript and/or superscript of noad q to the list that starts at  $new\_hlist(q)$ , given that the subscript and superscript aren't both empty. The superscript will appear to the right of the subscript by a given distance delta.

We set  $shift\_down$  and  $shift\_up$  to the minimum amounts to shift the baseline of subscripts and superscripts based on the given nucleus.

```
\langle Declare math construction procedures 734\rangle + \equiv
procedure make\_scripts(q:pointer; delta:scaled);
  var p, x, y, z: pointer; { temporary registers for box construction }
     shift_up, shift_down, clr: scaled; { dimensions in the calculation }
     t: small_number; { subsidiary size code }
  begin p \leftarrow new\_hlist(q);
  if is\_char\_node(p) then
     begin shift_up \leftarrow 0; shift_down \leftarrow 0;
     end
  else begin z \leftarrow hpack(p, natural);
     if cur\_style < script\_style then t \leftarrow script\_size else t \leftarrow script\_script\_size;
     shift\_up \leftarrow height(z) - sup\_drop(t); \ shift\_down \leftarrow depth(z) + sub\_drop(t); \ free\_node(z, box\_node\_size);
  if math\_type(supscr(q)) = empty then \langle Construct a subscript box x when there is no superscript 757 <math>\rangle
  else begin \langle Construct a superscript box x 758 \rangle;
     if math\_type(subscr(q)) = empty then shift\_amount(x) \leftarrow -shift\_up
     else \langle Construct a sub/superscript combination box x, with the superscript offset by delta 759\rangle;
     end;
  if new\_hlist(q) = null then new\_hlist(q) \leftarrow x
  else begin p \leftarrow new\_hlist(q);
     while link(p) \neq null do p \leftarrow link(p);
     link(p) \leftarrow x;
     end;
  end;
        When there is a subscript without a superscript, the top of the subscript should not exceed the
baseline plus four-fifths of the x-height.
\langle Construct a subscript box x when there is no superscript 757\rangle \equiv
  begin x \leftarrow clean\_box(subscr(q), sub\_style(cur\_style)); width(x) \leftarrow width(x) + script\_space;
  if shift\_down < sub1(cur\_size) then shift\_down \leftarrow sub1(cur\_size);
  clr \leftarrow height(x) - (abs(math\_x\_height(cur\_size) * 4) \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 5);
  if shift\_down < clr then shift\_down \leftarrow clr;
  shift\_amount(x) \leftarrow shift\_down;
  end
```

758. The bottom of a superscript should never descend below the baseline plus one-fourth of the x-height.

```
 \langle \text{Construct a superscript box } x \ 758 \rangle \equiv \\ \mathbf{begin} \ x \leftarrow clean\_box(supscr(q), sup\_style(cur\_style)); \ width(x) \leftarrow width(x) + script\_space; \\ \mathbf{if} \ odd(cur\_style) \ \mathbf{then} \ clr \leftarrow sup3(cur\_size) \\ \mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{if} \ cur\_style < text\_style \ \mathbf{then} \ clr \leftarrow sup1(cur\_size) \\ \mathbf{else} \ clr \leftarrow sup2(cur\_size); \\ \mathbf{if} \ shift\_up < clr \ \mathbf{then} \ shift\_up \leftarrow clr; \\ clr \leftarrow depth(x) + (abs(math\_x\_height(cur\_size)) \ \mathbf{div} \ 4); \\ \mathbf{if} \ shift\_up < clr \ \mathbf{then} \ shift\_up \leftarrow clr; \\ \mathbf{end}
```

This code is used in section 756.

**759.** When both subscript and superscript are present, the subscript must be separated from the superscript by at least four times *default\_rule\_thickness*. If this condition would be violated, the subscript moves down, after which both subscript and superscript move up so that the bottom of the superscript is at least as high as the baseline plus four-fifths of the x-height.

```
 \begin{split} &\langle \text{Construct a sub/superscript combination box } x, \text{ with the superscript offset by } \textit{delta } 759 \rangle \equiv \\ & \textbf{begin } y \leftarrow \textit{clean\_box}(\textit{subscr}(q), \textit{sub\_style}(\textit{cur\_style})); \; \textit{width}(y) \leftarrow \textit{width}(y) + \textit{script\_space}; \\ & \textbf{if } \textit{shift\_down} < \textit{sub2}(\textit{cur\_size}) \; \textbf{then } \textit{shift\_down} \leftarrow \textit{sub2}(\textit{cur\_size}); \\ & \textit{clr} \leftarrow 4 * \textit{default\_rule\_thickness} - ((\textit{shift\_up} - \textit{depth}(x)) - (\textit{height}(y) - \textit{shift\_down})); \\ & \textbf{if } \textit{clr} > 0 \; \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin } \textit{shift\_down} \leftarrow \textit{shift\_down} + \textit{clr}; \\ & \textit{clr} \leftarrow (\textit{abs}(\textit{math\_x\_height}(\textit{cur\_size}) * 4) \; \textbf{div} \; 5) - (\textit{shift\_up} - \textit{depth}(x)); \\ & \textbf{if } \textit{clr} > 0 \; \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin } \textit{shift\_up} \leftarrow \textit{shift\_up} + \textit{clr}; \; \textit{shift\_down} \leftarrow \textit{shift\_down} - \textit{clr}; \\ & \textbf{end}; \\ & \textbf{end}; \\ & \textbf{shift\_amount}(x) \leftarrow \textit{delta}; \; \; \{ \text{superscript is } \textit{delta} \; \text{to the right of the subscript } \} \\ & p \leftarrow \textit{new\_kern}((\textit{shift\_up} - \textit{depth}(x)) - (\textit{height}(y) - \textit{shift\_down})); \; \textit{link}(x) \leftarrow p; \; \textit{link}(p) \leftarrow y; \\ & x \leftarrow \textit{vpack}(x, \textit{natural}); \; \textit{shift\_amount}(x) \leftarrow \textit{shift\_down}; \\ & \textbf{end} \end{aligned}
```

This code is used in section 756.

This code is used in section 726.

**760.** We have now tied up all the loose ends of the first pass of  $mlist\_to\_hlist$ . The second pass simply goes through and hooks everything together with the proper glue and penalties. It also handles the  $left\_noad$  and  $right\_noad$  that might be present, since  $max\_h$  and  $max\_d$  are now known. Variable p points to a node at the current end of the final hlist.

```
⟨ Make a second pass over the mlist, removing all noads and inserting the proper spacing and penalties 760⟩ ≡ p ← temp_head; link(p) ← null; q ← mlist; r_type ← 0; cur_style ← style;
⟨ Set up the values of cur_size and cur_mu, based on cur_style 703⟩;
while q ≠ null do
begin ⟨ If node q is a style node, change the style and goto delete_q; otherwise if it is not a noad, put it into the hlist, advance q, and goto done; otherwise set s to the size of noad q, set t to the associated type (ord_noad .. inner_noad), and set pen to the associated penalty 761⟩;
⟨ Append inter-element spacing based on r_type and t 766⟩;
⟨ Append any new_hlist entries for q, and any appropriate penalties 767⟩;
r_type ← t;
delete_q: r ← q; q ← link(q); free_node(r, s);
done: end
```

**761.** Just before doing the big **case** switch in the second pass, the program sets up default values so that most of the branches are short.

```
\langle If node q is a style node, change the style and goto delete_q; otherwise if it is not a noad, put it into the
        hlist, advance q, and goto done; otherwise set s to the size of noad q, set t to the associated type
        (ord\_noad ... inner\_noad), and set pen to the associated penalty 761 \rangle \equiv
  t \leftarrow ord\_noad; s \leftarrow noad\_size; pen \leftarrow inf\_penalty;
  case type(q) of
  op\_noad, open\_noad, close\_noad, punct\_noad, inner\_noad: t \leftarrow type(q);
  bin\_noad: begin t \leftarrow bin\_noad; pen \leftarrow bin\_op\_penalty;
  rel\_noad: begin t \leftarrow rel\_noad; pen \leftarrow rel\_penalty;
     end;
  ord_noad, vcenter_noad, over_noad, under_noad: do_nothing;
  radical\_noad: s \leftarrow radical\_noad\_size;
  accent\_noad: s \leftarrow accent\_noad\_size;
  fraction\_noad: s \leftarrow fraction\_noad\_size;
  left\_noad, right\_noad: t \leftarrow make\_left\_right(q, style, max\_d, max\_h);
  style_node: (Change the current style and goto delete_q 763);
  what sit\_node, penalty\_node, rule\_node, disc\_node, adjust\_node, ins\_node, mark\_node, glue\_node, kern\_node:
     begin link(p) \leftarrow q; p \leftarrow q; q \leftarrow link(q); link(p) \leftarrow null; goto done;
     end;
  othercases confusion("mlist3")
  endcases
This code is used in section 760.
```

**762.** The *make\_left\_right* function constructs a left or right delimiter of the required size and returns the value *open\_noad* or *close\_noad*. The *right\_noad* and *left\_noad* will both be based on the original *style*, so they will have consistent sizes.

```
We use the fact that right\_noad - left\_noad = close\_noad - open\_noad.
```

```
⟨ Declare math construction procedures 734⟩ +≡
function make_left_right(q: pointer; style: small_number; max_d, max_h: scaled): small_number;
var delta, delta1, delta2: scaled; { dimensions used in the calculation }
begin if style < script_style then cur_size ← text_size
else cur_size ← 16 * ((style - text_style) div 2);
delta2 ← max_d + axis_height(cur_size); delta1 ← max_h + max_d - delta2;
if delta2 > delta1 then delta1 ← delta2; { delta1 is max distance from axis }
delta ← (delta1 div 500) * delimiter_factor; delta2 ← delta1 + delta1 - delimiter_shortfall;
if delta < delta2 then delta ← delta2;
new_hlist(q) ← var_delimiter(delimiter(q), cur_size, delta);
make_left_right ← type(q) - (left_noad - open_noad); { open_noad or close_noad }
end;

763. ⟨ Change the current style and goto delete_q 763⟩ ≡
begin cur_style ← subtype(q): s ← style_node_size;
</pre>
```

**763.**  $\langle$  Change the current style and **goto**  $delete_{-q}$  763 $\rangle \equiv$  **begin**  $cur\_style \leftarrow subtype(q); s \leftarrow style\_node\_size; <math>\langle$  Set up the values of  $cur\_size$  and  $cur\_mu$ , based on  $cur\_style$  703 $\rangle$ ; **goto**  $delete_{-q}$ ; **end** 

This code is used in section 761.

**764.** The inter-element spacing in math formulas depends on an  $8 \times 8$  table that  $T_EX$  preloads as a 64-digit string. The elements of this string have the following significance:

```
0 means no space;
1 means a conditional thin space (\nonscript\mskip\thinmuskip);
2 means a thin space (\mskip\thinmuskip);
3 means a conditional medium space (\nonscript\mskip\medmuskip);
4 means a conditional thick space (\nonscript\mskip\thickmuskip);
* means an impossible case.
```

This is all pretty cryptic, but  $The T_EXbook$  explains what is supposed to happen, and the string makes it happen.

A global variable  $magic\_offset$  is computed so that if a and b are in the range  $ord\_noad$  ..  $inner\_noad$ , then  $str\_pool[a*8+b+magic\_offset]$  is the digit for spacing between noad types a and b.

If Pascal had provided a good way to preload constant arrays, this part of the program would not have been so strange.

```
define math\_spacing =
 "0234000122*4000133**3**344*0400400*00000234000111*1111112341011"
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
magic_offset: integer; { used to find inter-element spacing }
765. \langle Compute the magic offset 765\rangle \equiv
  magic\_offset \leftarrow str\_start[math\_spacing] - 9 * ord\_noad
This code is used in section 1337.
766. \langle Append inter-element spacing based on r_{type} and t 766\rangle \equiv
  if r_{-}type > 0 then { not the first noad }
     begin case so(str\_pool[r\_type * 8 + t + magic\_offset]) of
     "0": x \leftarrow 0;
     "1": if cur\_style < script\_style then x \leftarrow thin\_mu\_skip\_code else x \leftarrow 0;
     "2": x \leftarrow thin\_mu\_skip\_code;
     "3": if cur\_style < script\_style then x \leftarrow med\_mu\_skip\_code else x \leftarrow 0;
     "4": if cur\_style < script\_style then x \leftarrow thick\_mu\_skip\_code else x \leftarrow 0;
     othercases confusion("mlist4")
     endcases:
     if x \neq 0 then
        begin y \leftarrow math\_qlue(qlue\_par(x), cur\_mu); z \leftarrow new\_qlue(y); qlue\_ref\_count(y) \leftarrow null;
        link(p) \leftarrow z; \ p \leftarrow z;
        subtype(z) \leftarrow x + 1; \{ store a symbolic subtype \}
        end:
     end
```

This code is used in section 760.

**767.** We insert a penalty node after the hlist entries of noad q if pen is not an "infinite" penalty, and if the node immediately following q is not a penalty node or a  $rel\_noad$  or absent entirely.

```
 \langle \text{ Append any } \textit{new\_hlist} \text{ entries for } q, \text{ and any appropriate penalties } 767 \rangle \equiv \\ \text{ if } \textit{new\_hlist}(q) \neq \textit{null then} \\ \text{ begin } \textit{link}(p) \leftarrow \textit{new\_hlist}(q); \\ \text{ repeat } p \leftarrow \textit{link}(p); \\ \text{ until } \textit{link}(p) = \textit{null}; \\ \text{ end}; \\ \text{ if } \textit{penalties then} \\ \text{ if } \textit{link}(q) \neq \textit{null then} \\ \text{ if } \textit{pen} < \textit{inf\_penalty then} \\ \text{ begin } \textit{r\_type} \leftarrow \textit{type}(\textit{link}(q)); \\ \text{ if } \textit{r\_type} \neq \textit{penalty\_node then} \\ \text{ if } \textit{r\_type} \neq \textit{rel\_noad then} \\ \text{ begin } \textit{z} \leftarrow \textit{new\_penalty}(\textit{pen}); \textit{link}(p) \leftarrow \textit{z}; \textit{p} \leftarrow \textit{z}; \\ \text{ end}; \\ \text{ end}
```

This code is used in section 760.

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**768.** Alignment. It's sort of a miracle whenever \halign and \valign work, because they cut across so many of the control structures of T<sub>F</sub>X.

Therefore the present page is probably not the best place for a beginner to start reading this program; it is better to master everything else first.

Let us focus our thoughts on an example of what the input might be, in order to get some idea about how the alignment miracle happens. The example doesn't do anything useful, but it is sufficiently general to indicate all of the special cases that must be dealt with; please do not be disturbed by its apparent complexity and meaninglessness.

Here's what happens:

- (0) When '\halign to 300pt{' is scanned, the scan\_spec routine places the 300pt dimension onto the save\_stack, and an align\_group code is placed above it. This will make it possible to complete the alignment when the matching '}' is found.
- (1) The preamble is scanned next. Macros in the preamble are not expanded, except as part of a tabskip specification. For example, if u2 had been a macro in the preamble above, it would have been expanded, since TEX must look for 'minus...' as part of the tabskip glue. A "preamble list" is constructed based on the user's preamble; in our case it contains the following seven items:

These "alignrecord" entries have the same size as an  $unset\_node$ , since they will later be converted into such nodes. However, at the moment they have no type or subtype fields; they have info fields instead, and these info fields are initially set to the value  $end\_span$ , for reasons explained below. Furthermore, the alignrecord nodes have no height or depth fields; these are renamed  $u\_part$  and  $v\_part$ , and they point to token lists for the templates of the alignment. For example, the  $u\_part$  field in the first alignrecord points to the token list "u1", i.e., the template preceding the "#" for column 1.

- (2) TeX now looks at what follows the \cr that ended the preamble. It is not '\noalign' or '\omit', so this input is put back to be read again, and the template 'u1' is fed to the scanner. Just before reading 'u1', TeX goes into restricted horizontal mode. Just after reading 'u1', TeX will see 'a1', and then (when the & is sensed) TeX will see 'v1'. Then TeX scans an endv token, indicating the end of a column. At this point an unset\_node is created, containing the contents of the current hlist (i.e., 'u1a1v1'). The natural width of this unset node replaces the width field of the alignrecord for column 1; in general, the alignrecords will record the maximum natural width that has occurred so far in a given column.
- (3) Since '\omit' follows the '&', the templates for column 2 are now bypassed. Again TEX goes into restricted horizontal mode and makes an *unset\_node* from the resulting hlist; but this time the hlist contains simply 'a2'. The natural width of the new unset box is remembered in the *width* field of the alignrecord for column 2.
- (4) A third unset\_node is created for column 3, using essentially the mechanism that worked for column 1; this unset box contains 'u3\vrule v3'. The vertical rule in this case has running dimensions that will later

extend to the height and depth of the whole first row, since each *unset\_node* in a row will eventually inherit the height and depth of its enclosing box.

(5) The first row has now ended; it is made into a single unset box comprising the following seven items:

```
\glue 2pt plus 3pt
\unsetbox for 1 column: u1a1v1
\glue 2pt plus 3pt
\unsetbox for 1 column: a2
\glue 1pt plus 1fil
\unsetbox for 1 column: u3\vrule v3
\glue 1pt plus 1fil
```

The width of this unset row is unimportant, but it has the correct height and depth, so the correct baselineskip glue will be computed as the row is inserted into a vertical list.

- (6) Since '\noalign' follows the current \cr, TEX appends additional material (in this case \vskip 3pt) to the vertical list. While processing this material, TEX will be in internal vertical mode, and no\_align\_group will be on save\_stack.
  - (7) The next row produces an unset box that looks like this:

```
\glue 2pt plus 3pt
\unsetbox for 2 columns: u1b1v1u2b2v2
\glue 1pt plus 1fil
\unsetbox for 1 column: (empty)
\glue 1pt plus 1fil
```

The natural width of the unset box that spans columns 1 and 2 is stored in a "span node," which we will explain later; the *info* field of the alignrecord for column 1 now points to the new span node, and the *info* of the span node points to *end\_span*.

(8) The final row produces the unset box

```
\glue 2pt plus 3pt
\unsetbox for 1 column: (empty)
\glue 2pt plus 3pt
\unsetbox for 2 columns: u2c2v2
\glue 1pt plus 1fil
```

A new span node is attached to the alignrecord for column 2.

(9) The last step is to compute the true column widths and to change all the unset boxes to hboxes, appending the whole works to the vertical list that encloses the \halign. The rules for deciding on the final widths of each unset column box will be explained below.

Note that as \halign is being processed, we fearlessly give up control to the rest of TEX. At critical junctures, an alignment routine is called upon to step in and do some little action, but most of the time these routines just lurk in the background. It's something like post-hypnotic suggestion.

**769.** We have mentioned that alignrecords contain no height or depth fields. Their glue\_sign and glue\_order are pre-empted as well, since it is necessary to store information about what to do when a template ends. This information is called the extra\_info field.

```
define u\_part(\#) \equiv mem[\# + height\_offset].int  { pointer to \langle u_j \rangle token list } define v\_part(\#) \equiv mem[\# + depth\_offset].int  { pointer to \langle v_j \rangle token list } define extra\_info(\#) \equiv info(\# + list\_offset) { info to remember during template }
```

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770. Alignments can occur within alignments, so a small stack is used to access the alignrecord information. At each level we have a preamble pointer, indicating the beginning of the preamble list; a cur\_align pointer, indicating the current position in the preamble list; a cur\_span pointer, indicating the value of cur\_align at the beginning of a sequence of spanned columns; a cur\_loop pointer, indicating the tabskip glue before an alignrecord that should be copied next if the current list is extended; and the align\_state variable, which indicates the nesting of braces so that \cr and \span and tab marks are properly intercepted. There also are pointers cur\_head and cur\_tail to the head and tail of a list of adjustments being moved out from horizontal mode to vertical mode.

The current values of these seven quantities appear in global variables; when they have to be pushed down, they are stored in 5-word nodes, and *align\_ptr* points to the topmost such node.

```
define preamble \equiv link(align\_head) { the current preamble list }
  define align\_stack\_node\_size = 5 { number of mem words to save alignment states }
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
cur_align: pointer; { current position in preamble list }
cur_span: pointer; { start of currently spanned columns in preamble list }
cur_loop: pointer; { place to copy when extending a periodic preamble }
align_ptr: pointer; { most recently pushed-down alignment stack node }
cur_head, cur_tail: pointer; { adjustment list pointers }
771. The align_state and preamble variables are initialized elsewhere.
\langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle + \equiv
  align\_ptr \leftarrow null; \ cur\_align \leftarrow null; \ cur\_span \leftarrow null; \ cur\_loop \leftarrow null; \ cur\_head \leftarrow null;
  cur\_tail \leftarrow null;
772. Alignment stack maintenance is handled by a pair of trivial routines called push_alignment and
pop\_alignment.
procedure push_alignment;
  var p: pointer; { the new alignment stack node }
  begin p \leftarrow get\_node(align\_stack\_node\_size); link(p) \leftarrow align\_ptr; info(p) \leftarrow cur\_align;
  llink(p) \leftarrow preamble; \ rlink(p) \leftarrow cur\_span; \ mem[p+2].int \leftarrow cur\_loop; \ mem[p+3].int \leftarrow align\_state;
  info(p+4) \leftarrow cur\_head; link(p+4) \leftarrow cur\_tail; align\_ptr \leftarrow p; cur\_head \leftarrow get\_avail;
  end:
procedure pop_alignment;
  var p: pointer; { the top alignment stack node }
  begin free_avail(cur_head); p \leftarrow align\_ptr; cur_tail \leftarrow link(p+4); cur_head \leftarrow info(p+4);
  align\_state \leftarrow mem[p+3].int; \ cur\_loop \leftarrow mem[p+2].int; \ cur\_span \leftarrow rlink(p); \ preamble \leftarrow llink(p);
  cur\_align \leftarrow info(p); \ align\_ptr \leftarrow link(p); \ free\_node(p, align\_stack\_node\_size);
```

**773.** TEX has eight procedures that govern alignments: *init\_align* and *fin\_align* are used at the very beginning and the very end; *init\_row* and *fin\_row* are used at the beginning and end of individual rows; *init\_span* is used at the beginning of a sequence of spanned columns (possibly involving only one column); *init\_col* and *fin\_col* are used at the beginning and end of individual columns; and *align\_peek* is used after \cr to see whether the next item is \noalign.

end;

We shall consider these routines in the order they are first used during the course of a complete \halign, namely init\_align, align\_peek, init\_row, init\_span, init\_col, fin\_col, fin\_row, fin\_align.

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774. When \halign or \valign has been scanned in an appropriate mode, TeX calls <code>init\_align</code>, whose task is to get everything off to a good start. This mostly involves scanning the preamble and putting its information into the preamble list.

```
(Declare the procedure called get_preamble_token 782)
procedure align_peek; forward;
procedure normal_paragraph; forward;
procedure init_align;
  label done, done1, done2, continue;
  var save_cs_ptr: pointer; { warning_index value for error messages }
    p: pointer; { for short-term temporary use }
  begin save\_cs\_ptr \leftarrow cur\_cs; {\halign or \valign, usually}
  push\_alignment; align\_state \leftarrow -1000000;  { enter a new alignment level }
  (Check for improper alignment in displayed math 776);
  push_nest; { enter a new semantic level }
  \langle Change current mode to -vmode for \backslash halign, -hmode for \backslash valign 775\rangle;
  scan\_spec(align\_group, false);
  (Scan the preamble and record it in the preamble list 777);
  new\_save\_level(align\_group);
  if every\_cr \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_cr, every\_cr\_text);
  align_peek; { look for \noalign or \omit }
  end;
     In vertical modes, prev_depth already has the correct value. But if we are in mmode (displayed
formula mode), we reach out to the enclosing vertical mode for the prev_depth value that produces the
```

formula mode), we reach out to the enclosing vertical mode for the  $prev\_depth$  value that production correct baseline calculations.  $\langle \text{Change current mode to } -vmode \text{ for } \text{halign}, -hmode \text{ for } \text{valign } 775 \rangle \equiv$ 

```
if mode = mmode then

begin mode \leftarrow -vmode; prev\_depth \leftarrow nest[nest\_ptr - 2].aux\_field.sc;
end
else if mode > 0 then negate(mode)

This code is used in section 774.
```

776. When \halign is used as a displayed formula, there should be no other pieces of mlists present.

```
⟨ Check for improper alignment in displayed math 776⟩ ≡
if (mode = mmode) ∧ ((tail ≠ head) ∨ (incompleat_noad ≠ null)) then
begin print_err("Improper_"); print_esc("halign"); print("_inside_$*s");
help3("Displays_can_use_special_alignments_(like_\eqalignno)")
("only_if_nothing_but_the_alignment_itself_is_between_$*s".")
("So_I*ve_deleted_the_formulas_that_preceded_this_alignment."); error; flush_math;
end
```

This code is used in section 774.

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\langle Scan the preamble and record it in the preamble list 777\rangle \equiv
  preamble \leftarrow null; \ cur\_align \leftarrow align\_head; \ cur\_loop \leftarrow null; \ scanner\_status \leftarrow aligning;
  warning\_index \leftarrow save\_cs\_ptr; \ align\_state \leftarrow -1000000; \ \{at this point, \ cur\_cmd = left\_brace \}
  loop begin (Append the current tabskip glue to the preamble list 778);
     if cur\_cmd = car\_ret then goto done; {\cr ends the preamble}
     \langle Scan preamble text until cur\_cmd is tab\_mark or car\_ret, looking for changes in the tabskip glue;
          append an alignrecord to the preamble list 779);
     end;
done: scanner\_status \leftarrow normal
This code is used in section 774.
        \langle Append the current tabskip glue to the preamble list 778\rangle \equiv
  link(cur\_align) \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(tab\_skip\_code); \ cur\_align \leftarrow link(cur\_align)
This code is used in section 777.
       (Scan preamble text until cur_cmd is tab_mark or car_ret, looking for changes in the tabskip glue;
       append an alignrecord to the preamble list 779 \equiv
  \langle Scan the template \langle u_i \rangle, putting the resulting token list in hold_head 783\rangle;
  link(cur\_align) \leftarrow new\_null\_box; cur\_align \leftarrow link(cur\_align); {a new alignrecord}
  info(cur\_align) \leftarrow end\_span; \ width(cur\_align) \leftarrow null\_flag; \ u\_part(cur\_align) \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
  \langle Scan the template \langle v_i \rangle, putting the resulting token list in hold_head 784\rangle;
  v_part(cur\_align) \leftarrow link(hold\_head)
This code is used in section 777.
780. We enter '\span' into eqtb with tab_mark as its command code, and with span_code as the command
modifier. This makes TFX interpret it essentially the same as an alignment delimiter like '&', yet it is
recognizably different when we need to distinguish it from a normal delimiter. It also turns out to be useful
to give a special cr\_code to '\cr', and an even larger cr\_cr\_code to '\crcr'.
  The end of a template is represented by two "frozen" control sequences called \endtemplate. The first
has the command code end_template, which is > outer_call, so it will not easily disappear in the presence of
errors. The get_x_token routine converts the first into the second, which has endv as its command code.
  define span\_code = 256 { distinct from any character }
  define cr\_code = 257 { distinct from span\_code and from any character }
  define cr\_cr\_code = cr\_code + 1 { this distinguishes \crcr from \cr\}
  define end\_template\_token \equiv cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_end\_template
\langle \text{Put each of T}_{\text{FX}} \rangle's primitives into the hash table 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("span", tab_mark, span_code);
  primitive("cr", car\_ret, cr\_code); text(frozen\_cr) \leftarrow "cr"; eqtb[frozen\_cr] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_val];
  primitive("crcr", car\_ret, cr\_cr\_code); text(frozen\_end\_template) \leftarrow "endtemplate";
  text(frozen\_endv) \leftarrow "endtemplate"; \ eq\_type(frozen\_endv) \leftarrow endv; \ equiv(frozen\_endv) \leftarrow null\_list;
  eq\_level(frozen\_endv) \leftarrow level\_one;
  eqtb[frozen\_end\_template] \leftarrow eqtb[frozen\_endv]; eq\_type(frozen\_end\_template) \leftarrow end\_template;
781. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
tab\_mark: if chr\_code = span\_code then print\_esc("span")
  else chr_{-}cmd ("alignment_tab_character_");
```

car\_ret: **if** chr\_code = cr\_code **then** print\_esc("cr")

else print\_esc("crcr");

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782. The preamble is copied directly, except that \tabskip causes a change to the tabskip glue, thereby possibly expanding macros that immediately follow it. An appearance of \span also causes such an expansion. Note that if the preamble contains '\global\tabskip', the '\global' token survives in the preamble and the '\tabskip' defines new tabskip glue (locally).

```
\langle Declare the procedure called qet_preamble_token 782\rangle \equiv
procedure get_preamble_token;
  label restart;
  begin restart: get_token;
  while (cur\_chr = span\_code) \land (cur\_cmd = tab\_mark) do
     begin get_token; { this token will be expanded once }
     if cur\_cmd > max\_command then
       begin expand; get_token;
       end;
     end:
  if cur\_cmd = endv then fatal\_error("(interwoven_lalignment_lpreambles_lare_lnot_lallowed)");
  if (cur\_cmd = assign\_glue) \land (cur\_chr = glue\_base + tab\_skip\_code) then
     begin scan_optional_equals; scan_glue(glue_val);
     if global\_defs > 0 then geq\_define(glue\_base + tab\_skip\_code, glue\_ref, cur\_val)
     else eq\_define(glue\_base + tab\_skip\_code, glue\_ref, cur\_val);
     goto restart;
     end;
  end:
This code is used in section 774.
       Spaces are eliminated from the beginning of a template.
\langle \text{Scan the template } \langle u_i \rangle, \text{ putting the resulting token list in } hold\_head 783 \rangle \equiv
  p \leftarrow hold\_head; link(p) \leftarrow null;
  loop begin get_preamble_token;
     if cur\_cmd = mac\_param then goto done1;
     if (cur\_cmd \le car\_ret) \land (cur\_cmd \ge tab\_mark) \land (align\_state = -1000000) then
       if (p = hold\_head) \land (cur\_loop = null) \land (cur\_cmd = tab\_mark) then cur\_loop \leftarrow cur\_align
       else begin print_err("Missing_#uinserted_in_alignment_preamble");
          help3 ("There_should_be_exactly_one_#_between_&´s,_when_an")
          ("\halign_or_\valign_is_being_set_up._In_this_case_you_had")
         ("none, uso ul've uput uone uin; umaybe uthat uwill uwork."); back_error; goto done1;
     else if (cur\_cmd \neq spacer) \lor (p \neq hold\_head) then
         begin link(p) \leftarrow get\_avail; p \leftarrow link(p); info(p) \leftarrow cur\_tok;
         end;
     end;
done1:
This code is used in section 779.
```

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784. \langle Scan the template \langle v_j \rangle, putting the resulting token list in hold\_head 784\rangle \equiv p \leftarrow hold\_head; link(p) \leftarrow null; loop begin continue: get\_preamble\_token; if (cur\_cmd \leq car\_ret) \wedge (cur\_cmd \geq tab\_mark) \wedge (align\_state = -1000000) then goto done2; if cur\_cmd = mac\_param then begin print\_err("Only\_one\_\#\_is\_allowed\_per\_tab"); help3("There\_should\_be\_exactly\_one\_\#\_between\_\&`s,\_when\_an") ("\halign\_or_\valign_is_being\_set\_up._In_\this_case_you_had") ("more_\than_\one,_\uso_\ullet I`m_\ignoring_\ullet all_\under but_\ullet the_\text{first."}); error; goto continue; end; link(p) \leftarrow get\_avail; p \leftarrow link(p); info(p) \leftarrow cur\_tok; end; done2: link(p) \leftarrow get\_avail; p \leftarrow link(p); info(p) \leftarrow end\_template\_token { put \endtemplate at the end } This code is used in section 779.
```

**785.** The tricky part about alignments is getting the templates into the scanner at the right time, and recovering control when a row or column is finished.

We usually begin a row after each \cr has been sensed, unless that \cr is followed by \noalign or by the right brace that terminates the alignment. The *align\_peek* routine is used to look ahead and do the right thing; it either gets a new row started, or gets a \noalign started, or finishes off the alignment.

```
⟨ Declare the procedure called align_peek 785⟩ ≡
procedure align_peek;
label restart;
begin restart: align_state ← 1000000; ⟨ Get the next non-blank non-call token 406⟩;
if cur_cmd = no_align then
   begin scan_left_brace; new_save_level(no_align_group);
   if mode = -vmode then normal_paragraph;
   end
else if cur_cmd = right_brace then fin_align
   else if (cur_cmd = car_ret) ∧ (cur_chr = cr_cr_code) then goto restart { ignore \crcr}
   else begin init_row; { start a new row }
        init_col; { start a new column and replace what we peeked at }
   end;
end;
end;
```

**786.** To start a row (i.e., a 'row' that rhymes with 'dough' but not with 'bough'), we enter a new semantic level, copy the first tabskip glue, and change from internal vertical mode to restricted horizontal mode or vice versa. The *space\_factor* and *prev\_depth* are not used on this semantic level, but we clear them to zero just to be tidy.

```
 \begin push\_nest; mode \leftarrow (-hmode-vmode)-mode; \\ \textbf{if } mode = -hmode \ \textbf{then } space\_factor \leftarrow 0 \ \textbf{else } prev\_depth \leftarrow 0; \\ tail\_append(new\_glue(glue\_ptr(preamble))); subtype(tail) \leftarrow tab\_skip\_code + 1; \\ cur\_align \leftarrow link(preamble); cur\_tail \leftarrow cur\_head; init\_span(cur\_align); \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \end{tabular}
```

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787. The parameter to *init\_span* is a pointer to the alignrecord where the next column or group of columns will begin. A new semantic level is entered, so that the columns will generate a list for subsequent packaging.

```
\langle Declare the procedure called init\_span\ 787 \rangle \equiv procedure init\_span(p:pointer); begin push\_nest; if mode = -hmode then space\_factor \leftarrow 1000 else begin prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth; normal\_paragraph; end; cur\_span \leftarrow p; end;
```

This code is used in section 786.

788. When a column begins, we assume that  $cur\_cmd$  is either omit or else the current token should be put back into the input until the  $\langle u_j \rangle$  template has been scanned. (Note that  $cur\_cmd$  might be  $tab\_mark$  or  $car\_ret$ .) We also assume that  $align\_state$  is approximately 1000000 at this time. We remain in the same mode, and start the template if it is called for.

```
procedure init\_col;

begin extra\_info(cur\_align) \leftarrow cur\_cmd;

if cur\_cmd = omit then align\_state \leftarrow 0

else begin back\_input; begin\_token\_list(u\_part(cur\_align), u\_template);

end; {now align\_state = 1000000}

end;
```

**789.** The scanner sets  $align\_state$  to zero when the  $\langle u_j \rangle$  template ends. When a subsequent \cr or \span or tab mark occurs with  $align\_state = 0$ , the scanner activates the following code, which fires up the  $\langle v_j \rangle$  template. We need to remember the  $cur\_chr$ , which is either  $cr\_cr\_code$ ,  $cr\_code$ ,  $span\_code$ , or a character code, depending on how the column text has ended.

This part of the program had better not be activated when the preamble to another alignment is being scanned, or when no alignment preamble is active.

```
⟨Insert the ⟨v_j⟩ template and goto restart 789⟩ ≡ begin if (scanner_status = aligning) ∨ (cur_align = null) then fatal_error("(interwoven_alignment_preambles_are_not_allowed)"); cur_cmd ← extra_info(cur_align); extra_info(cur_align) ← cur_chr; if cur_cmd = omit then begin_token_list(omit_template, v_template) else begin_token_list(v_part(cur_align), v_template); align_state ← 1000000; goto restart; end
```

This code is used in section 342.

**790.** The token list *omit\_template* just referred to is a constant token list that contains the special control sequence \endtemplate only.

```
\langle Initialize the special list heads and constant nodes 790\rangle \equiv info(omit\_template) \leftarrow end\_template\_token; { link(omit\_template) = null } See also sections 797, 820, 981, and 988. This code is used in section 164.
```

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**791.** When the endv command at the end of a  $\langle v_j \rangle$  template comes through the scanner, things really start to happen; and it is the fin\_col routine that makes them happen. This routine returns true if a row as well as a column has been finished.

```
function fin_col: boolean;
  label exit;
  var p: pointer; { the alignrecord after the current one }
     q, r: pointer; { temporary pointers for list manipulation }
     s: pointer; { a new span node }
     u: pointer; \{a \text{ new unset box}\}
     w: scaled; \{ natural width \}
     o: glue\_ord; \{ order of infinity \}
     n: halfword; { span counter }
  begin if cur\_align = null then confusion("endv");
  q \leftarrow link(cur\_align); if q = null then confusion("endv");
  if align\_state < 500000 then fatal\_error("(interwoven\_alignment\_preambles\_are\_not\_allowed)");
  p \leftarrow link(q); (If the preamble list has been traversed, check that the row has ended 792);
  if extra_info(cur_align) \neq span_code then
     begin unsave; new_save_level(align_group);
     (Package an unset box for the current column and record its width 796);
     (Copy the tabskip glue between columns 795);
     if extra_info(cur_align) \ge cr_code then
        begin fin\_col \leftarrow true; return;
        end;
     init\_span(p);
     end:
  align\_state \leftarrow 1000000; \langle Get the next non-blank non-call token 406 \rangle;
  cur\_align \leftarrow p; init\_col; fin\_col \leftarrow false;
exit: \mathbf{end};
792. (If the preamble list has been traversed, check that the row has ended 792) \equiv
  if (p = null) \land (extra\_info(cur\_align) < cr\_code) then
     if cur\_loop \neq null then \langle Lengthen the preamble periodically 793 \rangle
     else begin print\_err("Extra_lalignment_ltab_lhas_lbeen_lchanged_lto_l"); print\_esc("cr");
        help3 ("You_have_given_more_\span_or_&_marks_than_there_were")
        ("in_the_preamble_to_the_\halign_or_\valign_now_in_progress.")
        ("So_{\sqcup}I`ll_{\sqcup}assume_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}meant_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}type_{\sqcup}\backslash cr_{\sqcup}instead."); \ \textit{extra\_info}(\textit{cur\_align}) \leftarrow \textit{cr\_code};
        error;
        end
This code is used in section 791.
793. (Lengthen the preamble periodically 793) \equiv
  begin link(q) \leftarrow new\_null\_box; p \leftarrow link(q); \{ a new alignrecord \}
  info(p) \leftarrow end\_span; \ width(p) \leftarrow null\_flag; \ cur\_loop \leftarrow link(cur\_loop);
  \langle \text{Copy the templates from node } cur\_loop \text{ into node } p 794 \rangle;
  cur\_loop \leftarrow link(cur\_loop); link(p) \leftarrow new\_glue(glue\_ptr(cur\_loop)); subtype(link(p)) \leftarrow tab\_skip\_code + 1;
This code is used in section 792.
```

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```
\langle \text{Copy the templates from node } cur\_loop \text{ into node } p \text{ 794} \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow hold\_head; r \leftarrow u\_part(cur\_loop);
  while r \neq null do
      begin link(q) \leftarrow get\_avail; \ q \leftarrow link(q); \ info(q) \leftarrow info(r); \ r \leftarrow link(r);
  link(q) \leftarrow null; \ u\_part(p) \leftarrow link(hold\_head); \ q \leftarrow hold\_head; \ r \leftarrow v\_part(cur\_loop);
  while r \neq null do
      begin link(q) \leftarrow get\_avail; \ q \leftarrow link(q); \ info(q) \leftarrow info(r); \ r \leftarrow link(r);
  link(q) \leftarrow null; \ v\_part(p) \leftarrow link(hold\_head)
This code is used in section 793.
795. \langle Copy the tabskip glue between columns 795\rangle \equiv
   tail\_append(new\_glue(glue\_ptr(link(cur\_align)))); \ subtype(tail) \leftarrow tab\_skip\_code + 1
This code is used in section 791.
796. \langle Package an unset box for the current column and record its width 796\rangle \equiv
  begin if mode = -hmode then
      begin adjust\_tail \leftarrow cur\_tail; u \leftarrow hpack(link(head), natural); w \leftarrow width(u); cur\_tail \leftarrow adjust\_tail;
      adjust\_tail \leftarrow null;
      end
  else begin u \leftarrow vpackage(link(head), natural, 0); w \leftarrow height(u);
      end;
  n \leftarrow min\_quarterword; { this represents a span count of 1 }
  if cur\_span \neq cur\_align then \langle Update width entry for spanned columns 798 \rangle
  else if w > width(cur\_align) then width(cur\_align) \leftarrow w;
  type(u) \leftarrow unset\_node; span\_count(u) \leftarrow n;
   (Determine the stretch order 659);
   glue\_order(u) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_stretch(u) \leftarrow total\_stretch[o];
   (Determine the shrink order 665);
  glue\_sign(u) \leftarrow o; \ glue\_shrink(u) \leftarrow total\_shrink[o];
  pop\_nest; link(tail) \leftarrow u; tail \leftarrow u;
  end
This code is used in section 791.
```

**797.** A span node is a 2-word record containing width, info, and link fields. The link field is not really a link, it indicates the number of spanned columns; the info field points to a span node for the same starting column, having a greater extent of spanning, or to end\_span, which has the largest possible link field; the width field holds the largest natural width corresponding to a particular set of spanned columns.

A list of the maximum widths so far, for spanned columns starting at a given column, begins with the *info* field of the alignrecord for that column.

```
define span\_node\_size = 2 { number of mem words for a span node } 
 \langle Initialize \text{ the special list heads and constant nodes 790} \rangle + \equiv link(end\_span) \leftarrow max\_quarterword + 1; info(end\_span) \leftarrow null;
```

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798.
       \langle \text{Update width entry for spanned columns 798} \rangle \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow cur\_span;
  repeat incr(n); q \leftarrow link(link(q));
  until q = cur\_align;
  if n > max\_quarterword then confusion("256\_spans"); { this can happen, but won't }
  q \leftarrow cur\_span;
  while link(info(q)) < n \text{ do } q \leftarrow info(q);
  if link(info(q)) > n then
     begin s \leftarrow get\_node(span\_node\_size); info(s) \leftarrow info(q); link(s) \leftarrow n; info(q) \leftarrow s; width(s) \leftarrow w;
  else if width(info(q)) < w then width(info(q)) \leftarrow w;
  end
This code is used in section 796.
799. At the end of a row, we append an unset box to the current vlist (for \halign) or the current hlist
(for \valign). This unset box contains the unset boxes for the columns, separated by the tabskip glue.
Everything will be set later.
procedure fin_row;
  var p: pointer; { the new unset box }
  begin if mode = -hmode then
     begin p \leftarrow hpack(link(head), natural); pop\_nest; append\_to\_vlist(p);
     if cur\_head \neq cur\_tail then
        begin link(tail) \leftarrow link(cur\_head); tail \leftarrow cur\_tail;
        end:
     end
  else begin p \leftarrow vpack(link(head), natural); pop\_nest; link(tail) \leftarrow p; tail \leftarrow p; space\_factor \leftarrow 1000;
  type(p) \leftarrow unset\_node; glue\_stretch(p) \leftarrow 0;
  if every\_cr \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_cr, every\_cr\_text);
  align\_peek;
```

end; { note that  $glue\_shrink(p) = 0$  since  $glue\_shrink \equiv shift\_amount$  }

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**800.** Finally, we will reach the end of the alignment, and we can breathe a sigh of relief that memory hasn't overflowed. All the unset boxes will now be set so that the columns line up, taking due account of spanned columns.

```
procedure do_assignments; forward;
procedure resume_after_display; forward;
procedure build_page; forward;
procedure fin_-align;
  var p, q, r, s, u, v: pointer; { registers for the list operations }
    t, w: scaled; { width of column }
    o: scaled; { shift offset for unset boxes }
    n: halfword; { matching span amount }
    rule_save: scaled; { temporary storage for overfull_rule }
    aux_save: memory_word; { temporary storage for aux }
  begin if cur_group ≠ align_group then confusion("align1");
  unsave; { that align_group was for individual entries }
  if cur\_group \neq align\_group then confusion("align0");
  unsave;  { that align\_group was for the whole alignment }
  if nest[nest\_ptr-1].mode\_field = mmode then o \leftarrow display\_indent
  else o \leftarrow 0;
  (Go through the preamble list, determining the column widths and changing the alignrecords to dummy
       unset boxes 801);
  \langle Package the preamble list, to determine the actual tabskip glue amounts, and let p point to this
       prototype box 804);
  (Set the glue in all the unset boxes of the current list 805);
  flush\_node\_list(p); pop\_alignment; \langle Insert the current list into its environment 812 \rangle;
(Declare the procedure called align_peek 785)
```

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801. It's time now to dismantle the preamble list and to compute the column widths. Let  $w_{ij}$  be the maximum of the natural widths of all entries that span columns i through j, inclusive. The alignrecord for column i contains  $w_{ii}$  in its width field, and there is also a linked list of the nonzero  $w_{ij}$  for increasing j, accessible via the info field; these span nodes contain the value  $j - i + min\_quarterword$  in their link fields. The values of  $w_{ii}$  were initialized to null\_flag, which we regard as  $-\infty$ .

The final column widths are defined by the formula

$$w_j = \max_{1 \le i \le j} \left( w_{ij} - \sum_{i \le k < j} (t_k + w_k) \right),$$

where  $t_k$  is the natural width of the tabskip glue between columns k and k+1. However, if  $w_{ij} = -\infty$  for all i in the range  $1 \le i \le j$  (i.e., if every entry that involved column j also involved column j+1), we let  $w_j = 0$ , and we zero out the tabskip glue after column j.

TeX computes these values by using the following scheme: First  $w_1 = w_{11}$ . Then replace  $w_{2j}$  by  $\max(w_{2j}, w_{1j} - t_1 - w_1)$ , for all j > 1. Then  $w_2 = w_{22}$ . Then replace  $w_{3j}$  by  $\max(w_{3j}, w_{2j} - t_2 - w_2)$  for all j > 2; and so on. If any  $w_j$  turns out to be  $-\infty$ , its value is changed to zero and so is the next tabskip.

```
\langle Go through the preamble list, determining the column widths and changing the alignrecords to dummy unset boxes 801\,\rangle \equiv
```

```
q \leftarrow link(preamble);
```

```
repeat flush\_list(u\_part(q)); flush\_list(v\_part(q)); p \leftarrow link(link(q));
```

if  $width(q) = null\_flag$  then \(\text{Nullify } width(q)\) and the tabskip glue following this column 802\);

if  $info(q) \neq end\_span$  then

 $\langle$  Merge the widths in the span nodes of q with those of p, destroying the span nodes of q 803 $\rangle$ ;  $type(q) \leftarrow unset\_node$ ;  $span\_count(q) \leftarrow min\_quarterword$ ;  $height(q) \leftarrow 0$ ;  $depth(q) \leftarrow 0$ ;  $glue\_order(q) \leftarrow normal$ ;  $glue\_sign(q) \leftarrow normal$ ;  $glue\_stretch(q) \leftarrow 0$ ;  $glue\_shrink(q) \leftarrow 0$ ;  $q \leftarrow p$ ;  $until\ q = null$ 

This code is used in section 800.

```
802. \langle \text{Nullify } width(q) \text{ and the tabskip glue following this column } 802 \rangle \equiv  begin width(q) \leftarrow 0; \ r \leftarrow link(q); \ s \leftarrow glue\_ptr(r); if s \neq zero\_glue then begin add\_glue\_ref(zero\_glue); \ delete\_glue\_ref(s); \ glue\_ptr(r) \leftarrow zero\_glue; end; end
```

This code is used in section 801.

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**803.** Merging of two span-node lists is a typical exercise in the manipulation of linearly linked data structures. The essential invariant in the following **repeat** loop is that we want to dispense with node r, in q's list, and u is its successor; all nodes of p's list up to and including s have been processed, and the successor of s matches r or precedes r or follows r, according as link(r) = n or link(r) > n or link(r) < n.

```
 \langle \text{Merge the widths in the span nodes of } q \text{ with those of } p, \text{ destroying the span nodes of } q \text{ 803} \rangle \equiv \\ \mathbf{begin } t \leftarrow width(q) + width(glue\_ptr(link(q))); \ r \leftarrow info(q); \ s \leftarrow end\_span; \ info(s) \leftarrow p; \\ n \leftarrow min\_quarterword + 1; \\ \mathbf{repeat } width(r) \leftarrow width(r) - t; \ u \leftarrow info(r); \\ \mathbf{while } link(r) > n \ \mathbf{do} \\ \mathbf{begin } s \leftarrow info(s); \ n \leftarrow link(info(s)) + 1; \\ \mathbf{end;} \\ \mathbf{if } link(r) < n \ \mathbf{then} \\ \mathbf{begin } info(r) \leftarrow info(s); \ info(s) \leftarrow r; \ decr(link(r)); \ s \leftarrow r; \\ \mathbf{end} \\ \mathbf{else begin } \mathbf{if } width(r) > width(info(s)) \ \mathbf{then } width(info(s)) \leftarrow width(r); \\ free\_node(r, span\_node\_size); \\ \mathbf{end;} \\ r \leftarrow u; \\ \mathbf{until } r = end\_span; \\ \mathbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 801.

804. Now the preamble list has been converted to a list of alternating unset boxes and tabskip glue, where the box widths are equal to the final column sizes. In case of \valign, we change the widths to heights, so that a correct error message will be produced if the alignment is overfull or underfull.

 $\langle$  Package the preamble list, to determine the actual tabskip glue amounts, and let p point to this prototype box 804 $\rangle$   $\equiv$ 

```
save\_ptr \leftarrow save\_ptr - 2; \; pack\_begin\_line \leftarrow -mode\_line; \\ \textbf{if} \; mode = -vmode \; \textbf{then} \\ \quad \textbf{begin} \; rule\_save \leftarrow overfull\_rule; \; overfull\_rule \leftarrow 0; \; \{ \; prevent \; rule \; from \; being \; packaged \} \\ p \leftarrow hpack(preamble, saved(1), saved(0)); \; overfull\_rule \leftarrow rule\_save; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else begin} \; q \leftarrow link(preamble); \\ \textbf{repeat} \; height(q) \leftarrow width(q); \; width(q) \leftarrow 0; \; q \leftarrow link(link(q)); \\ \textbf{until} \; q = null; \\ p \leftarrow vpack(preamble, saved(1), saved(0)); \; q \leftarrow link(preamble); \\ \textbf{repeat} \; width(q) \leftarrow height(q); \; height(q) \leftarrow 0; \; q \leftarrow link(link(q)); \\ \textbf{until} \; q = null; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ pack\_begin\_line} \leftarrow 0
```

This code is used in section 800.

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```
\langle Set the glue in all the unset boxes of the current list 805\rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow link(head); s \leftarrow head;
  while q \neq null do
     begin if \neg is\_char\_node(q) then
        if type(q) = unset\_node then \langle Set the unset box q and the unset boxes in it 807\rangle
        else if type(q) = rule\_node then
              \langle Make the running dimensions in rule q extend to the boundaries of the alignment 806\rangle;
     s \leftarrow q; \ q \leftarrow link(q);
     end
This code is used in section 800.
806. Make the running dimensions in rule q extend to the boundaries of the alignment 806 \equiv
  begin if is\_running(width(q)) then width(q) \leftarrow width(p);
  if is\_running(height(q)) then height(q) \leftarrow height(p);
  if is\_running(depth(q)) then depth(q) \leftarrow depth(p);
  if o \neq 0 then
     begin r \leftarrow link(q); link(q) \leftarrow null; q \leftarrow hpack(q, natural); shift\_amount(q) \leftarrow o; link(q) \leftarrow r;
     link(s) \leftarrow q;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 805.
807. The unset box q represents a row that contains one or more unset boxes, depending on how soon \c
occurred in that row.
\langle Set the unset box q and the unset boxes in it 807\rangle \equiv
  begin if mode = -vmode then
     begin type(q) \leftarrow hlist\_node; width(q) \leftarrow width(p);
  else begin type(q) \leftarrow vlist\_node; \ height(q) \leftarrow height(p);
     end:
  glue\_order(q) \leftarrow glue\_order(p); \ glue\_sign(q) \leftarrow glue\_sign(p); \ glue\_set(q) \leftarrow glue\_set(p);
  shift\_amount(q) \leftarrow o; \ r \leftarrow link(list\_ptr(q)); \ s \leftarrow link(list\_ptr(p));
  repeat \langle Set the glue in node r and change it from an unset node 808\rangle;
     r \leftarrow link(link(r)); \ s \leftarrow link(link(s));
  until r = null;
  end
```

This code is used in section 805.

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**808.** A box made from spanned columns will be followed by tabskip glue nodes and by empty boxes as if there were no spanning. This permits perfect alignment of subsequent entries, and it prevents values that depend on floating point arithmetic from entering into the dimensions of any boxes.

```
\langle Set the glue in node r and change it from an unset node 808\rangle \equiv
  n \leftarrow span\_count(r); t \leftarrow width(s); w \leftarrow t; u \leftarrow hold\_head;
  while n > min\_quarterword do
     begin decr(n); \langle Append tabskip glue and an empty box to list u, and update s and t as the prototype
          nodes are passed 809;
     end;
  if mode = -vmode then
     \langle Make the unset node r into an hlist_node of width w, setting the glue as if the width were t 810\rangle
  else \langle Make the unset node r into a vlist_node of height w, setting the glue as if the height were t 811\rangle;
  shift\_amount(r) \leftarrow 0;
  if u \neq hold\_head then { append blank boxes to account for spanned nodes }
     begin link(u) \leftarrow link(r); link(r) \leftarrow link(hold\_head); r \leftarrow u;
This code is used in section 807.
        \langle Append tabskip glue and an empty box to list u, and update s and t as the prototype nodes are
        passed 809 \rangle \equiv
  s \leftarrow link(s); \ v \leftarrow glue\_ptr(s); \ link(u) \leftarrow new\_glue(v); \ u \leftarrow link(u); \ subtype(u) \leftarrow tab\_skip\_code + 1;
  t \leftarrow t + width(v);
  if glue\_sign(p) = stretching then
     begin if stretch\_order(v) = glue\_order(p) then t \leftarrow t + round(float(glue\_set(p)) * stretch(v));
     \mathbf{end}
  else if glue\_sign(p) = shrinking then
        begin if shrink\_order(v) = qlue\_order(p) then t \leftarrow t - round(float(qlue\_set(p)) * shrink(v));
  s \leftarrow link(s); link(u) \leftarrow new\_null\_box; u \leftarrow link(u); t \leftarrow t + width(s);
  if mode = -vmode then width(u) \leftarrow width(s) else begin type(u) \leftarrow vlist\_node; height(u) \leftarrow width(s);
This code is used in section 808.
810. \langle Make the unset node r into an hlist_node of width w, setting the glue as if the width were t 810 \rangle
  begin height(r) \leftarrow height(q); depth(r) \leftarrow depth(q);
  if t = width(r) then
     begin qlue\_siqn(r) \leftarrow normal; qlue\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_qlue\_ratio\_zero(qlue\_set(r));
     end
  else if t > width(r) then
        begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow stretching;
        if glue\_stretch(r) = 0 then set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r))
        else glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((t - width(r))/glue\_stretch(r));
        end
     else begin glue\_order(r) \leftarrow glue\_sign(r); glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow shrinking;
        if glue\_shrink(r) = 0 then set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r))
        else if (glue\_order(r) = normal) \land (width(r) - t > glue\_shrink(r)) then
             set\_glue\_ratio\_one(glue\_set(r))
           else glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((width(r) - t)/glue\_shrink(r));
  width(r) \leftarrow w; \ type(r) \leftarrow hlist\_node;
  end
```

This code is used in section 808.

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\langle Make the unset node r into a vlist_node of height w, setting the glue as if the height were t 811 \rangle
begin width(r) \leftarrow width(q);
if t = height(r) then
  begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow normal; glue\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r));
else if t > height(r) then
     begin glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow stretching;
     if glue\_stretch(r) = 0 then set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r))
     else glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((t - height(r))/glue\_stretch(r));
     end
  else begin glue\_order(r) \leftarrow glue\_sign(r); glue\_sign(r) \leftarrow shrinking;
     if glue\_shrink(r) = 0 then set\_glue\_ratio\_zero(glue\_set(r))
     else if (glue\_order(r) = normal) \land (height(r) - t > glue\_shrink(r)) then
          set\_glue\_ratio\_one(glue\_set(r))
        else glue\_set(r) \leftarrow unfloat((height(r) - t)/glue\_shrink(r));
height(r) \leftarrow w; type(r) \leftarrow vlist\_node;
end
```

This code is used in section 808.

**812.** We now have a completed alignment, in the list that starts at *head* and ends at *tail*. This list will be merged with the one that encloses it. (In case the enclosing mode is *mmode*, for displayed formulas, we will need to insert glue before and after the display; that part of the program will be deferred until we're more familiar with such operations.)

In restricted horizontal mode, the clang part of aux is undefined; an over-cautious Pascal runtime system may complain about this.

```
⟨Insert the current list into its environment 812⟩ ≡ aux\_save \leftarrow aux; p \leftarrow link(head); q \leftarrow tail; pop\_nest; if mode = mmode then ⟨Finish an alignment in a display 1206⟩ else begin aux \leftarrow aux\_save; link(tail) \leftarrow p; if p \neq null then tail \leftarrow q; if mode = vmode then build\_page; end
```

This code is used in section 800.

813. Breaking paragraphs into lines. We come now to what is probably the most interesting algorithm of TEX: the mechanism for choosing the "best possible" breakpoints that yield the individual lines of a paragraph. TEX's line-breaking algorithm takes a given horizontal list and converts it to a sequence of boxes that are appended to the current vertical list. In the course of doing this, it creates a special data structure containing three kinds of records that are not used elsewhere in TEX. Such nodes are created while a paragraph is being processed, and they are destroyed afterwards; thus, the other parts of TEX do not need to know anything about how line-breaking is done.

The method used here is based on an approach devised by Michael F. Plass and the author in 1977, subsequently generalized and improved by the same two people in 1980. A detailed discussion appears in Software—Practice and Experience 11 (1981), 1119–1184, where it is shown that the line-breaking problem can be regarded as a special case of the problem of computing the shortest path in an acyclic network. The cited paper includes numerous examples and describes the history of line breaking as it has been practiced by printers through the ages. The present implementation adds two new ideas to the algorithm of 1980: Memory space requirements are considerably reduced by using smaller records for inactive nodes than for active ones, and arithmetic overflow is avoided by using "delta distances" instead of keeping track of the total distance from the beginning of the paragraph to the current point.

**814.** The *line\_break* procedure should be invoked only in horizontal mode; it leaves that mode and places its output into the current vlist of the enclosing vertical mode (or internal vertical mode). There is one explicit parameter: *final\_widow\_penalty* is the amount of additional penalty to be inserted before the final line of the paragraph.

There are also a number of implicit parameters: The hlist to be broken starts at link(head), and it is nonempty. The value of  $prev\_graf$  in the enclosing semantic level tells where the paragraph should begin in the sequence of line numbers, in case hanging indentation or \parshape is in use;  $prev\_graf$  is zero unless this paragraph is being continued after a displayed formula. Other implicit parameters, such as the  $par\_shape\_ptr$  and various penalties to use for hyphenation, etc., appear in eqtb.

After  $line\_break$  has acted, it will have updated the current vlist and the value of  $prev\_graf$ . Furthermore, the global variable  $just\_box$  will point to the final box created by  $line\_break$ , so that the width of this line can be ascertained when it is necessary to decide whether to use  $above\_display\_skip$  or  $above\_display\_short\_skip$  before a displayed formula.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv just_box: pointer; { the hlist_node for the last line of the new paragraph }
```

815. Since *line\_break* is a rather lengthy procedure—sort of a small world unto itself—we must build it up little by little, somewhat more cautiously than we have done with the simpler procedures of TEX. Here is the general outline.

```
⟨ Declare subprocedures for line_break 826⟩
procedure line_break(final_widow_penalty : integer);
label done, done1, done2, done3, done4, done5, continue;
var ⟨ Local variables for line breaking 862⟩
begin pack_begin_line ← mode_line; { this is for over/underfull box messages }
⟨ Get ready to start line breaking 816⟩;
⟨ Find optimal breakpoints 863⟩;
⟨ Break the paragraph at the chosen breakpoints, justify the resulting lines to the correct widths, and append them to the current vertical list 876⟩;
⟨ Clean up the memory by removing the break nodes 865⟩;
pack_begin_line ← 0;
end;
```

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**816.** The first task is to move the list from *head* to *temp\_head* and go into the enclosing semantic level. We also append the **\parfillskip** glue to the end of the paragraph, removing a space (or other glue node) if it was there, since spaces usually precede blank lines and instances of '\$\$'. The *par\_fill\_skip* is preceded by an infinite penalty, so it will never be considered as a potential breakpoint.

This code assumes that a *glue\_node* and a *penalty\_node* occupy the same number of *mem* words.

817. When looking for optimal line breaks, TeX creates a "break node" for each break that is feasible, in the sense that there is a way to end a line at the given place without requiring any line to stretch more than a given tolerance. A break node is characterized by three things: the position of the break (which is a pointer to a glue\_node, math\_node, penalty\_node, or disc\_node); the ordinal number of the line that will follow this breakpoint; and the fitness classification of the line that has just ended, i.e., tight\_fit, decent\_fit, loose\_fit, or very\_loose\_fit.

```
define tight\_fit = 3 { fitness classification for lines shrinking 0.5 to 1.0 of their shrinkability } define tight = 1 { fitness classification for lines stretching 0.5 to 1.0 of their stretchability } define tight = 1 { fitness classification for lines stretching more than their stretchability } define tight = 1 { fitness classification for all other lines }
```

818. The algorithm essentially determines the best possible way to achieve each feasible combination of position, line, and fitness. Thus, it answers questions like, "What is the best way to break the opening part of the paragraph so that the fourth line is a tight line ending at such-and-such a place?" However, the fact that all lines are to be the same length after a certain point makes it possible to regard all sufficiently large line numbers as equivalent, when the looseness parameter is zero, and this makes it possible for the algorithm to save space and time.

An "active node" and a "passive node" are created in *mem* for each feasible breakpoint that needs to be considered. Active nodes are three words long and passive nodes are two words long. We need active nodes only for breakpoints near the place in the paragraph that is currently being examined, so they are recycled within a comparatively short time after they are created.

**819.** An active node for a given breakpoint contains six fields:

link points to the next node in the list of active nodes; the last active node has  $link = last\_active$ .

break\_node points to the passive node associated with this breakpoint.

line\_number is the number of the line that follows this breakpoint.

fitness is the fitness classification of the line ending at this breakpoint.

type is either hyphenated or unhyphenated, depending on whether this breakpoint is a disc\_node.

total\_demerits is the minimum possible sum of demerits over all lines leading from the beginning of the paragraph to this breakpoint.

The value of link(active) points to the first active node on a linked list of all currently active nodes. This list is in order by  $line\_number$ , except that nodes with  $line\_number > easy\_line$  may be in any order relative to each other.

```
define active_node_size = 3 { number of words in active nodes }

define fitness ≡ subtype { very_loose_fit .. tight_fit on final line for this break }

define break_node ≡ rlink { pointer to the corresponding passive node }

define line_number ≡ llink { line that begins at this breakpoint }

define total_demerits(#) ≡ mem[# + 2].int { the quantity that TEX minimizes }

define unhyphenated = 0 { the type of a normal active break node }

define hyphenated = 1 { the type of an active node that breaks at a disc_node }

define last_active ≡ active { the active list ends where it begins }

820. ⟨ Initialize the special list heads and constant nodes 790⟩ +≡

type(last_active) ← hyphenated; line_number(last_active) ← max_halfword; subtype(last_active) ← 0;

{ the subtype is never examined by the algorithm }
```

**821.** The passive node for a given breakpoint contains only four fields:

link points to the passive node created just before this one, if any, otherwise it is null.

 $cur\_break$  points to the position of this breakpoint in the horizontal list for the paragraph being broken.

prev\_break points to the passive node that should precede this one in an optimal path to this breakpoint.

serial is equal to n if this passive node is the nth one created during the current pass. (This field is used only when printing out detailed statistics about the line-breaking calculations.)

There is a global variable called *passive* that points to the most recently created passive node. Another global variable, *printed\_node*, is used to help print out the paragraph when detailed information about the line-breaking computation is being displayed.

```
define passive\_node\_size = 2 { number of words in passive nodes } define cur\_break \equiv rlink { in passive node, points to position of this breakpoint } define prev\_break \equiv llink { points to passive node that should precede this one } define serial \equiv info { serial number for symbolic identification } \langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv passive: pointer; { most recent node on passive list } printed\_node: pointer; { most recent node that has been printed } pass\_number: halfword; { the number of passive nodes allocated on this pass }
```

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822. The active list also contains "delta" nodes that help the algorithm compute the badness of individual lines. Such nodes appear only between two active nodes, and they have  $type = delta\_node$ . If p and r are active nodes and if q is a delta node between them, so that link(p) = q and link(q) = r, then q tells the space difference between lines in the horizontal list that start after breakpoint p and lines that start after breakpoint r. In other words, if we know the length of the line that starts after p and ends at our current position, then the corresponding length of the line that starts after p is obtained by adding the amounts in node p. A delta node contains six scaled numbers, since it must record the net change in glue stretchability with respect to all orders of infinity. The natural width difference appears in mem[q+1].sc; the stretch differences in units of p, fil, fill, and fill appear in mem[q+2..q+5].sc; and the shrink difference appears in mem[q+6].sc. The subtype field of a delta node is not used.

```
define delta_node_size = 7 { number of words in a delta node } define delta_node = 2 { type field in a delta node }
```

823. As the algorithm runs, it maintains a set of six delta-like registers for the length of the line following the first active breakpoint to the current position in the given hlist. When it makes a pass through the active list, it also maintains a similar set of six registers for the length following the active breakpoint of current interest. A third set holds the length of an empty line (namely, the sum of \leftskip and \rightskip); and a fourth set is used to create new delta nodes.

When we pass a delta node we want to do operations like

```
for k \leftarrow 1 to 6 do cur\_active\_width[k] \leftarrow cur\_active\_width[k] + mem[q + k].sc;
```

and we want to do this without the overhead of **for** loops. The  $do\_all\_six$  macro makes such six-tuples convenient.

```
define do_all\_six(\#) \equiv \#(1); \#(2); \#(3); \#(4); \#(5); \#(6)

\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv

active\_width: \mathbf{array} [1...6] \mathbf{of} \ scaled; \ \{ \text{distance from first active node to } \ background: \mathbf{array} [1...6] \mathbf{of} \ scaled; \ \{ \text{distance from current active node} \}

background: \mathbf{array} [1...6] \mathbf{of} \ scaled; \ \{ \text{length of an "empty" line} \}

break\_width: \mathbf{array} [1...6] \mathbf{of} \ scaled; \ \{ \text{length being computed after current break} \}
```

**824.** Let's state the principles of the delta nodes more precisely and concisely, so that the following programs will be less obscure. For each legal breakpoint p in the paragraph, we define two quantities  $\alpha(p)$  and  $\beta(p)$  such that the length of material in a line from breakpoint p to breakpoint q is  $\gamma + \beta(q) - \alpha(p)$ , for some fixed  $\gamma$ . Intuitively,  $\alpha(p)$  and  $\beta(q)$  are the total length of material from the beginning of the paragraph to a point "after" a break at p and to a point "before" a break at p and p is the width of an empty line, namely the length contributed by \leftskip and \rightskip.

Suppose, for example, that the paragraph consists entirely of alternating boxes and glue skips; let the boxes have widths  $x_1 
dots x_n$  and let the skips have widths  $y_1 
dots y_n$ , so that the paragraph can be represented by  $x_1y_1 
dots x_ny_n$ . Let  $p_i$  be the legal breakpoint at  $y_i$ ; then  $\alpha(p_i) = x_1 + y_1 + \dots + x_i + y_i$ , and  $\beta(p_i) = x_1 + y_1 + \dots + x_i$ . To check this, note that the length of material from  $p_2$  to  $p_5$ , say, is  $\gamma + x_3 + y_3 + x_4 + y_4 + x_5 = \gamma + \beta(p_5) - \alpha(p_2)$ .

The quantities  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  involve glue stretchability and shrinkability as well as a natural width. If we were to compute  $\alpha(p)$  and  $\beta(p)$  for each p, we would need multiple precision arithmetic, and the multiprecise numbers would have to be kept in the active nodes. TeX avoids this problem by working entirely with relative differences or "deltas." Suppose, for example, that the active list contains  $a_1 \, \delta_1 \, a_2 \, \delta_2 \, a_3$ , where the a's are active breakpoints and the  $\delta$ 's are delta nodes. Then  $\delta_1 = \alpha(a_1) - \alpha(a_2)$  and  $\delta_2 = \alpha(a_2) - \alpha(a_3)$ . If the line breaking algorithm is currently positioned at some other breakpoint p, the active-width array contains the value  $\gamma + \beta(p) - \alpha(a_1)$ . If we are scanning through the list of active nodes and considering a tentative line that runs from  $a_2$  to p, say, the cur-active-width array will contain the value  $\gamma + \beta(p) - \alpha(a_2)$ . Thus, when we move from  $a_2$  to  $a_3$ , we want to add  $\alpha(a_2) - \alpha(a_3)$  to cur-active-width; and this is just  $\delta_2$ , which appears in the active list between  $a_2$  and  $a_3$ . The background array contains  $\gamma$ . The break-width array will be used to calculate values of new delta nodes when the active list is being updated.

**825.** Glue nodes in a horizontal list that is being paragraphed are not supposed to include "infinite" shrinkability; that is why the algorithm maintains four registers for stretching but only one for shrinking. If the user tries to introduce infinite shrinkability, the shrinkability will be reset to finite and an error message will be issued. A boolean variable *no\_shrink\_error\_yet* prevents this error message from appearing more than once per paragraph.

```
define check\_shrinkage(\#) \equiv
if (shrink\_order(\#) \neq normal) \land (shrink(\#) \neq 0) then
begin \# \leftarrow finite\_shrink(\#);
end
\langle Global \ variables \ 13 \rangle + \equiv
no\_shrink\_error\_yet: \ boolean; \ \{ \text{have we complained about infinite shrinkage?} \}
```

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```
\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } line\_break | 826 \rangle \equiv
function finite_shrink(p:pointer): pointer; { recovers from infinite shrinkage }
  var q: pointer; { new glue specification }
  begin if no_shrink_error_yet then
     begin no\_shrink\_error\_yet \leftarrow false;
     stat if tracinq\_paragraphs > 0 then end\_diagnostic(true);
     tats print_err("Infinite_glue_shrinkage_found_in_a_paragraph");
     help5 ("The paragraph just ended includes some glue that has")
     ("infinite_{\sqcup} shrinkability,_{\sqcup} e.g.,_{\sqcup} ` \hskip_{\sqcup} 0pt_{\sqcup} minus_{\sqcup} 1fil'.")
      ("Such_{\sqcup}glue_{\sqcup}doesn `t_{\sqcup}belong_{\sqcup}there---it_{\sqcup}allows_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}paragraph")
      ("of_{\sqcup}any_{\sqcup}length_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}fit_{\sqcup}on_{\sqcup}one_{\sqcup}line._{\sqcup}But_{\sqcup}it`s_{\sqcup}safe_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}proceed,")
     ("since_the_offensive_shrinkability_has_been_made_finite."); error;
     stat if tracing\_paragraphs > 0 then begin\_diagnostic;
     tats
     end:
  q \leftarrow new\_spec(p); shrink\_order(q) \leftarrow normal; delete\_glue\_ref(p); finite\_shrink \leftarrow q;
  end:
See also sections 829, 877, 895, and 942.
This code is used in section 815.
         \langle Get ready to start line breaking 816\rangle + \equiv
   no\_shrink\_error\_yet \leftarrow true;
  check_shrinkage(left_skip); check_shrinkage(right_skip);
  q \leftarrow left\_skip; \ r \leftarrow right\_skip; \ background[1] \leftarrow width(q) + width(r);
  background[2] \leftarrow 0; background[3] \leftarrow 0; background[4] \leftarrow 0; background[5] \leftarrow 0;
   background[2 + stretch\_order(q)] \leftarrow stretch(q);
  background[2 + stretch\_order(r)] \leftarrow background[2 + stretch\_order(r)] + stretch(r);
  background[6] \leftarrow shrink(q) + shrink(r);
```

**828.** A pointer variable  $cur_p$  runs through the given horizontal list as we look for breakpoints. This variable is global, since it is used both by  $line\_break$  and by its subprocedure  $try\_break$ .

Another global variable called *threshold* is used to determine the feasibility of individual lines: Breakpoints are feasible if there is a way to reach them without creating lines whose badness exceeds *threshold*. (The badness is compared to *threshold* before penalties are added, so that penalty values do not affect the feasibility of breakpoints, except that no break is allowed when the penalty is 10000 or more.) If *threshold* is 10000 or more, all legal breaks are considered feasible, since the *badness* function specified above never returns a value greater than 10000.

Up to three passes might be made through the paragraph in an attempt to find at least one set of feasible breakpoints. On the first pass, we have threshold = pretolerance and  $second\_pass = final\_pass = false$ . If this pass fails to find a feasible solution, threshold is set to tolerance,  $second\_pass$  is set true, and an attempt is made to hyphenate as many words as possible. If that fails too, we add  $emergency\_stretch$  to the background stretchability and set  $final\_pass = true$ .

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle += cur_p: pointer; { the current breakpoint under consideration } second\_pass: boolean; { is this our second attempt to break this paragraph? } final\_pass: boolean; { is this our final attempt to break this paragraph? } threshold: integer; { maximum badness on feasible lines }
```

829. The heart of the line-breaking procedure is ' $try\_break$ ', a subroutine that tests if the current breakpoint  $cur\_p$  is feasible, by running through the active list to see what lines of text can be made from active nodes to  $cur\_p$ . If feasible breaks are possible, new break nodes are created. If  $cur\_p$  is too far from an active node, that node is deactivated.

The parameter pi to  $try\_break$  is the penalty associated with a break at  $cur\_p$ ; we have  $pi = eject\_penalty$  if the break is forced, and  $pi = inf\_penalty$  if the break is illegal.

The other parameter,  $break\_type$ , is set to hyphenated or unhyphenated, depending on whether or not the current break is at a  $disc\_node$ . The end of a paragraph is also regarded as 'hyphenated'; this case is distinguishable by the condition  $cur\_p = null$ .

```
define copy\_to\_cur\_active(\#) \equiv cur\_active\_width[\#] \leftarrow active\_width[\#]
  define deactivate = 60 { go here when node r should be deactivated }
\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } line\_break 826 \rangle + \equiv
procedure try_break(pi : integer; break_type : small_number);
  label exit, done, done1, continue, deactivate;
  var r: pointer; { runs through the active list }
     prev_r: pointer; \{ stays a step behind r \}
     old_l: halfword; { maximum line number in current equivalence class of lines }
     no\_break\_yet: boolean; { have we found a feasible break at cur\_p? }
     ⟨Other local variables for try_break 830⟩
  begin \langle Make sure that pi is in the proper range 831\rangle;
  no\_break\_yet \leftarrow true; prev\_r \leftarrow active; old\_l \leftarrow 0; do\_all\_six(copy\_to\_cur\_active);
  loop begin continue: r \leftarrow link(prev_r); (If node r is of type delta_node, update cur_active_width, set
          prev_r and prev_prev_r, then goto continue 832 \;
     (If a line number class has ended, create new active nodes for the best feasible breaks in that class;
         then return if r = last\_active, otherwise compute the new line\_width 835\rangle;
     \langle Consider the demerits for a line from r to cur_p; deactivate node r if it should no longer be active;
         then goto continue if a line from r to cur_p is infeasible, otherwise record a new feasible
         break 851;
     end:
exit: stat (Update the value of printed_node for symbolic displays 858) tats
  end;
830. \langle Other local variables for try\_break 830\rangle \equiv
prev\_prev\_r: pointer; { a step behind prev\_r, if type(prev\_r) = delta\_node }
s: pointer; { runs through nodes ahead of cur_p }
q: pointer; { points to a new node being created }
v: pointer; { points to a glue specification or a node ahead of cur_p }
t: integer; { node count, if cur_p is a discretionary node }
f: internal_font_number; { used in character width calculation }
l: halfword; { line number of current active node }
node\_r\_stays\_active: boolean; { should node r remain in the active list? }
line_width: scaled; { the current line will be justified to this width }
fit_class: very_loose_fit .. tight_fit; { possible fitness class of test line }
b: halfword; { badness of test line }
d: integer; { demerits of test line }
artificial\_demerits: boolean; { has d been forced to zero? }
save\_link: pointer; \{temporarily holds value of <math>link(cur\_p)\}
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shortfall: scaled; { used in badness calculations }

This code is used in section 829.

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831. ⟨Make sure that pi is in the proper range 831⟩ ≡ if abs(pi) ≥ inf_penalty then if pi > 0 then return {this breakpoint is inhibited by infinite penalty} else pi ← eject_penalty {this breakpoint will be forced}
832. The following code uses the fact that type(last_active) ≠ delta_node. define update_width(#) ≡ cur_active_width[#] ← cur_active_width[#] + mem[r + #].sc
⟨If node r is of type delta_node, update cur_active_width, set prev_r and prev_prev_r, then goto continue 832⟩ ≡ if type(r) = delta_node then begin do_all_six(update_width); prev_prev_r ← prev_r; prev_r ← r; goto continue; end
This code is used in section 829.
833. As we consider various ways to end a line at cur_p, in a given line number class, we keep trace
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833. As we consider various ways to end a line at  $cur_p$ , in a given line number class, we keep track of the best total demerits known, in an array with one entry for each of the fitness classifications. For example,  $minimal\_demerits[tight\_fit]$  contains the fewest total demerits of feasible line breaks ending at  $cur_p$  with a  $tight\_fit$  line;  $best\_place[tight\_fit]$  points to the passive node for the break before  $cur_p$  that achieves such an optimum; and  $best\_pl\_line[tight\_fit]$  is the  $line\_number$  field in the active node corresponding to  $best\_place[tight\_fit]$ . When no feasible break sequence is known, the  $minimal\_demerits$  entries will be equal to  $awful\_bad$ , which is  $2^{30} - 1$ . Another variable,  $minimum\_demerits$ , keeps track of the smallest value in the  $minimal\_demerits$  array.

```
define awful_bad ≡ '7777777777 { more than a billion demerits }

⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡

minimal_demerits: array [very_loose_fit .. tight_fit] of integer;

{ best total demerits known for current line class and position, given the fitness }

minimum_demerits: integer; { best total demerits known for current line class and position }

best_place: array [very_loose_fit .. tight_fit] of pointer; { how to achieve minimal_demerits }

best_pl_line: array [very_loose_fit .. tight_fit] of halfword; { corresponding line number }

834. ⟨Get ready to start line breaking 816⟩ +≡

minimum_demerits ← awful_bad; minimal_demerits[tight_fit] ← awful_bad;

minimal_demerits[decent_fit] ← awful_bad; minimal_demerits[loose_fit] ← awful_bad;

minimal_demerits[very_loose_fit] ← awful_bad;
```

835. The first part of the following code is part of  $T_EX$ 's inner loop, so we don't want to waste any time. The current active node, namely node r, contains the line number that will be considered next. At the end of the list we have arranged the data structure so that  $r = last\_active$  and  $line\_number(last\_active) > old\_l$ .

(If a line number class has ended, create new active nodes for the best feasible breaks in that class; then

```
return if r = last\_active, otherwise compute the new line\_width~835 \rangle \equiv
begin l \leftarrow line\_number(r);
if l > old\_l then
begin { now we are no longer in the inner loop}
if (minimum\_demerits < awful\_bad) \land ((old\_l \neq easy\_line) \lor (r = last\_active)) then
\langle Create new active nodes for the best feasible breaks just found 836 \rangle;
if r = last\_active then return;
\langle Compute the new line width 850 \rangle;
end;
end
```

This code is used in section 829.

836. It is not necessary to create new active nodes having  $minimal\_demerits$  greater than  $minimum\_demerits + \blacksquare abs(adj\_demerits)$ , since such active nodes will never be chosen in the final paragraph breaks. This observation allows us to omit a substantial number of feasible breakpoints from further consideration.

```
⟨ Create new active nodes for the best feasible breaks just found 836⟩ ≡
begin if no_break_yet then ⟨ Compute the values of break_width 837⟩;
⟨ Insert a delta node to prepare for breaks at cur_p 843⟩;
if abs(adj_demerits) ≥ awful_bad − minimum_demerits then minimum_demerits ← awful_bad − 1
else minimum_demerits ← minimum_demerits + abs(adj_demerits);
for fit_class ← very_loose_fit to tight_fit do
begin if minimal_demerits[fit_class] ≤ minimum_demerits then
⟨ Insert a new active node from best_place[fit_class] to cur_p 845⟩;
minimal_demerits[fit_class] ← awful_bad;
end;
minimum_demerits ← awful_bad; ⟨ Insert a delta node to prepare for the next active node 844⟩;
end
```

This code is used in section 835.

837. When we insert a new active node for a break at  $cur_p$ , suppose this new node is to be placed just before active node a; then we essentially want to insert ' $\delta \ cur_p \ \delta'$ ' before a, where  $\delta = \alpha(a) - \alpha(cur_p)$  and  $\delta' = \alpha(cur_p) - \alpha(a)$  in the notation explained above. The  $cur_active_width$  array now holds  $\gamma + \beta(cur_p) - \alpha(a)$ ; so  $\delta$  can be obtained by subtracting  $cur_active_width$  from the quantity  $\gamma + \beta(cur_p) - \alpha(cur_p)$ . The latter quantity can be regarded as the length of a line "from  $cur_p$  to  $cur_p$ "; we call it the  $break_width$  at  $cur_p$ .

The *break\_width* is usually negative, since it consists of the background (which is normally zero) minus the width of nodes following *cur\_p* that are eliminated after a break. If, for example, node *cur\_p* is a glue node, the width of this glue is subtracted from the background; and we also look ahead to eliminate all subsequent glue and penalty and kern and math nodes, subtracting their widths as well.

Kern nodes do not disappear at a line break unless they are *explicit*.

```
define set\_break\_width\_to\_background(\#) \equiv break\_width[\#] \leftarrow background[\#]
\langle \text{ Compute the values of } break\_width | 837 \rangle \equiv
  begin no\_break\_yet \leftarrow false; do\_all\_six(set\_break\_width\_to\_background); s \leftarrow cur\_p;
  if break_type > unhyphenated then
     if cur_p \neq null then (Compute the discretionary break_width values 840);
  while s \neq null do
     begin if is\_char\_node(s) then goto done;
     case type(s) of
     glue_node: \langle Subtract glue from break_width 838 \rangle;
     penalty_node: do_nothing;
     math\_node: break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] - width(s);
     kern\_node: if subtype(s) \neq explicit then goto done
        else break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] - width(s);
     othercases goto done
     endcases;
     s \leftarrow link(s);
     end;
done: end
This code is used in section 836.
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This code is used in section 837.

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838. \langle \text{Subtract glue from } break\_width \ 838 \rangle \equiv \\ \mathbf{begin} \ v \leftarrow glue\_ptr(s); \ break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] - width(v); \\ break\_width[2 + stretch\_order(v)] \leftarrow break\_width[2 + stretch\_order(v)] - stretch(v); \\ break\_width[6] \leftarrow break\_width[6] - shrink(v); \\ \mathbf{end}
```

839. When  $cur_p$  is a discretionary break, the length of a line "from  $cur_p$  to  $cur_p$ " has to be defined properly so that the other calculations work out. Suppose that the pre-break text at  $cur_p$  has length  $l_0$ , the post-break text has length  $l_1$ , and the replacement text has length l. Suppose also that q is the node following the replacement text. Then length of a line from  $cur_p$  to q will be computed as  $\gamma + \beta(q) - \alpha(cur_p)$ , where  $\beta(q) = \beta(cur_p) - l_0 + l$ . The actual length will be the background plus  $l_1$ , so the length from  $cur_p$  to  $cur_p$  should be  $\gamma + l_0 + l_1 - l$ . If the post-break text of the discretionary is empty, a break may also discard q; in that unusual case we subtract the length of q and any other nodes that will be discarded after the discretionary break.

The value of  $l_0$  need not be computed, since  $line\_break$  will put it into the global variable  $disc\_width$  before calling  $try\_break$ .

```
canning try_break.
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
disc_width: scaled; { the length of discretionary material preceding a break }

840. ⟨Compute the discretionary break_width values 840⟩ ≡
begin t ← replace_count(cur_p); v ← cur_p; s ← post_break(cur_p);
while t > 0 do
begin decr(t); v ← link(v); ⟨Subtract the width of node v from break_width 841⟩;
end;
while s ≠ null do
begin ⟨Add the width of node s to break_width 842⟩;
s ← link(s);
end;
break_width[1] ← break_width[1] + disc_width;
if post_break(cur_p) = null then s ← link(v); { nodes may be discardable after the break} end
```

**841.** Replacement texts and discretionary texts are supposed to contain only character nodes, kern nodes, ligature nodes, and box or rule nodes.

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 \langle \text{Subtract the width of node } v \text{ from } \textit{break\_width } 841 \rangle \equiv \\ \text{if } \textit{is\_char\_node}(v) \text{ then} \\ \text{begin } f \leftarrow \textit{font}(v); \; \textit{break\_width}[1] \leftarrow \textit{break\_width}[1] - \textit{char\_width}(f)(\textit{char\_info}(f)(\textit{character}(v))); \\ \text{end} \\ \text{else case } \textit{type}(v) \text{ of} \\ \textit{ligature\_node}: \text{begin } f \leftarrow \textit{font}(\textit{lig\_char}(v)); \\ \textit{break\_width}[1] \leftarrow \textit{break\_width}[1] - \textit{char\_width}(f)(\textit{char\_info}(f)(\textit{character}(\textit{lig\_char}(v)))); \\ \text{end}; \\ \textit{hlist\_node}, \textit{vlist\_node}, \textit{rule\_node}, \textit{kern\_node}: \textit{break\_width}[1] \leftarrow \textit{break\_width}[1] - \textit{width}(v); \\ \text{othercases } \textit{confusion}(\texttt{"disc1"}) \\ \text{endcases} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 840.

This code is used in section 837.

This code is used in section 836.

```
\langle \text{ Add the width of node } s \text{ to } break\_width 842 \rangle \equiv
  if is\_char\_node(s) then
     begin f \leftarrow font(s); break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(s)));
     end
  else case type(s) of
     ligature\_node: begin f \leftarrow font(lig\_char(s));
        break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(lig\_char(s))));
     hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node, kern\_node: break\_width[1] \leftarrow break\_width[1] + width(s);
     othercases confusion("disc2")
     endcases
This code is used in section 840.
843. We use the fact that type(active) \neq delta\_node.
  define convert\_to\_break\_width(\#) \equiv mem[prev\_r + \#].sc \leftarrow
                    mem[prev\_r + \#].sc - cur\_active\_width[\#] + break\_width[\#]
  define store\_break\_width(\#) \equiv active\_width[\#] \leftarrow break\_width[\#]
  \mathbf{define} \ \ new\_delta\_to\_break\_width(\texttt{\#}) \equiv mem[q+\texttt{\#}].sc \leftarrow break\_width[\texttt{\#}] - cur\_active\_width[\texttt{\#}]
\langle \text{Insert a delta node to prepare for breaks at } cur_p 843 \rangle \equiv
  if type(prev_r) = delta\_node then { modify an existing delta node }
     begin do_all_six(convert_to_break_width);
  else if prev_r = active then { no delta node needed at the beginning }
        begin do\_all\_six(store\_break\_width);
     else begin q \leftarrow get\_node(delta\_node\_size); link(q) \leftarrow r; type(q) \leftarrow delta\_node;
        subtype(q) \leftarrow 0; \{ \text{the } subtype \text{ is not used } \}
        do\_all\_six(new\_delta\_to\_break\_width);\ link(prev\_r) \leftarrow q;\ prev\_prev\_r \leftarrow prev\_r;\ prev\_r \leftarrow q;
        end
This code is used in section 836.
844. When the following code is performed, we will have just inserted at least one active node before r,
so type(prev_r) \neq delta\_node.
  \mathbf{define}\ new\_delta\_from\_break\_width(\#) \equiv mem[q + \#].sc \leftarrow cur\_active\_width[\#] - break\_width[\#]
\langle Insert a delta node to prepare for the next active node 844\rangle \equiv
  if r \neq last\_active then
     begin q \leftarrow get\_node(delta\_node\_size); link(q) \leftarrow r; type(q) \leftarrow delta\_node;
     subtype(q) \leftarrow 0; \{ \text{the } subtype \text{ is not used } \}
     do\_all\_six(new\_delta\_from\_break\_width);\ link(prev\_r) \leftarrow q;\ prev\_prev\_r \leftarrow prev\_r;\ prev\_r \leftarrow q;
```

**845.** When we create an active node, we also create the corresponding passive node.

```
⟨ Insert a new active node from best_place[fit_class] to cur_p 845⟩ ≡ begin q \leftarrow get\_node(passive\_node\_size); link(q) \leftarrow passive; passive \leftarrow q; cur\_break(q) \leftarrow cur\_p; stat incr(pass\_number); serial(q) \leftarrow pass\_number; tats prev\_break(q) \leftarrow best\_place[fit\_class]; q \leftarrow get\_node(active\_node\_size); break\_node(q) \leftarrow passive; line\_number(q) \leftarrow best\_pl\_line[fit\_class] + 1; fitness(q) \leftarrow fit\_class; type(q) \leftarrow break\_type; total\_demerits(q) \leftarrow minimal\_demerits[fit\_class]; link(q) \leftarrow r; link(prev\_r) \leftarrow q; prev\_r \leftarrow q; stat if tracing\_paragraphs > 0 then ⟨Print a symbolic description of the new break node 846⟩; tats end
```

This code is used in section 836.

This code is used in section 845.

847. The length of lines depends on whether the user has specified \parshape or \hangindent. If  $par\_shape\_ptr$  is not null, it points to a (2n+1)-word record in mem, where the info in the first word contains the value of n, and the other 2n words contain the left margins and line lengths for the first n lines of the paragraph; the specifications for line n apply to all subsequent lines. If  $par\_shape\_ptr = null$ , the shape of the paragraph depends on the value of  $n = hang\_after$ ; if  $n \ge 0$ , hanging indentation takes place on lines n+1, n+2, ..., otherwise it takes place on lines  $1, \ldots, |n|$ . When hanging indentation is active, the left margin is  $hang\_indent$ , if  $hang\_indent \ge 0$ , else it is 0; the line length is  $hsize - |hang\_indent|$ . The normal setting is  $par\_shape\_ptr = null$ ,  $hang\_after = 1$ , and  $hang\_indent = 0$ . Note that if  $hang\_indent = 0$ , the value of  $hang\_after$  is irrelevant.

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 \begin{array}{l} \langle \, \text{Global variables } \, 13 \, \rangle \, + \equiv \\ easy\_line: \, halfword; \, \, \{\, \text{line numbers} \, > \, easy\_line \, \text{are equivalent in break nodes} \, \} \\ last\_special\_line: \, halfword; \, \, \{\, \text{line numbers} \, > \, last\_special\_line \, \text{all have the same width} \, \} \\ first\_width: \, scaled; \, \, \{\, \text{the width of all lines} \, \leq \, last\_special\_line, \, \text{if no } \backslash \text{parshape has been specified} \, \} \\ second\_width: \, scaled; \, \, \{\, \text{the width of all lines} \, > \, last\_special\_line} \, \} \\ first\_indent: \, scaled; \, \, \{\, \text{left margin to go with } \, first\_width} \, \} \\ second\_indent: \, scaled; \, \, \{\, \text{left margin to go with } \, second\_width} \, \} \\ \end{array}
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**848.** We compute the values of *easy\_line* and the other local variables relating to line length when the *line\_break* procedure is initializing itself.

```
\langle Get ready to start line breaking 816\rangle + \equiv
  if par\_shape\_ptr = null then
     if hang_indent = 0 then
        begin last\_special\_line \leftarrow 0; second\_width \leftarrow hsize; second\_indent \leftarrow 0;
        end
     else (Set line length parameters in preparation for hanging indentation 849)
  else begin last\_special\_line \leftarrow info(par\_shape\_ptr) - 1;
     second\_width \leftarrow mem[par\_shape\_ptr + 2 * (last\_special\_line + 1)].sc;
     second\_indent \leftarrow mem[par\_shape\_ptr + 2 * last\_special\_line + 1].sc;
     end;
  if looseness = 0 then easy\_line \leftarrow last\_special\_line
  else easy\_line \leftarrow max\_halfword
       \langle Set line length parameters in preparation for hanging indentation 849\rangle \equiv
  begin last\_special\_line \leftarrow abs(hang\_after);
  if hang_after < 0 then
     begin first\_width \leftarrow hsize - abs(hang\_indent);
     if hang\_indent \ge 0 then first\_indent \leftarrow hang\_indent
     else first\_indent \leftarrow 0;
     second\_width \leftarrow hsize; second\_indent \leftarrow 0;
     end
  else begin first_width \leftarrow hsize; first_indent \leftarrow 0; second_width \leftarrow hsize - abs(hang_indent);
     if hang\_indent > 0 then second\_indent \leftarrow hang\_indent
     else second\_indent \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 848.
850. When we come to the following code, we have just encountered the first active node r whose
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**850.** When we come to the following code, we have just encountered the first active node r whose  $line\_number$  field contains l. Thus we want to compute the length of the lth line of the current paragraph. Furthermore, we want to set  $old\_l$  to the last number in the class of line numbers equivalent to l.

```
\label{eq:compute the new line width 850} \equiv \\ \textbf{if } l > easy\_line \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{begin } line\_width \leftarrow second\_width; old\_l \leftarrow max\_halfword - 1; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else begin } old\_l \leftarrow l; \\ \textbf{if } l > last\_special\_line \textbf{ then } line\_width \leftarrow second\_width \\ \textbf{else if } par\_shape\_ptr = null \textbf{ then } line\_width \leftarrow first\_width \\ \textbf{else } line\_width \leftarrow mem[par\_shape\_ptr + 2*l].sc; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{aligned}
```

This code is used in section 835.

This code is used in section 851.

851. The remaining part of  $try\_break$  deals with the calculation of demerits for a break from r to  $cur\_p$ . The first thing to do is calculate the badness, b. This value will always be between zero and  $inf\_bad + 1$ ; the latter value occurs only in the case of lines from r to  $cur\_p$  that cannot shrink enough to fit the necessary width. In such cases, node r will be deactivated. We also deactivate node r when a break at  $cur\_p$  is forced, since future breaks must go through a forced break.

 $\langle$  Consider the demerits for a line from r to  $cur_p$ ; deactivate node r if it should no longer be active; then **goto** continue if a line from r to cur-p is infeasible, otherwise record a new feasible break 851  $\geq$ **begin**  $artificial\_demerits \leftarrow false;$  $shortfall \leftarrow line\_width - cur\_active\_width[1];$  { we're this much too short } if shortfall > 0 then (Set the value of b to the badness for stretching the line, and compute the corresponding fit\_class 852) else  $\langle$  Set the value of b to the badness for shrinking the line, and compute the corresponding fit\_class 853 $\rangle$ ; if  $(b > inf\_bad) \lor (pi = eject\_penalty)$  then  $\langle$  Prepare to deactivate node r, and **goto** deactivate unless there is a reason to consider lines of text from r to  $cur_p = 854$ else begin  $prev_r \leftarrow r$ ; if b > threshold then goto continue;  $node\_r\_stays\_active \leftarrow true;$ end: (Record a new feasible break 855); if  $node\_r\_stays\_active$  then goto continue; {  $prev\_r$  has been set to r } deactivate:  $\langle Deactivate node r 860 \rangle$ ; end This code is used in section 829.

**852.** When a line must stretch, the available stretchability can be found in the subarray  $cur\_active\_width[2...]$  5], in units of points, fil, fill, and fill.

The present section is part of TEX's inner loop, and it is most often performed when the badness is infinite; therefore it is worth while to make a quick test for large width excess and small stretchability, before calling the *badness* subroutine.

```
 \langle \text{Set the value of } b \text{ to the badness for stretching the line, and compute the corresponding } \mathit{fit\_class} \  \, 852 \, \rangle \equiv \\ & \text{if } (\mathit{cur\_active\_width}[3] \neq 0) \vee (\mathit{cur\_active\_width}[4] \neq 0) \vee (\mathit{cur\_active\_width}[5] \neq 0) \text{ then} \\ & \text{begin } b \leftarrow 0; \ \mathit{fit\_class} \leftarrow \mathit{decent\_fit}; \  \, \{ \text{infinite stretch} \, \} \\ & \text{end} \\ & \text{else begin if } \mathit{shortfall} > 7230584 \text{ then} \\ & \text{if } \mathit{cur\_active\_width}[2] < 1663497 \text{ then} \\ & \text{begin } b \leftarrow \mathit{inf\_bad}; \ \mathit{fit\_class} \leftarrow \mathit{very\_loose\_fit}; \  \, \text{goto } \mathit{done1}; \\ & \text{end}; \\ & b \leftarrow \mathit{badness}(\mathit{shortfall}, \mathit{cur\_active\_width}[2]); \\ & \text{if } b > 12 \text{ then} \\ & \text{if } b > 99 \text{ then } \mathit{fit\_class} \leftarrow \mathit{very\_loose\_fit} \\ & \text{else } \mathit{fit\_class} \leftarrow \mathit{loose\_fit} \\ & \text{else } \mathit{fit\_class} \leftarrow \mathit{decent\_fit}; \\ & \mathit{done1}: \text{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

**853.** Shrinkability is never infinite in a paragraph; we can shrink the line from r to  $cur_p$  by at most  $cur_active_width[6]$ .

```
\langle Set the value of b to the badness for shrinking the line, and compute the corresponding \mathit{fit\_class}\ 853 \rangle \equiv \mathbf{begin}\ \mathbf{if}\ -\mathit{shortfall}\ > \mathit{cur\_active\_width}\ [6]\ \mathbf{then}\ b \leftarrow \mathit{inf\_bad}\ + 1 else b \leftarrow \mathit{badness}\ (-\mathit{shortfall}\ , \mathit{cur\_active\_width}\ [6]\ ); if b > 12\ \mathbf{then}\ \mathit{fit\_class}\ \leftarrow \mathit{tight\_fit}\ \mathbf{else}\ \mathit{fit\_class}\ \leftarrow \mathit{decent\_fit}; end
```

This code is used in section 851.

854. During the final pass, we dare not lose all active nodes, lest we lose touch with the line breaks already found. The code shown here makes sure that such a catastrophe does not happen, by permitting overfull boxes as a last resort. This particular part of TEX was a source of several subtle bugs before the correct program logic was finally discovered; readers who seek to "improve" TEX should therefore think thrice before daring to make any changes here.

```
\langle Prepare to deactivate node r, and goto deactivate unless there is a reason to consider lines of text from r to cur\_p 854 \rangle \equiv begin if final\_pass \land (minimum\_demerits = awful\_bad) \land (link(r) = last\_active) \land (prev\_r = active) then artificial\_demerits \leftarrow true { set demerits zero, this break is forced }
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artificial_demerits \leftarrow true { set demerits else if b > threshold then goto deactivate; node\_r\_stays\_active \leftarrow false;
```

This code is used in section 851.

end

**855.** When we get to this part of the code, the line from r to  $cur_p$  is feasible, its badness is b, and its fitness classification is  $fit_class$ . We don't want to make an active node for this break yet, but we will compute the total demerits and record them in the  $minimal_demerits$  array, if such a break is the current champion among all ways to get to  $cur_p$  in a given line-number class and fitness class.

```
 \langle \text{Record a new feasible break } 855 \rangle \equiv \\ \text{if } \textit{artificial\_demerits } \textbf{then } d \leftarrow 0 \\ \text{else } \langle \text{Compute the demerits, } d, \text{ from } r \text{ to } \textit{cur\_p } 859 \rangle; \\ \text{stat if } \textit{tracing\_paragraphs} > 0 \text{ then } \langle \text{Print a symbolic description of this feasible break } 856 \rangle; \\ \text{tats} \\ d \leftarrow d + \textit{total\_demerits}(r); \quad \{ \text{this is the minimum total demerits from the beginning to } \textit{cur\_p via } r \} \\ \text{if } d \leq \textit{minimal\_demerits}[\textit{fit\_class}] \text{ then} \\ \text{begin } \textit{minimal\_demerits}[\textit{fit\_class}] \leftarrow d; \textit{best\_place}[\textit{fit\_class}] \leftarrow \textit{break\_node}(r); \textit{best\_pl\_line}[\textit{fit\_class}] \leftarrow l; \\ \text{if } d < \textit{minimum\_demerits } \text{ then } \textit{minimum\_demerits} \leftarrow d; \\ \text{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 851.

```
856. (Print a symbolic description of this feasible break 856) \equiv
  begin if printed\_node \neq cur\_p then
     \langle \text{ Print the list between } printed\_node \text{ and } cur\_p, \text{ then set } printed\_node \leftarrow cur\_p \text{ 857} \rangle;
  print_nl("@");
  if cur_p = null then print_esc("par")
  else if type(cur_p) \neq glue\_node then
       begin if type(cur_p) = penalty\_node then print\_esc("penalty")
       else if type(cur_p) = disc_node then print_esc("discretionary")
          else if type(cur_p) = kern\_node then print\_esc("kern")
            else print_esc("math");
       end;
  print("\_via\_@@");
  if break\_node(r) = null then print\_char("0")
  else print_int(serial(break_node(r)));
  print("<sub>□</sub>b=");
  if b > inf\_bad then print\_char("*") else print\_int(b);
  print("_{\sqcup}p="); print_int(pi); print("_{\sqcup}d=");
  if artificial_demerits then print_char("*") else print_int(d);
  end
This code is used in section 855.
857. (Print the list between printed_node and cur_p, then set printed_node \leftarrow cur_p 857) \equiv
  begin print_{-}nl("");
  if cur_p = null then short_display(link(printed_node))
  else begin save\_link \leftarrow link(cur\_p); link(cur\_p) \leftarrow null; print\_nl("");
     short\_display(link(printed\_node)); link(cur\_p) \leftarrow save\_link;
  printed\_node \leftarrow cur\_p;
  end
This code is used in section 856.
858. When the data for a discretionary break is being displayed, we will have printed the pre_break and
```

post\_break lists; we want to skip over the third list, so that the discretionary data will not appear twice. The following code is performed at the very end of try\_break.

```
\langle \text{Update the value of } printed\_node \text{ for symbolic displays } 858 \rangle \equiv
  if cur_p = printed_node then
     if cur_p \neq null then
        if type(cur_p) = disc_node then
          begin t \leftarrow replace\_count(cur\_p);
          while t > 0 do
             begin decr(t); printed\_node \leftarrow link(printed\_node);
             end;
          end
```

This code is used in section 829.

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859. \langle Compute the demerits, d, from r to cur_p 859 \rangle \equiv begin d \leftarrow line\_penalty + b; if abs(d) \geq 10000 then d \leftarrow 100000000 else d \leftarrow d*d; if pi \neq 0 then if pi > 0 then d \leftarrow d + pi * pi else if pi > eject\_penalty then d \leftarrow d - pi * pi; if (break\_type = hyphenated) \wedge (type(r) = hyphenated) then if cur\_p \neq null then d \leftarrow d + double\_hyphen\_demerits else d \leftarrow d + final\_hyphen\_demerits; if abs(fit\_class - fitness(r)) > 1 then d \leftarrow d + adj\_demerits; end
```

This code is used in section 855.

**860.** When an active node disappears, we must delete an adjacent delta node if the active node was at the beginning or the end of the active list, or if it was surrounded by delta nodes. We also must preserve the property that  $cur\_active\_width$  represents the length of material from  $link(prev\_r)$  to  $cur\_p$ .

```
 \begin{aligned} & \textbf{define} \ combine\_two\_deltas(\texttt{\#}) \equiv mem[prev\_r + \texttt{\#}].sc \leftarrow mem[prev\_r + \texttt{\#}].sc + mem[r + \texttt{\#}].sc \\ & \textbf{define} \ downdate\_width(\texttt{\#}) \equiv cur\_active\_width[\texttt{\#}] \leftarrow cur\_active\_width[\texttt{\#}] - mem[prev\_r + \texttt{\#}].sc \\ & \langle \text{Deactivate node} \ r \ 860 \rangle \equiv \\ & link(prev\_r) \leftarrow link(r); \ free\_node(r, active\_node\_size); \\ & \textbf{if} \ prev\_r = active \ \textbf{then} \ \langle \text{Update the active widths, since the first active node has been deleted } 861 \rangle \\ & \textbf{else if} \ type(prev\_r) = delta\_node \ \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin} \ r \leftarrow link(prev\_r); \\ & \textbf{if} \ r = last\_active \ \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin} \ do\_all\_six(downdate\_width); \ link(prev\_prev\_r) \leftarrow last\_active; \\ & free\_node(prev\_r, delta\_node\_size); \ prev\_r \leftarrow prev\_prev\_r; \\ & \textbf{end} \\ & \textbf{else if} \ type(r) = delta\_node \ \textbf{then} \\ & \textbf{begin} \ do\_all\_six(update\_width); \ do\_all\_six(combine\_two\_deltas); \ link(prev\_r) \leftarrow link(r); \\ & free\_node(r, delta\_node\_size); \\ & \textbf{end}; \\ & \textbf{end} \end{aligned}
```

This code is used in section 851.

This code is used in section 860.

**861.** The following code uses the fact that  $type(last\_active) \neq delta\_node$ . If the active list has just become empty, we do not need to update the  $active\_width$  array, since it will be initialized when an active node is next inserted.

```
define update\_active(\#) \equiv active\_width[\#] \leftarrow active\_width[\#] + mem[r + \#].sc

\langle \text{Update the active widths, since the first active node has been deleted } 861 \rangle \equiv 
begin r \leftarrow link(active);
if type(r) = delta\_node then
begin do\_all\_six(update\_active); do\_all\_six(copy\_to\_cur\_active); link(active) \leftarrow link(r);
free\_node(r, delta\_node\_size);
end;
end
```

**862.** Breaking paragraphs into lines, continued. So far we have gotten a little way into the *line\_break* routine, having covered its important *try\_break* subroutine. Now let's consider the rest of the process.

The main loop of *line\_break* traverses the given hlist, starting at *link(temp\_head)*, and calls *try\_break* at each legal breakpoint. A variable called *auto\_breaking* is set to true except within math formulas, since glue nodes are not legal breakpoints when they appear in formulas.

The current node of interest in the hlist is pointed to by  $cur_p$ . Another variable,  $prev_p$ , is usually one step behind  $cur_p$ , but the real meaning of  $prev_p$  is this: If  $type(cur_p) = glue\_node$  then  $cur_p$  is a legal breakpoint if and only if  $auto\_breaking$  is true and  $prev_p$  does not point to a glue node, penalty node, explicit kern node, or math node.

The following declarations provide for a few other local variables that are used in special calculations.

```
\langle \text{Local variables for line breaking } 862 \rangle \equiv auto\_breaking: boolean; { is node $cur\_p$ outside a formula? } prev\_p: pointer; { helps to determine when glue nodes are breakpoints } q, r, s, prev\_s: pointer; { miscellaneous nodes of temporary interest } f: internal\_font\_number; { used when calculating character widths } See also section 893.
```

This code is used in section 815.

```
The 'loop' in the following code is performed at most thrice per call of line_break, since it is actually
a pass over the entire paragraph.
\langle Find optimal breakpoints 863\rangle \equiv
  threshold \leftarrow pretolerance;
  if threshold > 0 then
     begin stat if tracing\_paragraphs > 0 then
       begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("@firstpass"); end; tats
     second\_pass \leftarrow false; final\_pass \leftarrow false;
  else begin threshold \leftarrow tolerance; second\_pass \leftarrow true; final\_pass \leftarrow (emergency\_stretch \leq 0);
     stat if tracing_paragraphs > 0 then begin_diagnostic;
     tats
     end;
  loop begin if threshold > inf\_bad then threshold \leftarrow inf\_bad;
     if second_pass then \(\rightarrow\) Initialize for hyphenating a paragraph 891\);
     (Create an active breakpoint representing the beginning of the paragraph 864);
     cur\_p \leftarrow link(temp\_head); \ auto\_breaking \leftarrow true;
     prev_p \leftarrow cur_p; { glue at beginning is not a legal breakpoint }
     while (cur_p \neq null) \land (link(active) \neq last_active) do \langle Call \ try_b reak \ if \ cur_p \ is a legal \ breakpoint;
             on the second pass, also try to hyphenate the next word, if cur-p is a glue node; then advance
             cur_p to the next node of the paragraph that could possibly be a legal breakpoint 866;
     if cur_p = null then \langle Try \text{ the final line break at the end of the paragraph, and goto done if the}
             desired breakpoints have been found 873);
     (Clean up the memory by removing the break nodes 865);
     if \neg second\_pass then
       begin stat if tracing_paragraphs > 0 then print_nl("@secondpass"); tats
       threshold \leftarrow tolerance; second\_pass \leftarrow true; final\_pass \leftarrow (emergency\_stretch \leq 0);
       end { if at first you don't succeed, ... }
     else begin stat if tracing_paragraphs > 0 then print_nl("@emergencypass"); tats
       background[2] \leftarrow background[2] + emergency\_stretch; final\_pass \leftarrow true;
       end;
     end;
done: stat if tracing\_paragraphs > 0 then
     begin end_diagnostic(true); normalize_selector;
     end:
  tats
This code is used in section 815.
        The active node that represents the starting point does not need a corresponding passive node.
  define store\_background(\#) \equiv active\_width[\#] \leftarrow background[\#]
\langle Create an active breakpoint representing the beginning of the paragraph 864\rangle
  q \leftarrow qet\_node(active\_node\_size); \ type(q) \leftarrow unhyphenated; \ fitness(q) \leftarrow decent\_fit; \ link(q) \leftarrow last\_active;
  break\_node(q) \leftarrow null; \ line\_number(q) \leftarrow prev\_graf + 1; \ total\_demerits(q) \leftarrow 0; \ link(active) \leftarrow q;
  do\_all\_six(store\_background);
  passive \leftarrow null; printed\_node \leftarrow temp\_head; pass\_number \leftarrow 0; font\_in\_short\_display \leftarrow null\_font
This code is used in section 863.
```

done5: end

This code is used in section 863.

```
\langle Clean up the memory by removing the break nodes 865 \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow link(active);
  while q \neq last\_active do
     begin cur_p \leftarrow link(q);
     if type(q) = delta\_node then free\_node(q, delta\_node\_size)
     else free\_node(q, active\_node\_size);
     q \leftarrow cur_p;
     end;
  q \leftarrow passive;
  while q \neq null do
     begin cur\_p \leftarrow link(q); free\_node(q, passive\_node\_size); q \leftarrow cur\_p;
     end
This code is used in sections 815 and 863.
866. Here is the main switch in the line_break routine, where legal breaks are determined. As we move
through the hlist, we need to keep the active_width array up to date, so that the badness of individual lines
is readily calculated by try_break. It is convenient to use the short name act_width for the component of
active width that represents real width as opposed to glue.
  define act\_width \equiv active\_width[1] { length from first active node to current node }
  define kern\_break \equiv
            begin if \neg is\_char\_node(link(cur\_p)) \land auto\_breaking then
               if type(link(cur_p)) = glue\_node then try\_break(0, unhyphenated);
            act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + width(cur\_p);
(Call try_break if cur_p is a legal breakpoint; on the second pass, also try to hyphenate the next word, if
       cur_p is a glue node; then advance cur_p to the next node of the paragraph that could possibly be a
       legal breakpoint 866 \rangle \equiv
  begin if is\_char\_node(cur\_p) then
     \langle Advance cur_p to the node following the present string of characters 867\rangle;
  case type(cur_p) of
  hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node: act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + width(cur\_p);
  whatsit_node: \(\langle \text{Advance past a whatsit node in the line_break loop 1362}\);
  glue\_node: begin \langle If node cur\_p is a legal breakpoint, call try\_break; then update the active widths by
          including the glue in glue\_ptr(cur\_p) 868);
     if second_pass \land auto\_breaking then \langle Try to hyphenate the following word 894 \rangle;
     end:
  kern\_node: if subtype(cur\_p) = explicit then kern\_break
     else act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + width(cur\_p);
  ligature\_node: \mathbf{begin} \ f \leftarrow font(lig\_char(cur\_p));
     act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(lig\_char(cur\_p))));
     end;
  disc_node: Try to break after a discretionary fragment, then goto done5 869;
  math\_node: begin auto\_breaking \leftarrow (subtype(cur\_p) = after); kern\_break;
  penalty_node: try_break(penalty(cur_p), unhyphenated);
  mark_node, ins_node, adjust_node: do_nothing;
  othercases confusion("paragraph")
  endcases;
  prev_p \leftarrow cur_p; cur_p \leftarrow link(cur_p);
```

**867.** The code that passes over the characters of words in a paragraph is part of  $T_EX$ 's inner loop, so it has been streamlined for speed. We use the fact that '\parfillskip' glue appears at the end of each paragraph; it is therefore unnecessary to check if  $link(cur_p) = null$  when  $cur_p$  is a character node.

```
\langle Advance cur\_p to the node following the present string of characters 867\rangle \equiv begin prev\_p \leftarrow cur\_p; repeat f \leftarrow font(cur\_p); act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(cur\_p))); cur\_p \leftarrow link(cur\_p); until \neg is\_char\_node(cur\_p); end
```

**868.** When node  $cur_p$  is a glue node, we look at  $prev_p$  to see whether or not a breakpoint is legal at  $cur_p$ , as explained above.

```
\langle If node cur_p is a legal breakpoint, call try\_break; then update the active widths by including the glue in glue\_ptr(cur_p) 868\rangle \equiv
```

```
if auto_breaking then
```

This code is used in section 866.

```
begin if is\_char\_node(prev\_p) then try\_break(0, unhyphenated)
else if precedes\_break(prev\_p) then try\_break(0, unhyphenated)
else if (type(prev\_p) = kern\_node) \land (subtype(prev\_p) \neq explicit) then try\_break(0, unhyphenated);
end;
check\_shrinkage(glue\_ptr(cur\_p)); \ q \leftarrow glue\_ptr(cur\_p); \ act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + width(q);
active\_width[2 + stretch\_order(q)] \leftarrow active\_width[2 + stretch\_order(q)] + stretch(q);
active\_width[6] \leftarrow active\_width[6] + shrink(q)
```

This code is used in section 866.

**869.** The following code knows that discretionary texts contain only character nodes, kern nodes, box nodes, rule nodes, and ligature nodes.

```
⟨Try to break after a discretionary fragment, then goto done5 869⟩ ≡ begin s \leftarrow pre\_break(cur\_p); disc\_width \leftarrow 0; if s = null then try\_break(ex\_hyphen\_penalty, hyphenated) else begin repeat ⟨Add the width of node s to disc\_width 870⟩; s \leftarrow link(s); until s = null; act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + disc\_width; try\_break(hyphen\_penalty, hyphenated); act\_width \leftarrow act\_width - disc\_width; end; r \leftarrow replace\_count(cur\_p); s \leftarrow link(cur\_p); while r > 0 do begin ⟨Add the width of node s to act\_width 871⟩; decr(r); s \leftarrow link(s); end; prev\_p \leftarrow cur\_p; cur\_p \leftarrow s; goto done5; end
```

This code is used in section 866.

```
\langle Add the width of node s to disc\_width 870\rangle \equiv
  if is\_char\_node(s) then
     begin f \leftarrow font(s); disc\_width \leftarrow disc\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(s)));
     end
  else case type(s) of
     ligature\_node: begin f \leftarrow font(lig\_char(s));
        disc\_width \leftarrow disc\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(lig\_char(s))));
     hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node, kern\_node: disc\_width \leftarrow disc\_width + width(s);
     othercases confusion("disc3")
     endcases
This code is used in section 869.
871. \langle Add the width of node s to act_width 871\rangle \equiv
  if is\_char\_node(s) then
     begin f \leftarrow font(s); act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(s)));
     end
  else case type(s) of
     ligature\_node: begin f \leftarrow font(lig\_char(s));
        act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(lig\_char(s))));
        end;
     hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node, kern\_node: act\_width \leftarrow act\_width + width(s);
     othercases confusion("disc4")
     endcases
This code is used in section 869.
```

872. The forced line break at the paragraph's end will reduce the list of breakpoints so that all active nodes represent breaks at  $cur_p = null$ . On the first pass, we insist on finding an active node that has the correct "looseness." On the final pass, there will be at least one active node, and we will match the desired looseness as well as we can.

The global variable *best\_bet* will be set to the active node for the best way to break the paragraph, and a few other variables are used to help determine what is best.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \, {\rm Global \ variables \ 13} \, \rangle \, + \equiv \\ best\_bet: \, pointer; \, \, \{ \, {\rm use \ this \ passive \ node \ and \ its \ predecessors} \, \} \\ fewest\_demerits: \, integer; \, \, \{ \, {\rm the \ demerits \ associated \ with \ } best\_bet} \, \} \\ best\_line: \, halfword; \, \, \{ \, {\rm line \ number \ following \ the \ last \ line \ of \ the \ new \ paragraph} \, \} \\ actual\_looseness: \, integer; \, \, \{ \, {\rm the \ difference \ between \ } line\_number(best\_bet) \ and \ the \ optimum \ best\_line} \, \} \\ line\_diff: \, integer; \, \, \{ \, {\rm the \ difference \ between \ the \ current \ line \ number \ and \ the \ optimum \ best\_line} \, \} \\ \end{array}
```

873.  $\langle$  Try the final line break at the end of the paragraph, and **goto** done if the desired breakpoints have been found  $873\rangle\equiv$ 

```
begin try_break(eject_penalty, hyphenated);
if link(active) ≠ last_active then
  begin ⟨ Find an active node with fewest demerits 874⟩;
  if looseness = 0 then goto done;
  ⟨ Find the best active node for the desired looseness 875⟩;
  if (actual_looseness = looseness) ∨ final_pass then goto done;
  end;
end
```

This code is used in section 863.

```
874. \langle Find an active node with fewest demerits 874 \rangle \equiv r \leftarrow link(active); fewest\_demerits \leftarrow awful\_bad;
repeat if type(r) \neq delta\_node then

if total\_demerits(r) < fewest\_demerits then

begin fewest\_demerits \leftarrow total\_demerits(r); best\_bet \leftarrow r;
end;
r \leftarrow link(r);
until r = last\_active;
best\_line \leftarrow line\_number(best\_bet)
This code is used in section 873.
```

875. The adjustment for a desired looseness is a slightly more complicated version of the loop just considered. Note that if a paragraph is broken into segments by displayed equations, each segment will be subject to the looseness calculation, independently of the other segments.

```
 \langle \text{Find the best active node for the desired looseness } 875 \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{begin } r \leftarrow link(active); \ actual\_looseness \leftarrow 0; \\ \textbf{repeat if } type(r) \neq delta\_node \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{begin } line\_diff \leftarrow line\_number(r) - best\_line; \\ \textbf{if } ((line\_diff < actual\_looseness) \land (looseness \leq line\_diff)) \lor \\ \qquad \qquad ((line\_diff > actual\_looseness) \land (looseness \geq line\_diff)) \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{begin } best\_bet \leftarrow r; \ actual\_looseness \leftarrow line\_diff; \ fewest\_demerits \leftarrow total\_demerits(r); \\ \textbf{end} \\ \textbf{else if } (line\_diff = actual\_looseness) \land (total\_demerits(r) < fewest\_demerits) \textbf{ then} \\ \textbf{begin } best\_bet \leftarrow r; \ fewest\_demerits \leftarrow total\_demerits(r); \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ r \leftarrow link(r); \\ \textbf{until } r = last\_active; \\ best\_line \leftarrow line\_number(best\_bet); \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 873.

**876.** Once the best sequence of breakpoints has been found (hurray), we call on the procedure *post\_line\_break* to finish the remainder of the work. (By introducing this subprocedure, we are able to keep *line\_break* from getting extremely long.)

 $\langle$  Break the paragraph at the chosen breakpoints, justify the resulting lines to the correct widths, and append them to the current vertical list 876  $\rangle$   $\equiv$   $post\_line\_break(final\_widow\_penalty)$ 

This code is used in section 815.

877. The total number of lines that will be set by  $post\_line\_break$  is  $best\_line - prev\_graf - 1$ . The last breakpoint is specified by  $break\_node(best\_bet)$ , and this passive node points to the other breakpoints via the  $prev\_break$  links. The finishing-up phase starts by linking the relevant passive nodes in forward order, changing  $prev\_break$  to  $next\_break$ . (The  $next\_break$  fields actually reside in the same memory space as the  $prev\_break$  fields did, but we give them a new name because of their new significance.) Then the lines are justified, one by one.

```
define next\_break \equiv prev\_break { new name for prev\_break after links are reversed }
\langle Declare subprocedures for line\_break 826\rangle +\equiv
procedure post_line_break(final_widow_penalty : integer);
  label done, done1;
  var\ q, r, s:\ pointer;\ \{temporary\ registers\ for\ list\ manipulation\}
     disc_break: boolean; { was the current break at a discretionary node? }
     post_disc_break: boolean; { and did it have a nonempty post-break part? }
     cur_width: scaled; { width of line number cur_line }
     cur_indent: scaled; { left margin of line number cur_line }
     t: quarterword; { used for replacement counts in discretionary nodes }
     pen: integer; { use when calculating penalties between lines }
     cur_line: halfword; { the current line number being justified }
  begin (Reverse the links of the relevant passive nodes, setting cur_p to the first breakpoint 878);
  cur\_line \leftarrow prev\_graf + 1;
  repeat \langle Justify the line ending at breakpoint cur_p, and append it to the current vertical list, together
          with associated penalties and other insertions 880);
     incr(cur\_line); cur\_p \leftarrow next\_break(cur\_p);
     if cur_p \neq null then
       if \neg post\_disc\_break then \langle Prune unwanted nodes at the beginning of the next line 879\rangle;
  until cur_p = null;
  if (cur\_line \neq best\_line) \lor (link(temp\_head) \neq null) then confusion("line\_breaking");
  prev\_graf \leftarrow best\_line - 1;
  end;
```

878. The job of reversing links in a list is conveniently regarded as the job of taking items off one stack and putting them on another. In this case we take them off a stack pointed to by q and having  $prev\_break$  fields; we put them on a stack pointed to by  $cur\_p$  and having  $next\_break$  fields. Node r is the passive node being moved from stack to stack.

```
\langle Reverse the links of the relevant passive nodes, setting cur_p to the first breakpoint 878 \rangle \equiv q \leftarrow break\_node(best\_bet); \ cur_p \leftarrow null;
repeat r \leftarrow q; \ q \leftarrow prev\_break(q); \ next\_break(r) \leftarrow cur\_p; \ cur\_p \leftarrow r;
until q = null
This code is used in section 877.
```

879. Glue and penalty and kern and math nodes are deleted at the beginning of a line, except in the anomalous case that the node to be deleted is actually one of the chosen breakpoints. Otherwise the pruning done here is designed to match the lookahead computation in *try\_break*, where the *break\_width* values are computed for non-discretionary breakpoints.

This code is used in section 877.

880. The current line to be justified appears in a horizontal list starting at  $link(temp\_head)$  and ending at  $cur\_break(cur\_p)$ . If  $cur\_break(cur\_p)$  is a glue node, we reset the glue to equal the  $right\_skip$  glue; otherwise we append the  $right\_skip$  glue at the right. If  $cur\_break(cur\_p)$  is a discretionary node, we modify the list so that the discretionary break is compulsory, and we set  $disc\_break$  to true. We also append the  $left\_skip$  glue at the left of the line, unless it is zero.

 $\langle$  Justify the line ending at breakpoint  $cur_p$ , and append it to the current vertical list, together with associated penalties and other insertions 880  $\rangle$   $\equiv$ 

\langle Modify the end of the line to reflect the nature of the break and to include \rightskip; also set the proper value of \( disc\_break \) 881 \rangle;

Put the \leftskip glue at the left and detach this line 887;

(Call the packaging subroutine, setting *just\_box* to the justified box 889);

(Append the new box to the current vertical list, followed by the list of special nodes taken out of the box by the packager 888);

(Append a penalty node, if a nonzero penalty is appropriate 890)

This code is used in section 877.

This code is used in section 882.

881. At the end of the following code, q will point to the final node on the list about to be justified. \(\lambda\) Modify the end of the line to reflect the nature of the break and to include \(\rightarrow\) rightskip; also set the proper value of  $disc\_break$  881  $\rangle \equiv$  $q \leftarrow cur\_break(cur\_p); disc\_break \leftarrow false; post\_disc\_break \leftarrow false;$ if  $q \neq null$  then  $\{q \text{ cannot be a } char\_node\}$ if  $type(q) = glue\_node$  then **begin**  $delete\_glue\_ref(glue\_ptr(q)); glue\_ptr(q) \leftarrow right\_skip; subtype(q) \leftarrow right\_skip\_code + 1;$  $add\_glue\_ref(right\_skip);$  **goto** done;else begin if  $type(q) = disc\_node$  then  $\langle$  Change discretionary to compulsory and set  $disc\_break \leftarrow true 882 \rangle$ else if  $(type(q) = math\_node) \lor (type(q) = kern\_node)$  then  $width(q) \leftarrow 0$ ; else begin  $q \leftarrow temp\_head$ ; while  $link(q) \neq null$  do  $q \leftarrow link(q)$ ;  $\langle$  Put the \rightskip glue after node q 886 $\rangle$ ; done:This code is used in section 880.  $\langle$  Change discretionary to compulsory and set  $disc\_break \leftarrow true 882 \rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $t \leftarrow replace\_count(q)$ ;  $\langle$  Destroy the t nodes following q, and make r point to the following node 883 $\rangle$ ; if  $post\_break(q) \neq null$  then  $\langle Transplant the post\_break list 884 \rangle$ ; if  $pre\_break(q) \neq null$  then  $\langle Transplant the pre-break list 885 \rangle$ ;  $link(q) \leftarrow r; \ disc\_break \leftarrow true;$ end This code is used in section 881. **883.** (Destroy the t nodes following q, and make r point to the following node 883)  $\equiv$ if t = 0 then  $r \leftarrow link(q)$ else begin  $r \leftarrow q$ ; while t > 1 do **begin**  $r \leftarrow link(r)$ ; decr(t); end:  $s \leftarrow link(r); \ r \leftarrow link(s); \ link(s) \leftarrow null; \ flush\_node\_list(link(q)); \ replace\_count(q) \leftarrow 0;$ end This code is used in section 882. 884. We move the post-break list from inside node q to the main list by reattaching it just before the present node r, then resetting r.  $\langle$  Transplant the post-break list 884 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $s \leftarrow post\_break(q)$ ; while  $link(s) \neq null$  do  $s \leftarrow link(s)$ ;  $link(s) \leftarrow r; \ r \leftarrow post\_break(q); \ post\_break(q) \leftarrow null; \ post\_disc\_break \leftarrow true;$ end

**885.** We move the pre-break list from inside node q to the main list by reattaching it just after the present node q, then resetting q.

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 \langle \text{ Transplant the pre-break list } 885 \rangle \equiv \\ \textbf{begin } s \leftarrow pre\_break(q); \; link(q) \leftarrow s; \\ \textbf{while } link(s) \neq null \; \textbf{do } s \leftarrow link(s); \\ pre\_break(q) \leftarrow null; \; q \leftarrow s; \\ \textbf{end}
```

This code is used in section 882.

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886. \langle \text{Put the } \text{rightskip glue after node } q \text{ 886} \rangle \equiv r \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(right\_skip\_code); link(r) \leftarrow link(q); link(q) \leftarrow r; q \leftarrow r This code is used in section 881.
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**887.** The following code begins with q at the end of the list to be justified. It ends with q at the beginning of that list, and with  $link(temp\_head)$  pointing to the remainder of the paragraph, if any.

```
\langle \text{Put the } \setminus \text{leftskip glue at the left and detach this line } 887 \rangle \equiv r \leftarrow link(q); \ link(q) \leftarrow null; \ q \leftarrow link(temp\_head); \ link(temp\_head) \leftarrow r; if left\_skip \neq zero\_glue \ \text{then} begin r \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(left\_skip\_code); \ link(r) \leftarrow q; \ q \leftarrow r; end
```

This code is used in section 880.

888.  $\langle$  Append the new box to the current vertical list, followed by the list of special nodes taken out of the box by the packager 888 $\rangle$   $\equiv$ 

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append\_to\_vlist(just\_box);
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if adjust\_head \neq adjust\_tail then
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begin link(tail) \leftarrow link(adjust\_head); tail \leftarrow adjust\_tail; end;
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 $adjust\_tail \leftarrow null$ 

This code is used in section 880.

889. Now q points to the hlist that represents the current line of the paragraph. We need to compute the appropriate line width, pack the line into a box of this size, and shift the box by the appropriate amount of indentation.

```
⟨ Call the packaging subroutine, setting just_box to the justified box 889⟩ ≡
if cur_line > last_special_line then
  begin cur_width ← second_width; cur_indent ← second_indent;
  end
else if par_shape_ptr = null then
  begin cur_width ← first_width; cur_indent ← first_indent;
  end
else begin cur_width ← mem[par_shape_ptr + 2 * cur_line].sc;
  cur_indent ← mem[par_shape_ptr + 2 * cur_line - 1].sc;
  end;
adjust tail ← adjust head; just hor ← hnack(a cur_width_eractlu); shift amount(just head)
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 $adjust\_tail \leftarrow adjust\_head; \ just\_box \leftarrow hpack(q, cur\_width, exactly); \ shift\_amount(just\_box) \leftarrow cur\_indent$  This code is used in section 880.

**890.** Penalties between the lines of a paragraph come from club and widow lines, from the *inter\_line\_penalty* parameter, and from lines that end at discretionary breaks. Breaking between lines of a two-line paragraph gets both club-line and widow-line penalties. The local variable *pen* will be set to the sum of all relevant penalties for the current line, except that the final line is never penalized.

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\langle \text{ Append a penalty node, if a nonzero penalty is appropriate } 890 \rangle \equiv \\ \text{ if } \textit{cur\_line} + 1 \neq \textit{best\_line} \text{ then} \\ \text{ begin } \textit{pen} \leftarrow \textit{inter\_line\_penalty}; \\ \text{ if } \textit{cur\_line} = \textit{prev\_graf} + 1 \text{ then } \textit{pen} \leftarrow \textit{pen} + \textit{club\_penalty}; \\ \text{ if } \textit{cur\_line} + 2 = \textit{best\_line} \text{ then } \textit{pen} \leftarrow \textit{pen} + \textit{final\_widow\_penalty}; \\ \text{ if } \textit{disc\_break} \text{ then } \textit{pen} \leftarrow \textit{pen} + \textit{broken\_penalty}; \\ \text{ if } \textit{pen} \neq 0 \text{ then} \\ \text{ begin } r \leftarrow \textit{new\_penalty(pen)}; \; \textit{link(tail)} \leftarrow r; \; \textit{tail} \leftarrow r; \\ \text{ end;} \\ \text{ end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 880.

**891. Pre-hyphenation.** When the line-breaking routine is unable to find a feasible sequence of breakpoints, it makes a second pass over the paragraph, attempting to hyphenate the hyphenatable words. The goal of hyphenation is to insert discretionary material into the paragraph so that there are more potential places to break.

The general rules for hyphenation are somewhat complex and technical, because we want to be able to hyphenate words that are preceded or followed by punctuation marks, and because we want the rules to work for languages other than English. We also must contend with the fact that hyphens might radically alter the ligature and kerning structure of a word.

A sequence of characters will be considered for hyphenation only if it belongs to a "potentially hyphenatable part" of the current paragraph. This is a sequence of nodes  $p_0p_1 \dots p_m$  where  $p_0$  is a glue node,  $p_1 \dots p_{m-1}$ are either character or ligature or whatsit or implicit kern nodes, and  $p_m$  is a glue or penalty or insertion or adjust or mark or whatsit or explicit kern node. (Therefore hyphenation is disabled by boxes, math formulas, and discretionary nodes already inserted by the user.) The ligature nodes among  $p_1 \dots p_{m-1}$  are effectively expanded into the original non-ligature characters; the kern nodes and whatsits are ignored. Each character c is now classified as either a nonletter (if  $lc\_code(c) = 0$ ), a lowercase letter (if  $lc\_code(c) = c$ ), or an uppercase letter (otherwise); an uppercase letter is treated as if it were  $lc\_code(c)$  for purposes of hyphenation. The characters generated by  $p_1 \dots p_{m-1}$  may begin with nonletters; let  $c_1$  be the first letter that is not in the middle of a ligature. Whatsit nodes preceding  $c_1$  are ignored; a whatsit found after  $c_1$  will be the terminating node  $p_m$ . All characters that do not have the same font as  $c_1$  will be treated as nonletters. The hyphen\_char for that font must be between 0 and 255, otherwise hyphenation will not be attempted. T<sub>E</sub>X looks ahead for as many consecutive letters  $c_1 \dots c_n$  as possible; however, n must be less than 64, so a character that would otherwise be  $c_{64}$  is effectively not a letter. Furthermore  $c_n$  must not be in the middle of a ligature. In this way we obtain a string of letters  $c_1 \dots c_n$  that are generated by nodes  $p_a \dots p_b$ , where  $1 \le a \le b+1 \le m$ . If  $n \ge l \cdot hyf + r \cdot hyf$ , this string qualifies for hyphenation; however,  $uc \cdot hyph$  must be positive, if  $c_1$  is uppercase.

The hyphenation process takes place in three stages. First, the candidate sequence  $c_1 
ldots c_n$  is found; then potential positions for hyphens are determined by referring to hyphenation tables; and finally, the nodes  $p_a 
ldots p_b$  are replaced by a new sequence of nodes that includes the discretionary breaks found.

Fortunately, we do not have to do all this calculation very often, because of the way it has been taken out of TEX's inner loop. For example, when the second edition of the author's 700-page book Seminumerical Algorithms was typeset by TEX, only about 1.2 hyphenations needed to be tried per paragraph, since the line breaking algorithm needed to use two passes on only about 5 per cent of the paragraphs.

```
\langle Initialize for hyphenating a paragraph 891 \rangle \equiv begin init if trie\_not\_ready then init\_trie; tini cur\_lang \leftarrow init\_cur\_lang; l\_hyf \leftarrow init\_l\_hyf; r\_hyf \leftarrow init\_r\_hyf; end
```

This code is used in section 863.

exit: end;

**892.** The letters  $c_1 
ldots c_n$  that are candidates for hyphenation are placed into an array called hc; the number n is placed into hn; pointers to nodes  $p_{a-1}$  and  $p_b$  in the description above are placed into variables ha and hb; and the font number is placed into hf.  $\langle$  Global variables 13  $\rangle$   $+\equiv$ 

```
hc: \mathbf{array} [0...65] \mathbf{of} [0...256]; { word to be hyphenated }
hn: 0...64; { the number of positions occupied in hc; not always a small\_number }
ha, hb: pointer; { nodes ha ... hb should be replaced by the hyphenated result }
hf: internal\_font\_number;  { font number of the letters in hc }
hu: array [0...63] of [0...256]; { like hc, before conversion to lowercase }
hyf_char: integer; { hyphen character of the relevant font }
cur_lang, init_cur_lang: ASCII_code; { current hyphenation table of interest }
l_hyf, r_hyf, init_l_hyf, init_r_hyf: integer; { limits on fragment sizes }
hyf_bchar: halfword; { boundary character after c_n }
893. Hyphenation routines need a few more local variables.
\langle \text{Local variables for line breaking 862} \rangle + \equiv
j: small\_number; \{ an index into hc or hu \}
c: 0..255; {character being considered for hyphenation}
894. When the following code is activated, the line_break procedure is in its second pass, and cur_p points
to a glue node.
\langle Try to hyphenate the following word 894\rangle \equiv
  begin prev\_s \leftarrow cur\_p; s \leftarrow link(prev\_s);
  if s \neq null then
     begin \langle Skip to node ha, or goto done1 if no hyphenation should be attempted 896\rangle;
     if l\_hyf + r\_hyf > 63 then goto done1;
     \langle Skip to node hb, putting letters into hu and hc 897\rangle;
     \langle Check that the nodes following hb permit hyphenation and that at least l\_hyf + r\_hyf letters have
         been found, otherwise goto done1 899);
     hyphenate;
     end:
done1: end
This code is used in section 866.
895. \langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } line\_break 826 \rangle + \equiv
(Declare the function called reconstitute 906)
procedure hyphenate;
  label common_ending, done, found, found1, found2, not_found, exit;
  var \langle Local variables for hyphenation 901 \rangle
  begin (Find hyphen locations for the word in hc, or return 923);
  (If no hyphens were found, return 902);
  \langle Replace nodes ha \dots hb by a sequence of nodes that includes the discretionary hyphens 903\rangle;
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896.
       The first thing we need to do is find the node ha just before the first letter.
\langle Skip to node ha, or goto done1 if no hyphenation should be attempted 896\rangle \equiv
  loop begin if is\_char\_node(s) then
       begin c \leftarrow qo(character(s)); hf \leftarrow font(s);
     else if type(s) = ligature\_node then
          if lig_{-}ptr(s) = null then goto continue
          else begin q \leftarrow lig\_ptr(s); \ c \leftarrow qo(character(q)); \ hf \leftarrow font(q);
       else if (type(s) = kern\_node) \land (subtype(s) = normal) then goto continue
          else if type(s) = whatsit\_node then
               begin (Advance past a whatsit node in the pre-hyphenation loop 1363);
               goto continue;
               end
            else goto done1;
     if lc\_code(c) \neq 0 then
       if (lc\_code(c) = c) \lor (uc\_hyph > 0) then goto done2
       else goto done1;
  continue: prev\_s \leftarrow s; s \leftarrow link(prev\_s);
     end;
done2: hyf\_char \leftarrow hyphen\_char[hf];
  if hyf_-char < 0 then goto done1;
  if hyf_char > 255 then goto done1;
  ha \leftarrow prev\_s
This code is used in section 894.
        The word to be hyphenated is now moved to the hu and hc arrays.
\langle Skip to node hb, putting letters into hu and hc 897\rangle \equiv
  hn \leftarrow 0;
  loop begin if is\_char\_node(s) then
       begin if font(s) \neq hf then goto done3;
       hyf\_bchar \leftarrow character(s); c \leftarrow qo(hyf\_bchar);
       if lc\_code(c) = 0 then goto done3;
       if hn = 63 then goto done3;
       hb \leftarrow s; incr(hn); hu[hn] \leftarrow c; hc[hn] \leftarrow lc\_code(c); hyf\_bchar \leftarrow non\_char;
       end
     else if type(s) = ligature\_node then \land Move the characters of a ligature node to hu and hc; but goto
               done3 if they are not all letters 898
       else if (type(s) = kern\_node) \land (subtype(s) = normal) then
            begin hb \leftarrow s; hyf\_bchar \leftarrow font\_bchar[hf];
            end
          else goto done3:
     s \leftarrow link(s);
     end;
done3:
This code is used in section 894.
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**898.** We let j be the index of the character being stored when a ligature node is being expanded, since we do not want to advance hn until we are sure that the entire ligature consists of letters. Note that it is possible to get to done3 with hn = 0 and hb not set to any value.

```
\langle Move the characters of a ligature node to hu and hc; but goto done3 if they are not all letters 898\rangle
  begin if font(lig\_char(s)) \neq hf then goto done3;
  j \leftarrow hn; \ q \leftarrow lig\_ptr(s); \ \mathbf{if} \ q > null \ \mathbf{then} \ hyf\_bchar \leftarrow character(q);
  while q > null do
     begin c \leftarrow qo(character(q));
     if lc\_code(c) = 0 then goto done3;
     if j = 63 then goto done3;
     incr(j); hu[j] \leftarrow c; hc[j] \leftarrow lc\_code(c);
     q \leftarrow link(q);
     end;
  hb \leftarrow s; \ hn \leftarrow j;
  if odd(subtype(s)) then hyf\_bchar \leftarrow font\_bchar[hf] else hyf\_bchar \leftarrow non\_char;
This code is used in section 897.
       \langle Check that the nodes following hb permit hyphenation and that at least l\_hyf + r\_hyf letters have
       been found, otherwise goto done1 899 \rangle \equiv
  if hn < l hyf + r hyf then goto done1; { l hyf and r hyf are \geq 1 }
  loop begin if \neg(is\_char\_node(s)) then
       case type(s) of
       ligature_node: do_nothing;
       kern\_node: if subtype(s) \neq normal then goto done4;
       whatsit_node, glue_node, penalty_node, ins_node, adjust_node, mark_node: goto done4;
       othercases goto done1
       endcases;
     s \leftarrow link(s);
     end;
done 4:
```

**900.** Post-hyphenation. If a hyphen may be inserted between hc[j] and hc[j+1], the hyphenation procedure will set hyf[j] to some small odd number. But before we look at TEX's hyphenation procedure, which is independent of the rest of the line-breaking algorithm, let us consider what we will do with the hyphens it finds, since it is better to work on this part of the program before forgetting what ha and hb, etc., are all about.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
hyf: \mathbf{array} \ [0...64] \ \mathbf{of} \ 0...9; {odd values indicate discretionary hyphens}
init\_list: pointer; {list of punctuation characters preceding the word}
init\_lig: boolean; {does init\_list represent a ligature?}
init\_lif: boolean; {if so, did the ligature involve a left boundary?}

901. ⟨Local variables for hyphenation 901⟩ ≡
i,j,l: 0...65; {indices into hc or hu}
q,r,s: pointer; {temporary registers for list manipulation}
bchar: halfword; {boundary character of hyphenated word, or non\_char}
See also sections 912, 922, and 929.

This code is used in section 895.
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902. TEX will never insert a hyphen that has fewer than \lefthyphenmin letters before it or fewer than \righthyphenmin after it; hence, a short word has comparatively little chance of being hyphenated. If no hyphens have been found, we can save time by not having to make any changes to the paragraph.

```
\langle If no hyphens were found, return 902\rangle \equiv for j \leftarrow l_hyf to hn - r_hyf do if odd(hyf[j]) then goto found1; return; found1:
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This code is used in section 895.

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**903.** If hyphens are in fact going to be inserted,  $T_{\text{EX}}$  first deletes the subsequence of nodes between ha and hb. An attempt is made to preserve the effect that implicit boundary characters and punctuation marks had on ligatures inside the hyphenated word, by storing a left boundary or preceding character in hu[0] and by storing a possible right boundary in bchar. We set  $j \leftarrow 0$  if hu[0] is to be part of the reconstruction; otherwise  $j \leftarrow 1$ . The variable s will point to the tail of the current hlist, and q will point to the node following hb, so that things can be hooked up after we reconstitute the hyphenated word.

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\langle Replace nodes ha \dots hb by a sequence of nodes that includes the discretionary hyphens 903 \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow link(hb); \ link(hb) \leftarrow null; \ r \leftarrow link(ha); \ link(ha) \leftarrow null; \ bchar \leftarrow hyf_bchar;
  if is\_char\_node(ha) then
     if font(ha) \neq hf then goto found2
     else begin init\_list \leftarrow ha; init\_lig \leftarrow false; hu[0] \leftarrow qo(character(ha));
  else if type(ha) = ligature\_node then
        if font(lig\_char(ha)) \neq hf then goto found2
        else begin init\_list \leftarrow lig\_ptr(ha); init\_lig \leftarrow true; init\_lft \leftarrow (subtype(ha) > 1);
           hu[0] \leftarrow qo(character(lig\_char(ha)));
           if init\_list = null then
             if init\_lft then
                begin hu[0] \leftarrow 256; init\_lig \leftarrow false;
                end; { in this case a ligature will be reconstructed from scratch }
           free_node(ha, small_node_size);
           end
     else begin
                      { no punctuation found; look for left boundary }
        if \neg is\_char\_node(r) then
           if type(r) = ligature\_node then
             if subtype(r) > 1 then goto found2;
        j \leftarrow 1; s \leftarrow ha; init\_list \leftarrow null; goto common\_ending;
  s \leftarrow cur_p; { we have cur_p \neq ha because type(cur_p) = glue_node }
  while link(s) \neq ha do s \leftarrow link(s);
  j \leftarrow 0; goto common_ending;
found2: s \leftarrow ha; j \leftarrow 0; hu[0] \leftarrow 256; init\_lig \leftarrow false; init\_list \leftarrow null;
common\_ending: flush\_node\_list(r);
   (Reconstitute nodes for the hyphenated word, inserting discretionary hyphens 913);
  flush\_list(init\_list)
This code is used in section 895.
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**904.** We must now face the fact that the battle is not over, even though the hyphens have been found: The process of reconstituting a word can be nontrivial because ligatures might change when a hyphen is present. The TeXbook discusses the difficulties of the word "difficult", and the discretionary material surrounding a hyphen can be considerably more complex than that. Suppose abcdef is a word in a font for which the only ligatures are bc, cd, de, and ef. If this word permits hyphenation between b and c, the two patterns with and without hyphenation are ab-cdef and abcdef. Thus the insertion of a hyphen might cause effects to ripple arbitrarily far into the rest of the word. A further complication arises if additional hyphens appear together with such rippling, e.g., if the word in the example just given could also be hyphenated between c and d; TeX avoids this by simply ignoring the additional hyphens in such weird cases.

Still further complications arise in the presence of ligatures that do not delete the original characters. When punctuation precedes the word being hyphenated,  $T_EX$ 's method is not perfect under all possible scenarios, because punctuation marks and letters can propagate information back and forth. For example, suppose the original pre-hyphenation pair \*a changes to \*y via a  $\mid$ =: ligature, which changes to xy via a  $\mid$ =: ligature; if  $p_{a-1} = x$  and  $p_a = y$ , the reconstitution procedure isn't smart enough to obtain xy again. In such cases the font designer should include a ligature that goes from xa to xy.

**905.** The processing is facilitated by a subroutine called reconstitute. Given a string of characters  $x_j 
ldots x_n$ , there is a smallest index  $m \ge j$  such that the "translation" of  $x_j 
ldots x_n$  by ligatures and kerning has the form  $y_1 
ldots y_t$  followed by the translation of  $x_{m+1} 
ldots x_n$ , where  $y_1 
ldots y_t$  is some nonempty sequence of character, ligature, and kern nodes. We call  $x_j 
ldots x_m$  a "cut prefix" of  $x_j 
ldots x_n$ . For example, if  $x_1 x_2 x_3 = fly$ , and if the font contains 'fl' as a ligature and a kern between 'fl' and 'y', then m = 2, t = 2, and  $y_1$  will be a ligature node for 'fl' followed by an appropriate kern node  $y_2$ . In the most common case,  $x_j$  forms no ligature with  $x_{j+1}$  and we simply have m = j,  $y_1 = x_j$ . If m < n we can repeat the procedure on  $x_{m+1} 
ldots x_n$  until the entire translation has been found.

The reconstitute function returns the integer m and puts the nodes  $y_1 ldots y_t$  into a linked list starting at  $link(hold\_head)$ , getting the input  $x_j ldots x_n$  from the hu array. If  $x_j = 256$ , we consider  $x_j$  to be an implicit left boundary character; in this case j must be strictly less than n. There is a parameter bchar, which is either 256 or an implicit right boundary character assumed to be present just following  $x_n$ . (The value hu[n+1] is never explicitly examined, but the algorithm imagines that bchar is there.)

If there exists an index k in the range  $j \leq k \leq m$  such that hyf[k] is odd and such that the result of reconstitute would have been different if  $x_{k+1}$  had been hchar, then reconstitute sets  $hyphen\_passed$  to the smallest such k. Otherwise it sets  $hyphen\_passed$  to zero.

A special convention is used in the case j=0: Then we assume that the translation of hu[0] appears in a special list of charnodes starting at  $init\_list$ ; moreover, if  $init\_lig$  is true, then hu[0] will be a ligature character, involving a left boundary if  $init\_lig$  is true. This facility is provided for cases when a hyphenated word is preceded by punctuation (like single or double quotes) that might affect the translation of the beginning of the word.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
hyphen_passed: small_number; { first hyphen in a ligature, if any }
906. \langle Declare the function called reconstitute 906\rangle \equiv
function reconstitute(j, n : small\_number; bchar, hchar : halfword): small\_number;
  label continue, done;
  var p: pointer; { temporary register for list manipulation }
     t: pointer; { a node being appended to }
     q: four_quarters; { character information or a lig/kern instruction }
     cur_rh: halfword; { hyphen character for ligature testing }
     test_char: halfword; { hyphen or other character for ligature testing }
     w: scaled; \{ amount of kerning \}
     k: font_index; { position of current lig/kern instruction }
  begin hyphen_passed \leftarrow 0; t \leftarrow hold\_head; w \leftarrow 0; link(hold\_head) \leftarrow null;
       { at this point ligature\_present = lft\_hit = rt\_hit = false }
  \langle Set up data structures with the cursor following position j 908\rangle;
continue: (If there's a ligature or kern at the cursor position, update the data structures, possibly
       advancing j; continue until the cursor moves 909;
  Append a ligature and/or kern to the translation; goto continue if the stack of inserted ligatures is
       nonempty 910;
  reconstitute \leftarrow j;
  end;
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This code is used in section 895.

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907. The reconstitution procedure shares many of the global data structures by which  $T_EX$  has processed the words before they were hyphenated. There is an implied "cursor" between characters  $cur_{-}l$  and  $cur_{-}r$ ; these characters will be tested for possible ligature activity. If  $ligature\_present$  then  $cur_{-}l$  is a ligature character formed from the original characters following  $cur_{-}q$  in the current translation list. There is a "ligature stack" between the cursor and character j+1, consisting of pseudo-ligature nodes linked together by their link fields. This stack is normally empty unless a ligature command has created a new character that will need to be processed later. A pseudo-ligature is a special node having a character field that represents a potential ligature and a  $lig\_ptr$  field that points to a  $char\_node$  or is null. We have

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\mathit{cur\_r} = \begin{cases} \mathit{character}(\mathit{lig\_stack}), & \text{if } \mathit{lig\_stack} > \mathit{null}; \\ \mathit{qi}(\mathit{hu}[j+1]), & \text{if } \mathit{lig\_stack} = \mathit{null} \text{ and } j < n; \\ \mathit{bchar}, & \text{if } \mathit{lig\_stack} = \mathit{null} \text{ and } j = n. \end{cases}
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\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
cur_l, cur_r: halfword; { characters before and after the cursor }
cur_q: pointer; { where a ligature should be detached }
lig_stack: pointer; { unfinished business to the right of the cursor }
ligature_present: boolean; { should a ligature node be made for cur_l? }
lft_hit, rt_hit: boolean; { did we hit a ligature with a boundary character? }
        define append\_charnode\_to\_t(\#) \equiv
             begin link(t) \leftarrow get\_avail; \ t \leftarrow link(t); \ font(t) \leftarrow hf; \ character(t) \leftarrow \#;
             end
  define set\_cur\_r \equiv
             begin if j < n then cur_r \leftarrow qi(hu[j+1]) else cur_r \leftarrow bchar;
             if odd(hyf[j]) then cur\_rh \leftarrow hchar else cur\_rh \leftarrow non\_char;
\langle Set up data structures with the cursor following position j 908 \rangle \equiv
  cur_{-}l \leftarrow qi(hu[j]); cur_{-}q \leftarrow t;
  if j = 0 then
     begin ligature\_present \leftarrow init\_lig; p \leftarrow init\_list;
     if ligature\_present then lft\_hit \leftarrow init\_lft;
     while p > null do
        \textbf{begin} \ append\_charnode\_to\_t(character(p)); \ p \leftarrow link(p);
        end;
     end
  else if cur_{-}l < non\_char then append\_charnode\_to_{-}t(cur_{-}l);
  lig\_stack \leftarrow null; set\_cur\_r
This code is used in section 906.
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This code is used in section 906.

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We may want to look at the lig/kern program twice, once for a hyphen and once for a normal letter.
(The hyphen might appear after the letter in the program, so we'd better not try to look for both at once.)
\langle If there's a ligature or kern at the cursor position, update the data structures, possibly advancing j;
       continue until the cursor moves 909 \rangle \equiv
  if cur_{-}l = non_{-}char then
     begin k \leftarrow bchar\_label[hf];
     if k = non\_address then goto done else q \leftarrow font\_info[k].qqqq;
     end
  else begin q \leftarrow char\_info(hf)(cur\_l);
     if char_tag(q) \neq lig_tag then goto done;
     k \leftarrow lig\_kern\_start(hf)(q); \ q \leftarrow font\_info[k].qqqq;
     if skip\_byte(q) > stop\_flag then
       begin k \leftarrow lig\_kern\_restart(hf)(q); q \leftarrow font\_info[k].qqqq;
       end:
     end; { now k is the starting address of the lig/kern program }
  if cur\_rh < non\_char then test\_char \leftarrow cur\_rh else test\_char \leftarrow cur\_r;
  loop begin if next\_char(q) = test\_char then
       if skip\_byte(q) \leq stop\_flag then
          if cur\_rh < non\_char then
            begin hyphen\_passed \leftarrow j; hchar \leftarrow non\_char; cur\_rh \leftarrow non\_char; goto continue;
            end
          else begin if hchar < non\_char then
               if odd(hyf[j]) then
                 begin hyphen\_passed \leftarrow j; hchar \leftarrow non\_char;
                 end:
            if op\_byte(q) < kern\_flag then
               \langle Carry out a ligature replacement, updating the cursor structure and possibly advancing j;
                    goto continue if the cursor doesn't advance, otherwise goto done 911);
            w \leftarrow char_kern(hf)(q); goto done; { this kern will be inserted below }
            end;
     if skip\_byte(q) \ge stop\_flag then
       if cur_rh = non_char then goto done
       else begin cur_rh \leftarrow non_char; goto continue;
     k \leftarrow k + qo(skip\_byte(q)) + 1; \ q \leftarrow font\_info[k].qqqq;
     end:
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910. define wrap\_lig(\#) \equiv
             if ligature_present then
                begin p \leftarrow new\_ligature(hf, cur\_l, link(cur\_q));
                if lft_hit then
                   begin subtype(p) \leftarrow 2; lft\_hit \leftarrow false;
                   end:
                if # then
                   if lig\_stack = null then
                      begin incr(subtype(p)); rt\_hit \leftarrow false;
                link(cur_q) \leftarrow p; \ t \leftarrow p; \ ligature\_present \leftarrow false;
                end
  define pop\_lig\_stack \equiv
             begin if lig_ptr(lig_stack) > null then
                begin link(t) \leftarrow lig\_ptr(lig\_stack); { this is a charnode for hu[j+1] }
                t \leftarrow link(t); incr(j);
                end:
             p \leftarrow lig\_stack; \ lig\_stack \leftarrow link(p); \ free\_node(p, small\_node\_size);
             if lig\_stack = null then set\_cur\_r else cur\_r \leftarrow character(lig\_stack);
             end { if lig\_stack isn't null we have cur\_rh = non\_char }
(Append a ligature and/or kern to the translation; goto continue if the stack of inserted ligatures is
        nonempty 910 \rangle \equiv
  wrap\_lig(rt\_hit);
  if w \neq 0 then
     begin link(t) \leftarrow new\_kern(w); t \leftarrow link(t); w \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  if lig\_stack > null then
     begin cur_q \leftarrow t; cur_l \leftarrow character(lig\_stack); ligature\_present \leftarrow true; pop\_lig\_stack; goto continue;
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This code is used in section 906.

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911.
        \langle Carry out a ligature replacement, updating the cursor structure and possibly advancing j; goto
        continue if the cursor doesn't advance, otherwise goto done 911 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_l = non\_char then lft\_hit \leftarrow true;
  if j = n then
     if lig\_stack = null then rt\_hit \leftarrow true;
  check_interrupt; { allow a way out in case there's an infinite ligature loop }
  case op_-byte(q) of
  qi(1), qi(5): begin cur_{-}l \leftarrow rem_{-}byte(q); \{=:|,=:|>\}
     ligature\_present \leftarrow true;
     end:
   qi(2), qi(6): begin cur_r \leftarrow rem_byte(q); \{ \mid =:, \mid =: > \}
     if lig\_stack > null then character(lig\_stack) \leftarrow cur\_r
     else begin lig\_stack \leftarrow new\_lig\_item(cur\_r);
        if j = n then bchar \leftarrow non\_char
        else begin p \leftarrow get\_avail; lig\_ptr(lig\_stack) \leftarrow p; character(p) \leftarrow qi(hu[j+1]); font(p) \leftarrow hf;
        end:
     end:
  qi(3): begin cur_r \leftarrow rem_byte(q); { |=:|}
     p \leftarrow lig\_stack; \ lig\_stack \leftarrow new\_lig\_item(cur\_r); \ link(lig\_stack) \leftarrow p;
  qi(7), qi(11): begin wrap\_lig(false); { |=:|>, |=:|>> }
     cur\_q \leftarrow t; cur\_l \leftarrow rem\_byte(q); ligature\_present \leftarrow true;
  othercases begin cur\_l \leftarrow rem\_byte(q); ligature\_present \leftarrow true; \{=:\}
     \mathbf{if} \ lig\_stack > null \ \mathbf{then} \ pop\_lig\_stack
     else if j = n then goto done
        else begin append_charnode_to_t(cur_r); incr(j); set_cur_r;
     end
  endcases;
  if op_byte(q) > qi(4) then
     if op\_byte(q) \neq qi(7) then goto done;
  goto continue;
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This code is used in section 909.

end

**912.** Okay, we're ready to insert the potential hyphenations that were found. When the following program is executed, we want to append the word hu[1 ... hn] after node ha, and node q should be appended to the result. During this process, the variable i will be a temporary index into hu; the variable j will be an index to our current position in hu; the variable l will be the counterpart of j, in a discretionary branch; the variable r will point to new nodes being created; and we need a few new local variables:

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 \begin{array}{ll} \langle \operatorname{Local \ variables \ for \ hyphenation \ 901} \rangle + \equiv \\ \mathit{major\_tail}, \mathit{minor\_tail: \ pointer}; \\ \{ \ \text{the end of lists in the main and discretionary branches being reconstructed} \} \\ c: \mathit{ASCII\_code}; \\ \{ \ \text{character temporarily replaced by a hyphen} \} \\ c\_loc: \ 0 \ldots 63; \\ \{ \ \text{where that character came from} \} \\ r\_\mathit{count: integer}; \\ \{ \ \text{replacement count for discretionary} \} \\ \mathit{hyf\_node: pointer}; \\ \{ \ \text{the hyphen, if it exists} \} \\ \end{array}
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913. When the following code is performed, hyf[0] and hyf[hn] will be zero.  $\langle$  Reconstitute nodes for the hyphenated word, inserting discretionary hyphens 913  $\rangle$ **repeat**  $l \leftarrow j$ ;  $j \leftarrow reconstitute(j, hn, bchar, qi(hyf_char)) + 1$ ; if  $hyphen_passed = 0$  then **begin**  $link(s) \leftarrow link(hold\_head)$ ; while link(s) > null do  $s \leftarrow link(s)$ ; if odd(hyf[j-1]) then **begin**  $l \leftarrow j$ ;  $hyphen\_passed \leftarrow j-1$ ;  $link(hold\_head) \leftarrow null$ ; end; end: if hyphen\_passed > 0 then \( \text{Create} \) and append a discretionary node as an alternative to the unhyphenated word, and continue to develop both branches until they become equivalent 914); until j > hn;  $link(s) \leftarrow q$ This code is used in section 903.

**914.** In this repeat loop we will insert another discretionary if hyf[j-1] is odd, when both branches of the previous discretionary end at position j-1. Strictly speaking, we aren't justified in doing this, because we don't know that a hyphen after j-1 is truly independent of those branches. But in almost all applications we would rather not lose a potentially valuable hyphenation point. (Consider the word 'difficult', where the

until  $\neg odd(hyf[j-1])$ This code is used in section 913.

letter 'c' is in position j.)

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The new hyphen might combine with the previous character via ligature or kern. At this point we
have l-1 \le i < j and i < hn.
\langle \text{ Put the characters } hu[l \dots i] \text{ and a hyphen into } pre\_break(r) \text{ 915} \rangle \equiv
  minor\_tail \leftarrow null; pre\_break(r) \leftarrow null; hyf\_node \leftarrow new\_character(hf, hyf\_char);
  if hyf_node \neq null then
     begin incr(i); c \leftarrow hu[i]; hu[i] \leftarrow hyf\_char; free\_avail(hyf\_node);
     end;
  while l \leq i do
     begin l \leftarrow reconstitute(l, i, font\_bchar[hf], non\_char) + 1;
     if link(hold\_head) > null then
        begin if minor\_tail = null then pre\_break(r) \leftarrow link(hold\_head)
        else link(minor\_tail) \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
        minor\_tail \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
        while link(minor\_tail) > null do minor\_tail \leftarrow link(minor\_tail);
        end;
     end:
  if hyf_node \neq null then
     begin hu[i] \leftarrow c; { restore the character in the hyphen position }
     l \leftarrow i; \ decr(i);
     end
This code is used in section 914.
       The synchronization algorithm begins with l = i + 1 \le j.
\langle \text{ Put the characters } hu[i+1\ldots] \text{ into } post\_break(r), \text{ appending to this list and to } major\_tail \text{ until}
        synchronization has been achieved 916 \rangle \equiv
  minor\_tail \leftarrow null; post\_break(r) \leftarrow null; c\_loc \leftarrow 0;
  if bchar_label[hf] \neq non_address then { put left boundary at beginning of new line }
     begin decr(l); c \leftarrow hu[l]; c\_loc \leftarrow l; hu[l] \leftarrow 256;
     end;
  while l < j do
     begin repeat l \leftarrow reconstitute(l, hn, bchar, non\_char) + 1;
        if c\_loc > 0 then
           begin hu[c\_loc] \leftarrow c; c\_loc \leftarrow 0;
           end:
        if link(hold\_head) > null then
           begin if minor\_tail = null then post\_break(r) \leftarrow link(hold\_head)
           else link(minor\_tail) \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
           minor\_tail \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
           while link(minor\_tail) > null do minor\_tail \leftarrow link(minor\_tail);
           end;
     until l \geq j;
     while l > j do \langle Append characters of hu[j..] to major\_tail, advancing j 917\rangle;
This code is used in section 914.
917. \langle Append characters of hu[j..] to major\_tail, advancing j 917\rangle \equiv
  begin j \leftarrow reconstitute(j, hn, bchar, non\_char) + 1; link(major\_tail) \leftarrow link(hold\_head);
  while link(major\_tail) > null do advance\_major\_tail;
This code is used in section 916.
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**918.** Ligature insertion can cause a word to grow exponentially in size. Therefore we must test the size of r-count here, even though the hyphenated text was at most 63 characters long.

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 \langle \text{Move pointer } s \text{ to the end of the current list, and set } replace\_count(r) \text{ appropriately 918} \rangle \equiv \\ \text{if } r\_count > 127 \text{ then } \{ \text{ we have to forget the discretionary hyphen} \} \\ \text{begin } link(s) \leftarrow link(r); \ link(r) \leftarrow null; \ flush\_node\_list(r); \\ \text{end} \\ \text{else begin } link(s) \leftarrow r; \ replace\_count(r) \leftarrow r\_count; \\ \text{end}; \\ s \leftarrow major\_tail \\ \end{cases}
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This code is used in section 914.

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**919.** Hyphenation. When a word hc[1...hn] has been set up to contain a candidate for hyphenation, T<sub>E</sub>X first looks to see if it is in the user's exception dictionary. If not, hyphens are inserted based on patterns that appear within the given word, using an algorithm due to Frank M. Liang.

Let's consider Liang's method first, since it is much more interesting than the exception-lookup routine. The algorithm begins by setting hyf[j] to zero for all j, and invalid characters are inserted into hc[0] and hc[hn+1] to serve as delimiters. Then a reasonably fast method is used to see which of a given set of patterns occurs in the word hc[0...(hn+1)]. Each pattern  $p_1...p_k$  of length k has an associated sequence of k+1 numbers  $n_0...n_k$ ; and if the pattern occurs in hc[(j+1)...(j+k)], TEX will set  $hyf[j+i] \leftarrow \max(hyf[j+i], n_i)$  for  $0 \le i \le k$ . After this has been done for each pattern that occurs, a discretionary hyphen will be inserted between hc[j] and hc[j+1] when hyf[j] is odd, as we have already seen.

The set of patterns  $p_1 
ldots p_k$  and associated numbers  $n_0 
ldots n_k$  depends, of course, on the language whose words are being hyphenated, and on the degree of hyphenation that is desired. A method for finding appropriate p's and n's, from a given dictionary of words and acceptable hyphenations, is discussed in Liang's Ph.D. thesis (Stanford University, 1983);  $T_{\text{EX}}$  simply starts with the patterns and works from there.

**920.** The patterns are stored in a compact table that is also efficient for retrieval, using a variant of "trie memory" [cf. The Art of Computer Programming 3 (1973), 481–505]. We can find each pattern  $p_1 \dots p_k$  by letting  $z_0$  be one greater than the relevant language index and then, for  $1 \le i \le k$ , setting  $z_i \leftarrow trie\_link(z_{i-1}) + p_i$ ; the pattern will be identified by the number  $z_k$ . Since all the pattern information is packed together into a single  $trie\_link$  array, it is necessary to prevent confusion between the data from inequivalent patterns, so another table is provided such that  $trie\_char(z_i) = p_i$  for all i. There is also a table  $trie\_op(z_k)$  to identify the numbers  $n_0 \dots n_k$  associated with  $p_1 \dots p_k$ .

Comparatively few different number sequences  $n_0 
ldots n_k$  actually occur, since most of the n's are generally zero. Therefore the number sequences are encoded in such a way that  $trie\_op(z_k)$  is only one byte long. If  $trie\_op(z_k) \neq min\_quarterword$ , when  $p_1 
ldots p_k$  has matched the letters in hc[(l-k+1) 
ldots l] of language t, we perform all of the required operations for this pattern by carrying out the following little program: Set  $v \leftarrow trie\_op(z_k)$ . Then set  $v \leftarrow v + op\_start[t]$ ,  $hyf[l-hyf\_distance[v]] \leftarrow \max(hyf[l-hyf\_distance[v]], hyf\_num[v])$ , and  $v \leftarrow hyf\_next[v]$ ; repeat, if necessary, until  $v = min\_quarterword$ .

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⟨Types in the outer block 18⟩ +≡
trie_pointer = 0.. trie_size; {an index into trie}
921. define trie_link(#) ≡ trie[#].rh { "downward" link in a trie}
define trie_char(#) ≡ trie[#].b1 { character matched at this trie location}
define trie_op(#) ≡ trie[#].b0 { program for hyphenation at this trie location}
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
trie: array [trie_pointer] of two_halves; { trie_link, trie_char, trie_op}
hyf_distance: array [1.. trie_op_size] of small_number; { position k − j of n<sub>j</sub> }
hyf_num: array [1.. trie_op_size] of small_number; { value of n<sub>j</sub> }
hyf_next: array [1.. trie_op_size] of quarterword; { continuation code}
op_start: array [ASCII_code] of 0.. trie_op_size; { offset for current language}
922. ⟨Local variables for hyphenation 901⟩ +≡
z: trie_pointer; { an index into trie}
v: integer; { an index into hyf_distance, etc.}
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**923.** Assuming that these auxiliary tables have been set up properly, the hyphenation algorithm is quite short. In the following code we set hc[hn + 2] to the impossible value 256, in order to guarantee that hc[hn + 3] will never be fetched.

```
\langle Find hyphen locations for the word in hc, or return 923\rangle \equiv
  for j \leftarrow 0 to hn do hyf[j] \leftarrow 0;
   \langle \text{Look for the word } hc[1 \dots hn] \text{ in the exception table, and goto } found \text{ (with } hyf \text{ containing the hyphens)}
        if an entry is found 930);
  if trie\_char(cur\_lang + 1) \neq qi(cur\_lang) then return; { no patterns for cur\_lang }
  hc[0] \leftarrow 0; hc[hn+1] \leftarrow 0; hc[hn+2] \leftarrow 256; {insert delimiters}
  for j \leftarrow 0 to hn - r hyf + 1 do
     begin z \leftarrow trie\_link(cur\_lang + 1) + hc[j]; l \leftarrow j;
     while hc[l] = qo(trie\_char(z)) do
        begin if trie\_op(z) \neq min\_quarterword then \langle Store maximum values in the hyf table 924\rangle;
        incr(l); z \leftarrow trie\_link(z) + hc[l];
        end;
     end:
found: for j \leftarrow 0 to l \cdot hyf - 1 do hyf[j] \leftarrow 0;
  for j \leftarrow 0 to r_hyf - 1 do hyf[hn - j] \leftarrow 0
This code is used in section 895.
      \langle Store maximum values in the hyf table 924\rangle \equiv
924.
  begin v \leftarrow trie\_op(z);
  repeat v \leftarrow v + op\_start[cur\_lang]; i \leftarrow l - hyf\_distance[v];
     if hyf_num[v] > hyf[i] then hyf[i] \leftarrow hyf_num[v];
     v \leftarrow hyf_next[v];
  until v = min\_quarterword;
  end
This code is used in section 923.
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**925.** The exception table that is built by TEX's \hyphenation primitive is organized as an ordered hash table [cf. Amble and Knuth, The Computer Journal 17 (1974), 135–142] using linear probing. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are words, we will say that  $\alpha < \beta$  if  $|\alpha| < |\beta|$  or if  $|\alpha| = |\beta|$  and  $\alpha$  is lexicographically smaller than  $\beta$ . (The notation  $|\alpha|$  stands for the length of  $\alpha$ .) The idea of ordered hashing is to arrange the table so that a given word  $\alpha$  can be sought by computing a hash address  $h = h(\alpha)$  and then looking in table positions  $h, h - 1, \ldots$ , until encountering the first word  $\leq \alpha$ . If this word is different from  $\alpha$ , we can conclude that  $\alpha$  is not in the table.

The words in the table point to lists in *mem* that specify hyphen positions in their *info* fields. The list for  $c_1 
ldots c_n$  contains the number k if the word  $c_1 
ldots c_n$  has a discretionary hyphen between  $c_k$  and  $c_{k+1}$ .

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⟨Types in the outer block 18⟩ +≡
hyph_pointer = 0..hyph_size; {an index into the ordered hash table}⟩

926. ⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
hyph_word: array [hyph_pointer] of str_number; {exception words}
hyph_list: array [hyph_pointer] of pointer; {lists of hyphen positions}
hyph_count: hyph_pointer; {the number of words in the exception dictionary}⟩

927. ⟨Local variables for initialization 19⟩ +≡
z: hyph_pointer; {runs through the exception dictionary}
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928. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle + \equiv
  for z \leftarrow 0 to hyph\_size do
     begin hyph\_word[z] \leftarrow 0; hyph\_list[z] \leftarrow null;
     end:
  hyph\_count \leftarrow 0;
929. The algorithm for exception lookup is quite simple, as soon as we have a few more local variables to
work with.
\langle \text{Local variables for hyphenation } 901 \rangle + \equiv
h: hyph_pointer; { an index into hyph_word and hyph_list }
k: str\_number; \{ an index into str\_start \}
u: pool_pointer; { an index into str_pool }
930. First we compute the hash code h, then we search until we either find the word or we don't. Words
from different languages are kept separate by appending the language code to the string.
\langle \text{Look for the word } hc[1..hn] \text{ in the exception table, and goto } found \text{ (with } hyf \text{ containing the hyphens) if}
       an entry is found 930 \rangle \equiv
  h \leftarrow hc[1]; incr(hn); hc[hn] \leftarrow cur\_lang;
  for j \leftarrow 2 to hn do h \leftarrow (h + h + hc[j]) mod hyph\_size;
  loop begin (If the string hyph\_word[h] is less than hc[1 ... hn], goto not\_found; but if the two strings
          are equal, set hyf to the hyphen positions and goto found 931\rangle;
     if h > 0 then decr(h) else h \leftarrow hyph\_size;
     end;
not\_found: decr(hn)
This code is used in section 923.
       (If the string hyph\_word[h] is less than hc[1...hn], goto not\_found; but if the two strings are equal,
       set hyf to the hyphen positions and goto found 931 \rangle \equiv
  k \leftarrow hyph\_word[h];
  if k = 0 then goto not\_found;
  if length(k) < hn then goto not\_found;
  if length(k) = hn then
     begin j \leftarrow 1; u \leftarrow str\_start[k];
     repeat if so(str\_pool[u]) < hc[j] then goto not\_found;
       if so(str\_pool[u]) > hc[j] then goto done;
       incr(j); incr(u);
     until j > hn;
     \langle \text{Insert hyphens as specified in } hyph\_list[h] 932 \rangle;
     decr(hn); goto found;
     end;
done:
This code is used in section 930.
932. (Insert hyphens as specified in hyph_list[h] 932) \equiv
  s \leftarrow hyph\_list[h];
  while s \neq null do
     begin hyf[info(s)] \leftarrow 1; s \leftarrow link(s);
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This code is used in section 931.

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933. \langle \text{Search } hyph\_list \text{ for pointers to } p \text{ 933} \rangle \equiv
for q \leftarrow 0 to hyph\_size do
begin if hyph\_list[q] = p then
begin print\_nl("\texttt{HYPH}("); print\_int(q); print\_char(")");
end;
end
```

This code is used in section 172.

**934.** We have now completed the hyphenation routine, so the *line\_break* procedure is finished at last. Since the hyphenation exception table is fresh in our minds, it's a good time to deal with the routine that adds new entries to it.

When T<sub>E</sub>X has scanned 'hyphenation', it calls on a procedure named new\_hyph\_exceptions to do the right thing.

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define set\_cur\_lang \equiv
            if language \leq 0 then cur\_lang \leftarrow 0
            else if language > 255 then cur\_lang \leftarrow 0
              else cur\_lang \leftarrow language
procedure new_hyph_exceptions; { enters new exceptions }
  label reswitch, exit, found, not_found;
  var n: 0 . . 64; { length of current word; not always a small_number }
     j: 0...64; \{ an index into hc \} 
     h: hyph_pointer; { an index into hyph_word and hyph_list }
     k: str\_number; \{ an index into str\_start \}
     p: pointer; { head of a list of hyphen positions }
     q: pointer; { used when creating a new node for list p }
     s, t: str_number; { strings being compared or stored }
     u, v: pool\_pointer; \{ indices into str\_pool \}
  begin scan_left_brace; { a left brace must follow \hyphenation }
  set\_cur\_lang;
  (Enter as many hyphenation exceptions as are listed, until coming to a right brace; then return 935);
exit: end;
935.
       Enter as many hyphenation exceptions as are listed, until coming to a right brace; then
       return 935 \rangle \equiv
  n \leftarrow 0; p \leftarrow null;
  loop begin get_x_token;
  reswitch: case cur_cmd of
     letter, other_char, char_given: \( \) Append a new letter or hyphen 937 \( \);
     char\_num: begin scan\_char\_num; cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_val; cur\_cmd \leftarrow char\_given; goto reswitch;
     spacer, right_brace: begin if n > 1 then \langle Enter a hyphenation exception 939\rangle;
       if cur\_cmd = right\_brace then return;
       n \leftarrow 0; p \leftarrow null;
     othercases (Give improper \hyphenation error 936)
     endcases;
     end
This code is used in section 934.
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936.
        \langle Give improper \hyphenation error 936\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Improper_"); print_esc("hyphenation"); print("_will_be_flushed");
  help2 ("Hyphenation_exceptions_must_contain_only_letters")
  ("and_hyphens._But_continue; LI11Lforgive_and_forget."); error;
This code is used in section 935.
        \langle \text{ Append a new letter or hyphen } 937 \rangle \equiv
  if cur\_chr = "-" then \langle Append the value n to list p 938\rangle
  else begin if lc\_code(cur\_chr) = 0 then
       begin print_err("Not_a_letter");
       help2("Letters_in_i \land hyphenation_words_must_ihave_i \land ccode>0.")
       ("Proceed; \_I`ll\_ignore\_the\_character\_I\_just\_read."); error;
       end
     else if n < 63 then
          begin incr(n); hc[n] \leftarrow lc\_code(cur\_chr);
          end:
     end
This code is used in section 935.
938. \langle Append the value n to list p 938\rangle \equiv
  begin if n < 63 then
     begin q \leftarrow get\_avail; link(q) \leftarrow p; info(q) \leftarrow n; p \leftarrow q;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 937.
939. \langle Enter a hyphenation exception 939\rangle \equiv
  begin incr(n); hc[n] \leftarrow cur\_lang; str\_room(n); h \leftarrow 0;
  for j \leftarrow 1 to n do
     begin h \leftarrow (h + h + hc[j]) mod hyph\_size; append\_char(hc[j]);
  s \leftarrow make\_string; (Insert the pair (s, p) into the exception table 940);
  end
This code is used in section 935.
940. (Insert the pair (s, p) into the exception table 940)
  if hyph\_count = hyph\_size then overflow("exception\_dictionary", <math>hyph\_size);
  incr(hyph\_count);
  while hyph\_word[h] \neq 0 do
     begin (If the string hyph\_word[h] is less than or equal to s, interchange (hyph\_word[h], hyph\_list[h])
          with (s, p) 941 \rangle;
     if h > 0 then decr(h) else h \leftarrow hyph\_size;
     end;
  hyph\_word[h] \leftarrow s; \; hyph\_list[h] \leftarrow p
This code is used in section 939.
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941. \langle If the string hyph\_word[h] is less than or equal to s, interchange (hyph\_word[h], hyph\_list[h]) with (s,p) 941\rangle \equiv k \leftarrow hyph\_word[h]; if length(k) < length(s) then goto found; if length(k) > length(s) then goto not\_found; u \leftarrow str\_start[k]; v \leftarrow str\_start[s]; repeat if str\_pool[u] < str\_pool[v] then goto found; if str\_pool[u] > str\_pool[v] then goto not\_found; incr(u); incr(v); until u = str\_start[k + 1]; found: q \leftarrow hyph\_list[h]; hyph\_list[h] \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow q; t \leftarrow hyph\_word[h]; hyph\_word[h] \leftarrow s; s \leftarrow t; not\_found: This code is used in section 940.
```

942. Initializing the hyphenation tables. The trie for TEX's hyphenation algorithm is built from a sequence of patterns following a \patterns specification. Such a specification is allowed only in INITEX, since the extra memory for auxiliary tables and for the initialization program itself would only clutter up the production version of TEX with a lot of deadwood.

The first step is to build a trie that is linked, instead of packed into sequential storage, so that insertions are readily made. After all patterns have been processed, INITEX compresses the linked trie by identifying common subtries. Finally the trie is packed into the efficient sequential form that the hyphenation algorithm actually uses.

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\langle Declare subprocedures for line\_break~826\,\rangle +\!\!\equiv init \langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944 \rangle tini
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**943.** Before we discuss trie building in detail, let's consider the simpler problem of creating the *hyf\_distance*, *hyf\_num*, and *hyf\_next* arrays.

Suppose, for example, that TEX reads the pattern 'ab2cde1'. This is a pattern of length 5, with  $n_0 
ldots n_5 = 002001$  in the notation above. We want the corresponding  $trie\_op$  code v to have  $hyf\_distance[v] = 3$ ,  $hyf\_num[v] = 2$ , and  $hyf\_next[v] = v'$ , where the auxiliary  $trie\_op$  code v' has  $hyf\_distance[v'] = 0$ ,  $hyf\_num[v'] = 1$ , and  $hyf\_next[v'] = min\_quarterword$ .

 $T_{EX}$  computes an appropriate value v with the  $new\_trie\_op$  subroutine below, by setting

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v' \leftarrow new\_trie\_op(0, 1, min\_quarterword), \qquad v \leftarrow new\_trie\_op(3, 2, v').
```

This subroutine looks up its three parameters in a special hash table, assigning a new value only if these three have not appeared before for the current language.

The hash table is called *trie\_op\_hash*, and the number of entries it contains is *trie\_op\_ptr*.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \, \text{Global variables 13} \, \rangle \, + \equiv \\ \quad \text{init } trie\_op\_hash: \, \textbf{array} \, [-trie\_op\_size \, ... \, trie\_op\_size] \, \textbf{of} \, \, 0 \, ... \, trie\_op\_size; \\ \quad \{ \, \text{trie op codes for quadruples} \, \} \\ \quad trie\_used: \, \textbf{array} \, [ASCII\_code] \, \textbf{of} \, \, quarterword; \, \, \{ \, \text{largest opcode used so far for this language} \, \} \\ \quad trie\_op\_lang: \, \textbf{array} \, [1 \, ... \, trie\_op\_size] \, \textbf{of} \, \, ASCII\_code; \, \, \{ \, \text{language part of a hashed quadruple} \, \} \\ \quad trie\_op\_val: \, \textbf{array} \, [1 \, ... \, trie\_op\_size] \, \textbf{of} \, \, quarterword; \, \, \{ \, \text{opcode corresponding to a hashed quadruple} \, \} \\ \quad trie\_op\_ptr: \, 0 \, ... \, trie\_op\_size; \, \, \{ \, \text{number of stored ops so far} \, \} \\ \quad \textbf{tini} \end{array}
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**944.** It's tempting to remove the *overflow* stops in the following procedure;  $new\_trie\_op$  could return  $min\_quarterword$  (thereby simply ignoring part of a hyphenation pattern) instead of aborting the job. However, that would lead to different hyphenation results on different installations of TEX using the same patterns. The *overflow* stops are necessary for portability of patterns.

```
\langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944\rangle \equiv
function new\_trie\_op(d, n : small\_number; v : quarterword): quarterword;
  label exit;
  var h: -trie\_op\_size ... trie\_op\_size; { trial hash location }
     u: quarterword; { trial op code }
     l: 0 .. trie_op_size; { pointer to stored data }
  begin h \leftarrow abs(n+313*d+361*v+1009*cur\_lang) mod (trie\_op\_size + trie\_op\_size) - trie\_op\_size;
  loop begin l \leftarrow trie\_op\_hash[h];
     if l = 0 then { empty position found for a new op }
        begin if trie\_op\_ptr = trie\_op\_size then overflow("pattern\_memory\_ops", <math>trie\_op\_size);
        u \leftarrow trie\_used[cur\_lang];
        if u = max\_quarterword then
           overflow("pattern\_memory\_ops\_per\_language", max\_quarterword - min\_quarterword);
        incr(trie\_op\_ptr); incr(u); trie\_used[cur\_lang] \leftarrow u; hyf\_distance[trie\_op\_ptr] \leftarrow d;
        hyf\_num[trie\_op\_ptr] \leftarrow n; \ hyf\_next[trie\_op\_ptr] \leftarrow v; \ trie\_op\_lang[trie\_op\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_lang;
        trie\_op\_hash[h] \leftarrow trie\_op\_ptr; trie\_op\_val[trie\_op\_ptr] \leftarrow u; new\_trie\_op \leftarrow u; return;
        end;
     \textbf{if} \ (\textit{hyf\_distance}[l] = d) \land (\textit{hyf\_num}[l] = n) \land (\textit{hyf\_next}[l] = v) \land (\textit{trie\_op\_lang}[l] = \textit{cur\_lang}) \ \textbf{then}
        begin new\_trie\_op \leftarrow trie\_op\_val[l]; return;
     if h > -trie\_op\_size then decr(h) else h \leftarrow trie\_op\_size;
     end:
exit: end;
See also sections 948, 949, 953, 957, 959, 960, and 966.
This code is used in section 942.
```

**945.** After  $new\_trie\_op$  has compressed the necessary opcode information, plenty of information is available to unscramble the data into the final form needed by our hyphenation algorithm.

```
 \langle \text{Sort the hyphenation op tables into proper order } 945 \rangle \equiv \\ op\_start[0] \leftarrow -min\_quarterword; \\ \textbf{for } j \leftarrow 1 \textbf{ to } 255 \textbf{ do } op\_start[j] \leftarrow op\_start[j-1] + qo(trie\_used[j-1]); \\ \textbf{for } j \leftarrow 1 \textbf{ to } trie\_op\_ptr \textbf{ do } trie\_op\_hash[j] \leftarrow op\_start[trie\_op\_lang[j]] + trie\_op\_val[j]; \\ \textbf{for } j \leftarrow 1 \textbf{ to } trie\_op\_ptr \textbf{ do } \\ \textbf{while } trie\_op\_hash[j] > j \textbf{ do } \\ \textbf{begin } k \leftarrow trie\_op\_hash[j]; \\ t \leftarrow hyf\_distance[k]; hyf\_distance[k] \leftarrow hyf\_distance[j]; hyf\_distance[j] \leftarrow t; \\ t \leftarrow hyf\_num[k]; hyf\_num[k] \leftarrow hyf\_num[j]; hyf\_num[j] \leftarrow t; \\ t \leftarrow hyf\_next[k]; hyf\_next[k] \leftarrow hyf\_next[j]; hyf\_next[j] \leftarrow t; \\ trie\_op\_hash[j] \leftarrow trie\_op\_hash[k]; trie\_op\_hash[k] \leftarrow k; \\ \textbf{end} \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 952.

**946.** Before we forget how to initialize the data structures that have been mentioned so far, let's write down the code that gets them started.

```
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle +\equiv for k \leftarrow -trie\_op\_size to trie\_op\_size do trie\_op\_hash[k] \leftarrow 0; for k \leftarrow 0 to 255 do trie\_used[k] \leftarrow min\_quarterword; trie\_op\_ptr \leftarrow 0;
```

947. The linked trie that is used to preprocess hyphenation patterns appears in several global arrays. Each node represents an instruction of the form "if you see character c, then perform operation o, move to the next character, and go to node l; otherwise go to node r." The four quantities c, o, l, and r are stored in four arrays  $trie\_c$ ,  $trie\_o$ ,  $trie\_l$ , and  $trie\_r$ . The root of the trie is  $trie\_l[0]$ , and the number of nodes is  $trie\_ptr$ . Null trie pointers are represented by zero. To initialize the trie, we simply set  $trie\_l[0]$  and  $trie\_ptr$  to zero. We also set  $trie\_c[0]$  to some arbitrary value, since the algorithm may access it.

The algorithms maintain the condition

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trie_c[trie_r[z]] > trie_c[z] whenever z \neq 0 and trie_r[z] \neq 0;
```

in other words, sibling nodes are ordered by their c fields.

```
define trie\_root \equiv trie\_l[0] { root of the linked trie }

⟨Global variables 13⟩ +=

init trie\_c: packed array [trie\_pointer] of packed\_ASCII\_code; { characters to match }

trie\_o: packed array [trie\_pointer] of quarterword; { operations to perform }

trie\_l: packed array [trie\_pointer] of trie\_pointer; { left subtrie links }

trie\_r: packed array [trie\_pointer] of trie\_pointer; { right subtrie links }

trie\_ptr: trie\_pointer; { the number of nodes in the trie }

trie\_hash: packed array [trie\_pointer] of trie\_pointer; { used to identify equivalent subtries }

tini
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**948.** Let us suppose that a linked trie has already been constructed. Experience shows that we can often reduce its size by recognizing common subtries; therefore another hash table is introduced for this purpose, somewhat similar to *trie\_op\_hash*. The new hash table will be initialized to zero.

The function  $trie\_node(p)$  returns p if p is distinct from other nodes that it has seen, otherwise it returns the number of the first equivalent node that it has seen.

Notice that we might make subtries equivalent even if they correspond to patterns for different languages, in which the trie ops might mean quite different things. That's perfectly all right.

```
⟨ Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944⟩ +≡ function trie\_node(p:trie\_pointer): trie\_pointer; { converts to a canonical form } label exit; var h: trie\_pointer; { trial hash location } q: trie\_pointer; { trial trie node } begin h \leftarrow abs(trie\_c[p] + 1009 * trie\_o[p] + 2718 * trie\_l[p] + 3142 * trie\_r[p]) mod <math>trie\_size; loop begin q \leftarrow trie\_hash[h]; if q = 0 then begin trie\_hash[h] \leftarrow p; trie\_node \leftarrow p; return; end; if (trie\_c[q] = trie\_c[p]) \land (trie\_o[q] = trie\_o[p]) \land (trie\_l[q] = trie\_l[p]) \land (trie\_r[q] = trie\_r[p]) then begin trie\_node \leftarrow q; return; end; if h > 0 then decr(h) else h \leftarrow trie\_size; end; exit: end;
```

**949.** A neat recursive procedure is now able to compress a trie by traversing it and applying  $trie\_node$  to its nodes in "bottom up" fashion. We will compress the entire trie by clearing  $trie\_hash$  to zero and then saying ' $trie\_root \leftarrow compress\_trie(trie\_root)$ '.

```
\langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944\rangle +\equiv function compress\_trie(p:trie\_pointer): trie\_pointer; begin if p=0 then compress\_trie \leftarrow 0 else begin trie\_l[p] \leftarrow compress\_trie(trie\_l[p]); trie\_r[p] \leftarrow compress\_trie(trie\_r[p]); compress\_trie \leftarrow trie\_node(p); end; end;
```

950. The compressed trie will be packed into the trie array using a "top-down first-fit" procedure. This is a little tricky, so the reader should pay close attention: The  $trie\_hash$  array is cleared to zero again and renamed  $trie\_ref$  for this phase of the operation; later on,  $trie\_ref[p]$  will be nonzero only if the linked trie node p is the smallest character in a family and if the characters c of that family have been allocated to locations  $trie\_ref[p] + c$  in the trie array. Locations of trie that are in use will have  $trie\_link = 0$ , while the unused holes in trie will be doubly linked with  $trie\_link$  pointing to the next larger vacant location and  $trie\_back$  pointing to the next smaller one. This double linking will have been carried out only as far as  $trie\_max$ , where  $trie\_max$  is the largest index of trie that will be needed. To save time at the low end of the trie, we maintain array entries  $trie\_min[c]$  pointing to the smallest hole that is greater than c. Another array  $trie\_taken$  tells whether or not a given location is equal to  $trie\_ref[p]$  for some p; this array is used to ensure that distinct nodes in the compressed trie will have distinct  $trie\_ref$  entries.

```
define trie_ref ≡ trie_hash { where linked trie families go into trie }
define trie_back(#) ≡ trie[#].lh { backward links in trie holes }

⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
init trie_taken: packed array [1.. trie_size] of boolean; { does a family start here? }
trie_min: array [ASCII_code] of trie_pointer; { the first possible slot for each character }
trie_max: trie_pointer; { largest location used in trie }
trie_not_ready: boolean; { is the trie still in linked form? }
tini
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**951.** Each time \patterns appears, it contributes further patterns to the future trie, which will be built only when hyphenation is attempted or when a format file is dumped. The boolean variable *trie\_not\_ready* will change to *false* when the trie is compressed; this will disable further patterns.

```
\langle \text{Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) } 164 \rangle + \equiv trie\_not\_ready \leftarrow true; trie\_root \leftarrow 0; trie\_c[0] \leftarrow si(0); trie\_ptr \leftarrow 0;
```

**952.** Here is how the trie-compression data structures are initialized. If storage is tight, it would be possible to overlap  $trie\_op\_hash$ ,  $trie\_op\_lang$ , and  $trie\_op\_val$  with trie,  $trie\_hash$ , and  $trie\_taken$ , because we finish with the former just before we need the latter.

```
\langle Get ready to compress the trie 952 \rangle \equiv \langle Sort the hyphenation op tables into proper order 945 \rangle; for p \leftarrow 0 to trie\_size do trie\_hash[p] \leftarrow 0; trie\_root \leftarrow compress\_trie(trie\_root); \{ identify equivalent subtries \} for p \leftarrow 0 to trie\_ptr do trie\_ref[p] \leftarrow 0; for p \leftarrow 0 to 255 do trie\_min[p] \leftarrow p+1; trie\_link(0) \leftarrow 1; trie\_max \leftarrow 0
This code is used in section 966.
```

**953.** The *first\_fit* procedure finds the smallest hole z in *trie* such that a trie family starting at a given node p will fit into vacant positions starting at z. If  $c = trie\_c[p]$ , this means that location z - c must not already be taken by some other family, and that z - c + c' must be vacant for all characters c' in the family. The procedure sets  $trie\_ref[p]$  to z - c when the first fit has been found.

```
\langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944\rangle + \equiv
procedure first\_fit(p:trie\_pointer); { packs a family into trie }
  label not_found, found;
  var h: trie_pointer; { candidate for trie_ref[p] }
     z: trie_pointer; { runs through holes }
     q: trie_pointer; { runs through the family starting at p}
     c: ASCII_code; { smallest character in the family }
     l,r: trie_pointer; { left and right neighbors }
     ll: 1...256; {upper limit of trie_min updating}
  begin c \leftarrow so(trie\_c[p]); z \leftarrow trie\_min[c]; \{ get the first conceivably good hole \}
  loop begin h \leftarrow z - c;
     \langle \text{Ensure that } trie\_max \geq h + 256 \text{ 954} \rangle;
     if trie_taken[h] then goto not_found;
     \langle If all characters of the family fit relative to h, then goto found, otherwise goto not-found 955\rangle;
  not\_found: z \leftarrow trie\_link(z);  { move to the next hole }
found: \langle Pack \text{ the family into } trie \text{ relative to } h 956 \rangle;
  end;
954. By making sure that trie\_max is at least h + 256, we can be sure that trie\_max > z, since h = z - c.
It follows that location trie\_max will never be occupied in trie, and we will have trie\_max \ge trie\_link(z).
\langle \text{Ensure that } trie\_max \geq h + 256 \text{ 954} \rangle \equiv
  if trie\_max < h + 256 then
     begin if trie\_size \le h + 256 then overflow("pattern_memory", <math>trie\_size);
     repeat incr(trie\_max); trie\_taken[trie\_max] \leftarrow false; trie\_link(trie\_max) \leftarrow trie\_max + 1;
       trie\_back(trie\_max) \leftarrow trie\_max - 1;
     until trie\_max = h + 256;
     end
This code is used in section 953.
955. (If all characters of the family fit relative to h, then goto found, otherwise goto not_found 955) \equiv
  q \leftarrow trie_r[p];
  while q > 0 do
     begin if trie\_link(h + so(trie\_c[q])) = 0 then goto not\_found;
     q \leftarrow trie\_r[q];
     end;
  goto found
This code is used in section 953.
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956. \langle Pack the family into trie relative to h 956\rangle \equiv
  trie\_taken[h] \leftarrow true; \ trie\_ref[p] \leftarrow h; \ q \leftarrow p;
  repeat z \leftarrow h + so(trie\_c[q]); \ l \leftarrow trie\_back(z); \ r \leftarrow trie\_link(z); \ trie\_back(r) \leftarrow l; \ trie\_link(l) \leftarrow r;
     trie\_link(z) \leftarrow 0;
     if l < 256 then
        begin if z < 256 then ll \leftarrow z else ll \leftarrow 256;
        repeat trie\_min[l] \leftarrow r; incr(l);
        until l = ll;
        end;
     q \leftarrow trie_{-}r[q];
  until q = 0
This code is used in section 953.
957. To pack the entire linked trie, we use the following recursive procedure.
⟨ Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944⟩ +≡
procedure trie_pack(p : trie_pointer); { pack subtries of a family }
  var q: trie_pointer; { a local variable that need not be saved on recursive calls }
  begin repeat q \leftarrow trie\_l[p];
     if (q > 0) \land (trie\_ref[q] = 0) then
        begin first\_fit(q); trie\_pack(q);
        end;
     p \leftarrow trie\_r[p];
  until p = 0;
  end:
958. When the whole trie has been allocated into the sequential table, we must go through it once again so
that trie contains the correct information. Null pointers in the linked trie will be represented by the value 0,
which properly implements an "empty" family.
\langle Move the data into trie 958 \rangle \equiv
  h.rh \leftarrow 0; h.b0 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; h.b1 \leftarrow min\_quarterword;
        \{ trie\_link \leftarrow 0, trie\_op \leftarrow min\_quarterword, trie\_char \leftarrow qi(0) \}
  if trie\_root = 0 then { no patterns were given }
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 $h.rh \leftarrow 0; \ h.b0 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; \ h.b1 \leftarrow min\_quarterword; \ \{trie\_link \leftarrow 0, trie\_op \leftarrow min\_quarterword, trie\_char \leftarrow qi(0)\}$  if  $trie\_root = 0$  then  $\{$  no patterns were given  $\}$  begin for  $r \leftarrow 0$  to 256 do  $trie[r] \leftarrow h;$   $trie\_max \leftarrow 256;$  end else begin  $trie\_fix(trie\_root); \ \{$  this fixes the non-holes in trie  $\}$   $r \leftarrow 0; \ \{$  now we will zero out all the holes  $\}$  repeat  $s \leftarrow trie\_link(r); \ trie[r] \leftarrow h; \ r \leftarrow s;$  until  $r > trie\_max;$  end;  $trie\_char(0) \leftarrow qi("?"); \ \{$  make  $trie\_char(c) \neq c$  for all c  $\}$  This code is used in section 966.

end:

**959.** The fixing-up procedure is, of course, recursive. Since the linked trie usually has overlapping subtries, the same data may be moved several times; but that causes no harm, and at most as much work is done as it took to build the uncompressed trie.

```
\langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944\rangle + \equiv
procedure trie\_fix(p:trie\_pointer); \{ moves p and its siblings into trie \}
  var q: trie_pointer; { a local variable that need not be saved on recursive calls }
     c: ASCII_code; { another one that need not be saved }
     z: trie-pointer; { trie reference; this local variable must be saved }
  begin z \leftarrow trie\_ref[p];
  repeat q \leftarrow trie\_l[p]; \ c \leftarrow so(trie\_c[p]); \ trie\_link(z+c) \leftarrow trie\_ref[q]; \ trie\_char(z+c) \leftarrow qi(c);
     trie\_op(z+c) \leftarrow trie\_o[p];
     if q > 0 then trie_{-}fix(q);
     p \leftarrow trie\_r[p];
  until p = 0;
  end;
960. Now let's go back to the easier problem, of building the linked trie. When INITEX has scanned the
'\patterns' control sequence, it calls on new_patterns to do the right thing.
\langle Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944\rangle +\equiv
procedure new_patterns; { initializes the hyphenation pattern data }
  label done, done1;
  \operatorname{var} k, l : 0 \dots 64; { indices into hc and hyf; not always in small\_number range}
     digit_sensed: boolean; { should the next digit be treated as a letter? }
     v: quarterword; { trie op code }
     p, q: trie_pointer; { nodes of trie traversed during insertion }
     first\_child: boolean; \{ is p = trie\_l[q]? \}
     c: ASCII_code; { character being inserted }
  begin if trie_not_ready then
     begin set_cur_lang; scan_left_brace; { a left brace must follow \patterns }
     (Enter all of the patterns into a linked trie, until coming to a right brace 961);
  else begin print_err("Too⊔late⊔for⊔"); print_esc("patterns");
     help1("All_{\square}patterns_{\square}must_{\square}be_{\square}given_{\square}before_{\square}typesetting_{\square}begins."); error;
     link(garbage) \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, false); flush\_list(def\_ref);
     end;
```

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**begin**  $hyf[k] \leftarrow cur\_chr - "0"; digit\_sensed \leftarrow true;$ 

Novices are not supposed to be using **\patterns**, so the error messages are terse. (Note that all error messages appear in T<sub>E</sub>X's string pool, even if they are used only by INITEX.)  $\langle$  Enter all of the patterns into a linked trie, until coming to a right brace 961 $\rangle$   $\equiv$  $k \leftarrow 0$ ;  $hyf[0] \leftarrow 0$ ;  $digit\_sensed \leftarrow false$ ; **loop begin** *qet\_x\_token*; case cur\_cmd of letter, other\_char: (Append a new letter or a hyphen level 962);  $spacer, right\_brace$ : begin if k > 0 then \langle Insert a new pattern into the linked trie 963\rangle; if  $cur\_cmd = right\_brace$  then goto done;  $k \leftarrow 0$ ;  $hyf[0] \leftarrow 0$ ;  $digit\_sensed \leftarrow false$ ; othercases begin print\_err("Bad<sub>□</sub>"); print\_esc("patterns"); help1("(See<sub>□</sub>Appendix<sub>□</sub>H.)"); error; end endcases: end; done:This code is used in section 960.  $\langle$  Append a new letter or a hyphen level 962 $\rangle \equiv$ if  $digit\_sensed \lor (cur\_chr < "0") \lor (cur\_chr > "9")$  then **begin if**  $cur\_chr = "."$  **then**  $cur\_chr \leftarrow 0$  { edge-of-word delimiter } else begin  $cur\_chr \leftarrow lc\_code(cur\_chr)$ ; if  $cur_-chr = 0$  then **begin** print\_err("Nonletter"); help1("(See, Appendix, H.)"); error; end; end; if k < 63 then **begin** incr(k);  $hc[k] \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ;  $hyf[k] \leftarrow 0$ ;  $digit\_sensed \leftarrow false$ ; end else if k < 63 then

This code is used in section 961.

done1:

This code is used in section 963.

```
When the following code comes into play, the pattern p_1 \dots p_k appears in hc[1 \dots k], and the
corresponding sequence of numbers n_0 \dots n_k appears in hyf[0 \dots k].
\langle \text{Insert a new pattern into the linked trie 963} \rangle \equiv
  begin (Compute the trie op code, v, and set l \leftarrow 0 965);
  q \leftarrow 0; hc[0] \leftarrow cur\_lanq;
  while l \leq k do
     \mathbf{begin}\ c \leftarrow hc[l];\ incr(l);\ p \leftarrow trie\_l[q];\ first\_child \leftarrow true;
     while (p > 0) \land (c > so(trie\_c[p])) do
        begin q \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow trie\_r[q]; first\_child \leftarrow false;
        end;
     if (p = 0) \lor (c < so(trie\_c[p])) then
        \langle Insert a new trie node between q and p, and make p point to it 964\rangle;
     q \leftarrow p; { now node q represents p_1 \dots p_{l-1} }
     end;
  if trie_{-}o[q] \neq min_{-}quarterword then
     begin print_err("Duplicate_pattern"); help1("(See_Appendix_H.)"); error;
     end:
  trie\_o[q] \leftarrow v;
  end
This code is used in section 961.
964. (Insert a new trie node between q and p, and make p point to it 964) \equiv
  begin if trie_ptr = trie_size then overflow("pattern_memory", trie_size);
  incr(trie\_ptr); trie\_r[trie\_ptr] \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow trie\_ptr; trie\_l[p] \leftarrow 0;
  if first\_child then trie\_l[q] \leftarrow p else trie\_r[q] \leftarrow p;
  trie\_c[p] \leftarrow si(c); trie\_o[p] \leftarrow min\_quarterword;
  end
This code is used in section 963.
        \langle Compute the trie op code, v, and set l \leftarrow 0 965 \rangle \equiv
  if hc[1] = 0 then hyf[0] \leftarrow 0;
  if hc[k] = 0 then hyf[k] \leftarrow 0;
  l \leftarrow k; v \leftarrow min\_quarterword;
  loop begin if hyf[l] \neq 0 then v \leftarrow new\_trie\_op(k-l, hyf[l], v);
     if l > 0 then decr(l) else goto done1;
     end;
```

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**966.** Finally we put everything together: Here is how the trie gets to its final, efficient form. The following packing routine is rigged so that the root of the linked tree gets mapped into location 1 of *trie*, as required by the hyphenation algorithm. This happens because the first call of *first\_fit* will "take" location 1.

```
⟨ Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944⟩ +≡
procedure init_trie;
var p: trie_pointer; { pointer for initialization }
    j, k, t: integer; { all-purpose registers for initialization }
    r, s: trie_pointer; { used to clean up the packed trie }
    h: two_halves; { template used to zero out trie's holes }
begin ⟨ Get ready to compress the trie 952⟩;
if trie_root ≠ 0 then
    begin first_fit(trie_root); trie_pack(trie_root);
    end;
⟨ Move the data into trie 958⟩;
trie_not_ready ← false;
end;
```

This code is used in section 968.

- **967.** Breaking vertical lists into pages. The *vsplit* procedure, which implements T<sub>E</sub>X's \vsplit operation, is considerably simpler than *line\_break* because it doesn't have to worry about hyphenation, and because its mission is to discover a single break instead of an optimum sequence of breakpoints. But before we get into the details of *vsplit*, we need to consider a few more basic things.
- **968.** A subroutine called *prune\_page\_top* takes a pointer to a vlist and returns a pointer to a modified vlist in which all glue, kern, and penalty nodes have been deleted before the first box or rule node. However, the first box or rule is actually preceded by a newly created glue node designed so that the topmost baseline will be at distance *split\_top\_skip* from the top, whenever this is possible without backspacing.

In this routine and those that follow, we make use of the fact that a vertical list contains no character nodes, hence the *type* field exists for each node in the list.

```
function prune_page_top(p : pointer): pointer; { adjust top after page break }
  var prev_p: pointer; { lags one step behind p }
     q: pointer; { temporary variable for list manipulation }
  begin prev_p \leftarrow temp\_head; link(temp\_head) \leftarrow p;
  while p \neq null do
     case type(p) of
     hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node: \langle Insert glue for <math>split\_top\_skip and set p \leftarrow null\ 969 \rangle;
     whatsit_node, mark_node, ins_node: begin prev_p \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow link(prev_p);
     glue\_node, kern\_node, penalty\_node: begin q \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow link(q); link(q) \leftarrow null; link(prev\_p) \leftarrow p;
        flush\_node\_list(q);
        end;
     othercases confusion("pruning")
     endcases:
  prune\_page\_top \leftarrow link(temp\_head);
  end;
        \langle \text{Insert glue for } split\_top\_skip \text{ and set } p \leftarrow null 969 \rangle \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow new\_skip\_param(split\_top\_skip\_code); link(prev\_p) \leftarrow q; link(q) \leftarrow p;
        \{ \text{ now } temp\_ptr = glue\_ptr(q) \}
  if width(temp\_ptr) > height(p) then width(temp\_ptr) \leftarrow width(temp\_ptr) - height(p)
  else width(temp\_ptr) \leftarrow 0;
  p \leftarrow null;
  end
```

**970.** The next subroutine finds the best place to break a given vertical list so as to obtain a box of height h, with maximum depth d. A pointer to the beginning of the vertical list is given, and a pointer to the optimum breakpoint is returned. The list is effectively followed by a forced break, i.e., a penalty node with the *eject\_penalty*; if the best break occurs at this artificial node, the value null is returned.

An array of six *scaled* distances is used to keep track of the height from the beginning of the list to the current place, just as in *line\_break*. In fact, we use one of the same arrays, only changing its name to reflect its new significance.

```
define active\_height \equiv active\_width { new name for the six distance variables }
  define cur\_height \equiv active\_height[1] { the natural height }
  define set\_height\_zero(\#) \equiv active\_height[\#] \leftarrow 0 { initialize the height to zero }
  define update_heights = 90 { go here to record glue in the active_height table }
function vert\_break(p:pointer; h, d:scaled): pointer; { finds optimum page break }
  label done, not_found, update_heights;
  var prev_p: pointer; { if p is a glue node, type(prev_p) determines whether p is a legal breakpoint }
     q, r: pointer;  { glue specifications }
     pi: integer; \{penalty value\}
     b: integer; { badness at a trial breakpoint }
     least_cost: integer; { the smallest badness plus penalties found so far }
     best_place: pointer; { the most recent break that leads to least_cost }
     prev_dp: scaled; { depth of previous box in the list }
     t: small_number; { type of the node following a kern }
  begin prev_p \leftarrow p; { an initial glue node is not a legal breakpoint }
  least\_cost \leftarrow awful\_bad; do\_all\_six(set\_height\_zero); prev\_dp \leftarrow 0;
  loop begin (If node p is a legal breakpoint, check if this break is the best known, and goto done if p is
         null or if the page-so-far is already too full to accept more stuff 972);
     prev_p \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow link(prev_p);
     end;
done: vert\_break \leftarrow best\_place;
  end:
```

**971.** A global variable best\_height\_plus\_depth will be set to the natural size of the box that corresponds to the optimum breakpoint found by vert\_break. (This value is used by the insertion-splitting algorithm of the page builder.)

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv best-height-plus_depth: scaled; { height of the best box, without stretching or shrinking }
```

**972.** A subtle point to be noted here is that the maximum depth d might be negative, so  $cur\_height$  and  $prev\_dp$  might need to be corrected even after a glue or kern node.

```
\langle If node p is a legal breakpoint, check if this break is the best known, and goto done if p is null or if the page-so-far is already too full to accept more stuff 972\rangle\equiv
```

```
if p = null then pi \leftarrow eject\_penalty
```

else (Use node p to update the current height and depth measurements; if this node is not a legal breakpoint, **goto**  $not\_found$  or  $update\_heights$ , otherwise set pi to the associated penalty at the break 973);

 $\langle$  Check if node p is a new champion breakpoint; then **goto** done if p is a forced break or if the page-so-far is already too full 974 $\rangle$ ;

```
if (type(p) < glue\_node) \lor (type(p) > kern\_node) then goto not\_found;
```

 $update\_heights$ :  $\langle Update the current height and depth measurements with respect to a glue or kern node <math>p$  976 $\rangle$ ;

```
not\_found: if prev\_dp > d then
```

```
begin cur\_height \leftarrow cur\_height + prev\_dp - d; prev\_dp \leftarrow d; end:
```

This code is used in section 970.

973. (Use node p to update the current height and depth measurements; if this node is not a legal breakpoint, **goto**  $not\_found$  or  $update\_heights$ , otherwise set pi to the associated penalty at the break 973)  $\equiv$ 

```
case type(p) of 
 hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node: begin 
 cur\_height \leftarrow cur\_height + prev\_dp + height(p); prev\_dp \leftarrow depth(p); goto not\_found; end; 
 whatsit\_node: \langle Process whatsit p in <math>vert\_break \ loop, \ goto \ not\_found \ 1365 \rangle;
```

```
glue_node: if precedes_break(prev_p) then pi \leftarrow 0
else goto update_heights;
kern\_node: begin if link(p) = null then t \leftarrow penalty\_node
else t \leftarrow type(link(p));
if t = glue\_node then pi \leftarrow 0 else goto update_heights;
end;
```

```
penalty_node: pi \leftarrow penalty(p);

mark\_node, ins\_node: goto not\_found;

othercases confusion("vertbreak")
```

endcases

This code is used in section 972.

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```
974.
       define deplorable \equiv 100000 { more than inf\_bad, but less than awful\_bad }
\langle Check if node p is a new champion breakpoint; then goto done if p is a forced break or if the page-so-far
       is already too full 974 \rangle \equiv
  if pi < inf_penalty then
     begin (Compute the badness, b, using awful\_bad if the box is too full 975);
     if b < awful_bad then
       if pi \leq eject\_penalty then b \leftarrow pi
       else if b < inf_{-}bad then b \leftarrow b + pi
          else b \leftarrow deplorable;
     if b \leq least\_cost then
       begin best\_place \leftarrow p; least\_cost \leftarrow b; best\_height\_plus\_depth \leftarrow cur\_height + prev\_dp;
     if (b = awful\_bad) \lor (pi \le eject\_penalty) then goto done;
     end
This code is used in section 972.
975. (Compute the badness, b, using awful\_bad if the box is too full 975) \equiv
  if cur\_height < h then
     if (active\_height[3] \neq 0) \lor (active\_height[4] \neq 0) \lor (active\_height[5] \neq 0) then b \leftarrow 0
     else b \leftarrow badness(h - cur\_height, active\_height[2])
  else if cur\_height - h > active\_height[6] then b \leftarrow awful\_bad
     else b \leftarrow badness(cur\_height - h, active\_height[6])
This code is used in section 974.
      Vertical lists that are subject to the vert_break procedure should not contain infinite shrinkability,
since that would permit any amount of information to "fit" on one page.
\langle Update the current height and depth measurements with respect to a glue or kern node p 976 \rangle \equiv
  if type(p) = kern\_node then q \leftarrow p
  else begin q \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p);
     active\_height[2 + stretch\_order(q)] \leftarrow active\_height[2 + stretch\_order(q)] + stretch(q);
     active\_height[6] \leftarrow active\_height[6] + shrink(q);
     if (shrink\_order(q) \neq normal) \land (shrink(q) \neq 0) then
       begin
       print\_err("Infinite\_glue\_shrinkage\_found\_in\_box\_being\_split");
       help4 ("The_box_you_are_\vsplitting_contains_some_infinitely")
       ("shrinkable_glue, _e.g., _`\vss´_or_`\vskip_0pt_minus_1fil´.")
       ("Such_glue_doesn t_belong_there; but_you_can_safely_proceed,")
       ("since_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}offensive_{\sqcup}shrinkability_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}been_{\sqcup}made_{\sqcup}finite."); error; r \leftarrow new\_spec(q);
       shrink\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; \ delete\_glue\_ref(q); \ glue\_ptr(p) \leftarrow r; \ q \leftarrow r;
       end;
     end:
  cur\_height \leftarrow cur\_height + prev\_dp + width(q); prev\_dp \leftarrow 0
```

This code is used in section 977.

**977.** Now we are ready to consider *vsplit* itself. Most of its work is accomplished by the two subroutines that we have just considered.

Given the number of a vlist box n, and given a desired page height h, the vsplit function finds the best initial segment of the vlist and returns a box for a page of height h. The remainder of the vlist, if any, replaces the original box, after removing glue and penalties and adjusting for  $split\_top\_skip$ . Mark nodes in the split-off box are used to set the values of  $split\_first\_mark$  and  $split\_bot\_mark$ ; we use the fact that  $split\_first\_mark = null$  if and only if  $split\_bot\_mark = null$ .

The original box becomes "void" if and only if it has been entirely extracted. The extracted box is "void" if and only if the original box was void (or if it was, erroneously, an hlist box).

```
function vsplit(n : eight\_bits; h : scaled): pointer; { extracts a page of height h from box n }
  label exit, done;
  var v: pointer; { the box to be split }
     p: pointer; { runs through the vlist }
     q: pointer; { points to where the break occurs }
  begin v \leftarrow box(n);
  if split\_first\_mark \neq null then
     begin delete\_token\_ref(split\_first\_mark); split\_first\_mark \leftarrow null; delete\_token\_ref(split\_bot\_mark);
     split\_bot\_mark \leftarrow null;
     end;
   (Dispense with trivial cases of void or bad boxes 978);
  q \leftarrow vert\_break(list\_ptr(v), h, split\_max\_depth);
  (Look at all the marks in nodes before the break, and set the final link to null at the break 979);
  q \leftarrow prune\_page\_top(q); p \leftarrow list\_ptr(v); free\_node(v, box\_node\_size);
  if q = null then box(n) \leftarrow null { the eq-level of the box stays the same }
  else box(n) \leftarrow vpack(q, natural);
  vsplit \leftarrow vpackage(p, h, exactly, split\_max\_depth);
exit: end;
978. \langle Dispense with trivial cases of void or bad boxes 978\rangle \equiv
  if v = null then
     begin vsplit \leftarrow null; return;
     end;
  if type(v) \neq vlist\_node then
     begin print_err(""); print_esc("vsplit"); print("_needs_a_"); print_esc("vbox");
     help2("The_{\sqcup}box_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}are_{\sqcup}trying_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}split_{\sqcup}is_{\sqcup}an_{\sqcup}\hbox.")
     ("I_{\sqcup}can^{t}_{\sqcup}split_{\sqcup}such_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}box,_{\sqcup}so_{\sqcup}I^{t}_{\sqcup}leave_{\sqcup}it_{\sqcup}alone."); error; vsplit \leftarrow null; return;
     end
```

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This code is used in section 977.

**979.** It's possible that the box begins with a penalty node that is the "best" break, so we must be careful to handle this special case correctly.

```
\langle Look at all the marks in nodes before the break, and set the final link to null at the break 979\rangle
  p \leftarrow list\_ptr(v);
  if p = q then list_ptr(v) \leftarrow null
  else loop begin if type(p) = mark\_node then
          if split\_first\_mark = null then
             \mathbf{begin} \ split\_first\_mark \leftarrow mark\_ptr(p); \ split\_bot\_mark \leftarrow split\_first\_mark;
             token\_ref\_count(split\_first\_mark) \leftarrow token\_ref\_count(split\_first\_mark) + 2;
             end
          else begin delete\_token\_ref(split\_bot\_mark); split\_bot\_mark \leftarrow mark\_ptr(p);
             add\_token\_ref(split\_bot\_mark);
             end;
        if link(p) = q then
          begin link(p) \leftarrow null; goto done;
        p \leftarrow link(p);
        end;
done:
```

**980.** The page builder. When T<sub>E</sub>X appends new material to its main vlist in vertical mode, it uses a method something like *vsplit* to decide where a page ends, except that the calculations are done "on line" as new items come in. The main complication in this process is that insertions must be put into their boxes and removed from the vlist, in a more-or-less optimum manner.

We shall use the term "current page" for that part of the main vlist that is being considered as a candidate for being broken off and sent to the user's output routine. The current page starts at  $link(page\_head)$ , and it ends at  $page\_tail$ . We have  $page\_head = page\_tail$  if this list is empty.

Utter chaos would reign if the user kept changing page specifications while a page is being constructed, so the page builder keeps the pertinent specifications frozen as soon as the page receives its first box or insertion. The global variable  $page\_contents$  is empty when the current page contains only mark nodes and content-less whatsit nodes; it is  $inserts\_only$  if the page contains only insertion nodes in addition to marks and whatsits. Glue nodes, kern nodes, and penalty nodes are discarded until a box or rule node appears, at which time  $page\_contents$  changes to  $box\_there$ . As soon as  $page\_contents$  becomes non-empty, the current vsize and  $max\_depth$  are squirreled away into  $page\_goal$  and  $page\_max\_depth$ ; the latter values will be used until the page has been forwarded to the user's output routine. The \topskip adjustment is made when  $page\_contents$  changes to  $box\_there$ .

Although page\_goal starts out equal to vsize, it is decreased by the scaled natural height-plus-depth of the insertions considered so far, and by the \skip corrections for those insertions. Therefore it represents the size into which the non-inserted material should fit, assuming that all insertions in the current page have been made.

The global variables best\_page\_break and least\_page\_cost correspond respectively to the local variables best\_place and least\_cost in the vert\_break routine that we have already studied; i.e., they record the location and value of the best place currently known for breaking the current page. The value of page\_goal at the time of the best break is stored in best\_size.

```
define inserts_only = 1 { page_contents when an insert node has been contributed, but no boxes }
  define box_there = 2 { page_contents when a box or rule has been contributed }

⟨ Global variables 13⟩ +≡
  page_tail: pointer; { the final node on the current page }
  page_contents: empty .. box_there; { what is on the current page so far? }
  page_max_depth: scaled; { maximum box depth on page being built }
  best_page_break: pointer; { break here to get the best page known so far }
  least_page_cost: integer; { the score for this currently best page }
  best_size: scaled; { its page_goal }
```

981. The page builder has another data structure to keep track of insertions. This is a list of fourword nodes, starting and ending at  $page\_ins\_head$ . That is, the first element of the list is node  $r_1 = link(page\_ins\_head)$ ; node  $r_j$  is followed by  $r_{j+1} = link(r_j)$ ; and if there are n items we have  $r_{n+1} = page\_ins\_head$ . The subtype field of each node in this list refers to an insertion number; for example, '\insert 250' would correspond to a node whose subtype is qi(250) (the same as the subtype field of the relevant  $ins\_node$ ). These subtype fields are in increasing order, and  $subtype(page\_ins\_head) = qi(255)$ , so  $page\_ins\_head$  serves as a convenient sentinel at the end of the list. A record is present for each insertion number that appears in the current page.

The type field in these nodes distinguishes two possibilities that might occur as we look ahead before deciding on the optimum page break. If type(r) = inserting, then height(r) contains the total of the height-plus-depth dimensions of the box and all its inserts seen so far. If  $type(r) = split\_up$ , then no more insertions will be made into this box, because at least one previous insertion was too big to fit on the current page;  $broken\_ptr(r)$  points to the node where that insertion will be split, if TEX decides to split it,  $broken\_ins(r)$  points to the insertion node that was tentatively split, and height(r) includes also the natural height plus depth of the part that would be split off.

In both cases,  $last\_ins\_ptr(r)$  points to the last  $ins\_node$  encountered for box qo(subtype(r)) that would be at least partially inserted on the next page; and  $best\_ins\_ptr(r)$  points to the last such  $ins\_node$  that should actually be inserted, to get the page with minimum badness among all page breaks considered so far. We have  $best\_ins\_ptr(r) = null$  if and only if no insertion for this box should be made to produce this optimum page.

The data structure definitions here use the fact that the height field appears in the fourth word of a box node.

**982.** An array page\_so\_far records the heights and depths of everything on the current page. This array contains six scaled numbers, like the similar arrays already considered in line\_break and vert\_break; and it also contains page\_goal and page\_depth, since these values are all accessible to the user via set\_page\_dimen commands. The value of page\_so\_far[1] is also called page\_total. The stretch and shrink components of the \skip corrections for each insertion are included in page\_so\_far, but the natural space components of these corrections are not, since they have been subtracted from page\_goal.

The variable  $page\_depth$  records the depth of the current page; it has been adjusted so that it is at most  $page\_max\_depth$ . The variable  $last\_glue$  points to the glue specification of the most recent node contributed from the contribution list, if this was a glue node; otherwise  $last\_glue = max\_halfword$ . (If the contribution list is nonempty, however, the value of  $last\_glue$  is not necessarily accurate.) The variables  $last\_penalty$  and  $last\_kern$  are similar. And finally,  $insert\_penalties$  holds the sum of the penalties associated with all split and floating insertions.

```
define page\_qoal \equiv page\_so\_far[0] { desired height of information on page being built}
  define page\_total \equiv page\_so\_far[1]
                                         { height of the current page }
  define page\_shrink \equiv page\_so\_far[6]
                                           { shrinkability of the current page }
  define page\_depth \equiv page\_so\_far[7] { depth of the current page }
\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
page_so_far: array [0..7] of scaled; { height and glue of the current page }
last_glue: pointer; { used to implement \lastskip }
last_penalty: integer; { used to implement \lastpenalty }
last_kern: scaled; { used to implement \lastkern }
insert_penalties: integer; { sum of the penalties for insertions that were held over }
       \langle \text{ Put each of T}_{\text{F}} \text{X's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("pagegoal", set_page_dimen, 0); primitive("pagetotal", set_page_dimen, 1);
  primitive("pagestretch", set_page_dimen, 2); primitive("pagefilstretch", set_page_dimen, 3);
  primitive("pagefillstretch", set_page_dimen, 4); primitive("pagefillstretch", set_page_dimen, 5);
  primitive("pageshrink", set_page_dimen, 6); primitive("pagedepth", set_page_dimen, 7);
       \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
set_page_dimen: case chr_code of
  0: print_esc("pagegoal");
  1: print_esc("pagetotal");
  2: print_esc("pagestretch");
  3: print_esc("pagefilstretch");
  4: print_esc("pagefillstretch");
  5: print_esc("pagefillstretch");
  6: print_esc("pageshrink");
  othercases print_esc("pagedepth")
  endcases;
```

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```
define print\_plus\_end(\#) \equiv print(\#); end
  define print_plus(\#) \equiv
          if page\_so\_far[\#] \neq 0 then
             \mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{print}("\_\mathtt{plus}\_"); \ \mathit{print\_scaled}(\mathit{page\_so\_far}[\mathtt{\#}]); \ \mathit{print\_plus\_end}
procedure print_totals;
  begin print_scaled(page_total); print_plus(2)(""); print_plus(3)("fil"); print_plus(4)("fill");
  print_plus(5)("fill1");
  if page\_shrink \neq 0 then
     begin print("_minus_"); print_scaled(page_shrink);
     end:
  end;
986. \langle Show the status of the current page 986\rangle \equiv
  if page\_head \neq page\_tail then
     begin print_nl("###_current_page:");
     if output_active then print(" (held over for next output)");
     show\_box(link(page\_head));
     if page\_contents > empty then
       begin print_nl("total_height_"); print_totals; print_nl("_goal_height_");
       print\_scaled(page\_goal); r \leftarrow link(page\_ins\_head);
       while r \neq page\_ins\_head do
          \mathbf{begin} \ print\_ln; \ print\_esc("insert"); \ t \leftarrow qo(subtype(r)); \ print\_int(t); \ print("\_adds\_");
          if count(t) = 1000 then t \leftarrow height(r)
          else t \leftarrow x\_over\_n(height(r), 1000) * count(t);
          print\_scaled(t);
          if type(r) = split_up then
             begin q \leftarrow page\_head; t \leftarrow 0;
             repeat q \leftarrow link(q);
               if (type(q) = ins\_node) \land (subtype(q) = subtype(r)) then incr(t);
             until q = broken\_ins(r);
             print(", □#"); print_int(t); print(" □ might □ split");
             end;
          r \leftarrow link(r);
          end;
       end:
     end
This code is used in section 218.
987. Here is a procedure that is called when the page_contents is changing from empty to inserts_only or
box\_there.
  define set\_page\_so\_far\_zero(\#) \equiv page\_so\_far[\#] \leftarrow 0
procedure freeze_page_specs (s : small_number);
  begin page\_contents \leftarrow s; page\_goal \leftarrow vsize; page\_max\_depth \leftarrow max\_depth; page\_depth \leftarrow 0;
  do\_all\_six(set\_page\_so\_far\_zero); least\_page\_cost \leftarrow awful\_bad;
  stat if tracing\_pages > 0 then
     begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("%%_goal_height="); print_scaled(page_goal);
     print(", \_max\_depth="); print\_scaled(page\_max\_depth); end\_diagnostic(false);
     end; tats
  end;
```

988. Pages are built by appending nodes to the current list in TEX's vertical mode, which is at the outermost level of the semantic nest. This vlist is split into two parts; the "current page" that we have been talking so much about already, and the "contribution list" that receives new nodes as they are created. The current page contains everything that the page builder has accounted for in its data structures, as described above, while the contribution list contains other things that have been generated by other parts of TEX but have not yet been seen by the page builder. The contribution list starts at  $link(contrib\_head)$ , and it ends at the current node in TEX's vertical mode.

When TeX has appended new material in vertical mode, it calls the procedure build\_page, which tries to catch up by moving nodes from the contribution list to the current page. This procedure will succeed in its goal of emptying the contribution list, unless a page break is discovered, i.e., unless the current page has grown to the point where the optimum next page break has been determined. In the latter case, the nodes after the optimum break will go back onto the contribution list, and control will effectively pass to the user's output routine.

We make  $type(page\_head) = glue\_node$ , so that an initial glue node on the current page will not be considered a valid breakpoint.

```
\langle Initialize the special list heads and constant nodes 790\rangle +\equiv type(page\_head) \leftarrow glue\_node; subtype(page\_head) \leftarrow normal;
```

989. The global variable *output\_active* is true during the time the user's output routine is driving T<sub>E</sub>X.  $\langle$  Global variables 13  $\rangle$   $+\equiv$ 

```
output_active: boolean; { are we in the midst of an output routine? }
```

```
990. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle += output_active \leftarrow false; insert_penalties \leftarrow 0;
```

**991.** The page builder is ready to start a fresh page if we initialize the following state variables. (However, the page insertion list is initialized elsewhere.)

```
\langle Start a new current page 991\rangle \equiv page\_contents \leftarrow empty; page\_tail \leftarrow page\_head; link(page\_head) \leftarrow null; last\_glue \leftarrow max\_halfword; last\_penalty \leftarrow 0; last\_kern \leftarrow 0; page\_depth \leftarrow 0; page\_max\_depth \leftarrow 0 This code is used in sections 215 and 1017.
```

**992.** At certain times box 255 is supposed to be void (i.e., null), or an insertion box is supposed to be ready to accept a vertical list. If not, an error message is printed, and the following subroutine flushes the unwanted contents, reporting them to the user.

```
procedure box\_error(n: eight\_bits);

begin error; begin\_diagnostic; print\_nl("The\_following\_box\_has\_been\_deleted:");

show\_box(box(n)); end\_diagnostic(true); flush\_node\_list(box(n)); box(n) \leftarrow null;

end:
```

This code is used in section 994.

993. The following procedure guarantees that a given box register does not contain an \hbox. **procedure**  $ensure\_vbox(n : eight\_bits);$ **var** p: pointer; { the box register contents } **begin**  $p \leftarrow box(n)$ ; if  $p \neq null$  then if  $type(p) = hlist\_node$  then begin print\_err("Insertions\_can\_only\_be\_added\_to\_a\_vbox");  $help3("Tut_{\sqcup}tut:_{\sqcup}You're_{\sqcup}trying_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup})insert_{\sqcup}into_{\sqcup}a")$ ("\box\register\tat\now\contains\an\\hbox.") ("Proceed,  $\square$  and  $\square$  I Il  $\square$  discard  $\square$  its  $\square$  present  $\square$  contents.");  $box\_error(n)$ ; end; end; T<sub>F</sub>X is not always in vertical mode at the time build\_page is called; the current mode reflects what T<sub>F</sub>X should return to, after the contribution list has been emptied. A call on build\_page should be immediately followed by 'goto big\_switch', which is TFX's central control point. **define** contribute = 80 { go here to link a node into the current page }  $\langle$  Declare the procedure called *fire\_up* 1012 $\rangle$ **procedure** build\_page; { append contributions to the current page } label exit, done, done1, continue, contribute, update\_heights; var p: pointer; { the node being appended }  $q, r: pointer; \{ nodes being examined \}$ b, c: integer; { badness and cost of current page } pi: integer; { penalty to be added to the badness } n: min\_quarterword .. 255; { insertion box number } delta, h, w: scaled; { sizes used for insertion calculations } **begin if**  $(link(contrib\_head) = null) \lor output\_active$  **then return**; **repeat** continue:  $p \leftarrow link(contrib\_head)$ ;  $\langle \text{Update the values of } last\_glue, last\_penalty, \text{ and } last\_kern 996 \rangle;$ (Move node p to the current page; if it is time for a page break, put the nodes following the break back onto the contribution list, and **return** to the user's output routine if there is one 997); **until**  $link(contrib\_head) = null$ ; (Make the contribution list empty by setting its tail to contrib\_head 995);  $exit: \mathbf{end};$ **define**  $contrib\_tail \equiv nest[0].tail\_field$  { tail of the contribution list }  $\langle$  Make the contribution list empty by setting its tail to *contrib\_head* 995 $\rangle \equiv$ if  $nest\_ptr = 0$  then  $tail \leftarrow contrib\_head$  { vertical mode } else  $contrib\_tail \leftarrow contrib\_head$  { other modes }

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996.
        \langle \text{Update the values of } last\_glue, last\_penalty, \text{ and } last\_kern 996 \rangle \equiv
  if last\_glue \neq max\_halfword then delete\_glue\_ref(last\_glue);
  last\_penalty \leftarrow 0; \ last\_kern \leftarrow 0;
  if type(p) = glue\_node then
     begin last\_glue \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p); add\_glue\_ref(last\_glue);
  else begin last\_glue \leftarrow max\_halfword;
     if type(p) = penalty\_node then last\_penalty \leftarrow penalty(p)
     else if type(p) = kern\_node then last\_kern \leftarrow width(p);
     end
This code is used in section 994.
997. The code here is an example of a many-way switch into routines that merge together in different
places. Some people call this unstructured programming, but the author doesn't see much wrong with it, as
long as the various labels have a well-understood meaning.
\langle Move node p to the current page; if it is time for a page break, put the nodes following the break back
       onto the contribution list, and return to the user's output routine if there is one 997 \rangle \equiv
  \langle If the current page is empty and node p is to be deleted, goto done1; otherwise use node p to update
       the state of the current page; if this node is an insertion, goto contribute; otherwise if this node is
       not a legal breakpoint, goto contribute or update_heights; otherwise set pi to the penalty associated
       with this breakpoint 1000);
  \langle Check if node p is a new champion breakpoint; then if it is time for a page break, prepare for output,
       and either fire up the user's output routine and return or ship out the page and goto done 1005);
  if (type(p) < glue\_node) \lor (type(p) > kern\_node) then goto contribute;
update_heights: \(\lambda\) Update the current page measurements with respect to the glue or kern specified by
       node p 1004\rangle;
contribute: (Make sure that page_max_depth is not exceeded 1003);
  \langle \text{Link node } p \text{ into the current page and } \mathbf{goto} \ done \ 998 \rangle;
done1: \langle Recycle node p 999 \rangle;
done:
This code is used in section 994.
998. \langle Link node p into the current page and goto done 998\rangle \equiv
  link(page\_tail) \leftarrow p; page\_tail \leftarrow p; link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow link(p); link(p) \leftarrow null; goto done
This code is used in section 997.
      \langle \text{Recycle node } p 999 \rangle \equiv
  link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow link(p); \ link(p) \leftarrow null; \ flush\_node\_list(p)
This code is used in section 997.
```

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This code is used in section 997.

1000. The title of this section is already so long, it seems best to avoid making it more accurate but still longer, by mentioning the fact that a kern node at the end of the contribution list will not be contributed until we know its successor.

```
(If the current page is empty and node p is to be deleted, goto done1; otherwise use node p to update the
       state of the current page; if this node is an insertion, goto contribute; otherwise if this node is not a
       legal breakpoint, goto contribute or update_heights; otherwise set pi to the penalty associated with
       this breakpoint 1000 \rangle \equiv
  case type(p) of
  hlist_node, vlist_node, rule_node: if page_contents < box_there then
       \langle Initialize the current page, insert the \topskip glue ahead of p, and goto continue 1001\rangle
     else (Prepare to move a box or rule node to the current page, then goto contribute 1002);
  whatsit_node: \langle \text{Prepare to move whatsit } p \text{ to the current page, then goto } contribute 1364} \rangle;
  glue_node: if page_contents < box_there then goto done1
     else if precedes\_break(page\_tail) then pi \leftarrow 0
       else goto update_heights;
  kern_node: if page_contents < box_there then goto done1
     else if link(p) = null then return
       else if type(link(p)) = glue\_node then pi \leftarrow 0
         else goto update_heights;
  penalty_node: if page_contents < box\_there then goto done1 else pi \leftarrow penalty(p);
  mark_node: goto contribute;
  ins_node: (Append an insertion to the current page and goto contribute 1008);
  othercases confusion("page")
  endcases
This code is used in section 997.
        (Initialize the current page, insert the \topskip glue ahead of p, and goto continue 1001) \equiv
  begin if page_contents = empty then freeze_page_specs(box_there)
  else page\_contents \leftarrow box\_there;
  q \leftarrow new\_skip\_param(top\_skip\_code);  { now temp\_ptr = glue\_ptr(q) }
  if width(temp\_ptr) > height(p) then width(temp\_ptr) \leftarrow width(temp\_ptr) - height(p)
  else width(temp_ptr) \leftarrow 0;
  link(q) \leftarrow p; link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow q; goto continue;
  end
This code is used in section 1000.
1002. (Prepare to move a box or rule node to the current page, then goto contribute 1002) \equiv
  begin page\_total \leftarrow page\_total + page\_depth + height(p); page\_depth \leftarrow depth(p); goto contribute;
  end
This code is used in section 1000.
1003. \langle Make sure that page\_max\_depth is not exceeded 1003\rangle \equiv
  if page\_depth > page\_max\_depth then
     begin page\_total \leftarrow page\_total + page\_depth - page\_max\_depth;
     page\_depth \leftarrow page\_max\_depth;
     end:
```

```
1004.
          \langle Update the current page measurements with respect to the glue or kern specified by node p 1004 \rangle \equiv
  if type(p) = kern\_node then q \leftarrow p
  else begin q \leftarrow glue\_ptr(p);
     page\_so\_far[2 + stretch\_order(q)] \leftarrow page\_so\_far[2 + stretch\_order(q)] + stretch(q);
     page\_shrink \leftarrow page\_shrink + shrink(q);
     if (shrink\_order(q) \neq normal) \land (shrink(q) \neq 0) then
        print_err("Infinite_glue_shrinkage_found_on_current_page");
        help_4 ("The_page_about_to_be_output_contains_some_infinitely")
        ("shrinkable\_glue,\_e.g.,\_`\vss'\_or\_`\vskip\_0pt\_minus\_1fil'.")
        ("Such_{\sqcup}glue_{\sqcup}doesn `t_{\sqcup}belong_{\sqcup}there;_{\sqcup}but_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}can_{\sqcup}safely_{\sqcup}proceed,")
        ("since_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}offensive_{\sqcup}shrinkability_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}been_{\sqcup}made_{\sqcup}finite."); error; r \leftarrow new\_spec(q);
        shrink\_order(r) \leftarrow normal; delete\_glue\_ref(q); glue\_ptr(p) \leftarrow r; q \leftarrow r;
        end:
     end;
  page\_total \leftarrow page\_total + page\_depth + width(q); page\_depth \leftarrow 0
This code is used in section 997.
         (Check if node p is a new champion breakpoint; then if it is time for a page break, prepare for
        output, and either fire up the user's output routine and return or ship out the page and goto
        done 1005 \rangle \equiv
  if pi < inf_penalty then
     begin (Compute the badness, b, of the current page, using awful-bad if the box is too full 1007);
     if b < awful_-bad then
        if pi \leq eject\_penalty then c \leftarrow pi
        else if b < inf\_bad then c \leftarrow b + pi + insert\_penalties
          else c \leftarrow deplorable
     else c \leftarrow b:
     if insert\_penalties \ge 10000 then c \leftarrow awful\_bad;
     stat if tracing\_pages > 0 then \langle Display the page break cost 1006 <math>\rangle;
     if c \leq least\_page\_cost then
        begin best\_page\_break \leftarrow p; best\_size \leftarrow page\_goal; least\_page\_cost \leftarrow c; r \leftarrow link(page\_ins\_head);
        while r \neq page\_ins\_head do
          begin best\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow last\_ins\_ptr(r); r \leftarrow link(r);
          end;
        end:
     if (c = awful\_bad) \lor (pi \le eject\_penalty) then
        begin fire_up(p); { output the current page at the best place }
        if output_active then return; { user's output routine will act }
        goto done; { the page has been shipped out by default output routine }
        end:
     end
```

This code is used in section 997.

This code is used in section 1000.

```
1006. \langle \text{ Display the page break cost 1006} \rangle \equiv
  begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("%"); print("□t="); print_totals;
  print("\uge"); print_scaled(page_goal);
  print("\_b=");
  if b = awful\_bad then print\_char("*") else print\_int(b);
  print("\_p="); print\_int(pi); print("\_c=");
  if c = awful\_bad then print\_char("*") else print\_int(c);
  if c \leq least\_page\_cost then print\_char("#");
  end\_diagnostic(false);
  end
This code is used in section 1005.
1007. Compute the badness, b, of the current page, using awful_{-}bad if the box is too full 1007 \geq
  if page\_total < page\_goal then
     if (page\_so\_far[3] \neq 0) \lor (page\_so\_far[4] \neq 0) \lor (page\_so\_far[5] \neq 0) then b \leftarrow 0
     else b \leftarrow badness(page\_goal - page\_total, page\_so\_far[2])
  else if page\_total - page\_goal > page\_shrink then b \leftarrow awful\_bad
     else b \leftarrow badness(page\_total - page\_goal, page\_shrink)
This code is used in section 1005.
1008. (Append an insertion to the current page and goto contribute 1008) \equiv
  begin if page_contents = empty then freeze_page_specs(inserts_only);
  n \leftarrow subtype(p); r \leftarrow page\_ins\_head;
  while n \geq subtype(link(r)) do r \leftarrow link(r);
  n \leftarrow qo(n);
  if subtype(r) \neq qi(n) then (Create a page insertion node with subtype(r) = qi(n), and include the glue
          correction for box n in the current page state 1009\rangle;
  if type(r) = split\_up then insert\_penalties \leftarrow insert\_penalties + float\_cost(p)
  else begin last\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow p; delta \leftarrow paqe\_qoal - paqe\_total - paqe\_depth + paqe\_shrink;
          { this much room is left if we shrink the maximum }
     if count(n) = 1000 then h \leftarrow height(p)
     else h \leftarrow x\_over\_n(height(p), 1000) * count(n); { this much room is needed }
     if ((h \le 0) \lor (h \le delta)) \land (height(p) + height(r) \le dimen(n)) then
       begin page\_goal \leftarrow page\_goal - h; height(r) \leftarrow height(r) + height(p);
     else \langle Find the best way to split the insertion, and change type(r) to split_up 1010 \rangle;
     end;
  goto contribute;
  end
```

1009. We take note of the value of \skip n and the height plus depth of \box n only when the first \insert n node is encountered for a new page. A user who changes the contents of \box n after that first \insert n had better be either extremely careful or extremely lucky, or both.

```
\langle \text{ Create a page insertion node with } subtype(r) = qi(n), \text{ and include the glue correction for box } n \text{ in the }
       current page state 1009 \rangle \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow get\_node(page\_ins\_node\_size); \ link(q) \leftarrow link(r); \ link(r) \leftarrow q; \ r \leftarrow q; \ subtype(r) \leftarrow qi(n);
  type(r) \leftarrow inserting; \ ensure\_vbox(n);
  if box(n) = null then height(r) \leftarrow 0
  else height(r) \leftarrow height(box(n)) + depth(box(n));
  best\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow null;
  q \leftarrow skip(n);
  if count(n) = 1000 then h \leftarrow height(r)
  else h \leftarrow x\_over\_n(height(r), 1000) * count(n);
  page\_goal \leftarrow page\_goal - h - width(q);
  page\_so\_far[2 + stretch\_order(q)] \leftarrow page\_so\_far[2 + stretch\_order(q)] + stretch(q);
  page\_shrink \leftarrow page\_shrink + shrink(q);
  if (shrink\_order(q) \neq normal) \land (shrink(q) \neq 0) then
     begin print_err("Infinite_glue_shrinkage_inserted_from_"); print_esc("skip"); print_int(n);
     help\beta ("The correction glue for page breaking with insertions")
     ("must_have_finite_shrinkability._But_you_may_proceed,")
     ("since_the_offensive_shrinkability_has_been_made_finite."); error;
```

This code is used in section 1008.

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 $\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{end};\\ \mathbf{end} \end{array}$ 

1010. Here is the code that will split a long footnote between pages, in an emergency. The current situation deserves to be recapitulated: Node p is an insertion into box n; the insertion will not fit, in its entirety, either because it would make the total contents of box n greater than  $\forall n$ , or because it would make the incremental amount of growth n greater than the available space delta, or both. (This amount n has been weighted by the insertion scaling factor, i.e., by  $\forall n$  over 1000.) Now we will choose the best way to break the vlist of the insertion, using the same criteria as in the  $\forall n$  over 1000.

```
 \begin if count(n) \le 0 \begin if count(n) = 0 \begin if count(n)
```

```
1011. ⟨ Display the insertion split cost 1011 ⟩ ≡
  begin begin_diagnostic; print_nl("%_split"); print_int(n); print("_uto_u"); print_scaled(w);
  print_char(","); print_scaled(best_height_plus_depth);
  print("_up=");
  if q = null then print_int(eject_penalty)
  else if type(q) = penalty_node then print_int(penalty(q))
    else print_char("0");
  end_diagnostic(false);
  end
This code is used in section 1010.
```

1012. When the page builder has looked at as much material as could appear before the next page break, it makes its decision. The break that gave minimum badness will be used to put a completed "page" into box 255, with insertions appended to their other boxes.

We also set the values of  $top\_mark$ ,  $first\_mark$ , and  $bot\_mark$ . The program uses the fact that  $bot\_mark \neq null$  implies  $first\_mark \neq null$ ; it also knows that  $bot\_mark = null$  implies  $top\_mark = first\_mark = null$ .

The  $fire\_up$  subroutine prepares to output the current page at the best place; then it fires up the user's output routine, if there is one, or it simply ships out the page. There is one parameter, c, which represents the node that was being contributed to the page when the decision to force an output was made.

```
\langle \text{ Declare the procedure called } fire\_up 1012 \rangle \equiv
procedure fire\_up(c:pointer);
  label exit;
  var p, q, r, s: pointer; { nodes being examined and/or changed }
     prev_p: pointer; \{ predecessor of p \}
     n: min_quarterword .. 255; { insertion box number }
     wait: boolean; { should the present insertion be held over? }
     save_vbadness: integer; { saved value of vbadness }
     save_vfuzz: scaled; { saved value of vfuzz }
     save_split_top_skip: pointer; { saved value of split_top_skip }
  begin (Set the value of output_penalty 1013);
  if bot\_mark \neq null then
     begin if top\_mark \neq null then delete\_token\_ref(top\_mark);
     top\_mark \leftarrow bot\_mark; add\_token\_ref(top\_mark); delete\_token\_ref(first\_mark); first\_mark \leftarrow null;
     end:
  \(\langle \text{Put the optimal current page into box 255, update \(\int_{irst_mark}\) and \(bot_mark\), append insertions to their
       boxes, and put the remaining nodes back on the contribution list 1014);
  if (top\_mark \neq null) \land (first\_mark = null) then
     begin first\_mark \leftarrow top\_mark; add\_token\_ref(top\_mark);
     end:
  if output\_routine \neq null then
     if dead\_cycles \ge max\_dead\_cycles then
       (Explain that too many dead cycles have occurred in a row 1024)
     else (Fire up the user's output routine and return 1025);
  ⟨ Perform the default output routine 1023⟩;
exit: end;
This code is used in section 994.
```

```
\langle Set the value of output\_penalty 1013 <math>\rangle \equiv
1013.
  if type(best\_page\_break) = penalty\_node then
     begin geq\_word\_define(int\_base + output\_penalty\_code, penalty(best\_page\_break));
     penalty(best\_page\_break) \leftarrow inf\_penalty;
  else qeq\_word\_define(int\_base + output\_penalty\_code, inf\_penalty)
This code is used in section 1012.
1014. As the page is finally being prepared for output, pointer p runs through the vlist, with prev_p trailing
behind; pointer q is the tail of a list of insertions that are being held over for a subsequent page.
Put the optimal current page into box 255, update first_mark and bot_mark, append insertions to their
        boxes, and put the remaining nodes back on the contribution list 1014 \ge 100
  if c = best\_page\_break then best\_page\_break \leftarrow null; { c \text{ not yet linked in}}
  \langle Ensure that box 255 is empty before output 1015\rangle;
  insert\_penalties \leftarrow 0;  { this will count the number of insertions held over }
  save\_split\_top\_skip \leftarrow split\_top\_skip;
  if holding\_inserts \leq 0 then \langle Prepare all the boxes involved in insertions to act as queues 1018<math>\rangle;
  q \leftarrow hold\_head; link(q) \leftarrow null; prev\_p \leftarrow page\_head; p \leftarrow link(prev\_p);
  while p \neq best\_page\_break do
     begin if type(p) = ins\_node then
        begin if holding_inserts \leq 0 then \langle Either insert the material specified by node p into the
                appropriate box, or hold it for the next page; also delete node p from the current page 1020);
        end
     else if type(p) = mark\_node then \langle Update the values of first\_mark and bot\_mark 1016\rangle;
     prev_p \leftarrow p; \ p \leftarrow link(prev_p);
     end;
  split\_top\_skip \leftarrow save\_split\_top\_skip; \langle Break the current page at node p, put it in box 255, and put the
        remaining nodes on the contribution list 1017);
  (Delete the page-insertion nodes 1019)
This code is used in section 1012.
1015. \langle Ensure that box 255 is empty before output 1015 \rangle \equiv
  if box(255) \neq null then
     begin print_err(""); print_esc("box"); print("255_lis_lnot_lvoid");
     help2("You_\square shouldn't_\square use_\square \setminus box255_\square except_\square in_\square \setminus output_\square routines.")
     ("Proceed, uand I ludiscard its present contents."); box_error(255);
     end
This code is used in section 1014.
1016. \(\text{Update the values of } \int \text{first_mark and } \begin{aligned} \text{bot_mark } \text{1016} \right\) \(\equiv \text{1016} \right\)
  begin if first\_mark = null then
     begin first\_mark \leftarrow mark\_ptr(p); add\_token\_ref(first\_mark);
  if bot\_mark \neq null then delete\_token\_ref(bot\_mark);
  bot\_mark \leftarrow mark\_ptr(p); add\_token\_ref(bot\_mark);
This code is used in section 1014.
```

1017. When the following code is executed, the current page runs from node  $link(page\_head)$  to node  $prev\_p$ , and the nodes from p to  $page\_tail$  are to be placed back at the front of the contribution list. Furthermore the heldover insertions appear in a list from  $link(hold\_head)$  to q; we will put them into the current page list for safekeeping while the user's output routine is active. We might have  $q = hold\_head$ ; and p = null if and only if  $prev\_p = page\_tail$ . Error messages are suppressed within vpackage, since the box might appear to be overfull or underfull simply because the stretch and shrink from the \skip registers for inserts are not actually present in the box.

```
Break the current page at node p, put it in box 255, and put the remaining nodes on the contribution
        list 1017 \rangle \equiv
  if p \neq null then
     begin if link(contrib\_head) = null then
        if nest\_ptr = 0 then tail \leftarrow page\_tail
        else contrib\_tail \leftarrow page\_tail;
     link(page\_tail) \leftarrow link(contrib\_head); link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow p; link(prev\_p) \leftarrow null;
     end:
  save\_vbadness \leftarrow vbadness; vbadness \leftarrow inf\_bad; save\_vfuzz \leftarrow vfuzz; vfuzz \leftarrow max\_dimen;
        { inhibit error messages }
  box(255) \leftarrow vpackage(link(page\_head), best\_size, exactly, page\_max\_depth); vbadness \leftarrow save\_vbadness;
  vfuzz \leftarrow save\_vfuzz;
  if last\_glue \neq max\_halfword then delete\_glue\_ref(last\_glue);
  \langle \text{Start a new current page 991} \rangle; \{ \text{this sets } last\_glue \leftarrow max\_halfword } \}
  if q \neq hold\_head then
     \mathbf{begin}\ link(page\_head) \leftarrow link(hold\_head);\ page\_tail \leftarrow q;
```

This code is used in section 1014.

end

1018. If many insertions are supposed to go into the same box, we want to know the position of the last node in that box, so that we don't need to waste time when linking further information into it. The last\_ins\_ptr fields of the page insertion nodes are therefore used for this purpose during the packaging phase.

```
\langle Prepare all the boxes involved in insertions to act as queues 1018\rangle \equiv
  begin r \leftarrow link(page\_ins\_head);
  while r \neq page\_ins\_head do
     begin if best\_ins\_ptr(r) \neq null then
        begin n \leftarrow qo(subtype(r)); ensure\_vbox(n);
        if box(n) = null then box(n) \leftarrow new\_null\_box;
        p \leftarrow box(n) + list\_offset;
        while link(p) \neq null do p \leftarrow link(p);
        last\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow p;
        end;
     r \leftarrow link(r);
     end;
This code is used in section 1014.
1019. \langle Delete the page-insertion nodes 1019\rangle \equiv
  r \leftarrow link(page\_ins\_head);
  while r \neq page\_ins\_head do
     begin q \leftarrow link(r); free\_node(r, page\_ins\_node\_size); r \leftarrow q;
  link(page\_ins\_head) \leftarrow page\_ins\_head
This code is used in section 1014.
```

We will set  $best\_ins\_ptr \leftarrow null$  and package the box corresponding to insertion node r, just after making the final insertion into that box. If this final insertion is 'split\_up', the remainder after splitting and pruning (if any) will be carried over to the next page. Either insert the material specified by node p into the appropriate box, or hold it for the next page; also delete node p from the current page 1020  $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $r \leftarrow link(page\_ins\_head);$ while  $subtype(r) \neq subtype(p)$  do  $r \leftarrow link(r)$ ; if  $best\_ins\_ptr(r) = null$  then  $wait \leftarrow true$ else begin  $wait \leftarrow false; s \leftarrow last\_ins\_ptr(r); link(s) \leftarrow ins\_ptr(p);$ if  $best\_ins\_ptr(r) = p$  then \langle Wrap up the box specified by node r, splitting node p if called for; set  $wait \leftarrow true \text{ if node } p \text{ holds a remainder after splitting } 1021 \rangle$ else begin while  $link(s) \neq null$  do  $s \leftarrow link(s)$ ;  $last\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow s;$ end: end; Either append the insertion node p after node q, and remove it from the current page, or delete node(p) 1022 $\rangle$ ; end This code is used in section 1014. **1021.** Wrap up the box specified by node r, splitting node p if called for; set wait  $\leftarrow$  true if node p holds a remainder after splitting  $1021 \rangle \equiv$ begin if  $type(r) = split_up$  then if  $(broken\_ins(r) = p) \land (broken\_ptr(r) \neq null)$  then **begin while**  $link(s) \neq broken\_ptr(r)$  **do**  $s \leftarrow link(s)$ ;  $link(s) \leftarrow null$ ;  $split\_top\_skip \leftarrow split\_top\_ptr(p)$ ;  $ins\_ptr(p) \leftarrow prune\_page\_top(broken\_ptr(r))$ ; if  $ins\_ptr(p) \neq null$  then **begin**  $temp\_ptr \leftarrow vpack(ins\_ptr(p), natural); height(p) \leftarrow height(temp\_ptr) + depth(temp\_ptr);$  $free\_node(temp\_ptr, box\_node\_size); wait \leftarrow true;$ end;  $best\_ins\_ptr(r) \leftarrow null; \ n \leftarrow qo(subtype(r)); \ temp\_ptr \leftarrow list\_ptr(box(n));$  $free\_node(box(n), box\_node\_size); box(n) \leftarrow vpack(temp\_ptr, natural);$ end This code is used in section 1020.  $\langle$  Either append the insertion node p after node q, and remove it from the current page, or delete

 $\begin{aligned} p &\leftarrow prev\_p \\ \text{This code is used in section 1020.} \end{aligned}$ 

 $node(p) \ 1022 \rangle \equiv$ 

if wait then

end:

 $link(prev_p) \leftarrow link(p); \ link(p) \leftarrow null;$ 

**begin**  $link(q) \leftarrow p; \ q \leftarrow p; \ incr(insert\_penalties);$ 

else begin delete\_glue\_ref(split\_top\_ptr(p)); free\_node(p, ins\_node\_size);

1023. The list of heldover insertions, running from  $link(page\_head)$  to  $page\_tail$ , must be moved to the contribution list when the user has specified no output routine.

```
\langle Perform the default output routine 1023\rangle \equiv
  begin if link(page\_head) \neq null then
     begin if link(contrib\_head) = null then
       if nest\_ptr = 0 then tail \leftarrow page\_tail else contrib\_tail \leftarrow page\_tail
     else link(page\_tail) \leftarrow link(contrib\_head);
     link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow link(page\_head); \ link(page\_head) \leftarrow null; \ page\_tail \leftarrow page\_head;
  ship\_out(box(255)); box(255) \leftarrow null;
  end
This code is used in section 1012.
1024. \langle Explain that too many dead cycles have occurred in a row 1024\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Output_loop---"); print_int(dead_cycles); print("_consecutive_dead_cycles");
  help3("I`ve\_concluded\_that\_your\_\setminus output\_is\_awry;\_it\_never\_does\_a")
  ("\shipout, usoul mushippingu\box255uoutumyself.uNextutime")
  ("increase_\maxdeadcycles_if_you_want_me_to_be_more_patient!"); error;
  end
This code is used in section 1012.
1025. \langle Fire up the user's output routine and return 1025\rangle \equiv
  begin output_active \leftarrow true; incr(dead_cycles); push_nest; mode \leftarrow -vmode;
  prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth; mode\_line \leftarrow -line; begin\_token\_list(output\_routine, output\_text);
  new_save_level(output_group); normal_paragraph; scan_left_brace; return;
  end
This code is used in section 1012.
1026. When the user's output routine finishes, it has constructed a vlist in internal vertical mode, and
T<sub>E</sub>X will do the following:
\langle Resume the page builder after an output routine has come to an end 1026\rangle \equiv
  begin if (loc \neq null) \lor ((token\_type \neq output\_text) \land (token\_type \neq backed\_up)) then
     ⟨ Recover from an unbalanced output routine 1027⟩;
  end_token_list; { conserve stack space in case more outputs are triggered }
  end\_graf; unsave; output\_active \leftarrow false; insert\_penalties \leftarrow 0;
  \langle Ensure that box 255 is empty after output 1028\rangle;
  if tail \neq head then { current list goes after heldover insertions }
     begin link(page\_tail) \leftarrow link(head); page\_tail \leftarrow tail;
     end;
  if link(page\_head) \neq null then { and both go before heldover contributions }
     begin if link(contrib\_head) = null then contrib\_tail \leftarrow page\_tail;
     link(page\_tail) \leftarrow link(contrib\_head); \ link(contrib\_head) \leftarrow link(page\_head); \ link(page\_head) \leftarrow null;
     page\_tail \leftarrow page\_head;
     end;
  pop_nest; build_page;
  end
This code is used in section 1100.
```

```
1027.  ⟨Recover from an unbalanced output routine 1027⟩ ≡
begin print_err("Unbalanced_output_routine");
help②("Your_sneaky_output_routine_has_problematic_{s_and/or_}?s.")
("I_can t_handle_that_very_well;_good_luck."); error;
repeat get_token;
until loc = null;
end {loops forever if reading from a file, since null = min_halfword ≤ 0}
This code is used in section 1026.

1028. ⟨Ensure that box 255 is empty after output 1028⟩ ≡
if box(255) ≠ null then
begin print_err("Output_routine_didn t_use_all_of_"); print_esc("box"); print_int(255);
help③("Your_\output_commands_should_empty_\output_\box255.")
("e.g.,_by_saying_`\shipout\box255.")
("Proceed;_I11l_discard_its_present_contents."); box_error(255);
end
This code is used in section 1026.
```

1029. The chief executive. We come now to the *main\_control* routine, which contains the master switch that causes all the various pieces of T<sub>F</sub>X to do their things, in the right order.

In a sense, this is the grand climax of the program: It applies all the tools that we have worked so hard to construct. In another sense, this is the messiest part of the program: It necessarily refers to other pieces of code all over the place, so that a person can't fully understand what is going on without paging back and forth to be reminded of conventions that are defined elsewhere. We are now at the hub of the web, the central nervous system that touches most of the other parts and ties them together.

The structure of  $main\_control$  itself is quite simple. There's a label called  $big\_switch$ , at which point the next token of input is fetched using  $get\_x\_token$ . Then the program branches at high speed into one of about 100 possible directions, based on the value of the current mode and the newly fetched command code; the sum  $abs(mode) + cur\_cmd$  indicates what to do next. For example, the case 'vmode + letter' arises when a letter occurs in vertical mode (or internal vertical mode); this case leads to instructions that initialize a new paragraph and enter horizontal mode.

The big **case** statement that contains this multiway switch has been labeled *reswitch*, so that the program can **goto** *reswitch* when the next token has already been fetched. Most of the cases are quite short; they call an "action procedure" that does the work for that case, and then they either **goto** *reswitch* or they "fall through" to the end of the **case** statement, which returns control back to *big\_switch*. Thus, *main\_control* is not an extremely large procedure, in spite of the multiplicity of things it must do; it is small enough to be handled by Pascal compilers that put severe restrictions on procedure size.

One case is singled out for special treatment, because it accounts for most of TEX's activities in typical applications. The process of reading simple text and converting it into *char\_node* records, while looking for ligatures and kerns, is part of TEX's "inner loop"; the whole program runs efficiently when its inner loop is fast, so this part has been written with particular care.

**1030.** We shall concentrate first on the inner loop of  $main\_control$ , deferring consideration of the other cases until later.

```
define big\_switch = 60 { go here to branch on the next token of input }
  \textbf{define} \ \textit{main\_loop} = 70 \quad \{\, \text{go here to typeset a string of consecutive characters} \,\}
  define main\_loop\_wrapup = 80 { go here to finish a character or ligature }
  define main\_loop\_move = 90 { go here to advance the ligature cursor }
  \textbf{define} \ \textit{main\_loop\_move\_lig} = 95 \quad \{ \text{ same, when advancing past a generated ligature} \}
  define main\_loop\_lookahead = 100 { go here to bring in another character, if any }
  define main\_lig\_loop = 110 { go here to check for ligatures or kerning }
  define append\_normal\_space = 120 { go here to append a normal space between words }
 Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043 \rangle
(Declare the procedure called handle_right_brace 1068)
procedure main_control; { governs TFX's activities }
  \textbf{label} \ \ \textit{big\_switch}, \ \textit{reswitch}, \ \textit{main\_loop}, \ \textit{main\_loop\_wrapup}, \ \textit{main\_loop\_move}, \ \textit{main\_loop\_move} + 1,
          main\_loop\_move + 2, main\_loop\_move\_lig, main\_loop\_lookahead, main\_loop\_lookahead + 1,
          main\_lig\_loop, main\_lig\_loop + 1, main\_lig\_loop + 2, append\_normal\_space, exit;
  var t: integer; { general-purpose temporary variable }
  begin if every\_job \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_job, every\_job\_text);
big\_switch: get\_x\_token;
reswitch: (Give diagnostic information, if requested 1031);
  case abs(mode) + cur\_cmd of
  hmode + letter, hmode + other\_char, hmode + char\_given: goto main\_loop;
  hmode + char\_num: begin scan\_char\_num; cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_val; goto main\_loop; end;
  hmode + no\_boundary: begin qet\_x\_token;
     if (cur\_cmd = letter) \lor (cur\_cmd = other\_char) \lor (cur\_cmd = char\_given) \lor (cur\_cmd = char\_num)
            then cancel\_boundary \leftarrow true;
     goto reswitch;
     end:
  hmode + spacer: if space\_factor = 1000 then goto append\_normal\_space
     else app_space;
  hmode + ex\_space, mmode + ex\_space: goto append\_normal\_space;
  (Cases of main_control that are not part of the inner loop 1045)
  end; { of the big case statement }
  goto big_switch;
main\_loop: \langle Append character cur\_chr and the following characters (if any) to the current hlist in the
       current font; goto reswitch when a non-character has been fetched 1034);
append_normal_space: \( \) Append a normal inter-word space to the current list, then goto big_switch 1041 \( \);
exit: \mathbf{end};
1031.
        When a new token has just been fetched at big_switch, we have an ideal place to monitor T<sub>E</sub>X's
activity.
\langle Give diagnostic information, if requested 1031 \rangle \equiv
  if interrupt \neq 0 then
     if OK\_to\_interrupt then
       begin back_input; check_interrupt; goto big_switch;
  debug if panicking then check_mem(false); gubed
  \mathbf{if} \ tracing\_commands > 0 \ \mathbf{then} \ show\_cur\_cmd\_chr
This code is used in section 1030.
```

1032. The following part of the program was first written in a structured manner, according to the philosophy that "premature optimization is the root of all evil." Then it was rearranged into pieces of spaghetti so that the most common actions could proceed with little or no redundancy.

The original unoptimized form of this algorithm resembles the *reconstitute* procedure, which was described earlier in connection with hyphenation. Again we have an implied "cursor" between characters *cur\_l* and *cur\_r*. The main difference is that the *lig\_stack* can now contain a charnode as well as pseudo-ligatures; that stack is now usually nonempty, because the next character of input (if any) has been appended to it. In *main\_control* we have

```
cur\_r = \begin{cases} character(lig\_stack), & \text{if } lig\_stack > null; \\ font\_bchar[cur\_font], & \text{otherwise;} \end{cases}
```

except when  $character(lig\_stack) = font\_false\_bchar[cur\_font]$ . Several additional global variables are needed.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \operatorname{Global\ variables\ 13} \rangle +\equiv \\ main\_f : internal\_font\_number; \quad \{ \text{the\ current\ font} \} \\ main\_i : four\_quarters; \quad \{ \text{character\ information\ bytes\ for\ } cur\_l \, \} \\ main\_j : four\_quarters; \quad \{ \text{ligature/kern\ command} \} \\ main\_k : font\_index; \quad \{ \text{index\ into\ } font\_info \, \} \\ main\_p : pointer; \quad \{ \text{temporary\ register\ for\ list\ manipulation} \} \\ main\_s : integer; \quad \{ \text{space\ factor\ value} \} \\ bchar : halfword; \quad \{ \text{boundary\ character\ of\ current\ font,\ or\ } non\_char \, \} \\ false\_bchar : halfword; \quad \{ \text{nonexistent\ character\ matching\ } bchar,\ \text{or\ } non\_char \, \} \\ cancel\_boundary : boolean; \quad \{ \text{should\ the\ left\ boundary\ be\ ignored?} \} \\ ins\_disc : boolean; \quad \{ \text{should\ we\ insert\ a\ discretionary\ node?} \} \\ \end{array}
```

1033. The boolean variables of the main loop are normally false, and always reset to false before the loop is left. That saves us the extra work of initializing each time.

```
\langle \text{ Set initial values of key variables 21} \rangle + \equiv \\ ligature\_present \leftarrow false; \ cancel\_boundary \leftarrow false; \ lft\_hit \leftarrow false; \ rt\_hit \leftarrow false; \ ins\_disc \leftarrow false; \\
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**1034.** We leave the  $space\_factor$  unchanged if  $sf\_code(cur\_chr) = 0$ ; otherwise we set it equal to  $sf\_code(cur\_chr)$ , except that it should never change from a value less than 1000 to a value exceeding 1000. The most common case is  $sf\_code(cur\_chr) = 1000$ , so we want that case to be fast.

The overall structure of the main loop is presented here. Some program labels are inside the individual sections.

```
define adjust\_space\_factor \equiv
          main\_s \leftarrow sf\_code(cur\_chr);
          if main\_s = 1000 then space\_factor \leftarrow 1000
          else if main_s < 1000 then
               begin if main\_s > 0 then space\_factor \leftarrow main\_s;
            else if space\_factor < 1000 then space\_factor \leftarrow 1000
               else space\_factor \leftarrow main\_s
\langle Append character cur-chr and the following characters (if any) to the current hlist in the current font;
       goto reswitch when a non-character has been fetched 1034 \rangle \equiv
  adjust_space_factor;
  main\_f \leftarrow cur\_font; bchar \leftarrow font\_bchar[main\_f]; false\_bchar \leftarrow font\_false\_bchar[main\_f];
  if mode > 0 then
     if language \neq clang then fix\_language;
  fast\_get\_avail(lig\_stack); font(lig\_stack) \leftarrow main\_f; cur\_l \leftarrow qi(cur\_chr); character(lig\_stack) \leftarrow cur\_l;
  cur_{-}q \leftarrow tail;
  if cancel_boundary then
     begin cancel\_boundary \leftarrow false; main\_k \leftarrow non\_address;
     end
  else main_k \leftarrow bchar_label[main_f];
  if main\_k = non\_address then goto main\_loop\_move + 2; { no left boundary processing}
  cur_r \leftarrow cur_l; cur_l \leftarrow non\_char; goto main\_lig\_loop + 1; { begin with cursor after left boundary }
main_loop_wrapup: \langle Make a ligature node, if ligature_present; insert a null discretionary, if
       appropriate 1035);
main_loop_move: (If the cursor is immediately followed by the right boundary, goto reswitch; if it's
       followed by an invalid character, goto biq_switch; otherwise move the cursor one step to the right
       and goto main\_lig\_loop 1036\rangle;
main_loop_lookahead: \(\)\ Look ahead for another character, or leave \(\)lig_stack empty if there's none there 1038\(\);
main_liq_loop: (If there's a ligature/kern command relevant to cur_l and cur_r, adjust the text
       appropriately; exit to main\_loop\_wrapup 1039;
main_loop_move_lig: \( \) Move the cursor past a pseudo-ligature, then goto main_loop_lookahead or
       main\_lig\_loop 1037
This code is used in section 1030.
```

**1035.** If  $link(cur_{-}q)$  is nonnull when wrapup is invoked,  $cur_{-}q$  points to the list of characters that were consumed while building the ligature character  $cur_{-}l$ .

A discretionary break is not inserted for an explicit hyphen when we are in restricted horizontal mode. In particular, this avoids putting discretionary nodes inside of other discretionaries.

```
define pack\_lig(\#) \equiv \{ \text{ the parameter is either } rt\_hit \text{ or } false \}
          begin main\_p \leftarrow new\_ligature(main\_f, cur\_l, link(cur\_q));
          if lft_hit then
             begin subtype(main\_p) \leftarrow 2; lft\_hit \leftarrow false;
             end;
          if # then
             if lig\_stack = null then
                begin incr(subtype(main\_p)); rt\_hit \leftarrow false;
          link(cur_{-q}) \leftarrow main_{-p}; tail \leftarrow main_{-p}; ligature_{-present} \leftarrow false;
          end
  define wrapup(\#) \equiv
             if cur_{-}l < non_{-}char then
                begin if link(cur_{-q}) > null then
                  if character(tail) = qi(hyphen\_char[main\_f]) then ins\_disc \leftarrow true;
                if ligature_present then pack_lig(#);
                if ins_disc then
                  begin ins\_disc \leftarrow false;
                  if mode > 0 then tail\_append(new\_disc);
                end
\langle Make a ligature node, if ligature_present; insert a null discretionary, if appropriate 1035\rangle
  wrapup(rt\_hit)
This code is used in section 1034.
1036. (If the cursor is immediately followed by the right boundary, goto reswitch; if it's followed by
        an invalid character, goto biq-switch; otherwise move the cursor one step to the right and goto
        main\_lig\_loop 1036 \rangle \equiv
  if lig\_stack = null then goto reswitch;
  cur\_q \leftarrow tail; \ cur\_l \leftarrow character(lig\_stack);
main\_loop\_move + 1: if \neg is\_char\_node(lig\_stack) then goto main\_loop\_move\_lig;
main\_loop\_move + 2: if (cur\_chr < font\_bc[main\_f]) \lor (cur\_chr > font\_ec[main\_f]) then
     begin char_warning(main_f, cur_chr); free_avail(lig_stack); goto big_switch;
  main_{-i} \leftarrow char_{-info}(main_{-f})(cur_{-l});
  if \neg char\_exists(main\_i) then
     begin char_warning(main_f, cur_chr); free_avail(lig_stack); goto big_switch;
  link(tail) \leftarrow lig\_stack; tail \leftarrow lig\_stack  { main\_loop\_lookahead is next }
This code is used in section 1034.
```

```
Here we are at main\_loop\_move\_lig. When we begin this code we have cur\_q = tail and cur\_l = tail
character(lig\_stack).
\langle Move the cursor past a pseudo-ligature, then goto main\_loop\_lookahead or main\_lig\_loop\_1037 \rangle \equiv
  main\_p \leftarrow lig\_ptr(lig\_stack);
  if main_p > null then tail_append(main_p); {append a single character}
  temp\_ptr \leftarrow lig\_stack; \ lig\_stack \leftarrow link(temp\_ptr); \ free\_node(temp\_ptr, small\_node\_size);
  main\_i \leftarrow char\_info(main\_f)(cur\_l); \ ligature\_present \leftarrow true;
  if lig\_stack = null then
     if main_p > null then goto main_loop_lookahead
     else cur_r \leftarrow bchar
  else cur_r \leftarrow character(lig\_stack);
  goto main_lig_loop
This code is used in section 1034.
        The result of \char can participate in a ligature or kern, so we must look ahead for it.
\langle Look ahead for another character, or leave lig\_stack empty if there's none there 1038\rangle \equiv
  get_next; { set only cur_cmd and cur_chr, for speed }
  if cur\_cmd = letter then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = other\_char then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = char\_given then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  x\_token; { now expand and set cur\_cmd, cur\_chr, cur\_tok }
  if cur\_cmd = letter then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = other\_char then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = char\_given then goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = char\_num then
     begin scan\_char\_num; cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_val; goto main\_loop\_lookahead + 1;
  if cur\_cmd = no\_boundary then bchar \leftarrow non\_char;
  cur\_r \leftarrow bchar; lig\_stack \leftarrow null; goto main\_lig\_loop;
main\_loop\_lookahead + 1: adjust\_space\_factor; fast\_get\_avail(lig\_stack); font(lig\_stack) \leftarrow main\_f;
  cur\_r \leftarrow qi(cur\_chr); character(lig\_stack) \leftarrow cur\_r;
  if cur\_r = false\_bchar then cur\_r \leftarrow non\_char { this prevents spurious ligatures }
This code is used in section 1034.
```

1039. Even though comparatively few characters have a lig/kern program, several of the instructions here count as part of TeX's inner loop, since a potentially long sequential search must be performed. For example, tests with Computer Modern Roman showed that about 40 per cent of all characters actually encountered in practice had a lig/kern program, and that about four lig/kern commands were investigated for every such character.

```
At the beginning of this code we have main_{-i} = char_{-i}nfo(main_{-f})(cur_{-l}).
\langle If there's a ligature/kern command relevant to cur_{-}l and cur_{-}r, adjust the text appropriately; exit to
       main\_loop\_wrapup 1039 \rangle \equiv
  if char\_tag(main\_i) \neq lig\_tag then goto main\_loop\_wrapup;
  if cur_r = non\_char then goto main\_loop\_wrapup;
  main\_k \leftarrow lig\_kern\_start(main\_f)(main\_i); main\_j \leftarrow font\_info[main\_k].qqqq;
  if skip\_byte(main\_j) \le stop\_flag then goto main\_lig\_loop + 2;
  main\_k \leftarrow lig\_kern\_restart(main\_f)(main\_j);
main\_lig\_loop + 1: main\_j \leftarrow font\_info[main\_k].qqqq;
main\_lig\_loop + 2: if next\_char(main\_j) = cur\_r then
     if skip\_byte(main\_j) \leq stop\_flag then \langle Do ligature or kern command, returning to main\_lig\_loop or
             main_loop_wrapup or main_loop_move 1040 \;
  if skip\_byte(main\_j) = qi(0) then incr(main\_k)
  else begin if skip\_byte(main\_j) \ge stop\_flag then goto main\_loop\_wrapup;
     main_k \leftarrow main_k + qo(skip_byte(main_j)) + 1;
     end;
  \mathbf{goto}\ \mathit{main\_lig\_loop} + 1
This code is used in section 1034.
```

This code is used in section 1039.

**1040.** When a ligature or kern instruction matches a character, we know from *read\_font\_info* that the character exists in the font, even though we haven't verified its existence in the normal way.

This section could be made into a subroutine, if the code inside main\_control needs to be shortened.

```
\langle Do ligature or kern command, returning to main\_lig\_loop or main\_loop\_wrapup or main\_loop\_move 1040\rangle
  begin if op\_byte(main\_j) > kern\_flag then
     begin wrapup(rt\_hit); tail\_append(new\_kern(char\_kern(main\_f)(main\_j))); goto main\_loop\_move;
     end:
  if cur_{-}l = non_{-}char then lft_{-}hit \leftarrow true
  else if lig\_stack = null then rt\_hit \leftarrow true;
  check_interrupt; { allow a way out in case there's an infinite ligature loop }
  case op\_byte(main\_j) of
  qi(1), qi(5): begin cur_{-l} \leftarrow rem_{-b}yte(main_{-j}); \{=:|,=:|>\}
     main\_i \leftarrow char\_info(main\_f)(cur\_l); \ ligature\_present \leftarrow true;
     end:
  qi(2), qi(6): begin cur_r \leftarrow rem_byte(main_j); { |=:, |=:>}
     if lig\_stack = null then { right boundary character is being consumed }
       begin lig\_stack \leftarrow new\_lig\_item(cur\_r); bchar \leftarrow non\_char;
     else if is\_char\_node(lig\_stack) then \{ link(lig\_stack) = null \}
          begin main\_p \leftarrow lig\_stack; lig\_stack \leftarrow new\_lig\_item(cur\_r); lig\_ptr(lig\_stack) \leftarrow main\_p;
       else character(lig\_stack) \leftarrow cur\_r;
     end;
  qi(3): begin cur_r \leftarrow rem_byte(main_j); { |=: | }
     main\_p \leftarrow lig\_stack; \ lig\_stack \leftarrow new\_lig\_item(cur\_r); \ link(lig\_stack) \leftarrow main\_p;
     end:
  qi(7), qi(11): begin wrapup(false); { |=: |>, |=: |>> }
     cur\_q \leftarrow tail; cur\_l \leftarrow rem\_byte(main\_j); main\_i \leftarrow char\_info(main\_f)(cur\_l);
     ligature\_present \leftarrow true;
     end:
  othercases begin cur\_l \leftarrow rem\_byte(main\_j); ligature\_present \leftarrow true; \{=:\}
     if lig\_stack = null then goto main\_loop\_wrapup
     else goto main\_loop\_move + 1;
     end
  endcases:
  if op_-byte(main_-j) > qi(4) then
     if op\_byte(main\_j) \neq qi(7) then goto main\_loop\_wrapup;
  if cur_l < non\_char then goto main\_lig\_loop;
  main_k \leftarrow bchar_label[main_f]; goto main_lig_loop + 1;
  end
```

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1041. The occurrence of blank spaces is almost part of TEX's inner loop, since we usually encounter about one space for every five non-blank characters. Therefore *main\_control* gives second-highest priority to ordinary spaces.

When a glue parameter like \spaceskip is set to 'Opt', we will see to it later that the corresponding glue specification is precisely zero\_glue, not merely a pointer to some specification that happens to be full of zeroes. Therefore it is simple to test whether a glue parameter is zero or not.

```
\langle Append a normal inter-word space to the current list, then goto big\_switch 1041 \rangle \equiv if space\_skip = zero\_glue then
\mathbf{begin} \langle \text{Find the glue specification}, \ main\_p, \text{ for text spaces in the current font } 1042 \rangle;
temp\_ptr \leftarrow new\_glue(main\_p);
\mathbf{end}
\mathbf{else} \ temp\_ptr \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(space\_skip\_code);
link(tail) \leftarrow temp\_ptr; \ tail \leftarrow temp\_ptr; \ \mathbf{goto} \ big\_switch
This code is used in section 1030.
```

**1042.** Having font\_glue allocated for each text font saves both time and memory. If any of the three spacing parameters are subsequently changed by the use of \fontdimen, the find\_font\_dimen procedure deallocates the font\_glue specification allocated here.

```
\langle Find the glue specification, main_p, for text spaces in the current font 1042 \rangle \equiv
  begin main\_p \leftarrow font\_glue[cur\_font];
  if main_p = null then
     \mathbf{begin} \ main\_p \leftarrow new\_spec(zero\_glue); \ main\_k \leftarrow param\_base[cur\_font] + space\_code;
     width(main\_p) \leftarrow font\_info[main\_k].sc;  { that's space(cur\_font) }
     stretch(main\_p) \leftarrow font\_info[main\_k + 1].sc;  { and space\_stretch(cur\_font) }
     shrink(main\_p) \leftarrow font\_info[main\_k + 2].sc;  { and space\_shrink(cur\_font) }
     font\_glue[cur\_font] \leftarrow main\_p;
     end;
  end
This code is used in sections 1041 and 1043.
1043. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle \equiv
procedure app\_space; { handle spaces when space\_factor \neq 1000 }
  var q: pointer; { glue node }
  begin if (space\_factor \ge 2000) \land (xspace\_skip \ne zero\_glue) then q \leftarrow new\_param\_glue(xspace\_skip\_code)
  else begin if space\_skip \neq zero\_glue then main\_p \leftarrow space\_skip
     else \langle Find the glue specification, main_p, for text spaces in the current font 1042\rangle;
     main\_p \leftarrow new\_spec(main\_p);
     \langle Modify the glue specification in main_p according to the space factor 1044\rangle;
     q \leftarrow new\_glue(main\_p); glue\_ref\_count(main\_p) \leftarrow null;
     end;
  link(tail) \leftarrow q; \ tail \leftarrow q;
  end:
See also sections 1047, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1054, 1060, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1075, 1079, 1084, 1086, 1091, 1093, 1095, 1096,
     1099,\ 1101,\ 1103,\ 1105,\ 1110,\ 1113,\ 1117,\ 1119,\ 1123,\ 1127,\ 1129,\ 1131,\ 1135,\ 1136,\ 1138,\ 1142,\ 1151,\ 1155,\ 1159,\ 1160,
     1163, 1165, 1172, 1174, 1176, 1181, 1191, 1194, 1200, 1211, 1270, 1275, 1279, 1288, 1293, 1302, 1348, and 1376.
This code is used in section 1030.
```

**1044.**  $\langle$  Modify the glue specification in  $main\_p$  according to the space factor  $1044 \rangle \equiv$  if  $space\_factor \geq 2000$  then  $width(main\_p) \leftarrow width(main\_p) + extra\_space(cur\_font);$   $stretch(main\_p) \leftarrow xn\_over\_d(stretch(main\_p), space\_factor, 1000);$   $shrink(main\_p) \leftarrow xn\_over\_d(shrink(main\_p), 1000, space\_factor)$ 

This code is used in section 1043.

1045. Whew—that covers the main loop. We can now proceed at a leisurely pace through the other combinations of possibilities.

```
define any\_mode(\#) \equiv vmode + \#, hmode + \#, mmode + \# { for mode-independent commands } 
 \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that are not part of the inner loop } 1045 \rangle \equiv any\_mode(relax), vmode + spacer, mmode + spacer, mmode + no\_boundary: do\_nothing; 
 <math>any\_mode(ignore\_spaces): begin \langle \text{Get the next non-blank non-call token } 406 \rangle;  goto reswitch; 
 end; 
 vmode + stop: if its\_all\_over then return; { this is the only way out } 
 \langle \text{Forbidden cases detected in } main\_control | 1048 \rangle | any\_mode(mac\_param): report\_illegal\_case;  \langle \text{Math-only cases in non-math modes, or vice versa } 1046 \rangle: insert\_dollar\_sign;  \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle  \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle  \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that are for extensions to } \text{TeX } 1347 \rangle  This code is used in section 1030.
```

1046. Here is a list of cases where the user has probably gotten into or out of math mode by mistake.  $T_EX$  will insert a dollar sign and rescan the current token.

```
\label{eq:define non_math(#) = vmode + #, hmode + #} \\ \langle \text{Math-only cases in non-math modes, or vice versa 1046} \rangle \equiv \\ non\_math(sup\_mark), non\_math(sub\_mark), non\_math(math\_char\_num), non\_math(math\_given), \\ non\_math(math\_comp), non\_math(delim\_num), non\_math(left\_right), non\_math(above), \\ non\_math(radical), non\_math(math\_style), non\_math(math\_choice), non\_math(vcenter), \\ non\_math(non\_script), non\_math(mkern), non\_math(limit\_switch), non\_math(mskip), \\ non\_math(math\_accent), mmode + endv, mmode + par\_end, mmode + stop, mmode + vskip, \\ mmode + un\_vbox, mmode + valign, mmode + hrule \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 1045.

```
1047. ⟨Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043⟩ +≡
procedure insert_dollar_sign;
begin back_input; cur_tok ← math_shift_token + "$"; print_err("Missing_\$\_inserted");
help2("I´ve\_inserted\_a\_begin-math/end-math\_symbol\_since\_I\_think")
("you\_left\_one\_out.\_Proceed,\_with\_fingers\_crossed."); ins_error;
end;
```

1048. When erroneous situations arise, TEX usually issues an error message specific to the particular error. For example, '\noalign' should not appear in any mode, since it is recognized by the <code>align\_peek</code> routine in all of its legitimate appearances; a special error message is given when '\noalign' occurs elsewhere. But sometimes the most appropriate error message is simply that the user is not allowed to do what he or she has attempted. For example, '\moveleft' is allowed only in vertical mode, and '\lower' only in non-vertical modes. Such cases are enumerated here and in the other sections referred to under 'See also . . . . '

```
\langle Forbidden cases detected in main\_control\ 1048 \rangle \equiv vmode + vmove, hmode + hmove, mmode + hmove, any\_mode(last\_item), See also sections 1098, 1111, and 1144. This code is used in section 1045.
```

primitive ("dump", stop, 1);

**1053.**  $\langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv$ 

stop: if  $chr\_code = 1$  then  $print\_esc("dump")$  else  $print\_esc("end");$ 

The 'you\_cant' procedure prints a line saying that the current command is illegal in the current mode; it identifies these things symbolically.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** *you\_cant*; begin print\_err("You\_can´t∟use\_\`"); print\_cmd\_chr(cur\_cmd, cur\_chr); print("´∟in\_\");  $print\_mode(mode);$ end; 1050.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** report\_illegal\_case;  $\mathbf{begin}\ \mathit{you\_cant};\ \mathit{help4} (\texttt{"Sorry,\_but\_I'm\_not\_programmed\_to\_handle\_this\_case;"})$  $("I'll_{\sqcup}just_{\sqcup}pretend_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}didn't_{\sqcup}ask_{\sqcup}for_{\sqcup}it.")$ ("If\_you're\_in\_the\_wrong\_mode,\_you\_might\_be\_able\_to") ("returnutoutheurightuoneubyutypingu'I} 'uoru'I\$ 'uoru'I\par'."); error;end; 1051. Some operations are allowed only in privileged modes, i.e., in cases that mode > 0. The privileged function is used to detect violations of this rule; it issues an error message and returns false if the current mode is negative.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ function privileged: boolean; **begin if** mode > 0 **then**  $privileged \leftarrow true$ else begin  $report\_illegal\_case$ ;  $privileged \leftarrow false$ ; end; end; 1052. Either \dump or \end will cause main\_control to enter the endgame, since both of them have 'stop' as their command code.  $\langle \text{Put each of T}_{\text{F}}\text{X}'\text{s primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle + \equiv$ primitive("end", stop, 0);

1054. We don't want to leave *main\_control* immediately when a *stop* command is sensed, because it may be necessary to invoke an \output routine several times before things really grind to a halt. (The output routine might even say '\gdef\end{...}', to prolong the life of the job.) Therefore *its\_all\_over* is *true* only when the current page and contribution list are empty, and when the last output was not a "dead cycle."

```
⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043⟩ +≡
function its_all_over: boolean; { do this when \end or \dump occurs }
label exit;
begin if privileged then
begin if (page_head = page_tail) ∧ (head = tail) ∧ (dead_cycles = 0) then
begin its_all_over ← true; return;
end;
back_input; { we will try to end again after ejecting residual material }
tail_append(new_null_box); width(tail) ← hsize; tail_append(new_glue(fill_glue));
tail_append(new_penalty(-'10000000000));
build_page; { append \hbox to \hsize{}\vfill\penalty-'10000000000}
end;
its_all_over ← false;
exit: end;
```

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- 1055. Building boxes and lists. The most important parts of main\_control are concerned with TEX's chief mission of box-making. We need to control the activities that put entries on vlists and hlists, as well as the activities that convert those lists into boxes. All of the necessary machinery has already been developed; it remains for us to "push the buttons" at the right times.
- **1056.** As an introduction to these routines, let's consider one of the simplest cases: What happens when '\hrule' occurs in vertical mode, or '\vrule' in horizontal mode or math mode? The code in *main\_control* is short, since the *scan\_rule\_spec* routine already does most of what is required; thus, there is no need for a special action procedure.

Note that baselineskip calculations are disabled after a rule in vertical mode, by setting  $prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth$ .

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \, {\rm Cases \ of \ } \textit{main\_control} \  \, \text{that \ build \ boxes \ and \ lists \ } 1056 \, \rangle \equiv \\ \textit{vmode} + \textit{hrule}, \textit{hmode} + \textit{vrule}, \textit{mmode} + \textit{vrule} \colon \mathbf{begin} \ \textit{tail\_append}(\textit{scan\_rule\_spec}); \\ \textbf{if} \ \textit{abs}(\textit{mode}) = \textit{vmode} \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{prev\_depth} \leftarrow \textit{ignore\_depth} \\ \textbf{else} \ \textbf{if} \ \textit{abs}(\textit{mode}) = \textit{hmode} \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{space\_factor} \leftarrow 1000; \\ \textbf{end}; \\ \textbf{See \ also \ sections \ } 1057, \ 1063, \ 1067, \ 1073, \ 1090, \ 1092, \ 1094, \ 1097, \ 1102, \ 1104, \ 1109, \ 1112, \ 1116, \ 1122, \ 1126, \ 1130, \ 1134, \ 1137, \ 1140, \ 1150, \ 1154, \ 1158, \ 1162, \ 1164, \ 1167, \ 1171, \ 1175, \ 1180, \ 1190, \ \text{and} \ 1193. \\ \textbf{This \ code \ is \ used \ in \ section \ } 1045. \\ \end{array}
```

**1057.** The processing of things like \hskip and \vskip is slightly more complicated. But the code in main\_control is very short, since it simply calls on the action routine append\_glue. Similarly, \kern activates append\_kern.

```
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle +\equiv vmode + vskip, hmode + hskip, mmode + hskip, mmode + mskip: append\_glue; any\_mode(kern), mmode + mkern: append\_kern;
```

1058. The hskip and vskip command codes are used for control sequences like \hss and \vfil as well as for \hskip and \vskip. The difference is in the value of  $cur_-chr$ .

```
define fil_code = 0 { identifies \hfil and \vfil }
define fill_code = 1 { identifies \hfill and \vfill }
define ss_code = 2 { identifies \hs and \vss }
define fil_neg_code = 3 { identifies \hskip and \vskip }
define skip_code = 4 { identifies \hskip and \vskip }
define mskip_code = 5 { identifies \mskip }

{ Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table 226 \rangle +=
primitive("hskip", hskip, skip_code);
primitive("hfill", hskip, fil_code); primitive("hfill", hskip, fil_neg_code);
primitive("hss", hskip, ss_code); primitive("hfillneg", hskip, fil_neg_code);
primitive("vskip", vskip, skip_code);
primitive("vssip", vskip, fil_code); primitive("vfill", vskip, fil_neg_code);
primitive("vssip", vskip, mskip_code);
primitive("mskip", mskip, mskip_code);
primitive("kern", kern, explicit); primitive("mkern", mkern, mu_glue);
```

```
1059.
         \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
hskip: case chr_code of
  skip_code: print_esc("hskip");
  fil_code: print_esc("hfil");
  fill_code: print_esc("hfill");
  ss_code: print_esc("hss");
  othercases print_esc("hfilneg")
  endcases;
vskip: case chr_code of
  skip_code: print_esc("vskip");
  fil_code: print_esc("vfil");
  fill_code: print_esc("vfill");
  ss\_code: print\_esc("vss");
  othercases print_esc("vfilneg")
  endcases;
mskip: print_esc("mskip");
kern: print_esc("kern");
mkern: print_esc("mkern");
        All the work relating to glue creation has been relegated to the following subroutine. It does not
call build_page, because it is used in at least one place where that would be a mistake.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure append_glue;
  var s: small_number; { modifier of skip command }
  begin s \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  case s of
  fil\_code: cur\_val \leftarrow fil\_glue;
  fill\_code: cur\_val \leftarrow fill\_glue;
  ss\_code \colon cur\_val \leftarrow ss\_glue;
  fil\_neg\_code: cur\_val \leftarrow fil\_neg\_glue;
  skip\_code: scan\_glue(glue\_val);
  mskip\_code: scan\_glue(mu\_val);
  end; { now cur_val points to the glue specification }
  tail_append(new_glue(cur_val));
  if s \geq skip\_code then
     begin decr(glue\_ref\_count(cur\_val));
     if s > skip\_code then subtype(tail) \leftarrow mu\_glue;
     end;
  end;
1061. (Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043) +\equiv
procedure append_kern;
  var s: quarterword; { subtype of the kern node }
  begin s \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_dimen(s = mu\_glue, false, false); tail\_append(new\_kern(cur\_val));
  subtype(tail) \leftarrow s;
  end;
```

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1062. Many of the actions related to box-making are triggered by the appearance of braces in the input. For example, when the user says '\hbox to  $100pt\{\langle hlist \rangle\}$ ' in vertical mode, the information about the box size (100pt, exactly) is put onto save\_stack with a level boundary word just above it, and  $cur\_group \leftarrow adjusted\_hbox\_group$ ; TeX enters restricted horizontal mode to process the hlist. The right brace eventually causes  $save\_stack$  to be restored to its former state, at which time the information about the box size (100pt, exactly) is available once again; a box is packaged and we leave restricted horizontal mode, appending the new box to the current list of the enclosing mode (in this case to the current list of vertical mode), followed by any vertical adjustments that were removed from the box by hpack.

The next few sections of the program are therefore concerned with the treatment of left and right curly braces.

1063. If a left brace occurs in the middle of a page or paragraph, it simply introduces a new level of grouping, and the matching right brace will not have such a drastic effect. Such grouping affects neither the mode nor the current list.

```
⟨ Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056⟩ +≡
non_math(left_brace): new_save_level(simple_group);
any_mode(begin_group): new_save_level(semi_simple_group);
any_mode(end_group): if cur_group = semi_simple_group then unsave
else off_save;
```

1064. We have to deal with errors in which braces and such things are not properly nested. Sometimes the user makes an error of commission by inserting an extra symbol, but sometimes the user makes an error of omission. TeX can't always tell one from the other, so it makes a guess and tries to avoid getting into a loop.

The *off\_save* routine is called when the current group code is wrong. It tries to insert something into the user's input that will help clean off the top level.

```
⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043⟩ +≡

procedure off_save;

var p: pointer; { inserted token }

begin if cur_group = bottom_level then ⟨ Drop current token and complain that it was unmatched 1066⟩

else begin back_input; p ← get_avail; link(temp_head) ← p; print_err("Missing_");

⟨ Prepare to insert a token that matches cur_group, and print what it is 1065⟩;

print("_inserted"); ins_list(link(temp_head));

help5("I´ve_inserted_isomething_that_iyou_may_have_forgotten.")

("(See_the_i<inserted_itext>_above.)")

("With_luck,_ithis_will_iget_me_unwedged.iBut_if_iyou")

("really_idin´t_forget_anything,_itry_ityping_i´2´_inow;_ithen")

("my_insertion_and_my_current_idilemma_will_iboth_idisappear."); error;

end;

end;
```

This code is used in section 1030.

```
1065.
         At this point, link(temp\_head) = p, a pointer to an empty one-word node.
\langle Prepare to insert a token that matches cur\_group, and print what it is 1065\rangle \equiv
  case cur_group of
  semi\_simple\_group: begin info(p) \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_end\_group; print\_esc("endgroup");
  math\_shift\_group: begin info(p) \leftarrow math\_shift\_token + "$"; <math>print\_char("\$");
  math\_left\_group: begin info(p) \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_right; link(p) \leftarrow get\_avail; p \leftarrow link(p);
    info(p) \leftarrow other\_token + "."; print\_esc("right.");
  othercases begin info(p) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}"; print\_char("}");
    end
  endcases
This code is used in section 1064.
1066. Orop current token and complain that it was unmatched 1066 \ge 1000
  begin print_err("Extra_"); print_cmd_chr(cur_cmd, cur_chr);
  help1 ("Things_are_pretty_mixed_up,_but_I_think_the_worst_is_over.");
  error;
  end
This code is used in section 1064.
        The routine for a right_brace character branches into many subcases, since a variety of things may
happen, depending on cur_group. Some types of groups are not supposed to be ended by a right brace; error
messages are given in hopes of pinpointing the problem. Most branches of this routine will be filled in later,
when we are ready to understand them; meanwhile, we must prepare ourselves to deal with such errors.
\langle Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056\rangle +\equiv
any_mode(right_brace): handle_right_brace;
1068. \langle Declare the procedure called handle_right_brace 1068\rangle \equiv
procedure handle_right_brace;
  var p, q: pointer; { for short-term use }
    d: scaled; { holds split_max_depth in insert_group }
    f: integer; { holds floating_penalty in insert_group }
  begin case cur_group of
  simple_group: unsave;
  bottom_level: begin print_err("Too⊔manyu}'s");
    help2("You've_{\sqcup}closed_{\sqcup}more_{\sqcup}groups_{\sqcup}than_{\sqcup}you_{\sqcup}opened.")
    ("Such_booboos_are_generally_harmless,_so_keep_going."); error;
  semi\_simple\_group, math\_shift\_group, math\_left\_group: extra\_right\_brace;
  (Cases of handle_right_brace where a right_brace triggers a delayed action 1085)
  othercases confusion("rightbrace")
  endcases;
  end:
```

```
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure extra_right_brace;
  begin print_err("Extra<sub>□</sub>}, □or □forgotten ∪");
  case cur_group of
  semi_simple_group: print_esc("endgroup");
  math_shift_group: print_char("$");
  math_left_group: print_esc("right");
  end;
  \mathit{help5} \, (\texttt{"I\'ve\_deleted\_a\_group-closing\_symbol\_because\_it\_seems\_to\_be"})
  ("spurious,\_as\_in\_`$x}$`.\_But\_perhaps\_the\_\}\_is\_legitimate\_and")
  ("you \sqcup forgot \sqcup something \sqcup else, \sqcup as \sqcup in \sqcup ` \backslash hbox \{\$x\} `. \sqcup In \sqcup such \sqcup cases")
  ("the_{\sqcup}way_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}recover_{\sqcup}is_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}insert_{\sqcup}both_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}forgotten_{\sqcup}and_{\sqcup}the")
  ("deleted_material, ue.g., uby utyping 1$} `."); error; incr(align_state);
  end;
1070. Here is where we clear the parameters that are supposed to revert to their default values after every
paragraph and when internal vertical mode is entered.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure normal_paragraph;
  begin if looseness \neq 0 then eq\_word\_define(int\_base + looseness\_code, 0);
  if hang\_indent \neq 0 then eq\_word\_define(dimen\_base + hang\_indent\_code, 0);
  if hang\_after \neq 1 then eq\_word\_define(int\_base + hang\_after\_code, 1);
  if par\_shape\_ptr \neq null then eq\_define(par\_shape\_loc, shape\_ref, null);
  end;
```

1071. Now let's turn to the question of how \hbox is treated. We actually need to consider also a slightly larger context, since constructions like '\setbox3=\hbox...' and '\leaders\hbox...' and '\lower3.8pt\hbox...' are supposed to invoke quite different actions after the box has been packaged. Conversely, constructions like '\setbox3=' can be followed by a variety of different kinds of boxes, and we would like to encode such things in an efficient way.

In other words, there are two problems: to represent the context of a box, and to represent its type.

The first problem is solved by putting a "context code" on the  $save\_stack$ , just below the two entries that give the dimensions produced by  $scan\_spec$ . The context code is either a (signed) shift amount, or it is a large integer  $\geq box\_flag$ , where  $box\_flag = 2^{30}$ . Codes  $box\_flag$  through  $box\_flag + 255$  represent '\setbox0' through '\setbox255'; codes  $box\_flag + 256$  through  $box\_flag + 511$  represent '\slippout'; and codes  $box\_flag + 513$  through  $box\_flag + 515$  represent '\slippout'; and codes  $box\_flag + 513$  through  $box\_flag + 515$  represent '\cleaders', '\cleaders', and '\xleaders'.

The second problem is solved by giving the command code  $make\_box$  to all control sequences that produce a box, and by using the following  $chr\_code$  values to distinguish between them:  $box\_code$ ,  $copy\_code$ ,  $last\_box\_code$ ,  $vsplit\_code$ ,  $vtop\_code$ ,  $vtop\_code$ ,  $vtop\_code$ , and  $vtop\_code$ , where the latter two are used to denote \vbox and \hbox, respectively.

```
define box_flag \equiv '100000000000  { context code for '\setbox0'}
  define ship\_out\_flag \equiv box\_flag + 512  { context code for '\shipout'}
  define leader\_flag \equiv box\_flag + 513  { context code for '\leaders' }
  \mathbf{define}\ box\_code = 0 \quad \{\ chr\_code\ \mathrm{for}\ `\box'\ \}
  define copy\_code = 1  { chr\_code for '\copy' }
  define last\_box\_code = 2  { chr\_code for '\lastbox'}
  define vsplit\_code = 3  { chr\_code for '\vsplit' }
  define vtop\_code = 4  { chr\_code for '\vtop' }
\langle \text{Put each of T}_{\text{FX}} \rangle's primitives into the hash table 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("moveleft", hmove, 1); primitive("moveright", hmove, 0);
  primitive("raise", vmove, 1); primitive("lower", vmove, 0);
  primitive("box", make_box, box_code); primitive("copy", make_box, copy_code);
  primitive("lastbox", make_box, last_box_code); primitive("vsplit", make_box, vsplit_code);
  primitive("vtop", make_box, vtop_code);
  primitive("vbox", make\_box, vtop\_code + vmode); primitive("hbox", make\_box, vtop\_code + hmode);
  primitive ("shipout", leader\_ship, a\_leaders-1); { ship\_out\_flag = leader\_flag-1 }
  primitive("leaders", leader_ship, a_leaders); primitive("cleaders", leader_ship, c_leaders);
  primitive("xleaders", leader_ship, x_leaders);
        \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
hmove: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("moveleft") else print_esc("moveright");
vmove: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("raise") else print_esc("lower");
make_box: case chr_code of
  box_code: print_esc("box");
  copy_code: print_esc("copy");
  last_box_code: print_esc("lastbox");
  vsplit_code: print_esc("vsplit");
  vtop_code: print_esc("vtop");
  vtop\_code + vmode: print\_esc("vbox");
  othercases print_esc("hbox")
  endcases;
leader_ship: if chr_code = a_leaders then print_esc("leaders")
  else if chr_code = c_leaders then print_esc("cleaders")
    else if chr_code = x_leaders then print_esc("xleaders")
       else print_esc("shipout");
```

**1073.** Constructions that require a box are started by calling  $scan\_box$  with a specified context code. The  $scan\_box$  routine verifies that a  $make\_box$  command comes next and then it calls  $begin\_box$ .

```
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv vmode + hmove, hmode + vmove, mmode + vmove: begin <math>t \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_normal\_dimen; if t = 0 then scan\_box(cur\_val) else scan\_box(-cur\_val); end; any\_mode(leader\_ship): scan\_box(leader\_flag - a\_leaders + cur\_chr); any\_mode(make\_box): begin\_box(0);
```

**1074.** The global variable  $cur\_box$  will point to a newly made box. If the box is void, we will have  $cur\_box = null$ . Otherwise we will have  $type(cur\_box) = hlist\_node$  or  $vlist\_node$  or  $vule\_node$ ; the  $vule\_node$  case can occur only with leaders.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv cur_box: pointer; { box to be placed into its context }
```

1075. The  $box\_end$  procedure does the right thing with  $cur\_box$ , if  $box\_context$  represents the context as explained above.

```
⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043⟩ +≡
procedure box_end(box_context : integer);
var p: pointer; { ord_noad for new box in math mode }
begin if box_context < box_flag then
   ⟨ Append box cur_box to the current list, shifted by box_context 1076⟩
else if box_context < ship_out_flag then ⟨ Store cur_box in a box register 1077⟩
else if cur_box ≠ null then
   if box_context > ship_out_flag then ⟨ Append a new leader node that uses cur_box 1078⟩
else ship_out(cur_box);
end;
```

1076. The global variable *adjust\_tail* will be non-null if and only if the current box might include adjustments that should be appended to the current vertical list.

```
\langle Append box cur_box to the current list, shifted by box_context 1076\rangle \equiv
     begin if cur\_box \neq null then
           begin shift\_amount(cur\_box) \leftarrow box\_context;
           if abs(mode) = vmode then
                begin append\_to\_vlist(cur\_box);
                if adjust\_tail \neq null then
                     begin if adjust\_head \neq adjust\_tail then
                          begin link(tail) \leftarrow link(adjust\_head); tail \leftarrow adjust\_tail;
                          end;
                      adjust\_tail \leftarrow null;
                     end;
                if mode > 0 then build\_page;
           else begin if abs(mode) = hmode then space\_factor \leftarrow 1000
                \textbf{else begin } p \leftarrow new\_noad; \ math\_type(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow sub\_box; \ info(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow cur\_box; \\
                      cur\_box \leftarrow p;
                     end;
                link(tail) \leftarrow cur\_box; \ tail \leftarrow cur\_box;
           end;
     end
This code is used in section 1075.
1077. \langle \text{Store } cur\_box \text{ in a box register } 1077 \rangle \equiv
     if box\_context < box\_flaq + 256 then eq\_define(box\_base - box\_flaq + box\_context, box\_ref, cur\_box)
     else geq\_define(box\_base - box\_flag - 256 + box\_context, box\_ref, cur\_box)
This code is used in section 1075.
1078. \langle Append a new leader node that uses cur\_box\ 1078 \rangle \equiv
     begin (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
     if ((cur\_cmd = hskip) \land (abs(mode) \neq vmode)) \lor ((cur\_cmd = vskip) \land (abs(mode) = vmode)) then
           begin append\_glue; subtype(tail) \leftarrow box\_context - (leader\_flag - a\_leaders);
           leader\_ptr(tail) \leftarrow cur\_box;
           end
     else begin print_err("Leaders_not_followed_by_proper_glue");
           help \Im ("You\should\say\simen\leaders\sox\simen\rule><hskip\sin\sin\")
           ("I_found_the_<box_or_rule>,_but_there's_no_suitable")
           ("\hskip\uor\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\uso\uvskip\hsize,\u
           end;
     end
This code is used in section 1075.
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**1079.** Now that we can see what eventually happens to boxes, we can consider the first steps in their creation. The  $begin\_box$  routine is called when  $box\_context$  is a context specification,  $cur\_chr$  specifies the type of box desired, and  $cur\_cmd = make\_box$ .

```
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure begin_box(box_context : integer);
     label exit, done;
     var p, q: pointer; {run through the current list}
          m: quarterword; { the length of a replacement list }
          k: halfword; \{0 \text{ or } vmode \text{ or } hmode\}
          n: eight\_bits; \{a box number\}
     begin case cur_chr of
     box\_code: begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; cur\_box \leftarrow box(cur\_val); box(cur\_val) \leftarrow null;
                     { the box becomes void, at the same level }
          end:
     copy\_code: begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; cur\_box \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(box(cur\_val));
          end:
     last_box_code: (If the current list ends with a box node, delete it from the list and make cur_box point to
                    it; otherwise set cur\_box \leftarrow null \ 1080 \rangle;
     vsplit_code: \( Split off part of a vertical box, make cur_box point to it 1082 \);
     othercases (Initiate the construction of an abox or vbox, then return 1083)
     endcases;
     box_end(box_context); { in simple cases, we use the box immediately }
exit: end;
                 Note that the condition \neg is\_char\_node(tail) implies that head \neq tail, since head is a one-word node.
(If the current list ends with a box node, delete it from the list and make cur_box point to it; otherwise set
               cur\_box \leftarrow null \ 1080 \rangle \equiv
     begin cur\_box \leftarrow null;
     if abs(mode) = mmode then
          begin you_cant; help1("Sorry; uthis \lastbox \will be void."); error;
     else if (mode = vmode) \land (head = tail) then
               \textbf{begin } you\_cant; \ help2(\texttt{"Sorry...I}\_usually\_can't\_take\_things\_from\_the\_current\_page.")
               ("This \\lastbox \underwill \understand therefore \underbe \underword to \understand the \understand \understan
          else begin if \neg is\_char\_node(tail) then
                    if (type(tail) = hlist\_node) \lor (type(tail) = vlist\_node) then
                          Remove the last box, unless it's part of a discretionary 1081;
               end;
     end
This code is used in section 1079.
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\langle Remove the last box, unless it's part of a discretionary 1081 \rangle \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow head;
  repeat p \leftarrow q;
     if \neg is\_char\_node(q) then
       if type(q) = disc\_node then
          begin for m \leftarrow 1 to replace\_count(q) do p \leftarrow link(p);
          if p = tail then goto done;
          end;
     q \leftarrow link(p);
  until q = tail;
  cur\_box \leftarrow tail; shift\_amount(cur\_box) \leftarrow 0; tail \leftarrow p; link(p) \leftarrow null;
done: end
This code is used in section 1080.
1082. Here we deal with things like '\vsplit 13 to 100pt'.
\langle Split off part of a vertical box, make cur\_box point to it 1082\rangle \equiv
  begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if \neg scan\_keyword("to") then
     begin print_err("Missing_\`to`\_inserted");
     help2("I`m_{\sqcup}working_{\sqcup}on_{\sqcup}`\vsplit<box_{\sqcup}number>_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}<dimen>`;")
     ("will_look_for_the_<dimen>_next."); error;
  scan\_normal\_dimen; cur\_box \leftarrow vsplit(n, cur\_val);
  end
This code is used in section 1079.
         Here is where we enter restricted horizontal mode or internal vertical mode, in order to make a box.
\langle Initiate the construction of an hbox or vbox, then return 1083\rangle \equiv
  begin k \leftarrow cur\_chr - vtop\_code; saved(0) \leftarrow box\_context;
  if k = hmode then
     if (box\_context < box\_flag) \land (abs(mode) = vmode) then scan\_spec(adjusted\_hbox\_group, true)
     else scan\_spec(hbox\_group, true)
  else begin if k = vmode then scan\_spec(vbox\_group, true)
     else begin scan\_spec(vtop\_group, true); k \leftarrow vmode;
        end;
     normal\_paragraph;
     end;
  push\_nest; mode \leftarrow -k;
  if k = vmode then
     begin prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth;
     if every\_vbox \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_vbox, every\_vbox\_text);
  else begin space\_factor \leftarrow 1000;
     if every\_hbox \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_hbox, every\_hbox\_text);
     end:
  return;
  end
This code is used in section 1079.
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\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_box(box\_context:integer); { the next input should specify a box or perhaps a rule }
  begin (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
  if cur\_cmd = make\_box then begin\_box(box\_context)
  else if (box\_context \ge leader\_flag) \land ((cur\_cmd = hrule) \lor (cur\_cmd = vrule)) then
        begin cur\_box \leftarrow scan\_rule\_spec; box\_end(box\_context);
        end
     else begin
        print_err("A<sub>□</sub><box><sub>□</sub>was<sub>□</sub>supposed<sub>□</sub>to<sub>□</sub>be<sub>□</sub>here");
        help3("I_{\sqcup}was_{\sqcup}expecting_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}\hbox_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}\vbox_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}\copy_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}\hox_{\sqcup}or")
        ("something \sqcup like \sqcup that. \sqcup So \sqcup you \sqcup might \sqcup find \sqcup something \sqcup missing \sqcup in")
        ("your_output._But_keep_trying;_you_can_fix_this_later."); back_error;
        end;
  end:
          When the right brace occurs at the end of an hoox or vtop construction, the package
routine comes into action. We might also have to finish a paragraph that hasn't ended.
\langle \text{ Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle \equiv
hbox\_group: package(0);
adjusted\_hbox\_group: \mathbf{begin} \ adjust\_tail \leftarrow adjust\_head; \ package(0);
vbox\_group: begin end\_graf; package(0);
  end:
vtop_group: begin end_graf; package(vtop_code);
See also sections 1100, 1118, 1132, 1133, 1168, 1173, and 1186.
This code is used in section 1068.
1086. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure package(c: small_number);
  var h: scaled; { height of box }
     p: pointer; { first node in a box }
     d: scaled; \{ max depth \}
  begin d \leftarrow box\_max\_depth; unsave; save\_ptr \leftarrow save\_ptr - 3;
  if mode = -hmode then cur\_box \leftarrow hpack(link(head), saved(2), saved(1))
  else begin cur\_box \leftarrow vpackage(link(head), saved(2), saved(1), d);
     if c = vtop\_code then \langle Readjust the height and depth of <math>cur\_box, for \langle vtop 1087 \rangle;
     end:
  pop\_nest; box\_end(saved(0));
  end;
         The height of a '\vtop' box is inherited from the first item on its list, if that item is an hlist_node,
vlist_node, or rule_node; otherwise the \vtop height is zero.
\langle \text{Readjust the height and depth of } cur\_box, \text{ for } \forall vtop 1087 \rangle \equiv
  begin h \leftarrow 0; p \leftarrow list\_ptr(cur\_box);
  if p \neq null then
     if type(p) \leq rule\_node then h \leftarrow height(p);
  depth(cur\_box) \leftarrow depth(cur\_box) - h + height(cur\_box); height(cur\_box) \leftarrow h;
This code is used in section 1086.
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end;

1088.

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is explicitly started by '\indent' or '\noindent'.
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +\equiv
  primitive("indent", start_par, 1); primitive("noindent", start_par, 0);
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start_par: if chr_code = 0 then print_esc("noindent") else print_esc("indent");
1090. Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056 \rangle + \equiv
vmode + start\_par: new\_graf(cur\_chr > 0);
vmode + letter, vmode + other\_char, vmode + char\_num, vmode + char\_given, vmode + math\_shift,
       vmode + un\_hbox, vmode + vrule, vmode + accent, vmode + discretionary, vmode + hskip,
       vmode + valign, vmode + ex\_space, vmode + no\_boundary:
  begin back_input; new_graf(true);
  end;
1091. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
function norm\_min(h : integer): small\_number;
  begin if h \le 0 then norm\_min \leftarrow 1 else if h \ge 63 then norm\_min \leftarrow 63 else norm\_min \leftarrow h;
  end;
procedure new_graf(indented : boolean);
  begin prev\_graf \leftarrow 0;
  if (mode = vmode) \lor (head \ne tail) then tail\_append(new\_param\_glue(par\_skip\_code));
  push\_nest; mode \leftarrow hmode; space\_factor \leftarrow 1000; set\_cur\_lang; clang \leftarrow cur\_lang;
  prev\_graf \leftarrow (norm\_min(left\_hyphen\_min) * '100 + norm\_min(right\_hyphen\_min)) * '200000 + cur\_lang;
  if indented then
     begin tail \leftarrow new\_null\_box; link(head) \leftarrow tail; width(tail) \leftarrow par\_indent; end;
  if every\_par \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_par, every\_par\_text);
  if nest\_ptr = 1 then build\_page; { put par\_skip glue on current page }
  end;
1092. Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056 \rangle + \equiv
hmode + start\_par, mmode + start\_par: indent\_in\_hmode;
1093. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure indent_in_hmode;
  var p, q: pointer;
  begin if cur\_chr > 0 then {\indent}
     begin p \leftarrow new\_null\_box; width(p) \leftarrow par\_indent;
     if abs(mode) = hmode then space\_factor \leftarrow 1000
     else begin q \leftarrow new\_noad; math\_type(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow sub\_box; info(nucleus(q)) \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow q;
       end;
     tail\_append(p);
     end:
```

A paragraph begins when horizontal-mode material occurs in vertical mode, or when the paragraph

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A paragraph ends when a par\_end command is sensed, or when we are in horizontal mode when reaching the right brace of vertical-mode routines like \vbox, \insert, or \output.  $\langle$  Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056 $\rangle + \equiv$  $vmode + par_end$ : **begin**  $normal_paragraph$ ; if mode > 0 then  $build\_page$ ; end:  $hmode + par\_end$ : begin if  $align\_state < 0$  then  $off\_save$ ; { this tries to recover from an alignment that didn't end properly }  $end\_graf$ ; { this takes us to the enclosing mode, if mode > 0 } **if** mode = vmode **then**  $build\_page$ ;  $hmode + stop, hmode + vskip, hmode + hrule, hmode + un\_vbox, hmode + halign: head\_for\_vmode;$ **1095.**  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** *head\_for\_vmode*; begin if mode < 0 then if  $cur\_cmd \neq hrule$  then  $off\_save$ else begin print\_err("You\_can t\_use\_"); print\_esc("hrule"); print("'\_here\_except\_with\_leaders");  $help2("To_{\square}put_{\square}a_{\square}horizontal_{\square}rule_{\square}in_{\square}an_{\square}hbox_{\square}or_{\square}an_{\square}alignment,")$ ("you⊔should\_use\_\leaders\_or\_\hrulefill\_(see\_The\_TeXbook)."); error; else begin  $back\_input$ ;  $cur\_tok \leftarrow par\_token$ ;  $back\_input$ ;  $token\_type \leftarrow inserted$ ; end; end: **1096.**  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** end\_graf; begin if mode = hmode then **begin if** head = tail **then**  $pop\_nest$  { null paragraphs are ignored }

**1097.** Insertion and adjustment and mark nodes are constructed by the following pieces of the program.  $\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle +\equiv any\_mode(insert), hmode + vadjust, mmode + vadjust: begin\_insert\_or\_adjust; any\_mode(mark): make\_mark;$ 

**1098.**  $\langle$  Forbidden cases detected in  $main\_control\ 1048 \rangle + \equiv vmode + vadjust$ ,

else  $line\_break(widow\_penalty);$  $normal\_paragraph; error\_count \leftarrow 0;$ 

end;

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\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
1099.
procedure begin_insert_or_adjust;
  begin if cur\_cmd = vadjust then cur\_val \leftarrow 255
  else begin scan_eight_bit_int;
     if cur_val = 255 then
        begin print_err("You_can't_"); print_esc("insert"); print_int(255);
        help1("I`m_{\sqcup}changing_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}\)insert0;_{\sqcup}box_{\sqcup}255_{\sqcup}is_{\sqcup}special."); error; cur_val \leftarrow 0;
        end;
     end:
  saved(0) \leftarrow cur\_val; incr(save\_ptr); new\_save\_level(insert\_group); scan\_left\_brace; normal\_paragraph;
  push\_nest; mode \leftarrow -vmode; prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth;
  end;
1100. \langle \text{Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle + \equiv
insert\_group: begin end\_graf; q \leftarrow split\_top\_skip; add\_glue\_ref(q); d \leftarrow split\_max\_depth;
  f \leftarrow floating\_penalty; unsave; decr(save\_ptr);
        \{ \text{ now } saved(0) \text{ is the insertion number, or } 255 \text{ for } vadjust \}
  p \leftarrow vpack(link(head), natural); pop\_nest;
  if saved(0) < 255 then
     begin tail\_append(get\_node(ins\_node\_size)); type(tail) \leftarrow ins\_node; subtype(tail) \leftarrow qi(saved(0));
     height(tail) \leftarrow height(p) + depth(p); ins\_ptr(tail) \leftarrow list\_ptr(p); split\_top\_ptr(tail) \leftarrow q;
     depth(tail) \leftarrow d; float\_cost(tail) \leftarrow f;
     end
  else begin tail\_append(get\_node(small\_node\_size)); type(tail) \leftarrow adjust\_node;
     subtype(tail) \leftarrow 0; \{ the \ subtype \ is \ not \ used \}
     adjust\_ptr(tail) \leftarrow list\_ptr(p); delete\_glue\_ref(q);
     end;
  free\_node(p, box\_node\_size);
  if nest\_ptr = 0 then build\_page;
  end.
output_group: (Resume the page builder after an output routine has come to an end 1026);
1101. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure make_mark;
  var p: pointer; \{ new node \}
  begin p \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, true); p \leftarrow get\_node(small\_node\_size); type(p) \leftarrow mark\_node;
  subtype(p) \leftarrow 0; \{ \text{the } subtype \text{ is not used } \}
  mark\_ptr(p) \leftarrow def\_ref; link(tail) \leftarrow p; tail \leftarrow p;
  end;
1102. Penalty nodes get into a list via the break_penalty command.
\langle Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056\rangle + \equiv
any_mode(break_penalty): append_penalty;
1103. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure append_penalty;
  begin scan_int; tail_append(new_penalty(cur_val));
  if mode = vmode then build\_page;
  end:
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1104. The remove\_item command removes a penalty, kern, or glue node if it appears at the tail of the current list, using a brute-force linear scan. Like \lastbox, this command is not allowed in vertical mode (except internal vertical mode), since the current list in vertical mode is sent to the page builder. But if we happen to be able to implement it in vertical mode, we do.

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\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle +\equiv any\_mode(remove\_item): delete\_last;
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1105. When delete_last is called, cur_chr is the type of node that will be deleted, if present.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure delete_last;
  label exit;
  var p, q: pointer; { run through the current list }
     m: quarterword; { the length of a replacement list }
  begin if (mode = vmode) \land (tail = head) then
     (Apologize for inability to do the operation now, unless \unskip follows non-glue 1106)
  else begin if \neg is\_char\_node(tail) then
       if type(tail) = cur_{-}chr then
          begin q \leftarrow head;
          repeat p \leftarrow q;
            if \neg is\_char\_node(q) then
               if type(q) = disc\_node then
                 begin for m \leftarrow 1 to replace\_count(q) do p \leftarrow link(p);
                 if p = tail then return;
                 end;
            q \leftarrow link(p);
          until q = tail;
          link(p) \leftarrow null; flush\_node\_list(tail); tail \leftarrow p;
     end:
exit: end;
1106. Apologize for inability to do the operation now, unless \unskip follows non-glue 1106 \( \simegrap \)
  begin if (cur\_chr \neq glue\_node) \lor (last\_glue \neq max\_halfword) then
     \textbf{begin } you\_cant; \ help2(\texttt{"Sorry...I}\_usually\_can't\_take\_things\_from\_the\_current\_page.")
     ("Try<sub>□</sub>`I\vskip-\lastskip´<sub>□</sub>instead.");
     if cur\_chr = kern\_node then help\_line[0] \leftarrow ("Try\_`I\setminus kern-\lastkern`\_instead.")
     else if cur\_chr \neq glue\_node then
          help\_line[0] \leftarrow ("Perhaps\_you\_can\_make\_the\_output\_routine\_do\_it.");
     error:
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 1105.
1107. (Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226) +\equiv
  primitive("unpenalty", remove_item, penalty_node);
  primitive("unkern", remove_item, kern_node);
  primitive("unskip", remove_item, glue_node);
  primitive("unhbox", un_hbox, box_code);
  primitive("unhcopy", un\_hbox, copy\_code);
  primitive("unvbox", un_vbox, box_code);
  primitive("unvcopy", un_vbox, copy_code);
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\langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
remove_item: if chr_code = qlue_node then print_esc("unskip")
  else if chr\_code = kern\_node then print\_esc("unkern")
     else print_esc("unpenalty");
un_hbox: if chr_code = copy_code then print_esc("unhcopy")
  else print_esc("unhbox");
un_vbox: if chr_code = copy_code then print_esc("unvcopy")
  else print_esc("unvbox");
         The un_hbox and un_vbox commands unwrap one of the 256 current boxes.
\langle Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056\rangle +\equiv
vmode + un\_vbox, hmode + un\_hbox, mmode + un\_hbox: unpackage;
1110. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure unpackage;
  label exit;
  var p: pointer; { the box }
     c: box_code .. copy_code; { should we copy? }
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_eight\_bit\_int; p \leftarrow box(cur\_val);
  if p = null then return;
  if (abs(mode) = mmode) \lor ((abs(mode) = vmode) \land (type(p) \neq vlist\_node)) \lor
          ((abs(mode) = hmode) \land (type(p) \neq hlist\_node)) then
     begin print_err("Incompatible_list_can t_be_unboxed");
     help3("Sorry, Pandora. (You, sneaky, devil.)")
     ("I_{\sqcup}refuse_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}unbox_{\sqcup}an_{\sqcup}\hbox_{\sqcup}in_{\sqcup}vertical_{\sqcup}mode_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}vice_{\sqcup}versa.")
     ("And_I_can t_open_any_boxes_in_math_mode.");
     error; return;
     end:
  if c = copy\_code then link(tail) \leftarrow copy\_node\_list(list\_ptr(p))
  else begin link(tail) \leftarrow list\_ptr(p); \ box(cur\_val) \leftarrow null; \ free\_node(p, box\_node\_size);
  while link(tail) \neq null do tail \leftarrow link(tail);
exit: \mathbf{end};
1111. \langle Forbidden cases detected in main_control 1048\rangle + \equiv
  vmode + ital\_corr,
```

1112. Italic corrections are converted to kern nodes when the *ital\_corr* command follows a character. In math mode the same effect is achieved by appending a kern of zero here, since italic corrections are supplied later

```
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle +\equiv hmode + ital\_corr: append\_italic\_correction; \\ mmode + ital\_corr: tail\_append(new\_kern(0));
```

```
\langle \text{Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure append_italic_correction;
  label exit;
  var p: pointer; { char_node at the tail of the current list }
     f: internal_font_number; { the font in the char_node }
  begin if tail \neq head then
     begin if is\_char\_node(tail) then p \leftarrow tail
     else if type(tail) = ligature\_node then p \leftarrow lig\_char(tail)
     f \leftarrow font(p); tail\_append(new\_kern(char\_italic(f)(char\_info(f)(character(p)))));
     subtype(tail) \leftarrow explicit;
     end;
exit: end;
1114. Discretionary nodes are easy in the common case '\-', but in the general case we must process three
braces full of items.
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +=
  primitive("-", discretionary, 1); primitive("discretionary", discretionary", 0);
1115. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
discretionary: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("-") else print_esc("discretionary");
1116. \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv
hmode + discretionary, mmode + discretionary: append_discretionary;
1117. The space factor does not change when we append a discretionary node, but it starts out as 1000
in the subsidiary lists.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure append_discretionary;
  var c: integer; { hyphen character }
  begin tail\_append(new\_disc);
  if cur\_chr = 1 then
     begin c \leftarrow hyphen\_char[cur\_font];
     if c \geq 0 then
       if c < 256 then pre\_break(tail) \leftarrow new\_character(cur\_font, c);
  else begin incr(save\_ptr); saved(-1) \leftarrow 0; new\_save\_level(disc\_group); scan\_left\_brace; push\_nest;
     mode \leftarrow -hmode; \ space\_factor \leftarrow 1000;
     end;
  end;
        The three discretionary lists are constructed somewhat as if they were hboxes. A subroutine called
build_discretionary handles the transitions. (This is sort of fun.)
```

 $\langle \text{ Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle + \equiv$ 

disc\_group: build\_discretionary;

```
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043\rangle + \equiv
procedure build_discretionary;
  label done, exit;
  var p, q: pointer; { for link manipulation }
     n: integer; { length of discretionary list }
  begin unsave;
  \( \text{Prune the current list, if necessary, until it contains only \( \text{char_node, kern_node, hlist_node, vlist_node, } \)
        rule\_node, and ligature\_node items; set n to the length of the list, and set q to the list's tail 1121;
  p \leftarrow link(head); pop\_nest;
  case saved(-1) of
  0: pre\_break(tail) \leftarrow p;
  1: post\_break(tail) \leftarrow p;
  2: \langle Attach list p to the current list, and record its length; then finish up and return 1120\rangle;
  end; { there are no other cases }
  incr(saved(-1)); new\_save\_level(disc\_group); scan\_left\_brace; push\_nest; mode \leftarrow -hmode;
  space\_factor \leftarrow 1000;
exit: \mathbf{end};
1120. \langle Attach list p to the current list, and record its length; then finish up and return 1120\rangle \equiv
  begin if (n > 0) \land (abs(mode) = mmode) then
     begin print_err("Illegal_math_"); print_esc("discretionary");
     help2("Sorry: \_The\_third\_part\_of\_a\_discretionary\_break\_must\_be")
     ("empty, _in_math_formulas._I_had_ito_idelete_your_ithird_part."); flush_node_list(p); n \leftarrow 0;
     error;
     end
  else link(tail) \leftarrow p;
  if n \leq max\_quarterword then replace\_count(tail) \leftarrow n
  else begin print_err("Discretionary Llist Lis Ltoo Llong");
     help2("Wow---I_{\square}never_{\square}thought_{\square}anybody_{\square}would_{\square}tweak_{\square}me_{\square}here.")
     ("You_can´t_seriously_need_such_a_huge_discretionary_list?"); error;
     end;
  if n > 0 then tail \leftarrow q;
  decr(save\_ptr); return;
  end
This code is used in section 1119.
```

**1121.** During this loop, p = link(q) and there are n items preceding p.

```
Prune the current list, if necessary, until it contains only char_node, kern_node, hlist_node, vlist_node,
        rule\_node, and ligature\_node items; set n to the length of the list, and set q to the list's tail 1121 \rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow head; \ p \leftarrow link(q); \ n \leftarrow 0;
  while p \neq null do
     begin if \neg is\_char\_node(p) then
       if type(p) > rule\_node then
          if type(p) \neq kern\_node then
             if type(p) \neq ligature\_node then
               begin print_err("Improper discretionary list");
               help1 ("Discretionary_lists_must_contain_only_boxes_and_kerns.");
               error; begin_diagnostic;
               print_{-}nl("The_{\sqcup}following_{\sqcup}discretionary_{\sqcup}sublist_{\sqcup}has_{\sqcup}been_{\sqcup}deleted:"); show_box(p);
               end\_diagnostic(true); flush\_node\_list(p); link(q) \leftarrow null; goto done;
               end:
     q \leftarrow p; p \leftarrow link(q); incr(n);
     end:
done:
```

This code is used in section 1119.

1122. We need only one more thing to complete the horizontal mode routines, namely the \accent primitive.

```
\langle Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056\rangle +\equiv hmode + accent: make\_accent;
```

1123. The positioning of accents is straightforward but tedious. Given an accent of width a, designed for characters of height x and slant s; and given a character of width w, height h, and slant t: We will shift the accent down by x - h, and we will insert kern nodes that have the effect of centering the accent over the character and shifting the accent to the right by  $\delta = \frac{1}{2}(w - a) + h \cdot t - x \cdot s$ . If either character is absent from the font, we will simply use the other, without shifting.

```
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure make_accent;
  \mathbf{var}\ s, t: \ real; \ \{ \text{ amount of slant } \}
     p, q, r: pointer; { character, box, and kern nodes }
     f: internal_font_number; { relevant font }
     a, h, x, w, delta: scaled; { heights and widths, as explained above }
     i: four_quarters; { character information }
  begin scan\_char\_num; f \leftarrow cur\_font; p \leftarrow new\_character(f, cur\_val);
  if p \neq null then
     begin x \leftarrow x\_height(f); s \leftarrow slant(f)/float\_constant(65536);
     a \leftarrow char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(p)));
     do\_assignments;
     \langle Create a character node q for the next character, but set q \leftarrow null if problems arise 1124\rangle;
     if q \neq null then \langle Append the accent with appropriate kerns, then set p \leftarrow q 1125\rangle;
     link(tail) \leftarrow p; \ tail \leftarrow p; \ space\_factor \leftarrow 1000;
     end;
  end;
```

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1124. 〈Create a character node q for the next character, but set q \leftarrow null if problems arise 1124〉 \equiv q \leftarrow null; f \leftarrow cur\_font; if (cur\_cmd = letter) \lor (cur\_cmd = other\_char) \lor (cur\_cmd = char\_given) then q \leftarrow new\_character(f, cur\_chr) else if cur\_cmd = char\_num then begin scan\_char\_num; q \leftarrow new\_character(f, cur\_val); end else back\_input
```

1125. The kern nodes appended here must be distinguished from other kerns, lest they be wiped away by the hyphenation algorithm or by a previous line break.

The two kerns are computed with (machine-dependent) *real* arithmetic, but their sum is machine-independent; the net effect is machine-independent, because the user cannot remove these nodes nor access them via \lastkern.

This code is used in section 1123.

1126. When '\cr' or '\span' or a tab mark comes through the scanner into  $main\_control$ , it might be that the user has foolishly inserted one of them into something that has nothing to do with alignment. But it is far more likely that a left brace or right brace has been omitted, since  $get\_next$  takes actions appropriate to alignment only when '\cr' or '\span' or tab marks occur with  $align\_state = 0$ . The following program attempts to make an appropriate recovery.

```
\langle Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056 \rangle +\equiv any\_mode(car\_ret), any\_mode(tab\_mark): align\_error; any\_mode(no\_align): no\_align\_error; any\_mode(omit): omit\_error;
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1127. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure align_error;
     begin if abs(align\_state) > 2 then
            (Express consternation over the fact that no alignment is in progress 1128)
     else begin back_input;
           if align\_state < 0 then
                 \textbf{begin} \ \textit{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \ \textit{incr}(\textit{align\_state}); \ \textit{cur\_tok} \leftarrow \textit{left\_brace\_token} + \texttt{"}\{\texttt{"}; \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \ \textit{incr}(\textit{align\_state}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup}\{_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}_{\sqcup} \texttt{inserted"}); \\ \textbf{print\_err}(\texttt{
           else begin print\_err("Missing_{\sqcup})_{\sqcup}inserted"); decr(align\_state); cur\_tok \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}";
                 end:
           help3("I`ve_put_in_what_seems_to_be_necessary_to_fix")
           ("the current column of the current alignment.")
           ("Try⊔to⊔go⊔on,⊔since⊔this⊔might⊔almost⊔work."); ins_error;
           end;
     \mathbf{end};
1128. (Express consternation over the fact that no alignment is in progress 1128) \equiv
     begin print_err("Misplaced<sub>□</sub>"); print_cmd_chr(cur_cmd, cur_chr);
     if cur\_tok = tab\_token + "\&" then
           \mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{help6} ( \texttt{"I}_{\sqcup} \texttt{can't}_{\sqcup} \texttt{figure}_{\sqcup} \texttt{out}_{\sqcup} \texttt{why}_{\sqcup} \texttt{you}_{\sqcup} \texttt{would}_{\sqcup} \texttt{want}_{\sqcup} \texttt{to}_{\sqcup} \texttt{use}_{\sqcup} \texttt{a}_{\sqcup} \texttt{tab}_{\sqcup} \texttt{mark"} )
           ("here. □If □you □ just □ want □ an □ ampersand, □ the □ remedy □ is")
           ("simple: □Just □type □`I\&´ □now. □But □if □some □right □brace")
           ("up_above_has_ended_a_previous_alignment_prematurely,")
           ("you're_probably_due_for_more_error_messages,_and_you")
           ("might_try_typing_`S´_now_just_to_see_what_is_salvageable.");
     else begin help5("Iucan´tufigureuoutuwhyuyouuwoulduwantutouuseuautabumark")
           ("or_\cr_or_\span_just_now._If_something_like_a_right_brace")
           ("up<sub>□</sub>above<sub>□</sub>has<sub>□</sub>ended<sub>□</sub>a<sub>□</sub>previous<sub>□</sub>alignment<sub>□</sub>prematurely,")
           ("you're⊔probablyudueuforumoreuerrorumessages,uanduyou")
           ("might_try_typing_`S´_now_just_to_see_what_is_salvageable.");
           end;
      error;
     end
This code is used in section 1127.
1129. The help messages here contain a little white lie, since \noalign and \omit are allowed also after
' \in \{1, \dots\}'
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043\rangle + \equiv
{\bf procedure}\ no\_align\_error;
     begin print_err("Misplaced<sub>□</sub>"); print_esc("noalign");
     help2("I_{\sqcup}expect_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}\noalign_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}after_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}\cr_{\sqcup}of")
     ("an<sub>□</sub>alignment.<sub>□</sub>Proceed,<sub>□</sub>and<sub>□</sub>I´ll<sub>□</sub>ignore<sub>□</sub>this<sub>□</sub>case."); error;
     end;
procedure omit_error;
     begin print_err("Misplaced,"); print_esc("omit");
     help2("I_{\sqcup}expect_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}\setminus omit_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}after_{\sqcup}tab_{\sqcup}marks_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}\setminus cr_{\sqcup}of")
     ("an_alignment._Proceed, and I1l_ignore this case."); error;
     end;
```

We've now covered most of the abuses of \halign and \valign. Let's take a look at what happens when they are used correctly.  $\langle$  Cases of  $main\_control$  that build boxes and lists 1056 $\rangle + \equiv$  $vmode + halign, hmode + valign: init\_align;$ mmode + halign: if privileged then $if cur\_group = math\_shift\_group then init\_align$ **else** off\_save;  $vmode + endv, hmode + endv: do\_endv;$ 1131. An align\_group code is supposed to remain on the save\_stack during an entire alignment, until  $fin\_align$  removes it. A devious user might force an *endv* command to occur just about anywhere; we must defeat such hacks.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by main\_control 1043 $\rangle + \equiv$ **procedure**  $do\_endv$ ; **begin**  $base\_ptr \leftarrow input\_ptr; input\_stack[base\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_input;$ while  $(input\_stack[base\_ptr].index\_field \neq v\_template) \land (input\_stack[base\_ptr].loc\_field =$  $null) \land (input\_stack[base\_ptr].state\_field = token\_list) \ \mathbf{do} \ decr(base\_ptr);$  $if \ (input\_stack[base\_ptr].index\_field \neq v\_template) \lor (input\_stack[base\_ptr].loc\_field \mapsto v\_template) \lor (input\_stack[base\_ptr].loc\_field \mapsto v\_template) \lor (input\_stack[base\_ptr].loc\_field \mapsto v\_template) \lor (input\_stack[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc_field \mapsto v\_template[base\_ptr].loc$ null)  $\lor$  ( $input\_stack[base\_ptr].state\_field \neq token\_list$ ) then fatal\_error("(interwoven\_alignment\_preambles\_are\_not\_allowed)");  $\mathbf{if} \ \mathit{cur\_group} = \mathit{align\_group} \ \mathbf{then}$ **begin**  $end\_graf$ ; **if** fin\_col **then** fin\_row; end**else** off\_save; end; 1132. (Cases of handle\_right\_brace where a right\_brace triggers a delayed action 1085)  $+\equiv$  $align\_group$ : begin  $back\_input$ ;  $cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_cr$ ;  $print\_err("Missing_{\sqcup}")$ ; print\_esc("cr"); print("\_inserted"); help1("I~muguessinguthatuyouumeantutouenduanualignmentuhere."); ins\_error; end: 1133. (Cases of handle\_right\_brace where a right\_brace triggers a delayed action 1085)  $+\equiv$ no\_align\_group: **begin** end\_graf; unsave; align\_peek; end: Finally, \endcsname is not supposed to get through to main\_control. 1134.

 $\langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv any\_mode(end\_cs\_name): cs\_error;$ 

1135. ⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main\_control 1043 ⟩ +≡
procedure cs\_error;
begin print\_err("Extra\_"); print\_esc("endcsname");

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begin print_err("Extra_"); print_esc("endcsname"); help1("I`m_{\sqcup}ignoring_{\sqcup}this,_{\sqcup}since_{\sqcup}I_{\sqcup}wasn`t_{\sqcup}doing_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}\csname."); error; end;
```

1136. Building math lists. The routines that T<sub>E</sub>X uses to create mlists are similar to those we have just seen for the generation of hlists and vlists. But it is necessary to make "noads" as well as nodes, so the reader should review the discussion of math mode data structures before trying to make sense out of the following program.

Here is a little routine that needs to be done whenever a subformula is about to be processed. The parameter is a code like *math\_group*.

```
\langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control \ 1043 \rangle +\equiv \mathbf{procedure} \ push\_math(c:group\_code);
\mathbf{begin} \ push\_nest; \ mode \leftarrow -mmode; \ incompleat\_noad \leftarrow null; \ new\_save\_level(c);
\mathbf{end};
```

1137. We get into math mode from horizontal mode when a '\$' (i.e., a math\_shift character) is scanned. We must check to see whether this '\$' is immediately followed by another, in case display math mode is called for.

```
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv hmode + math\_shift: init\_math;
```

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1138. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv procedure init\_math;
```

```
label reswitch, found, not_found, done;
var w: scaled; { new or partial pre_display_size }
    l: scaled; { new display_width }
    s: scaled; { new display_indent }
    p: pointer; { current node when calculating pre_display_size }
    q: pointer; { glue specification when calculating pre_display_size }
    f: internal_font_number; { font in current char_node }
    n: integer; { scope of paragraph shape specification }
    v: scaled; { w plus possible glue amount }
    d: scaled; { increment to v }

begin get_token; { get_x_token would fail on \ifmmode!}

if (cur_cmd = math_shift) \wedge (mode > 0) then \wedge Go into display math mode 1145 \wedge else begin back_input; \wedge Go into ordinary math mode 1139 \wedge; end;
end;
```

1139. ⟨Go into ordinary math mode 1139⟩ ≡
begin push\_math(math\_shift\_group); eq\_word\_define(int\_base + cur\_fam\_code, -1);
if every\_math ≠ null then begin\_token\_list(every\_math, every\_math\_text);
end

This code is used in sections 1138 and 1142.

1140. We get into ordinary math mode from display math mode when '\eqno' or '\leqno' appears. In such cases  $cur\_chr$  will be 0 or 1, respectively; the value of  $cur\_chr$  is placed onto  $save\_stack$  for safe keeping.

```
⟨ Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056⟩ +≡ mmode + eq_no: if privileged then
if cur_group = math_shift_group then start_eq_no
else off_save;
```

```
1141. (Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226) +\equiv primitive("eqno", eq_no, 0); primitive("leqno", eq_no, 1);
```

 $non\_math(eq\_no),$ 

1142. When  $T_{EX}$  is in display math mode,  $cur\_group = math\_shift\_group$ , so it is not necessary for the  $start\_eq\_no$  procedure to test for this condition.

```
⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043⟩ +≡
procedure start_eq_no;
begin saved(0) ← cur_chr; incr(save_ptr); ⟨ Go into ordinary math mode 1139⟩;
end;

1143. ⟨ Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227⟩ +≡
eq_no: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("leqno") else print_esc("eqno");

1144. ⟨ Forbidden cases detected in main_control 1048⟩ +≡
```

1145. When we enter display math mode, we need to call  $line\_break$  to process the partial paragraph that has just been interrupted by the display. Then we can set the proper values of  $display\_width$  and  $display\_indent$  and  $pre\_display\_size$ .

```
description of display math mode 1145 \rangle = 
    begin if head = tail then { '\noindent$$' or '$$ $$'}
    begin pop_nest; w ← -max_dimen;
    end
else begin line_break(display_widow_penalty);
    ⟨Calculate the natural width, w, by which the characters of the final line extend to the right of the reference point, plus two ems; or set w ← max_dimen if the non-blank information on that line is affected by stretching or shrinking 1146 \rangle;
    end; { now we are in vertical mode, working on the list that will contain the display }
    ⟨Calculate the length, l, and the shift amount, s, of the display lines 1149 \rangle;
    push_math(math_shift_group); mode ← mmode; eq_word_define(int_base + cur_fam_code, -1);
    eq_word_define(dimen_base + pre_display_width_code, u);
    eq_word_define(dimen_base + display_width_code, u);
    eq_word_define(dimen_base + display_width_code, u);
    if every_display ≠ null then begin_token_list(every_display, every_display_text);
    if nest_ptr = 1 then build_page;
    end
```

This code is used in section 1138.

1146. ⟨Calculate the natural width, w, by which the characters of the final line extend to the right of the reference point, plus two ems; or set w ← max\_dimen if the non-blank information on that line is affected by stretching or shrinking 1146⟩ ≡ v ← shift\_amount(just\_box) + 2 \* quad(cur\_font); w ← -max\_dimen; p ← list\_ptr(just\_box);

```
while p \neq null do

begin \langle Let d be the natural width of node p; if the node is "visible," goto found; if the node is glue

that stretches or shrinks, set v \leftarrow max\_dimen\ 1147 \rangle;

if v < max\_dimen\ then\ v \leftarrow v + d;

goto not\_found;

found: if v < max\_dimen\ then

begin v \leftarrow v + d; w \leftarrow v;

end

else begin w \leftarrow max\_dimen; goto done;

end;

not\_found: p \leftarrow link(p);

end;

done:
```

This code is used in section 1145.

end

This code is used in section 1145.

```
(Let d be the natural width of node p; if the node is "visible," goto found; if the node is glue that
       stretches or shrinks, set v \leftarrow max\_dimen \ 1147 \rangle \equiv
reswitch: if is\_char\_node(p) then
     begin f \leftarrow font(p); d \leftarrow char\_width(f)(char\_info(f)(character(p))); goto found;
  case type(p) of
  hlist\_node, vlist\_node, rule\_node: begin d \leftarrow width(p); goto found;
  ligature_node: (Make node p look like a char_node and goto reswitch 652);
  kern\_node, math\_node: d \leftarrow width(p);
  glue_node: (Let d be the natural width of this glue; if stretching or shrinking, set v \leftarrow max\_dimen; goto
          found in the case of leaders 1148;
  whatsit_node: \langle \text{Let } d \text{ be the width of the whatsit } p \text{ 1361} \rangle;
  othercases d \leftarrow 0
  endcases
This code is used in section 1146.
        We need to be careful that w, v, and d do not depend on any glue_set values, since such values are
subject to system-dependent rounding. System-dependent numbers are not allowed to infiltrate parameters
like pre_display_size, since TFX82 is supposed to make the same decisions on all machines.
\langle Let d be the natural width of this glue; if stretching or shrinking, set v \leftarrow max\_dimen; goto found in the
       case of leaders 1148 \rangle \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow qlue\_ptr(p); d \leftarrow width(q);
  if qlue\_sign(just\_box) = stretching then
     begin if (glue\_order(just\_box) = stretch\_order(q)) \land (stretch(q) \neq 0) then v \leftarrow max\_dimen;
  else if qlue\_sign(just\_box) = shrinking then
       begin if (glue\_order(just\_box) = shrink\_order(q)) \land (shrink(q) \neq 0) then v \leftarrow max\_dimen;
  if subtype(p) \ge a\_leaders then goto found;
This code is used in section 1147.
        A displayed equation is considered to be three lines long, so we calculate the length and offset of
line number prev\_graf + 2.
\langle Calculate the length, l, and the shift amount, s, of the display lines 1149\rangle
  if par\_shape\_ptr = null then
     if (hang\_indent \neq 0) \land (((hang\_after \geq 0) \land (prev\_graf + 2 > hang\_after)) \lor
             (prev\_graf + 1 < -hang\_after)) then
       begin l \leftarrow hsize - abs(hang\_indent);
       if hang\_indent > 0 then s \leftarrow hang\_indent else s \leftarrow 0;
       end
     else begin l \leftarrow hsize; \ s \leftarrow 0;
  else begin n \leftarrow info(par\_shape\_ptr);
     if prev\_graf + 2 \ge n then p \leftarrow par\_shape\_ptr + 2 * n
     else p \leftarrow par\_shape\_ptr + 2 * (prev\_graf + 2);
     s \leftarrow mem[p-1].sc; l \leftarrow mem[p].sc;
```

1150. Subformulas of math formulas cause a new level of math mode to be entered, on the semantic nest as well as the save stack. These subformulas arise in several ways: (1) A left brace by itself indicates the beginning of a subformula that will be put into a box, thereby freezing its glue and preventing line breaks. (2) A subscript or superscript is treated as a subformula if it is not a single character; the same applies to the nucleus of things like \underline. (3) The \left primitive initiates a subformula that will be terminated by a matching \right. The group codes placed on save\_stack in these three cases are math\_group, math\_group, and math\_left\_group, respectively.

Here is the code that handles case (1); the other cases are not quite as trivial, so we shall consider them later

```
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv mmode + left\_brace: \mathbf{begin} \ tail\_append(new\_noad); \ back\_input; \ scan\_math(nucleus(tail)); \ \mathbf{end};
```

1151. Recall that the *nucleus*, *subscr*, and *supscr* fields in a noad are broken down into subfields called *math\_type* and either *info* or (*fam*, *character*). The job of *scan\_math* is to figure out what to place in one of these principal fields; it looks at the subformula that comes next in the input, and places an encoding of that subformula into a given word of *mem*.

```
define fam\_in\_range \equiv ((cur\_fam \ge 0) \land (cur\_fam < 16))
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_math(p:pointer);
  label restart, reswitch, exit;
  var c: integer; { math character code }
  begin restart: (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
reswitch: case cur_cmd of
  letter, other_char, char_given: begin c \leftarrow ho(math\_code(cur\_chr));
     if c = 1000000 then
        begin \langle \text{Treat } cur\_chr \text{ as an active character } 1152 \rangle;
        goto restart;
        end:
     end;
  char\_num: begin scan\_char\_num; cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_val; cur\_cmd \leftarrow char\_given; goto reswitch;
  math\_char\_num: begin scan\_fifteen\_bit\_int; c \leftarrow cur\_val;
     end;
  math\_given: c \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  delim\_num: begin scan\_twenty\_seven\_bit\_int; c \leftarrow cur\_val div '10000;
     end;
  othercases (Scan a subformula enclosed in braces and return 1153)
  endcases;
  math\_type(p) \leftarrow math\_char; character(p) \leftarrow qi(c \bmod 256);
  if (c \geq var\_code) \land fam\_in\_range then fam(p) \leftarrow cur\_fam
  else fam(p) \leftarrow (c \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} 256) \operatorname{\mathbf{mod}} 16;
exit: end;
         An active character that is an outer_call is allowed here.
1152.
\langle \text{Treat } cur\_chr \text{ as an active character } 1152 \rangle \equiv
  begin cur\_cs \leftarrow cur\_chr + active\_base; cur\_cmd \leftarrow eq\_type(cur\_cs); cur\_chr \leftarrow equiv(cur\_cs); x\_token;
  back_input;
  end
```

This code is used in sections 1151 and 1155.

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1153. The pointer p is placed on save\_stack while a complex subformula is being scanned.

```
\langle Scan a subformula enclosed in braces and return 1153\rangle \equiv begin back\_input; scan\_left\_brace; saved(0) \leftarrow p; incr(save\_ptr); push\_math(math\_group); return; end
```

1154. The simplest math formula is, of course, '\$ \$', when no noads are generated. The next simplest cases involve a single character, e.g., '\$x\$'. Even though such cases may not seem to be very interesting, the reader can perhaps understand how happy the author was when '\$x\$' was first properly typeset by TEX. The code in this section was used.

```
 \langle \operatorname{Cases \ of \ main\_control \ that \ build \ boxes \ and \ lists \ 1056} \rangle + \equiv \\ mmode + letter, mmode + other\_char, mmode + char\_given: \ set\_math\_char(ho(math\_code(cur\_chr))); \\ mmode + char\_num: \ \mathbf{begin} \ scan\_char\_num; \ cur\_chr \leftarrow cur\_val; \ set\_math\_char(ho(math\_code(cur\_chr))); \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ mmode + math\_char\_num: \ \mathbf{begin} \ scan\_fifteen\_bit\_int; \ set\_math\_char(cur\_val); \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ mmode + math\_given: \ set\_math\_char(cur\_chr); \\ mmode + delim\_num: \ \mathbf{begin} \ scan\_twenty\_seven\_bit\_int; \ set\_math\_char(cur\_val \ \mathbf{div} \ '10000); \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \end{aligned}
```

1155. The set\_math\_char procedure creates a new noad appropriate to a given math code, and appends it to the current mlist. However, if the math code is sufficiently large, the cur\_chr is treated as an active character and nothing is appended.

```
⟨ Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043⟩ +≡ procedure set\_math\_char(c:integer); var p: pointer; { the new noad } begin if c \ge '100000 then ⟨ Treat cur\_chr as an active character 1152⟩ else begin p \leftarrow new\_noad;\ math\_type(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow math\_char;\ character(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow qi(c \ mod\ 256);\ fam(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow (c \ div\ 256) \ mod\ 16; if c \ge var\_code then begin if fam\_in\_range then fam(nucleus(p)) \leftarrow cur\_fam;\ type(p) \leftarrow ord\_noad;\ end else type(p) \leftarrow ord\_noad + (c \ div\ '10000);\ link(tail) \leftarrow p;\ tail \leftarrow p;\ end;\ end;
```

1156. Primitive math operators like \mathop and \underline are given the command code *math\_comp*, supplemented by the noad type that they generate.

```
⟨ Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226⟩ +≡
    primitive("mathord", math_comp, ord_noad); primitive("mathop", math_comp, op_noad);
    primitive("mathbin", math_comp, bin_noad); primitive("mathrel", math_comp, rel_noad);
    primitive("mathopen", math_comp, open_noad); primitive("mathclose", math_comp, close_noad);
    primitive("mathpunct", math_comp, punct_noad); primitive("mathinner", math_comp, inner_noad);
    primitive("underline", math_comp, under_noad); primitive("overline", math_comp, over_noad);
    primitive("displaylimits", limit_switch, normal); primitive("limits", limit_switch, limits);
    primitive("nolimits", limit_switch, no_limits);
```

```
1157.
         \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
math_comp: case chr_code of
  ord_noad: print_esc("mathord");
  op_noad: print_esc("mathop");
  bin_noad: print_esc("mathbin");
  rel_noad: print_esc("mathrel");
  open_noad: print_esc("mathopen");
  close\_noad \colon print\_esc("mathclose");
  punct_noad: print_esc("mathpunct");
  inner_noad: print_esc("mathinner");
  under_noad: print_esc("underline");
  othercases print_esc("overline")
  endcases;
limit_switch: if chr_code = limits then print_esc("limits")
  else if chr_code = no_limits then print_esc("nolimits")
    else print_esc("displaylimits");
       \langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv
mmode + math\_comp: begin tail\_append(new\_noad); type(tail) \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_math(nucleus(tail));
  end;
mmode + limit\_switch: math\_limit\_switch;
1159. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure math_limit_switch;
  label exit;
  begin if head \neq tail then
    if type(tail) = op\_noad then
       begin subtype(tail) \leftarrow cur\_chr; return;
  print_err("Limit_controls_must_follow_a_math_operator");
  help1("I~muignoringuthisumisplacedu\limitsuoru\nolimitsucommand."); error;
exit: \mathbf{end};
1160. Delimiter fields of noads are filled in by the scan_delimiter routine. The first parameter of this
procedure is the mem address where the delimiter is to be placed; the second tells if this delimiter follows
\radical or not.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure scan_delimiter(p : pointer; r : boolean);
  begin if r then scan\_twenty\_seven\_bit\_int
  else begin (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
    case cur_cmd of
    letter, other\_char: cur\_val \leftarrow del\_code(cur\_chr);
    delim_num: scan_twenty_seven_bit_int;
    othercases cur\_val \leftarrow -1
    endcases;
    end:
  if cur_val < 0 then
    \langle Report that an invalid delimiter code is being changed to null; set cur_{\nu}val \leftarrow 0 1161\rangle;
  large\_fam(p) \leftarrow (cur\_val \ \mathbf{div}\ 256) \ \mathbf{mod}\ 16; \ large\_char(p) \leftarrow qi(cur\_val \ \mathbf{mod}\ 256);
  end;
```

```
1161. (Report that an invalid delimiter code is being changed to null; set cur_{val} \leftarrow 0 1161) \equiv
  begin print_err("Missing delimiter (. inserted)");
  help6("I_{\sqcup}was_{\sqcup}expecting_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}see_{\sqcup}something_{\sqcup}like_{\sqcup}`(`_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}`\setminus \{`_{\sqcup}or")
  (")^{\line .} If_you_typed,_e.g.,_^{\line .} ("instead_of_`)^{\line .} (")
  ("should_probably_delete_the_`{'_by_typing_'1'_now,_so_that")
  ("braces_don't_get_unbalanced._Otherwise_just_proceed.")
  ("Acceptable_delimiters_are_characters_whose_\delcode_is")
  ("nonnegative, \_or\_you\_can\_use\_`\delimiter\_<delimiter\_code>`."); back\_error; cur\_val \leftarrow 0;
  end
This code is used in section 1160.
1162. \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv
mmode + radical: math\_radical;
1163. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure math_radical:
  begin tail\_append(get\_node(radical\_noad\_size)); type(tail) \leftarrow radical\_noad; subtype(tail) \leftarrow normal;
  mem[nucleus(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field; mem[subscr(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field;
  mem[supscr(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field; scan\_delimiter(left\_delimiter(tail), true); scan\_math(nucleus(tail));
  end;
1164. \langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv
mmode + accent, mmode + math\_accent: math\_ac;
1165. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure math_ac;
  begin if cur\_cmd = accent then \langle Complain that the user should have said \mathaccent 1166\rangle;
  tail\_append(get\_node(accent\_noad\_size)); type(tail) \leftarrow accent\_noad; subtype(tail) \leftarrow normal;
  mem[nucleus(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field; mem[subscr(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field;
  mem[supscr(tail)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field; math\_type(accent\_chr(tail)) \leftarrow math\_char; scan\_fifteen\_bit\_int;
  character(accent\_chr(tail)) \leftarrow qi(cur\_val \ \mathbf{mod} \ 256);
  if (cur\_val \ge var\_code) \land fam\_in\_range then fam(accent\_chr(tail)) \leftarrow cur\_fam
  else fam(accent\_chr(tail)) \leftarrow (cur\_val \ \mathbf{div} \ 256) \ \mathbf{mod} \ 16;
  scan_math(nucleus(tail));
  end;
1166. (Complain that the user should have said \mathaccent 1166) \equiv
  begin print_err("Please_use_"); print_esc("mathaccent"); print("ufor_accents_in_math_mode");
  help2("I`m_{\sqcup}changing_{\sqcup}\accent_{\sqcup}to_{\sqcup}\accent_{\sqcup}here;_{\sqcup}wish_{\sqcup}me_{\sqcup}luck.")
  ("(Accents_are_not_the_same_in_formulas_as_they_are_in_text.)"); error;
  end
This code is used in section 1165.
1167. (Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056) +\equiv
mmode + vcenter: begin scan\_spec(vcenter\_group, false); normal\_paragraph; push\_nest; mode <math>\leftarrow -vmode;
  prev\_depth \leftarrow ignore\_depth;
  if every\_vbox \neq null then begin\_token\_list(every\_vbox, every\_vbox\_text);
  end:
```

```
\langle \text{Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle + \equiv
vcenter\_group: \mathbf{begin} \ end\_graf; \ unsave; \ save\_ptr \leftarrow save\_ptr - 2;
  p \leftarrow vpack(link(head), saved(1), saved(0)); pop\_nest; tail\_append(new\_noad); type(tail) \leftarrow vcenter\_noad;
  math\_type(nucleus(tail)) \leftarrow sub\_box; info(nucleus(tail)) \leftarrow p;
  end;
1169.
         The routine that inserts a style_node holds no surprises.
\langle \text{Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("displaystyle", math_style, display_style); primitive("textstyle", math_style, text_style);
  primitive("scriptstyle", math_style, script_style);
  primitive("scriptscriptstyle", math_style, script_script_style);
1170. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
math_style: print_style(chr_code);
1171. \langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that build boxes and lists } 1056 \rangle + \equiv
mmode + math\_style: tail\_append(new\_style(cur\_chr));
mmode + non\_script: begin tail\_append(new\_glue(zero\_glue)); subtype(tail) \leftarrow cond\_math\_glue;
  end:
mmode + math\_choice: append\_choices;
1172. The routine that scans the four mlists of a \mathchoice is very much like the routine that builds
discretionary nodes.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main_control 1043\rangle + \equiv
procedure append_choices;
  begin tail\_append(new\_choice); incr(save\_ptr); saved(-1) \leftarrow 0; push\_math(math\_choice\_group);
  scan\_left\_brace;
  end;
1173. \langle \text{Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle + \equiv
math_choice_group: build_choices;
1174. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
(Declare the function called fin_mlist 1184)
procedure build_choices;
  label exit:
  var p: pointer; { the current mlist }
  begin unsave; p \leftarrow fin\_mlist(null);
  case saved(-1) of
  0: display\_mlist(tail) \leftarrow p;
  1: text\_mlist(tail) \leftarrow p;
  2: script\_mlist(tail) \leftarrow p;
  3: begin script\_script\_mlist(tail) \leftarrow p; decr(save\_ptr); return;
  end; { there are no other cases }
  incr(saved(-1)); push\_math(math\_choice\_group); scan\_left\_brace;
exit: end;
```

Subscripts and superscripts are attached to the previous nucleus by the action procedure called  $sub\_sup$ . We use the facts that  $sub\_mark = sup\_mark + 1$  and subscr(p) = supscr(p) + 1.  $\langle$  Cases of main\_control that build boxes and lists 1056 $\rangle + \equiv$  $mmode + sub\_mark, mmode + sup\_mark: sub\_sup;$ 1176.  $\langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ procedure  $sub\_sup$ ; var t: small\_number; { type of previous sub/superscript } p: pointer; { field to be filled by scan\_math } **begin**  $t \leftarrow empty; p \leftarrow null;$ if  $tail \neq head$  then  ${f if}\ scripts\_allowed(tail)\ {f then}$ **begin**  $p \leftarrow supscr(tail) + cur\_cmd - sup\_mark; \{ supscr \text{ or } subscr \}$  $t \leftarrow math\_type(p);$ end: if  $(p = null) \lor (t \neq empty)$  then \langle Insert a dummy noad to be sub/superscripted 1177\rangle;  $scan_{-}math(p);$ end; 1177. (Insert a dummy noad to be sub/superscripted 1177)  $\equiv$ **begin**  $tail\_append(new\_noad); p \leftarrow supscr(tail) + cur\_cmd - sup\_mark; { supscr or subscr}$ if  $t \neq empty$  then begin if  $cur\_cmd = sup\_mark$  then begin print\_err("Double\_superscript"); help1("I⊔treatu`x^1^2′uessentiallyulikeu`x^1{}^2′."); else begin print\_err("Double\_subscript");  $help1("I_{\sqcup}treat_{\sqcup}`x_1_2`_{\sqcup}essentially_{\sqcup}like_{\sqcup}`x_1\{\}_2`.");$ 

This code is used in section 1176.

 $\begin{array}{c} error; \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \mathbf{end} \end{array}$ 

1178. An operation like '\over' causes the current mlist to go into a state of suspended animation: incompleat\_noad points to a fraction\_noad that contains the mlist-so-far as its numerator, while the denominator is yet to come. Finally when the mlist is finished, the denominator will go into the incompleat fraction noad, and that noad will become the whole formula, unless it is surrounded by '\left' and '\right' delimiters.

```
\begin{array}{l} \textbf{define} \ above\_code = 0 \quad \{ \text{ `\above'} \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ aver\_code = 1 \quad \{ \text{ `\above'} \ \} \\ \textbf{define} \ atop\_code = 2 \quad \{ \text{ `\above ithdelims'}, etc. \} \\ \textbf{define} \ delimited\_code = 3 \quad \{ \text{ `\above withdelims'}, etc. \} \\ \langle \text{Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle + \equiv \\ primitive(\text{"above"}, above, above\_code); \\ primitive(\text{"above"}, above, over\_code); \\ primitive(\text{"atop"}, above, atop\_code); \\ primitive(\text{"atopwithdelims"}, above, delimited\_code + above\_code); \\ primitive(\text{"overwithdelims"}, above, delimited\_code + atop\_code); \\ primitive(\text{"atopwithdelims"}, above, delimited\_code + atop\_code); \\ \end{array}
```

```
1179.
         \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
above: case chr_code of
  over_code: print_esc("over");
  atop_code: print_esc("atop");
  delimited_code + above_code: print_esc("abovewithdelims");
  delimited_code + over_code: print_esc("overwithdelims");
  delimited_code + atop_code: print_esc("atopwithdelims");
  othercases print_esc("above")
  endcases;
1180. (Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056) +\equiv
mmode + above: math\_fraction;
1181. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure math_fraction;
  var c: small_number; { the type of generalized fraction we are scanning }
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr:
  if incompleat\_noad \neq null then
     (Ignore the fraction operation and complain about this ambiguous case 1183)
  else begin incompleat\_noad \leftarrow get\_node(fraction\_noad\_size); type(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow fraction\_noad;
     subtype(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow normal; math\_type(numerator(incompleat\_noad)) \leftarrow sub\_mlist;
     info(numerator(incompleat\_noad)) \leftarrow link(head);
     mem[denominator(incompleat\_noad)].hh \leftarrow empty\_field;
     mem[left\_delimiter(incompleat\_noad)].qqqq \leftarrow null\_delimiter;
     mem[right\_delimiter(incompleat\_noad)].qqqq \leftarrow null\_delimiter;
     link(head) \leftarrow null; tail \leftarrow head; \langle \text{Use code } c \text{ to distinguish between generalized fractions } 1182 \rangle;
     end;
  end;
1182. \langle Use code c to distinguish between generalized fractions 1182\rangle \equiv
  if c \geq delimited\_code then
     begin scan_delimiter(left_delimiter(incompleat_noad), false);
     scan_delimiter(right_delimiter(incompleat_noad), false);
     end;
  case c \mod delimited\_code of
  above\_code: begin scan\_normal\_dimen; thickness(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow cur\_val;
  over\_code: thickness(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow default\_code;
  atop\_code: thickness(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow 0;
  end { there are no other cases }
This code is used in section 1181.
```

```
\langle Ignore the fraction operation and complain about this ambiguous case 1183\rangle \equiv
begin if c > delimited\_code then
   begin scan_delimiter(garbage, false); scan_delimiter(garbage, false);
   end;
if c \mod delimited\_code = above\_code then scan\_normal\_dimen;
print_err("Ambiguous; \_you\_need\_another_{\sqcup}\{\_and_{\sqcup}\}");
help3("I\mbox{"muignoring}\mbox{"this}\mbox{"fraction}\mbox{"specification},\mbox{"since}\mbox{"I}\mbox{"don't"})
("know_uwhether_ua_uconstruction_ulike_u`x_u\over_uy_u\over_uz`")
("means_{\sqcup} \{x_{\sqcup} \setminus over_{\sqcup} y\}_{\sqcup} \setminus over_{\sqcup} z \cap x_{\sqcup} \setminus over_{\sqcup} \{y_{\sqcup} \setminus over_{\sqcup} z\} \cap y\}; error;
end
```

1184. At the end of a math formula or subformula, the fin\_mlist routine is called upon to return a pointer to the newly completed mlist, and to pop the nest back to the enclosing semantic level. The parameter to

appended.

```
fin_mlist, if not null, points to a right_noad that ends the current mlist; this right_noad has not yet been
\langle Declare the function called fin_{-}mlist_{-}1184 \rangle \equiv
function fin\_mlist(p:pointer): pointer;
  var q: pointer; { the mlist to return }
  begin if incompleat\_noad \neq null then \langle Compleat the incompleat noad 1185\rangle
  else begin link(tail) \leftarrow p; \ q \leftarrow link(head);
  pop\_nest; fin\_mlist \leftarrow q;
  end:
This code is used in section 1174.
1185. \langle Compleat the incompleat noad 1185\rangle \equiv
  begin math\_type(denominator(incompleat\_noad)) \leftarrow sub\_mlist;
  info(denominator(incompleat\_noad)) \leftarrow link(head);
  if p = null then q \leftarrow incompleat\_noad
  else begin q \leftarrow info(numerator(incompleat\_noad));
     if type(q) \neq left\_noad then confusion("right");
     info(numerator(incompleat\_noad)) \leftarrow link(q); link(q) \leftarrow incompleat\_noad; link(incompleat\_noad) \leftarrow p;
     end:
  end
```

This code is used in section 1184.

This code is used in section 1181.

1186. Now at last we're ready to see what happens when a right brace occurs in a math formula. Two special cases are simplified here: Braces are effectively removed when they surround a single Ord without sub/superscripts, or when they surround an accent that is the nucleus of an Ord atom.

```
\langle \text{Cases of } handle\_right\_brace \text{ where a } right\_brace \text{ triggers a delayed action } 1085 \rangle + \equiv
math_group: begin unsave; decr(save_ptr);
  math\_type(saved(0)) \leftarrow sub\_mlist; \ p \leftarrow fin\_mlist(null); \ info(saved(0)) \leftarrow p;
  if p \neq null then
     if link(p) = null then
        if type(p) = ord\_noad then
          begin if math\_type(subscr(p)) = empty then
             if math\_type(supscr(p)) = empty then
                begin mem[saved(0)].hh \leftarrow mem[nucleus(p)].hh; free\_node(p, noad\_size);
          end
        else if type(p) = accent\_noad then
             if saved(0) = nucleus(tail) then
                if type(tail) = ord\_noad then \langle Replace the tail of the list by <math>p \ 1187 \rangle;
  end;
1187. (Replace the tail of the list by p 1187) \equiv
  begin q \leftarrow head;
  while link(q) \neq tail do q \leftarrow link(q);
  link(q) \leftarrow p; free\_node(tail, noad\_size); tail \leftarrow p;
  end
This code is used in section 1186.
         We have dealt with all constructions of math mode except '\left' and '\right', so the picture is
completed by the following sections of the program.
\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +\equiv
  primitive("left", left_right, left_noad); primitive("right", left_right, right_noad);
  text(frozen\_right) \leftarrow "right"; eqtb[frozen\_right] \leftarrow eqtb[cur\_val];
1189. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
left_right: if chr_code = left_noad then print_esc("left")
  else print_esc("right");
1190. (Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056) +\equiv
mmode + left\_right: math\_left\_right;
```

```
1191. \langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure math_left_right;
  var t: small_number; { left_noad or right_noad }
    p: pointer; \{ new noad \}
  begin t \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  else begin p \leftarrow new\_noad; type(p) \leftarrow t; scan\_delimiter(delimiter(p), false);
     if t = left\_noad then
       begin push\_math(math\_left\_group); link(head) \leftarrow p; tail \leftarrow p;
       end
     else begin p \leftarrow fin\_mlist(p); unsave; { end of math\_left\_group }
       tail\_append(new\_noad); type(tail) \leftarrow inner\_noad; math\_type(nucleus(tail)) \leftarrow sub\_mlist;
       info(nucleus(tail)) \leftarrow p;
       end;
    end;
  end;
1192. \langle \text{Try to recover from mismatched } \backslash \text{right } 1192 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_group = math\_shift\_group then
     begin scan_delimiter(garbage, false); print_err("Extra⊔"); print_esc("right");
     help1("Im_{\sqcup}ignoring_{\sqcup}a_{\sqcup}\right_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}had_{\sqcup}no_{\sqcup}matching_{\sqcup}\left."); error;
     end
  else off_save;
  end
This code is used in section 1191.
1193. Here is the only way out of math mode.
\langle Cases of main_control that build boxes and lists 1056\rangle +\equiv
mmode + math\_shift: if cur\_group = math\_shift\_group then after\_math
  else off_save;
```

This code is used in sections 1194 and 1194.

```
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure after_math;
    var l: boolean; {'\leqno' instead of '\eqno'}
          danger: boolean; { not enough symbol fonts are present }
          m: integer; \{ mmode \text{ or } -mmode \}
          p: pointer; { the formula }
          a: pointer; { box containing equation number }
          (Local variables for finishing a displayed formula 1198)
    begin danger \leftarrow false; (Check that the necessary fonts for math symbols are present; if not, flush the
               current math lists and set danger \leftarrow true 1195;
    m \leftarrow mode; l \leftarrow false; p \leftarrow fin\_mlist(null); \{ this pops the nest \}
    if mode = -m then { end of equation number }
          begin (Check that another $ follows 1197);
          cur\_mlist \leftarrow p; \ cur\_style \leftarrow text\_style; \ mlist\_penalties \leftarrow false; \ mlist\_to\_hlist;
          a \leftarrow hpack(link(temp\_head), natural); \ unsave; \ decr(save\_ptr); \ \{ now \ cur\_group = math\_shift\_group \}
          if saved(0) = 1 then l \leftarrow true;
          danger \leftarrow false: \langle Check that the necessary fonts for math symbols are present; if not, flush the current
                    math lists and set danger \leftarrow true \ 1195 \rangle;
          m \leftarrow mode; \ p \leftarrow fin\_mlist(null);
          end
    else a \leftarrow null;
    if m < 0 then \langle Finish math in text 1196\rangle
    else begin if a = null then (Check that another $ follows 1197);
          ⟨Finish displayed math 1199⟩;
          end;
    end;
1195.
                (Check that the necessary fonts for math symbols are present; if not, flush the current math lists
               and set danger \leftarrow true \ 1195 \rangle \equiv
    if (font\_params[fam\_fnt(2 + text\_size)] < total\_mathsy\_params) \lor
                    (font\_params[fam\_fnt(2 + script\_size)] < total\_mathsy\_params) \lor
                    (font\_params[fam\_fnt(2 + script\_script\_size)] < total\_mathsy\_params) then
          begin print_err("Math_formula_deleted: LInsufficient Lsymbol Lfonts");
          help3("Sorry,\_but_\sqcup I_\sqcup can `t_\sqcup typeset_\sqcup math_\sqcup unless_\sqcup \textfont_\sqcup 2")
          ("and_{\sqcup}\scriptfont_{\sqcup}2_{\sqcup}and_{\sqcup}\scriptscriptfont_{\sqcup}2_{\sqcup}have_{\sqcup}all")
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    else if (font\_params[fam\_fnt(3 + text\_size)] < total\_mathex\_params) \lor
                         (font\_params[fam\_fnt(3 + script\_size)] < total\_mathex\_params) \lor
                         (font\_params[fam\_fnt(3 + script\_script\_size)] < total\_mathex\_params) then
               begin print_err("Math_formula_deleted: ☐Insufficient ☐extension ☐fonts");
               help3("Sorry, _but_I_can´t_typeset_math_unless_\textfont_3")
               ("and<sub>\(\)</sub>\scriptfont<sub>\(\)</sub>3<sub>\(\)</sub>and<sub>\(\)</sub>\scriptscriptfont<sub>\(\)</sub>3<sub>\(\)</sub>have<sub>\(\)</sub>all")
               ("the_\fontdimen_values_needed_in_math_extension_fonts."); error; flush_math;
               danger \leftarrow true;
               end
```

1196. The *unsave* is done after everything else here; hence an appearance of '\mathsurround' inside of '\\$...\\$' affects the spacing at these particular \\$'s. This is consistent with the conventions of '\\$\...\\$', since '\abovedisplayskip' inside a display affects the space above that display.

```
\langle Finish math in text 1196\rangle \equiv begin tail\_append(new\_math(math\_surround, before)); <math>cur\_mlist \leftarrow p; cur\_style \leftarrow text\_style; mlist\_penalties \leftarrow (mode > 0); mlist\_to\_hlist; link(tail) \leftarrow link(temp\_head);  while link(tail) \neq null do tail \leftarrow link(tail); tail\_append(new\_math(math\_surround, after)); space\_factor \leftarrow 1000; unsave; end
```

This code is used in section 1194.

1197. TEX gets to the following part of the program when the first '\$' ending a display has been scanned.

```
⟨ Check that another $ follows 1197⟩ ≡
begin get_x_token;
if cur_cmd ≠ math_shift then
begin print_err("Display_math_should_end_with_$$");
help2("The_`$´_that_I_just_saw_supposedly_matches_a_previous_`$$´.")
("So_I_shall_assume_that_you_typed_`$$´_both_times."); back_error;
end;
end
```

This code is used in sections 1194, 1194, and 1206.

1198. We have saved the worst for last: The fussiest part of math mode processing occurs when a displayed formula is being centered and placed with an optional equation number.

```
\langle Local variables for finishing a displayed formula 1198\rangle \equiv
b: pointer; { box containing the equation }
w: scaled;
            { width of the equation }
z: scaled;
            { width of the line }
e: scaled;
            { width of equation number }
q: scaled;
            width of equation number plus space to separate from equation }
            { displacement of equation in the line }
d: scaled;
s: scaled;
            { move the line right this much }
g1, g2: small_number; { glue parameter codes for before and after }
r: pointer; {kern node used to position the display}
t: pointer; { tail of adjustment list }
This code is used in section 1194.
```

1199.

end

This code is used in section 1199.

the equation number; and we are in vertical mode (or internal vertical mode).  $\langle$  Finish displayed math 1199 $\rangle \equiv$  $cur\_mlist \leftarrow p; \ cur\_style \leftarrow display\_style; \ mlist\_penalties \leftarrow false; \ mlist\_to\_hlist; \ p \leftarrow link(temp\_head);$  $adjust\_tail \leftarrow adjust\_head$ ;  $b \leftarrow hpack(p, natural)$ ;  $p \leftarrow list\_ptr(b)$ ;  $t \leftarrow adjust\_tail$ ;  $adjust\_tail \leftarrow null$ ;  $w \leftarrow width(b); \ z \leftarrow display\_width; \ s \leftarrow display\_indent;$ if  $(a = null) \vee danger$  then **begin**  $e \leftarrow 0$ ;  $q \leftarrow 0$ ; else begin  $e \leftarrow width(a); \ q \leftarrow e + math\_quad(text\_size);$ end; if w+q>z then  $\langle$  Squeeze the equation as much as possible; if there is an equation number that should go on a separate line by itself, set  $e \leftarrow 0$  1201 $\rangle$ ;  $\langle$  Determine the displacement, d, of the left edge of the equation, with respect to the line size z, assuming that  $l = false | 1202 \rangle$ ; (Append the glue or equation number preceding the display 1203); (Append the display and perhaps also the equation number 1204); (Append the glue or equation number following the display 1205);  $resume\_after\_display$ This code is used in section 1194.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** resume\_after\_display; **begin** if  $cur\_group \neq math\_shift\_group$  then confusion("display"); $unsave; prev\_graf \leftarrow prev\_graf + 3; push\_nest; mode \leftarrow hmode; space\_factor \leftarrow 1000; set\_cur\_lang;$  $clang \leftarrow cur\_lang;$  $prev\_qraf \leftarrow (norm\_min(left\_hyphen\_min) * '100 + norm\_min(right\_hyphen\_min)) * '200000 + cur\_lang;$ (Scan an optional space 443); **if**  $nest\_ptr = 1$  **then**  $build\_page$ ; end; 1201. The user can force the equation number to go on a separate line by causing its width to be zero. Squeeze the equation as much as possible; if there is an equation number that should go on a separate line by itself, set  $e \leftarrow 0$  1201  $\rangle \equiv$ **begin if**  $(e \neq 0) \land ((w - total\_shrink[normal] + q \leq z) \lor$  $(total\_shrink[fil] \neq 0) \lor (total\_shrink[fill] \neq 0) \lor (total\_shrink[fill] \neq 0))$  then  $\mathbf{begin} \ \mathit{free\_node}(b, \mathit{box\_node\_size}); \ b \leftarrow \mathit{hpack}(p, z - q, \mathit{exactly});$ end else begin  $e \leftarrow 0$ ; if w > z then **begin**  $free\_node(b, box\_node\_size); b \leftarrow hpack(p, z, exactly);$ end: end:  $w \leftarrow width(b);$ 

At this time p points to the mlist for the formula; a is either null or it points to a box containing

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1202. We try first to center the display without regard to the existence of the equation number. If that would make it too close (where "too close" means that the space between display and equation number is less than the width of the equation number), we either center it in the remaining space or move it as far from the equation number as possible. The latter alternative is taken only if the display begins with glue, since we assume that the user put glue there to control the spacing precisely.

```
⟨ Determine the displacement, d, of the left edge of the equation, with respect to the line size z, assuming that l = false \ 1202⟩ ≡ d \leftarrow half(z - w);

if (e > 0) \land (d < 2 * e) then { too close }

begin d \leftarrow half(z - w - e);

if p \neq null then

if \neg is\_char\_node(p) then

if type(p) = glue\_node then d \leftarrow 0;
```

This code is used in section 1199.

end

1203. If the equation number is set on a line by itself, either before or after the formula, we append an infinite penalty so that no page break will separate the display from its number; and we use the same size and displacement for all three potential lines of the display, even though '\parshape' may specify them differently.

```
\langle Append the glue or equation number preceding the display 1203\rangle \equiv
  tail\_append(new\_penalty(pre\_display\_penalty));
  if (d+s \leq pre\_display\_size) \vee l then { not enough clearance }
     begin g1 \leftarrow above\_display\_skip\_code; g2 \leftarrow below\_display\_skip\_code;
     end
  else begin g1 \leftarrow above\_display\_short\_skip\_code; g2 \leftarrow below\_display\_short\_skip\_code;
  if l \wedge (e = 0) then { it follows that type(a) = hlist\_node }
     begin shift\_amount(a) \leftarrow s; append\_to\_vlist(a); tail\_append(new\_penalty(inf\_penalty));
     end
  else tail_append(new_param_qlue(q1))
This code is used in section 1199.
1204. \langle Append the display and perhaps also the equation number 1204\rangle \equiv
  if e \neq 0 then
     begin r \leftarrow new\_kern(z - w - e - d);
        begin link(a) \leftarrow r; link(r) \leftarrow b; b \leftarrow a; d \leftarrow 0;
     else begin link(b) \leftarrow r; link(r) \leftarrow a;
     b \leftarrow hpack(b, natural);
     end:
  shift\_amount(b) \leftarrow s + d; \ append\_to\_vlist(b)
This code is used in section 1199.
```

```
\langle Append the glue or equation number following the display 1205\rangle \equiv
  if (a \neq null) \land (e = 0) \land \neg l then
     begin tail\_append(new\_penalty(inf\_penalty)); shift\_amount(a) \leftarrow s + z - width(a); append\_to\_vlist(a);
     g2 \leftarrow 0;
     end;
  if t \neq adjust\_head then { migrating material comes after equation number }
     begin link(tail) \leftarrow link(adjust\_head); tail \leftarrow t;
     end;
  tail\_append(new\_penalty(post\_display\_penalty));
  if g2 > 0 then tail\_append(new\_param\_glue(g2))
This code is used in section 1199.
        When \halign appears in a display, the alignment routines operate essentially as they do in vertical
mode. Then the following program is activated, with p and q pointing to the beginning and end of the
resulting list, and with aux_save holding the prev_depth value.
\langle Finish an alignment in a display 1206\rangle \equiv
  begin do_assignments;
  if cur\_cmd \neq math\_shift then (Pontificate about improper alignment in display 1207)
  else (Check that another $ follows 1197);
  pop_nest; tail_append(new_penalty(pre_display_penalty));
  tail\_append(new\_param\_glue(above\_display\_skip\_code));\ link(tail) \leftarrow p;
  if p \neq null then tail \leftarrow q;
  tail\_append(new\_penalty(post\_display\_penalty)); \ tail\_append(new\_param\_qlue(below\_display\_skip\_code));
  prev\_depth \leftarrow aux\_save.sc; resume\_after\_display;
  end
This code is used in section 812.
1207. \langle Pontificate about improper alignment in display 1207\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Missing_\$$_\inserted");
  help2("Displays_{\square}can_{\square}use_{\square}special_{\square}alignments_{\square}(like_{\square}eqalignno)")
  ("only \sqcup if \sqcup nothing \sqcup but \sqcup the \sqcup alignment \sqcup itself \sqcup is \sqcup between \sqcup \$\$ `s."); \ back\_error;
  end
```

This code is used in section 1206.

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**1208.** Mode-independent processing. The long main\_control procedure has now been fully specified, except for certain activities that are independent of the current mode. These activities do not change the current vlist or hlist or mlist; if they change anything, it is the value of a parameter or the meaning of a control sequence.

Assignments to values in eqtb can be global or local. Furthermore, a control sequence can be defined to be '\long' or '\outer', and it might or might not be expanded. The prefixes '\global', '\long', and '\outer' can occur in any order. Therefore we assign binary numeric codes, making it possible to accumulate the union of all specified prefixes by adding the corresponding codes. (Pascal's set operations could also have been used.)

```
⟨ Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226⟩ +≡
    primitive("long", prefix, 1); primitive("outer", prefix, 2); primitive("global", prefix, 4);
    primitive("def", def, 0); primitive("gdef", def, 1); primitive("edef", def, 2); primitive("xdef", def, 3);

1209. ⟨ Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227⟩ +≡
    prefix: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("long")
    else if chr_code = 2 then print_esc("outer")
    else print_esc("global");

def: if chr_code = 0 then print_esc("def")
    else if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("gdef")
    else if chr_code = 2 then print_esc("edef")
    else if chr_code = 2 then print_esc("edef")
    else print_esc("xdef");
```

1210. Every prefix, and every command code that might or might not be prefixed, calls the action procedure *prefixed\_command*. This routine accumulates a sequence of prefixes until coming to a non-prefix, then it carries out the command.

See also sections 1268, 1271, 1274, 1276, 1285, and 1290.

This code is used in section 1045.

This code is used in section 1211.

```
1211.
         If the user says, e.g., '\global\global', the redundancy is silently accepted.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
\langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed\_command 1215\rangle
procedure prefixed_command;
  label done, exit;
  var a: small_number; { accumulated prefix codes so far }
     f: internal_font_number; { identifies a font }
    j: halfword; { index into a \parshape specification }
     k: font_index; { index into font_info }
    p, q: pointer; { for temporary short-term use }
     n: integer; \{ditto\}
     e: boolean; { should a definition be expanded? or was \let not done? }
  begin a \leftarrow 0;
  while cur\_cmd = prefix do
     begin if \neg odd(a \operatorname{\mathbf{div}} cur\_chr) then a \leftarrow a + cur\_chr;
     (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
     if cur\_cmd \le max\_non\_prefixed\_command then \langle Discard erroneous prefixes and return 1212 \rangle;
  (Discard the prefixes \long and \outer if they are irrelevant 1213);
  (Adjust for the setting of \globaldefs 1214);
  case cur_cmd of
  (Assignments 1217)
  othercases confusion("prefix")
done: (Insert a token saved by \afterassignment, if any 1269);
exit: end;
1212. \langle Discard erroneous prefixes and return 1212\rangle \equiv
  \mathbf{begin} \ print\_err("You \sqcup \mathsf{can't} \sqcup \mathsf{use} \sqcup \mathsf{a} \sqcup \mathsf{prefix} \sqcup \mathsf{with} \sqcup `"); \ print\_emd\_chr(\mathit{cur\_cmd}, \mathit{cur\_chr});
  print_char("'"); help1("I'11_pretend_you_didn't_say_\long_or_\outer_or_\global.");
  back_error; return;
  end
This code is used in section 1211.
1213. (Discard the prefixes \long and \outer if they are irrelevant 1213) \equiv
  if (cur\_cmd \neq def) \land (a \bmod 4 \neq 0) then
     begin print_err("You_can t_use_"); print_esc("long"); print("'_or_"); print_esc("outer");
     print("'_\with\_\"); print_cmd_chr(cur_cmd, cur_chr); print_char("'");
     help1("I'll\_pretend\_you\_didn't\_say\_\long\_or\_\outer\_here."); error;
     end
```

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**1214.** The previous routine does not have to adjust a so that  $a \mod 4 = 0$ , since the following routines test for the  $\global$  prefix as follows.

```
define global \equiv (a > 4)
  define define(\#) \equiv
            if global then geq_define(#) else eq_define(#)
  define word\_define(\#) \equiv
            if global then geq_word_define(#) else eq_word_define(#)
\langle Adjust for the setting of \globaldefs 1214 \rangle \equiv
  if global\_defs \neq 0 then
     if global\_defs < 0 then
       begin if global then a \leftarrow a - 4;
     else begin if \neg global then a \leftarrow a + 4;
       end
This code is used in section 1211.
1215. When a control sequence is to be defined, by \def or \let or something similar, the get_r_token
routine will substitute a special control sequence for a token that is not redefinable.
\langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed_command 1215\rangle \equiv
procedure get_r_token;
  label restart;
  begin restart: repeat get_token;
  until cur\_tok \neq space\_token;
  if (cur\_cs = 0) \lor (cur\_cs > frozen\_control\_sequence) then
     begin print_err("Missing_control_sequence_inserted");
     help5 ("Please_don´t_say_`\def_cs{...}´,_say_`\def\cs{...}´.")
     ("I`ve_{\sqcup}inserted_{\sqcup}an_{\sqcup}inaccessible_{\sqcup}control_{\sqcup}sequence_{\sqcup}so_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}your")
     ("definition_will_be_completed_without_mixing_me_up_too_badly.")
     ("You_can_recover_graciously_from_this_error,_if_you're")
     ("careful; | see | exercise | 27.2 | in | The | TeXbook.");
     if cur_{-}cs = 0 then back_{-}input;
     cur\_tok \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + frozen\_protection; ins\_error; goto restart;
     end;
  end:
See also sections 1229, 1236, 1243, 1244, 1245, 1246, 1247, 1257, and 1265.
This code is used in section 1211.
1216. \langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle + \equiv
  text(frozen\_protection) \leftarrow "inaccessible";
```

1217. Here's an example of the way many of the following routines operate. (Unfortunately, they aren't all as simple as this.)

```
 \langle \text{Assignments 1217} \rangle \equiv \\ \text{set\_font: } define(cur\_font\_loc, data, cur\_chr); \\ \text{See also sections 1218, 1221, 1224, 1225, 1226, 1228, 1232, 1234, 1235, 1241, 1242, 1248, 1252, 1253, 1256, and 1264.} \\ \text{This code is used in section 1211.}
```

When a def command has been scanned, cur\_chr is odd if the definition is supposed to be global, and  $cur_{-}chr \geq 2$  if the definition is supposed to be expanded.  $\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv$ def: begin if  $odd(cur\_chr) \land \neg global \land (global\_defs \ge 0)$  then  $a \leftarrow a + 4$ ;  $e \leftarrow (cur\_chr > 2); \ qet\_r\_token; \ p \leftarrow cur\_cs; \ q \leftarrow scan\_toks(true, e); \ define(p, call + (a \ mod \ 4), def\_ref);$ end; 1219.Both \let and \futurelet share the command code let.  $\langle \text{Put each of TpX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle + \equiv$ primitive("let", let, normal); primitive("futurelet", let, normal + 1);**1220.**  $\langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv$ let: if chr\_code ≠ normal then print\_esc("futurelet") else print\_esc("let"); 1221.  $\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv$ let: begin  $n \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ;  $get\_r\_token$ ;  $p \leftarrow cur\_cs$ ; if n = normal then **begin repeat** *get\_token*; until  $cur\_cmd \neq spacer$ ; if  $cur\_tok = other\_token + "=" then$ **begin** *get\_token*; **if**  $cur\_cmd = spacer$  **then**  $get\_token$ ; end; end else begin  $get\_token; \ q \leftarrow cur\_tok; \ get\_token; \ back\_input; \ cur\_tok \leftarrow q; \ back\_input;$ { look ahead, then back up } end; { note that back\_input doesn't affect cur\_cmd, cur\_chr } if  $cur\_cmd \ge call$  then  $add\_token\_ref(cur\_chr)$ ;  $define(p, cur\_cmd, cur\_chr);$ end; A \chardef creates a control sequence whose cmd is char-given; a \mathchardef creates a control sequence whose cmd is math\_given; and the corresponding chr is the character code or math code. A \countdef or \dimendef or \skipdef or \muskipdef creates a control sequence whose cmd is assign\_int or  $\dots$  or  $assign\_mu\_glue$ , and the corresponding chr is the eqtb location of the internal register in question.

```
define char_def_code = 0 { shorthand_def for \chardef }
define math_char_def_code = 1 { shorthand_def for \cauntdef }
define count_def_code = 2 { shorthand_def for \cumutdef }
define dimen_def_code = 3 { shorthand_def for \dimendef }
define skip_def_code = 4 { shorthand_def for \skipdef }
define mu_skip_def_code = 5 { shorthand_def for \muskipdef }
define toks_def_code = 6 { shorthand_def for \toksdef }

\[
\text{Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rightarrow \muskipdef \rightarrow
primitive("chardef", shorthand_def, char_def_code);
primitive("mathchardef", shorthand_def, math_char_def_code);
primitive("dimendef", shorthand_def, dimen_def_code);
primitive("skipdef", shorthand_def, skip_def_code);
primitive("muskipdef", shorthand_def, mu_skip_def_code);
primitive("toksdef", shorthand_def, toks_def_code);
```

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1223. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
shorthand_def: case chr_code of
  char_def_code: print_esc("chardef");
  math_char_def_code: print_esc("mathchardef");
  count_def_code: print_esc("countdef");
  dimen_def_code: print_esc("dimendef");
  skip_def_code: print_esc("skipdef");
  mu_skip_def_code: print_esc("muskipdef");
  othercases print_esc("toksdef")
  endcases:
char_given: begin print_esc("char"); print_hex(chr_code);
math_given: begin print_esc("mathchar"); print_hex(chr_code);
  end;
1224.
         We temporarily define p to be relax, so that an occurrence of p while scanning the definition will
simply stop the scanning instead of producing an "undefined control sequence" error or expanding the
previous meaning. This allows, for instance, '\chardef\foo=123\foo'.
\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
shorthand\_def: \mathbf{begin} \ n \leftarrow cur\_chr; \ get\_r\_token; \ p \leftarrow cur\_cs; \ define(p, relax, 256); \ scan\_optional\_equals;
  case n of
  char_def_code: begin scan_char_num; define(p, char_given, cur_val);
  math_char_def_code: begin scan_fifteen_bit_int; define(p, math_qiven, cur_val);
  othercases begin scan_eight_bit_int;
    \mathbf{case}\ n\ \mathbf{of}
     count\_def\_code: define(p, assign\_int, count\_base + cur\_val);
     dimen\_def\_code: define(p, assign\_dimen, scaled\_base + cur\_val);
     skip\_def\_code: define(p, assign\_glue, skip\_base + cur\_val);
     mu\_skip\_def\_code: define(p, assign\_mu\_glue, mu\_skip\_base + cur\_val);
     toks\_def\_code: define(p, assign\_toks, toks\_base + cur\_val);
     end; { there are no other cases }
     end
  endcases;
  end:
1225. \langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
read\_to\_cs: begin scan\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if \neg scan\_keyword("to") then
     \mathbf{begin}\ \mathit{print\_err}(\texttt{"Missing}\_\texttt{`to`}\_\texttt{inserted"});
     help2("You\_should\_have\_said\_`\read<number>\_to\_\cs`.")
     ("I'm_going_to_look_for_the_\cs_now."); error;
  get\_r\_token; p \leftarrow cur\_cs; read\_toks(n, p); define(p, call, cur\_val);
  end;
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The token-list parameters, \output and \everypar, etc., receive their values in the following way.
(For safety's sake, we place an enclosing pair of braces around an \output list.)
\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
toks\_register, assign\_toks: begin q \leftarrow cur\_cs;
  if cur\_cmd = toks\_register then
     begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; p \leftarrow toks\_base + cur\_val;
  else p \leftarrow cur\_chr; { p = every\_par\_loc or output\_routine\_loc or ... }
  scan_optional_equals; \( \) Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404 \( \);
  if cur\_cmd \neq left\_brace then \langle If the right-hand side is a token parameter or token register, finish the
          assignment and goto done 1227;
  back\_input; cur\_cs \leftarrow q; q \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, false);
  if link(def\_ref) = null then { empty list: revert to the default }
     begin define(p, undefined_cs, null); free_avail(def_ref);
     end
  else begin if p = output\_routine\_loc then { enclose in curlies }
       begin link(q) \leftarrow qet\_avail; q \leftarrow link(q); info(q) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}"; <math>q \leftarrow qet\_avail;
       info(q) \leftarrow left\_brace\_token + "\{"; link(q) \leftarrow link(def\_ref); link(def\_ref) \leftarrow q;
       end;
     define(p, call, def\_ref);
     end;
  end;
1227.
         (If the right-hand side is a token parameter or token register, finish the assignment and goto
       done 1227 \rangle \equiv
  begin if cur\_cmd = toks\_register then
     begin scan\_eight\_bit\_int; cur\_cmd \leftarrow assign\_toks; cur\_chr \leftarrow toks\_base + cur\_val;
     end:
  if cur\_cmd = assign\_toks then
     begin q \leftarrow equiv(cur\_chr);
     if q = null then define(p, undefined\_cs, null)
     else begin add\_token\_ref(q); define(p, call, q);
       end;
     goto done;
     end:
  end
This code is used in section 1226.
        Similar routines are used to assign values to the numeric parameters.
\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
assign\_int: begin p \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_int; word\_define(p, cur\_val);
assign\_dimen: begin p \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_normal\_dimen; word\_define(p, cur\_val);
assign\_glue, assign\_mu\_glue: begin p \leftarrow cur\_chr; n \leftarrow cur\_cmd; scan\_optional\_equals;
  if n = assign\_mu\_glue then scan\_glue(mu\_val) else scan\_glue(glue\_val);
  trap\_zero\_glue; define(p, glue\_ref, cur\_val);
  end;
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end;

When a glue register or parameter becomes zero, it will always point to zero-glue because of the following procedure. (Exception: The tabskip glue isn't trapped while preambles are being scanned.)  $\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } prefixed\_command | 1215 \rangle + \equiv$ **procedure** trap\_zero\_qlue; begin if  $(width(cur_val) = 0) \land (stretch(cur_val) = 0) \land (shrink(cur_val) = 0)$  then **begin**  $add\_glue\_ref(zero\_glue)$ ;  $delete\_glue\_ref(cur\_val)$ ;  $cur\_val \leftarrow zero\_glue$ ; end; end; The various character code tables are changed by the def\_code commands, and the font families are declared by def\_family.  $\langle Put \text{ each of TpX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv$ primitive("catcode", def\_code, cat\_code\_base); primitive("mathcode", def\_code, math\_code\_base); primitive("lccode", def\_code, lc\_code\_base); primitive("uccode", def\_code, uc\_code\_base); primitive("sfcode", def\_code, sf\_code\_base); primitive("delcode", def\_code, del\_code\_base); primitive("textfont", def\_family, math\_font\_base); primitive("scriptfont", def\_family, math\_font\_base + script\_size); primitive("scriptscriptfont", def\_family, math\_font\_base + script\_script\_size); **1231.**  $\langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv$ def\_code: if chr\_code = cat\_code\_base then print\_esc("catcode") else if  $chr\_code = math\_code\_base$  then  $print\_esc("mathcode")$ else if  $chr\_code = lc\_code\_base$  then  $print\_esc("lccode")$ else if  $chr\_code = uc\_code\_base$  then  $print\_esc("uccode")$ else if  $chr\_code = sf\_code\_base$  then  $print\_esc("sfcode")$ else print\_esc("delcode");  $def\_family: print\_size(chr\_code - math\_font\_base);$ 1232. The different types of code values have different legal ranges; the following program is careful to check each case properly.  $\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv$  $def\_code$ : begin  $\langle$  Let n be the largest legal code value, based on  $cur\_chr$  1233 $\rangle$ ;  $p \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_char\_num; p \leftarrow p + cur\_val; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_int;$ if  $((cur\_val < 0) \land (p < del\_code\_base)) \lor (cur\_val > n)$  then **begin**  $print\_err("Invalid\_code\_("); print\_int(cur\_val);$ if  $p < del\_code\_base$  then  $print("), \_should\_be\_in\_the\_range\_0..")$  $\mathbf{else}\ \mathit{print}(\texttt{")}\, \texttt{,} \\ \mathsf{\sqcup} \\ \mathsf{should} \\ \mathsf{\sqcup} \\ \mathsf{be} \\ \mathsf{\sqcup} \\ \mathsf{at} \\ \mathsf{\sqcup} \\ \mathsf{most} \\ \mathsf{\sqcup} \\ \mathsf{"});$  $print_int(n); \ help1("I`m_going_to_use_lO_linstead_lof_that_lillegal_lcode_lvalue.");$ error;  $cur_val \leftarrow 0$ ; if  $p < math\_code\_base$  then  $define(p, data, cur\_val)$ else if  $p < del\_code\_base$  then  $define(p, data, hi(cur\_val))$ else  $word\_define(p, cur\_val)$ ;

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1233. \langle \text{Let } n \text{ be the largest legal code value, based on <math>cur\_chr \ 1233 \rangle \equiv
  if cur\_chr = cat\_code\_base then n \leftarrow max\_char\_code
  else if cur\_chr = math\_code\_base then n \leftarrow '100000
     else if cur\_chr = sf\_code\_base then n \leftarrow `77777
        else if cur\_chr = del\_code\_base then n \leftarrow '77777777
           else n \leftarrow 255
This code is used in section 1232.
1234. \langle \text{Assignments } 1217 \rangle + \equiv
def-family: begin p \leftarrow cur-chr; scan-four-bit-int; p \leftarrow p + cur-val; scan-optional-equals; scan-font-ident;
  define(p, data, cur\_val);
  end;
         Next we consider changes to T<sub>F</sub>X's numeric registers.
1235.
\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
register, advance, multiply, divide: do_register_command(a);
1236. We use the fact that register < advance < multiply < divide.
\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } prefixed\_command | 1215 \rangle + \equiv
procedure do_register_command(a:small_number);
  label found, exit;
  \begin{array}{ll} \mathbf{var}\ l,q,r,s \colon pointer; & \{ \ \text{for list manipulation} \ \} \\ p \colon int\_val \ \ldots \ mu\_val; & \{ \ \text{type of register involved} \ \} \end{array}
  begin q \leftarrow cur\_cmd; (Compute the register location l and its type p; but return if invalid 1237);
  if q = register then scan_optional_equals
  else if scan_keyword("by") then do_nothing; { optional 'by'}
  arith\_error \leftarrow false;
  if q < multiply then \langle Compute result of register or advance, put it in cur_val 1238\rangle
  else (Compute result of multiply or divide, put it in cur_val 1240);
  if arith_error then
     begin print_err("Arithmetic overflow");
     help2("I_{\sqcup}can^{t}_{\sqcup}carry_{\sqcup}out_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}multiplication_{\sqcup}or_{\sqcup}division,")
     ("since the result is out of range.");
     if p \geq glue\_val then delete\_glue\_ref(cur\_val);
     error; return;
     end:
  if p < glue\_val then word\_define(l, cur\_val)
  else begin trap_zero_glue; define(l, glue_ref, cur_val);
     end:
exit: end;
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1237. Here we use the fact that the consecutive codes int\_val .. mu\_val and assign\_int .. assign\_mu\_glue correspond to each other nicely. (Compute the register location l and its type p; but **return** if invalid 1237)  $\equiv$ begin if  $q \neq register$  then **begin**  $qet_x\_token$ ; if  $(cur\_cmd \ge assign\_int) \land (cur\_cmd \le assign\_mu\_glue)$  then **begin**  $l \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ;  $p \leftarrow cur\_cmd - assign\_int$ ; **goto** found; end; if  $cur\_cmd \neq register$  then begin print\_err("You\_can t\_use\_\`"); print\_cmd\_chr(cur\_cmd, cur\_chr); print("'\_after\_\");  $print\_cmd\_chr(q,0);\ help1("I`m_lforgetting_lwhat_lyou_lsaid_land_lnot_lchanging_lanything.");$ error; return; end; end:  $p \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_eight\_bit\_int;$ case p of  $int\_val: l \leftarrow cur\_val + count\_base;$  $dimen\_val: l \leftarrow cur\_val + scaled\_base;$  $glue\_val: l \leftarrow cur\_val + skip\_base;$  $mu\_val: l \leftarrow cur\_val + mu\_skip\_base;$ **end**; { there are no other cases } end; found: This code is used in section 1236. **1238.**  $\langle$  Compute result of register or advance, put it in cur\_val 1238 $\rangle \equiv$ if  $p < qlue\_val$  then **begin if**  $p = int\_val$  **then**  $scan\_int$  **else**  $scan\_normal\_dimen$ ; if q = advance then  $cur_val \leftarrow cur_val + eqtb[l].int;$ end else begin  $scan_{-}glue(p)$ ; if q = advance then (Compute the sum of two glue specs 1239); end This code is used in section 1236. **1239.**  $\langle$  Compute the sum of two glue specs 1239 $\rangle \equiv$ **begin**  $q \leftarrow new\_spec(cur\_val); r \leftarrow equiv(l); delete\_glue\_ref(cur\_val); width(q) \leftarrow width(q) + width(r);$ if stretch(q) = 0 then  $stretch\_order(q) \leftarrow normal$ ; if  $stretch\_order(q) = stretch\_order(r)$  then  $stretch(q) \leftarrow stretch(q) + stretch(r)$ else if  $(stretch\_order(q) < stretch\_order(r)) \land (stretch(r) \neq 0)$  then **begin**  $stretch(q) \leftarrow stretch(r)$ ;  $stretch\_order(q) \leftarrow stretch\_order(r)$ ; end; if shrink(q) = 0 then  $shrink\_order(q) \leftarrow normal$ ; if  $shrink\_order(q) = shrink\_order(r)$  then  $shrink(q) \leftarrow shrink(q) + shrink(r)$ else if  $(shrink\_order(q) < shrink\_order(r)) \land (shrink(r) \neq 0)$  then **begin**  $shrink(q) \leftarrow shrink(r)$ ;  $shrink\_order(q) \leftarrow shrink\_order(r)$ ; end;  $cur_val \leftarrow q$ ;

This code is used in section 1238.

end

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\langle \text{Compute result of } multiply \text{ or } divide, \text{ put it in } cur\_val | 1240 \rangle \equiv
begin scan_int;
if p < glue\_val then
   if q = multiply then
     if p = int\_val then cur\_val \leftarrow mult\_integers(eqtb[l].int, cur\_val)
     else cur\_val \leftarrow nx\_plus\_y(eqtb[l].int, cur\_val, 0)
   else cur\_val \leftarrow x\_over\_n(eqtb[l].int, cur\_val)
else begin s \leftarrow equiv(l); r \leftarrow new\_spec(s);
   if q = multiply then
     begin width(r) \leftarrow nx\_plus\_y(width(s), cur\_val, 0); stretch(r) \leftarrow nx\_plus\_y(stretch(s), cur\_val, 0);
     shrink(r) \leftarrow nx\_plus\_y(shrink(s), cur\_val, 0);
     end
   else begin width(r) \leftarrow x\_over\_n(width(s), cur\_val); stretch(r) \leftarrow x\_over\_n(stretch(s), cur\_val);
     shrink(r) \leftarrow x\_over\_n(shrink(s), cur\_val);
     end;
   cur\_val \leftarrow r;
   end:
end
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**1241.** The processing of boxes is somewhat different, because we may need to scan and create an entire box before we actually change the value of the old one.

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 \langle \operatorname{Assignments} \ 1217 \rangle + \equiv \\ \operatorname{set\_box} \colon \mathbf{begin} \ \operatorname{scan\_eight\_bit\_int}; \\ \mathbf{if} \ \operatorname{global} \ \mathbf{then} \ n \leftarrow 256 + \operatorname{cur\_val} \ \mathbf{else} \ n \leftarrow \operatorname{cur\_val}; \\ \operatorname{scan\_optional\_equals}; \\ \mathbf{if} \ \operatorname{set\_box\_allowed} \ \mathbf{then} \ \operatorname{scan\_box}(\operatorname{box\_flag} + n) \\ \mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{begin} \ \operatorname{print\_err}("\operatorname{Improper\_"}); \ \operatorname{print\_esc}("\operatorname{setbox"}); \\ \operatorname{help2}("\operatorname{Sorry}, \_ \setminus \operatorname{setbox\_is\_not\_allowed\_after\_ \setminus halign\_in\_a\_display,"}) \\ ("\operatorname{or\_between\_ \setminus accent\_and\_an\_accented\_character."}); \ \operatorname{error}; \\ \mathbf{end}; \\ \mathbf{end};
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**1242.** The *space\_factor* or *prev\_depth* settings are changed when a *set\_aux* command is sensed. Similarly, *prev\_graf* is changed in the presence of *set\_prev\_graf*, and *dead\_cycles* or *insert\_penalties* in the presence of *set\_page\_int*. These definitions are always global.

When some dimension of a box register is changed, the change isn't exactly global; but TEX does not look at the \global switch.

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 \langle \text{Assignments 1217} \rangle + \equiv \\ set\_aux \colon alter\_aux; \\ set\_prev\_graf \colon alter\_prev\_graf; \\ set\_page\_dimen \colon alter\_page\_so\_far; \\ set\_page\_int \colon alter\_integer; \\ set\_box\_dimen \colon alter\_box\_dimen; \\ \end{cases}
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This code is used in section 1236.

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\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } prefixed\_command | 1215 \rangle + \equiv
procedure alter_aux;
  var c: halfword; { hmode or vmode }
  \textbf{begin if} \ \textit{cur\_chr} \neq \textit{abs}(\textit{mode}) \ \textbf{then} \ \textit{report\_illegal\_case}
  else begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_optional\_equals;
     if c = vmode then
        begin scan\_normal\_dimen; prev\_depth \leftarrow cur\_val;
        \mathbf{end}
     else begin scan_int;
        if (cur\_val \leq 0) \lor (cur\_val > 32767) then
           begin print_err("Bad_□space□factor");
           help1("I⊔allow⊔only⊔values⊔in⊔the⊔range⊔1..32767⊔here."); int_error(cur_val);
        else space\_factor \leftarrow cur\_val;
        end;
     end;
  end:
1244. \langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed_command 1215\rangle + \equiv
procedure alter_prev_graf;
  var p: 0 \dots nest\_size; { index into nest }
  begin nest[nest\_ptr] \leftarrow cur\_list; p \leftarrow nest\_ptr;
  while abs(nest[p].mode\_field) \neq vmode do decr(p);
  scan_optional_equals; scan_int;
  if cur_val < 0 then
     begin print_err("Bad<sub>□</sub>"); print_esc("prevgraf");
     help1("I_{\sqcup}allow_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}nonnegative_{\sqcup}values_{\sqcup}here."); int_error(cur_val);
  else begin nest[p].pg\_field \leftarrow cur\_val; cur\_list \leftarrow nest[nest\_ptr];
     end:
  end;
1245. \langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed_command 1215\rangle + \equiv
procedure alter_page_so_far;
  var c: 0...7; {index into page\_so\_far }
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_normal\_dimen; page\_so\_far[c] \leftarrow cur\_val;
  end;
1246. \langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed_command 1215\rangle + \equiv
procedure alter_integer;
  \mathbf{var}\ c{:}\ 0 \ldots 1; \quad \{\ 0 \ \text{for } \texttt{\ \ } \texttt{deadcycles},\ 1 \ \text{for } \texttt{\ \ } \texttt{linsertpenalties}\ \}
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_int;
  if c = 0 then dead\_cycles \leftarrow cur\_val
  else insert\_penalties \leftarrow cur\_val;
  end;
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\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } prefixed\_command | 1215 \rangle + \equiv
procedure alter_box_dimen;
  var c: small_number; { width_offset or height_offset or depth_offset }
     b: eight_bits; { box number }
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_eight\_bit\_int; b \leftarrow cur\_val; scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_normal\_dimen;
  if box(b) \neq null then mem[box(b) + c].sc \leftarrow cur\_val;
  end:
1248. Paragraph shapes are set up in the obvious way.
\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
set\_shape: begin scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if n \leq 0 then p \leftarrow null
  else begin p \leftarrow get\_node(2 * n + 1); info(p) \leftarrow n;
     for j \leftarrow 1 to n do
        \textbf{begin } scan\_normal\_dimen; \ mem[p+2*j-1].sc \leftarrow cur\_val; \ \ \{ \ indentation \ \}
        scan\_normal\_dimen; mem[p+2*j].sc \leftarrow cur\_val;  { width }
        end:
     end:
  define(par\_shape\_loc, shape\_ref, p);
  end;
1249. Here's something that isn't quite so obvious. It guarantees that info(par\_shape\_ptr) can hold any
positive n for which get\_node(2*n+1) doesn't overflow the memory capacity.
\langle Check the "constant" values for consistency 14\rangle + \equiv
  if 2 * max\_halfword < mem\_top - mem\_min then bad \leftarrow 41;
        New hyphenation data is loaded by the hyph_data command.
\langle Put \text{ each of TpX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("hyphenation", hyph_data, 0); primitive("patterns", hyph_data, 1);
1251. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
hyph_data: if chr_code = 1 then print_esc("patterns")
  else print_esc("hyphenation");
1252. \langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv
hyph\_data: if cur\_chr = 1 then
     \mathbf{begin} \ \mathbf{init} \ \mathit{new\_patterns}; \ \mathbf{goto} \ \mathit{done}; \ \mathbf{tini}
     print\_err("Patterns\_can\_be\_loaded\_only\_by\_INITEX"); help0; error;
     repeat get_token;
     until cur\_cmd = right\_brace; { flush the patterns }
     return:
  else begin new_hyph_exceptions; goto done;
     end;
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end:

hyphenation tables; these are strictly global.  $\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv$  $assign\_font\_dimen$ : begin  $find\_font\_dimen(true)$ ;  $k \leftarrow cur\_val$ ;  $scan\_optional\_equals$ ;  $scan\_normal\_dimen$ ;  $font\_info[k].sc \leftarrow cur\_val;$ end:  $assign\_font\_int$ : begin  $n \leftarrow cur\_chr$ ;  $scan\_font\_ident$ ;  $f \leftarrow cur\_val$ ;  $scan\_optional\_equals$ ;  $scan\_int$ ; if n = 0 then  $hyphen\_char[f] \leftarrow cur\_val$  else  $skew\_char[f] \leftarrow cur\_val$ ; end; **1254.**  $\langle \text{Put each of TeX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle + \equiv$ primitive("hyphenchar", assign\_font\_int, 0); primitive("skewchar", assign\_font\_int, 1);  $\langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv$  $assign\_font\_int$ : if  $chr\_code = 0$  then  $print\_esc("hyphenchar")$ else print\_esc("skewchar"); **1256.** Here is where the information for a new font gets loaded.  $\langle Assignments 1217 \rangle + \equiv$  $def\_font: new\_font(a);$ **1257.**  $\langle$  Declare subprocedures for *prefixed\_command* 1215 $\rangle + \equiv$ **procedure**  $new\_font(a:small\_number);$ label *common\_ending*; var u: pointer; { user's font identifier } s: scaled; { stated "at" size, or negative of scaled magnification } f: internal\_font\_number; { runs through existing fonts } t: str\_number; { name for the frozen font identifier } old\_setting: 0 .. max\_selector; { holds selector setting } flushable\_string: str\_number; { string not yet referenced } **begin if**  $job\_name = 0$  **then**  $open\_log\_file$ ; { avoid confusing texput with the font name }  $get\_r\_token; u \leftarrow cur\_cs;$ if  $u \ge hash\_base$  then  $t \leftarrow text(u)$ else if  $u \geq single\_base$  then if  $u = null\_cs$  then  $t \leftarrow$  "FONT" else  $t \leftarrow u - single\_base$ else begin old\_setting  $\leftarrow$  selector; selector  $\leftarrow$  new\_string; print("FONT"); print(u - active\_base);  $selector \leftarrow old\_setting; str\_room(1); t \leftarrow make\_string;$ end;  $define(u, set\_font, null\_font); scan\_optional\_equals; scan\_file\_name;$ (Scan the font size specification 1258);  $\langle$  If this font has already been loaded, set f to the internal font number and **goto** common\_ending 1260 $\rangle$ ;  $f \leftarrow read\_font\_info(u, cur\_name, cur\_area, s);$  $common\_ending: equiv(u) \leftarrow f; eqtb[font\_id\_base + f] \leftarrow eqtb[u]; font\_id\_text(f) \leftarrow t;$ 

All of T<sub>E</sub>X's parameters are kept in eqtb except the font information, the interaction mode, and the

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1258.
         \langle Scan the font size specification 1258\rangle \equiv
  name\_in\_progress \leftarrow true; { this keeps cur\_name from being changed }
  if scan_keyword("at") then \(\rightarrow\) Put the (positive) 'at' size into s 1259\)
  else if scan_keyword("scaled") then
       begin scan\_int; s \leftarrow -cur\_val;
       if (cur_val < 0) \lor (cur_val > 32768) then
          begin print_err("Illegal_magnification_has_been_changed_to_1000");
          help1 ("The_magnification_ratio_must_be_between_1_and_32768."); int_error(cur_val);
          s \leftarrow -1000:
          end;
       end
     else s \leftarrow -1000;
  name\_in\_progress \leftarrow false
This code is used in section 1257.
1259. \langle Put the (positive) 'at' size into s 1259 \rangle \equiv
  begin scan\_normal\_dimen; s \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if (s \le 0) \lor (s \ge '10000000000) then
     begin print_err("Improper_\`at'\size\(''\); print_scaled(s); print("pt),\sizeplaced\(\size\)\(\sizeplaced\(\size\)\(\sizeplaced\(\sizeplaced\)\)
     help2("I_{\sqcup}can_{\sqcup}only_{\sqcup}handle_{\sqcup}fonts_{\sqcup}at_{\sqcup}positive_{\sqcup}sizes_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}are")
     ("less_t than_2048pt, uso_l i ve_c hanged_what_you_said_to_10pt."); error; s \leftarrow 10 * unity;
     end;
  end
This code is used in section 1258.
         When the user gives a new identifier to a font that was previously loaded, the new name becomes
the font identifier of record. Font names 'xyz' and 'XYZ' are considered to be different.
\langle If this font has already been loaded, set f to the internal font number and goto common_ending 1260\rangle
  flushable\_string \leftarrow str\_ptr - 1;
  for f \leftarrow font\_base + 1 to font\_ptr do
     if str\_eq\_str(font\_name[f], cur\_name) \land str\_eq\_str(font\_area[f], cur\_area) then
       begin if cur\_name = flushable\_string then
          begin flush\_string; cur\_name \leftarrow font\_name[f];
          end:
       if s > 0 then
          begin if s = font\_size[f] then goto common\_ending;
       else if font\_size[f] = xn\_over\_d(font\_dsize[f], -s, 1000) then goto common\_ending;
       end
This code is used in section 1257.
1261. \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
set_font: begin print("select_|font_|"); slow_print(font_name[chr_code]);
  if font\_size[chr\_code] \neq font\_dsize[chr\_code] then
     begin print("uatu"); print_scaled(font_size[chr_code]); print("pt");
     end;
  end;
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\langle Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226\rangle +\equiv
  primitive("batchmode", set_interaction, batch_mode);
  primitive("nonstopmode", set_interaction, nonstop_mode);
  primitive("scrollmode", set_interaction, scroll_mode);
  primitive("errorstopmode", set_interaction, error_stop_mode);
1263. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
set_interaction: case chr_code of
  batch_mode: print_esc("batchmode");
  nonstop_mode: print_esc("nonstopmode");
  scroll_mode: print_esc("scrollmode");
  othercases print_esc("errorstopmode")
  endcases;
1264. \langle \text{Assignments } 1217 \rangle + \equiv
set_interaction: new_interaction;
        \langle Declare subprocedures for prefixed_command 1215\rangle + \equiv
procedure new_interaction;
  begin print_ln; interaction \leftarrow cur_chr; \langle Initialize the print selector based on interaction 75\rangle;
  if log\_opened then selector \leftarrow selector + 2;
  end;
1266.
         The \afterassignment command puts a token into the global variable after_token. This global
variable is examined just after every assignment has been performed.
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
after_token: halfword; { zero, or a saved token }
1267. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21 \rangle +\equiv
  after\_token \leftarrow 0;
1268. \langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle + \equiv
any\_mode(after\_assignment): begin get\_token; after\_token \leftarrow cur\_tok;
  end;
1269. (Insert a token saved by \afterassignment, if any 1269) \equiv
  if after\_token \neq 0 then
     begin cur\_tok \leftarrow after\_token; back\_input; after\_token \leftarrow 0;
     end
This code is used in section 1211.
        Here is a procedure that might be called 'Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call non-assignment
1270.
token'.
\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure do_assignments;
  label exit;
  begin loop
     begin (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404);
     if cur\_cmd \leq max\_non\_prefixed\_command then return;
     set\_box\_allowed \leftarrow false; prefixed\_command; set\_box\_allowed \leftarrow true;
     end;
exit: end;
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\langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle + \equiv
any_mode(after_group): begin get_token; save_for_after(cur_tok);
  end;
1272.
         Files for \read are opened and closed by the in_stream command.
\langle \text{Put each of TFX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("openin", in_stream, 1); primitive("closein", in_stream, 0);
1273. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
in\_stream: if chr\_code = 0 then print\_esc("closein")
  else print_esc("openin");
1274. \langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle + \equiv
any_mode(in_stream): open_or_close_in;
1275. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure open_or_close_in:
  var c: 0...1; \{1 \text{ for } \backslash \text{openin}, 0 \text{ for } \backslash \text{closein}\}
     n: 0...15; \{ stream number \}
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; scan\_four\_bit\_int; n \leftarrow cur\_val;
  if read\_open[n] \neq closed then
     begin a\_close(read\_file[n]); read\_open[n] \leftarrow closed;
     end;
  if c \neq 0 then
     begin scan_optional_equals; scan_file_name;
     if cur_ext = "" then <math>cur_ext \leftarrow ".tex";
     pack_cur_name;
     if a\_open\_in(read\_file[n]) then read\_open[n] \leftarrow just\_open;
     end:
  end;
         The user can issue messages to the terminal, regardless of the current mode.
\langle \text{ Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle + \equiv
any\_mode(message) \colon issue\_message;
1277. (Put each of T<sub>E</sub>X's primitives into the hash table 226) +\equiv
  primitive("message", message, 0); primitive("errmessage", message, 1);
1278. \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
message: if chr_code = 0 then print_esc("message")
  else print_esc("errmessage");
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\langle \text{Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control | 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure issue_message;
  var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { holds selector setting }
     c: 0..1; {identifies \message and \errmessage}
     s: str\_number; \{ the message \}
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr; link(qarbage) \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, true); old\_setting \leftarrow selector;
  selector \leftarrow new\_string; token\_show(def\_ref); selector \leftarrow old\_setting; flush\_list(def\_ref); str\_room(1);
  s \leftarrow make\_string;
  if c = 0 then \langle Print string s on the terminal 1280 <math>\rangle
  else \langle Print string s as an error message 1283 \rangle;
  flush\_string;
  end;
        \langle \text{ Print string } s \text{ on the terminal } 1280 \rangle \equiv
  begin if term\_offset + length(s) > max\_print\_line - 2 then print\_ln
  else if (term\_offset > 0) \lor (file\_offset > 0) then print\_char("_{\bot}");
  slow\_print(s); update\_terminal;
  end
This code is used in section 1279.
1281. If \errmessage occurs often in scroll_mode, without user-defined \errhelp, we don't want to give
a long help message each time. So we give a verbose explanation only once.
\langle Global variables 13\rangle + \equiv
long_help_seen: boolean; { has the long \errmessage help been used? }
1282. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle + \equiv
  long\_help\_seen \leftarrow false;
1283. \langle \text{ Print string } s \text{ as an error message } 1283 \rangle \equiv
  begin print\_err(""); slow\_print(s);
  if err\_help \neq null then use\_err\_help \leftarrow true
  else if long\_help\_seen then help1("(That\_was\_another\_\backslash errmessage.)")
     else begin if interaction < error\_stop\_mode then long\_help\_seen \leftarrow true;
       help4 ("This_error_message_was_generated_by_an_\errmessage")
       ("command, uso I can tugive any explicit help.")
        ("Pretend_{\sqcup}that_{\sqcup}you\'re_{\sqcup}Hercule_{\sqcup}Poirot:_{\sqcup}Examine_{\sqcup}all_{\sqcup}clues,")
       ("and deduce the truth by order and method.");
  error; use\_err\_help \leftarrow false;
  end
This code is used in section 1279.
1284. The error routine calls on give_err_help if help is requested from the err_help parameter.
procedure give_err_help;
  begin token_show(err_help);
  end;
         The \uppercase and \lowercase commands are implemented by building a token list and then
changing the cases of the letters in it.
\langle Cases of main\_control that don't depend on mode\ 1210 \rangle +\equiv
any_mode(case_shift): shift_case;
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1286.
         \langle \text{Put each of TpX's primitives into the hash table 226} \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("lowercase", case_shift, lc_code_base); primitive("uppercase", case_shift, uc_code_base);
1287. Cases of print_cmd_chr for symbolic printing of primitives 227 +\equiv
case_shift: if chr_code = lc_code_base then print_esc("lowercase")
  else print_esc("uppercase");
1288. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure shift_case;
  var b: pointer; \{ lc\_code\_base or uc\_code\_base \}
     p: pointer; { runs through the token list }
     t: halfword; \{token\}
     c: eight_bits; { character code }
  begin b \leftarrow cur\_chr; p \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, false); p \leftarrow link(def\_ref);
  while p \neq null do
     begin (Change the case of the token in p, if a change is appropriate 1289);
     p \leftarrow link(p);
     end:
  back_list(link(def_ref)); free_avail(def_ref); { omit reference count }
  end;
1289. When the case of a chr_code changes, we don't change the cmd. We also change active characters,
using the fact that cs\_token\_flag + active\_base is a multiple of 256.
(Change the case of the token in p, if a change is appropriate 1289) \equiv
  t \leftarrow info(p);
  if t < cs\_token\_flag + single\_base then
     begin c \leftarrow t \bmod 256;
     if equiv(b+c) \neq 0 then info(p) \leftarrow t - c + equiv(b+c);
     end
This code is used in section 1288.
1290. We come finally to the last pieces missing from main_control, namely the '\show' commands that
are useful when debugging.
\langle \text{Cases of } main\_control \text{ that don't depend on } mode | 1210 \rangle + \equiv
any\_mode(xray): show\_whatever;
1291. define show\_code = 0  { \show }
  define show\_box\_code = 1  { \showbox }
  define show\_the\_code = 2  { \showthe }
  define show\_lists\_code = 3  { \showlists }
\langle Put \text{ each of TFX's primitives into the hash table } 226 \rangle + \equiv
  primitive("show", xray, show_code); primitive("showbox", xray, show_box_code);
  primitive("showthe", xray, show_the_code); primitive("showlists", xray, show_lists_code);
        \langle \text{Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
xray: case chr_code of
  show_box_code: print_esc("showbox");
  show_the_code: print_esc("showthe");
  show_lists_code: print_esc("showlists");
  othercases print_esc("show")
  endcases;
```

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1293. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
procedure show_whatever;
  label common_ending;
  var p: pointer; { tail of a token list to show }
  begin case cur_chr of
  show_lists_code: begin begin_diagnostic; show_activities;
  show\_box\_code: (Show the current contents of a box 1296);
  show_code: (Show the current meaning of a token, then goto common_ending 1294);
  othercases (Show the current value of some parameter or register, then goto common_ending 1297)
  endcases;
  (Complete a potentially long \show command 1298);
common_ending: if interaction < error_stop_mode then
    begin help\theta; decr(error\_count);
    end
  else if tracing\_online > 0 then
       begin
       help \Im ("This \sqcup isn `t \sqcup an \sqcup error \sqcup message; \sqcup I `m \sqcup just \sqcup \showing \sqcup something.")
       ("Type_\`I\show...'_\to\\show\\more\\((e.g.,\)\show\\cs,")
       ("\showthe\count10, \showbox255, \showlists).");
       end
    else begin
       help5 ("This_isn´t_an_error_message;_I^m_just_\showing_something.")
       ("Type_\`I\show...'_\to\\show\\more\\((e.g.,\)\show\\cs,")
       ("\showthe\count10,_\showbox255,_\showlists).")
       ("And_type_`I\tracingonline=1\show...'_uto_show_boxes_and")
       ("lists\_on\_your\_terminal\_as\_well\_as\_in\_the\_transcript\_file.");\\
       end:
  error;
  end;
1294. Show the current meaning of a token, then goto common_ending 1294 \geq
  begin get_token;
  if interaction = error_stop_mode then wake_up_terminal;
  print_nl(">_{\sqcup}");
  if cur_{-}cs \neq 0 then
    begin sprint_cs(cur_cs); print_char("=");
  print_meaning; goto common_ending;
  end
This code is used in section 1293.
       \langle \text{ Cases of } print\_cmd\_chr \text{ for symbolic printing of primitives } 227 \rangle + \equiv
undefined_cs: print("undefined");
call: print("macro");
long_call: print_esc("long_macro");
outer_call: print_esc("outer_macro");
long_outer_call: begin print_esc("long"); print_esc("outer_macro");
  end;
end_template: print_esc("outer_lendtemplate");
```

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1296. \langle Show the current contents of a box 1296\rangle \equiv
  begin scan_eight_bit_int; begin_diagnostic; print_nl(">□\box"); print_int(cur_val); print_char("=");
  if box(cur\_val) = null then print("void")
  else show\_box(box(cur\_val));
  end
This code is used in section 1293.
1297. \langle Show the current value of some parameter or register, then goto common_ending 1297\rangle \equiv
  begin p \leftarrow the\_toks;
  if interaction = error_stop_mode then wake_up_terminal;
  print_nl(">\"); token_show(temp_head); flush_list(link(temp_head)); goto common_ending;
  end
This code is used in section 1293.
1298. \langle Complete a potentially long \show command 1298\rangle \equiv
  end_diagnostic(true); print_err("OK");
  if selector = term\_and\_log then
     if tracing\_online \leq 0 then
       \textbf{begin } selector \leftarrow term\_only; \ print("\_(\texttt{see}\_\texttt{the}\_\texttt{transcript}\_\texttt{file})"); \ selector \leftarrow term\_and\_log;
       end
```

This code is used in section 1293.

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1299. Dumping and undumping the tables. After INITEX has seen a collection of fonts and macros, it can write all the necessary information on an auxiliary file so that production versions of TEX are able to initialize their memory at high speed. The present section of the program takes care of such output and input. We shall consider simultaneously the processes of storing and restoring, so that the inverse relation between them is clear.

The global variable *format\_ident* is a string that is printed right after the *banner* line when TEX is ready to start. For INITEX this string says simply '(INITEX)'; for other versions of TEX it says, for example, '(preloaded format=plain 1982.11.19)', showing the year, month, and day that the format file was created. We have *format\_ident* = 0 before TEX's tables are loaded.

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\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv
format_ident: str_number;
1300. \langle Set initial values of key variables 21\rangle + \equiv
  format\_ident \leftarrow 0;
1301. (Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164) \pm
  format\_ident \leftarrow " (INITEX)";
1302. \langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
  init procedure store_fmt_file;
  label found1, found2, done1, done2;
  \mathbf{var}\ j, k, l:\ integer;\ \{\text{all-purpose indices}\}\
     p, q: pointer; \{all-purpose pointers\}
     x: integer; { something to dump }
     w: four_quarters; { four ASCII codes }
  begin (If dumping is not allowed, abort 1304);
   (Create the format_ident, open the format file, and inform the user that dumping has begun 1328);
    Dump constants for consistency check 1307);
    Dump the string pool 1309;
   \langle Dump \text{ the dynamic memory } 1311 \rangle;
   \langle Dump \text{ the table of equivalents } 1313 \rangle;
   \langle \text{ Dump the font information } 1320 \rangle;
   \langle Dump \text{ the hyphenation tables } 1324 \rangle;
   (Dump a couple more things and the closing check word 1326);
   \langle Close the format file 1329\rangle;
  end:
  tini
```

Corresponding to the procedure that dumps a format file, we have a function that reads one in. The function returns false if the dumped format is incompatible with the present T<sub>E</sub>X table sizes, etc. **define**  $bad_{-}fmt = 6666$  { go here if the format file is unacceptable } **define**  $too\_small(\#) \equiv$ begin wake\_up\_terminal; wterm\_ln('---!\_|Must\_|increase\_ithe\_i',#); goto bad\_fmt; (Declare the function called open\_fmt\_file 524) **function** *load\_fmt\_file*: *boolean*; **label** bad\_fmt, exit;  $\mathbf{var}\ j, k:\ integer;\ \{ \text{ all-purpose indices} \}$ p, q: pointer; { all-purpose pointers } x: integer; { something undumped } w: four\_quarters; { four ASCII codes } **begin** (Undump constants for consistency check 1308); ⟨ Undump the string pool 1310⟩; (Undump the dynamic memory 1312); Undump the table of equivalents 1314);  $\langle \text{ Undump the font information } 1321 \rangle;$ ⟨ Undump the hyphenation tables 1325⟩; (Undump a couple more things and the closing check word 1327);  $load\_fmt\_file \leftarrow true;$  **return**; { it worked! } bad\_fmt: wake\_up\_terminal; wterm\_ln(^(Fataluformatufileuerror; uI^^mustymied)^);  $load\_fmt\_file \leftarrow false;$ exit: end; 1304. The user is not allowed to dump a format file unless  $save\_ptr = 0$ . This condition implies that  $cur\_level = level\_one$ , hence the  $xeq\_level$  array is constant and it need not be dumped.  $\langle \text{ If dumping is not allowed, abort } 1304 \rangle \equiv$ if  $save\_ptr \neq 0$  then begin print\_err("You\_can´t\_dump\_inside\_a\_group"); help1("`{...\dump}´\_is\_a\_no-no."); succumb;end This code is used in section 1302. 1305. Format files consist of memory\_word items, and we use the following macros to dump words of different types: **define**  $dump_-wd(\#) \equiv$ **begin**  $fmt\_file \uparrow \leftarrow \#$ ;  $put(fmt\_file)$ ; **end define**  $dump\_int(\#) \equiv$ **begin**  $fmt\_file \uparrow .int \leftarrow \#; put(fmt\_file);$  **end define**  $dump_-hh(\#) \equiv$ **begin**  $fmt\_file\uparrow.hh \leftarrow \#; put(fmt\_file);$  **end define**  $dump_{-}qqqq(\#) \equiv$ 

**begin**  $fmt\_file \uparrow .qqqq \leftarrow \#; put(fmt\_file);$  **end** 

fmt\_file: word\_file; { for input or output of format information }

 $\langle \text{Global variables } 13 \rangle + \equiv$ 

This code is used in section 1303.

**1306.** The inverse macros are slightly more complicated, since we need to check the range of the values we are reading in. We say 'undump(a)(b)(x)' to read an integer value x that is supposed to be in the range  $a \le x \le b$ . System error messages should be suppressed when undumping.

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define undump_{-}wd(\#) \equiv
            begin get(fmt\_file); # \leftarrow fmt\_file\uparrow; end
  define undump\_int(\#) \equiv
            begin get(fmt\_file); # \leftarrow fmt\_file \uparrow .int; end
  define undump_-hh(\#) \equiv
            begin get(fmt\_file); # \leftarrow fmt\_file \uparrow .hh; end
  define undump_{-}qqqq(\#) \equiv
            begin get(fmt\_file); # \leftarrow fmt\_file \uparrow .qqqq; end
  define undump\_end\_end(\#) \equiv \# \leftarrow x; end
  define undump\_end(\#) \equiv (x > \#) then goto bad\_fmt else undump\_end\_end
  define undump(\#) \equiv
          begin undump\_int(x);
          if (x < \#) \lor undump\_end
  define undump\_size\_end\_end(\#) \equiv too\_small(\#) else undump\_end\_end
  define undump\_size\_end(\#) \equiv
            if x > \# then undump\_size\_end\_end
  define undump\_size(\#) \equiv
          begin undump\_int(x);
          if x < \# then goto bad\_fmt;
          undump\_size\_end
         The next few sections of the program should make it clear how we use the dump/undump macros.
\langle \text{Dump constants for consistency check } 1307 \rangle \equiv
  dump\_int(@\$);
  dump\_int(mem\_bot);
  dump\_int(mem\_top);
  dump\_int(eqtb\_size);
  dump\_int(hash\_prime);
  dump\_int(hyph\_size)
This code is used in section 1302.
1308. Sections of a WEB program that are "commented out" still contribute strings to the string pool;
therefore INITEX and TeX will have the same strings. (And it is, of course, a good thing that they do.)
\langle Undump constants for consistency check 1308\rangle \equiv
  x \leftarrow fmt\_file \uparrow .int;
  if x \neq 0$ then goto bad_fmt; { check that strings are the same }
  undump\_int(x);
  if x \neq mem\_bot then goto bad\_fmt;
  undump_{-}int(x);
  if x \neq mem\_top then goto bad\_fmt;
  undump\_int(x);
  if x \neq eqtb\_size then goto bad\_fmt;
  undump\_int(x);
  if x \neq hash\_prime then goto bad\_fmt;
  undump\_int(x);
  if x \neq hyph\_size then goto bad\_fmt
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1309.
          define dump\_four\_ASCII \equiv w.b0 \leftarrow qi(so(str\_pool[k])); w.b1 \leftarrow qi(so(str\_pool[k+1]));
           w.b2 \leftarrow qi(so(str\_pool[k+2])); \ w.b3 \leftarrow qi(so(str\_pool[k+3])); \ dump\_qqqq(w)
\langle \text{Dump the string pool } 1309 \rangle \equiv
  dump\_int(pool\_ptr); dump\_int(str\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to str_ptr do dump_int(str_start[k]);
  k \leftarrow 0:
  while k + 4 < pool_ptr do
     begin dump\_four\_ASCII; k \leftarrow k + 4;
  k \leftarrow pool\_ptr - 4; dump\_four\_ASCII; print\_ln; print\_int(str\_ptr);
  print("\_strings\_of\_total\_length\_"); print\_int(pool\_ptr)
This code is used in section 1302.
         define undump\_four\_ASCII \equiv undump\_qqqq(w); str\_pool[k] \leftarrow si(qo(w.b\theta));
           str\_pool[k+1] \leftarrow si(qo(w.b1)); str\_pool[k+2] \leftarrow si(qo(w.b2)); str\_pool[k+3] \leftarrow si(qo(w.b3))
\langle \text{Undump the string pool } 1310 \rangle \equiv
  undump\_size(0)(pool\_size)("string\_pool\_size")(pool\_ptr);
  undump\_size(0)(max\_strings)(`max\_strings`)(str\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to str\_ptr do undump(0)(pool\_ptr)(str\_start[k]);
  k \leftarrow 0:
  while k + 4 < pool_ptr do
     begin undump\_four\_ASCII; k \leftarrow k + 4;
  k \leftarrow pool\_ptr - 4; undump\_four\_ASCII; init\_str\_ptr \leftarrow str\_ptr; init\_pool\_ptr \leftarrow pool\_ptr
This code is used in section 1303.
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1311. By sorting the list of available spaces in the variable-size portion of *mem*, we are usually able to get by without having to dump very much of the dynamic memory.

We recompute  $var\_used$  and  $dyn\_used$ , so that INITEX dumps valid information even when it has not been gathering statistics.

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\langle Dump \text{ the dynamic memory } 1311 \rangle \equiv
       sort\_avail; var\_used \leftarrow 0; dump\_int(lo\_mem\_max); dump\_int(rover); p \leftarrow mem\_bot; q \leftarrow rover; x \leftarrow 0;
      repeat for k \leftarrow p to q + 1 do dump\_wd(mem[k]);
               x \leftarrow x + q + 2 - p; \ var\_used \leftarrow var\_used + q - p; \ p \leftarrow q + node\_size(q); \ q \leftarrow rlink(q);
      until q = rover;
      var\_used \leftarrow var\_used + lo\_mem\_max - p; dyn\_used \leftarrow mem\_end + 1 - hi\_mem\_min;
      for k \leftarrow p to lo\_mem\_max do dump\_wd(mem[k]);
      x \leftarrow x + lo\_mem\_max + 1 - p; \ dump\_int(hi\_mem\_min); \ dump\_int(avail);
      for k \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do dump\_wd(mem[k]);
      x \leftarrow x + mem\_end + 1 - hi\_mem\_min; p \leftarrow avail;
      while p \neq null \ do
               begin decr(dyn\_used); p \leftarrow link(p);
               end;
       dump\_int(var\_used); dump\_int(dyn\_used); print\_ln; print\_int(x);
      print("\u00c4memory\u00cdlocations\u00cdumped;\u00cdcurrent\u00cdumped;\u00cdreations\u00cdumped;\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreations\u00cdreatio
      print\_int(dyn\_used)
This code is used in section 1302.
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1312.
        \langle \text{ Undump the dynamic memory } 1312 \rangle \equiv
  undump(lo\_mem\_stat\_max + 1000)(hi\_mem\_stat\_min - 1)(lo\_mem\_max);
  undump(lo\_mem\_stat\_max + 1)(lo\_mem\_max)(rover); p \leftarrow mem\_bot; q \leftarrow rover;
  repeat for k \leftarrow p to q + 1 do undump\_wd(mem[k]);
     p \leftarrow q + node\_size(q);
     if (p > lo\_mem\_max) \lor ((q \ge rlink(q)) \land (rlink(q) \ne rover)) then goto bad_fmt;
     q \leftarrow rlink(q);
  until q = rover;
  for k \leftarrow p to lo\_mem\_max do undump\_wd(mem[k]);
  if mem\_min < mem\_bot - 2 then { make more low memory available }
     begin p \leftarrow llink(rover); \ q \leftarrow mem\_min + 1; \ link(mem\_min) \leftarrow null; \ info(mem\_min) \leftarrow null;
           { we don't use the bottom word }
     rlink(p) \leftarrow q; llink(rover) \leftarrow q;
     rlink(q) \leftarrow rover; \ llink(q) \leftarrow p; \ link(q) \leftarrow empty\_flag; \ node\_size(q) \leftarrow mem\_bot - q;
     end;
  undump(lo\_mem\_max + 1)(hi\_mem\_stat\_min)(hi\_mem\_min); undump(null)(mem\_top)(avail);
  mem\_end \leftarrow mem\_top;
  for k \leftarrow hi\_mem\_min to mem\_end do undump\_wd(mem[k]);
  undump_int(var_used); undump_int(dyn_used)
This code is used in section 1303.
1313. \langle \text{Dump the table of equivalents } 1313 \rangle \equiv
  \langle \text{ Dump regions 1 to 4 of } eqtb | 1315 \rangle;
   \langle \text{ Dump regions 5 and 6 of } eqtb | 1316 \rangle;
  dump_int(par_loc); dump_int(write_loc);
  (Dump the hash table 1318)
This code is used in section 1302.
        \langle \text{Undump the table of equivalents } 1314 \rangle \equiv
  \langle \text{ Undump regions 1 to 6 of } eqtb | 1317 \rangle;
  undump(hash\_base)(frozen\_control\_sequence)(par\_loc); par\_token \leftarrow cs\_token\_flag + par\_loc;
  undump(hash\_base)(frozen\_control\_sequence)(write\_loc);
  (Undump the hash table 1319)
This code is used in section 1303.
```

while k < l do

**begin**  $dump_-wd(eqtb[k])$ ; incr(k);

 $k \leftarrow j+1; \ dump\_int(k-l);$ 

The table of equivalents usually contains repeated information, so we dump it in compressed form: The sequence of n+2 values  $(n, x_1, \ldots, x_n, m)$  in the format file represents n+m consecutive entries of eqtb, with m extra copies of  $x_n$ , namely  $(x_1, \ldots, x_n, x_n, \ldots, x_n)$ .  $\langle \text{ Dump regions 1 to 4 of } eqtb | 1315 \rangle \equiv$  $k \leftarrow active\_base$ ; **repeat**  $j \leftarrow k$ ; while  $j < int\_base - 1$  do **begin if**  $(equiv(j) = equiv(j+1)) \land (eq\_type(j) = eq\_type(j+1)) \land (eq\_level(j) = eq\_level(j+1))$ then goto found1; incr(j);end;  $l \leftarrow int\_base;$ **goto** done1; {  $j = int\_base - 1$  } found1: incr(j);  $l \leftarrow j$ ; while  $j < int\_base - 1$  do **begin if**  $(equiv(j) \neq equiv(j+1)) \lor (eq\_type(j) \neq eq\_type(j+1)) \lor (eq\_level(j) \neq eq\_level(j+1))$ then goto done1; incr(j);end;  $done1: dump\_int(l-k);$ while k < l do **begin**  $dump_{-}wd(eqtb[k])$ ; incr(k); end;  $k \leftarrow j + 1$ ;  $dump\_int(k - l)$ ; until  $k = int\_base$ This code is used in section 1313. **1316.** (Dump regions 5 and 6 of eqtb 1316)  $\equiv$ **repeat**  $j \leftarrow k$ ; while  $j < eqtb\_size$  do **begin if** eqtb[j].int = eqtb[j+1].int **then goto** found2; incr(j);end;  $l \leftarrow eqtb\_size + 1$ ; **goto** done2; {  $j = eqtb\_size$  } found2: incr(j);  $l \leftarrow j$ ; while  $j < eqtb\_size$  do **begin if**  $eqtb[j].int \neq eqtb[j+1].int$  **then goto** done2; incr(j);end;  $done2: dump\_int(l-k);$ 

```
1317. \langle \text{Undump regions 1 to 6 of } eqtb | 1317 \rangle \equiv
  k \leftarrow active\_base;
  repeat undump\_int(x);
     if (x < 1) \lor (k + x > eqtb\_size + 1) then goto bad_fmt;
     for j \leftarrow k to k + x - 1 do undump\_wd(eqtb[j]);
     k \leftarrow k + x; undump_int(x);
     if (x < 0) \lor (k + x > eqtb\_size + 1) then goto bad_fmt;
     for j \leftarrow k to k + x - 1 do eqtb[j] \leftarrow eqtb[k - 1];
     k \leftarrow k + x;
  until k > eqtb\_size
This code is used in section 1314.
1318. A different scheme is used to compress the hash table, since its lower region is usually sparse. When
text(p) \neq 0 for p \leq hash\_used, we output two words, p and hash[p]. The hash table is, of course, densely
packed for p \geq hash\_used, so the remaining entries are output in a block.
\langle Dump \text{ the hash table } 1318 \rangle \equiv
  dump\_int(hash\_used); cs\_count \leftarrow frozen\_control\_sequence - 1 - hash\_used;
  for p \leftarrow hash\_base to hash\_used do
     if text(p) \neq 0 then
       begin dump\_int(p); dump\_hh(hash[p]); incr(cs\_count);
       end;
  for p \leftarrow hash\_used + 1 to undefined\_control\_sequence - 1 do dump\_hh(hash[p]);
  dump\_int(cs\_count):
  print_ln; print_int(cs_count); print("\_multiletter\_control\_sequences")
This code is used in section 1313.
1319. \langle Undump the hash table 1319\rangle \equiv
  undump(hash\_base)(frozen\_control\_sequence)(hash\_used); \ p \leftarrow hash\_base - 1;
  repeat undump(p+1)(hash\_used)(p); undump\_hh(hash[p]);
  until p = hash\_used;
  for p \leftarrow hash\_used + 1 to undefined\_control\_sequence - 1 do undump\_hh(hash[p]);
  undump\_int(cs\_count)
This code is used in section 1314.
        \langle \text{ Dump the font information } 1320 \rangle \equiv
  dump_int(fmem_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to fmem\_ptr - 1 do dump\_wd(font\_info[k]);
  dump\_int(font\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow null-font to font_ptr do \langle Dump the array info for internal font number k 1322\rangle;
  print_ln; print_int(fmem_ptr - 7); print("uwordsuofufontuinfouforu");
  print_int(font_ptr - font_base); print("upreloadedufont");
  if font\_ptr \neq font\_base + 1 then print\_char("s")
This code is used in section 1302.
1321. \langle Undump the font information 1321\rangle \equiv
  undump\_size(7)(font\_mem\_size)(\text{`font}\_mem\_size')(fmem\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to fmem\_ptr - 1 do undump\_wd(font\_info[k]);
  undump\_size(font\_base)(font\_max)(`font\_max`)(font\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow null-font to font_ptr do \langle Undump the array info for internal font number k 1323 \rangle
This code is used in section 1303.
```

```
1322.
         \langle \text{Dump the array info for internal font number } k \text{ 1322} \rangle \equiv
  begin dump\_qqqq(font\_check[k]); dump\_int(font\_size[k]); dump\_int(font\_dsize[k]);
  dump\_int(font\_params[k]);
  dump\_int(hyphen\_char[k]); \ dump\_int(skew\_char[k]);
  dump\_int(font\_name[k]); dump\_int(font\_area[k]);
  dump\_int(font\_bc[k]); dump\_int(font\_ec[k]);
  dump\_int(char\_base[k]); dump\_int(width\_base[k]); dump\_int(height\_base[k]);
  dump\_int(depth\_base[k]); dump\_int(italic\_base[k]); dump\_int(lig\_kern\_base[k]);
  dump\_int(kern\_base[k]); dump\_int(exten\_base[k]); dump\_int(param\_base[k]);
  dump\_int(font\_glue[k]);
  dump\_int(bchar\_label[k]); dump\_int(font\_bchar[k]); dump\_int(font\_false\_bchar[k]);
  print_nl("\font"); print_esc(font_id_text(k)); print_char("=");
  print\_file\_name(font\_name[k], font\_area[k], "");
  if font\_size[k] \neq font\_dsize[k] then
    begin print("\_at\_"); print_scaled(font_size[k]); print("pt");
    end;
  end
This code is used in section 1320.
1323. (Undump the array info for internal font number k 1323) \equiv
  begin undump\_qqqq(font\_check[k]);
  undump\_int(font\_size[k]); undump\_int(font\_dsize[k]);
  undump(min\_halfword)(max\_halfword)(font\_params[k]);
  undump\_int(hyphen\_char[k]); undump\_int(skew\_char[k]);
  undump(0)(str\_ptr)(font\_name[k]); undump(0)(str\_ptr)(font\_area[k]);
  undump(0)(255)(font\_bc[k]); undump(0)(255)(font\_ec[k]);
  undump\_int(char\_base[k]); undump\_int(width\_base[k]); undump\_int(height\_base[k]);
  undump\_int(depth\_base[k]); undump\_int(italic\_base[k]); undump\_int(liq\_kern\_base[k]);
  undump\_int(kern\_base[k]); undump\_int(exten\_base[k]); undump\_int(param\_base[k]);
  undump(min\_halfword)(lo\_mem\_max)(font\_glue[k]);
  undump(0)(fmem\_ptr-1)(bchar\_label[k]); undump(min\_quarterword)(non\_char)(font\_bchar[k]);
  undump(min\_quarterword)(non\_char)(font\_false\_bchar[k]);
  end
```

This code is used in section 1321.

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```
1324. \langle Dump the hyphenation tables 1324\rangle \equiv
  dump\_int(hyph\_count);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to hyph\_size do
     if hyph\_word[k] \neq 0 then
       begin dump\_int(k); dump\_int(hyph\_word[k]); dump\_int(hyph\_list[k]);
       end:
  print_ln; print_int(hyph_count); print("□hyphenation□exception");
  if hyph\_count \neq 1 then print\_char("s");
  if trie_not_ready then init_trie;
  dump\_int(trie\_max);
  for k \leftarrow 0 to trie\_max do dump\_hh(trie[k]);
  dump\_int(trie\_op\_ptr);
  for k \leftarrow 1 to trie\_op\_ptr do
     \textbf{begin} \ dump\_int(hyf\_distance[k]); \ dump\_int(hyf\_num[k]); \ dump\_int(hyf\_next[k]);
     end;
  print_nl("Hyphenation_trie_of_length_"); print_int(trie_max); print("_has_");
  print_int(trie_op_ptr); print("_lop");
  if trie\_op\_ptr \neq 1 then print\_char("s");
  print("□out□of□"); print_int(trie_op_size);
  for k \leftarrow 255 downto 0 do
     if trie\_used[k] > min\_quarterword then
       \mathbf{begin} \ print\_nl("\sqcup \sqcup"); \ print\_int(qo(trie\_used[k])); \ print("\sqcup \mathsf{for} \sqcup \mathsf{language} \sqcup"); \ print\_int(k);
       dump\_int(k); dump\_int(qo(trie\_used[k]));
       end
This code is used in section 1302.
1325. Only "nonempty" parts of op_start need to be restored.
\langle \text{ Undump the hyphenation tables } 1325 \rangle \equiv
  undump(0)(hyph\_size)(hyph\_count);
  for k \leftarrow 1 to hyph\_count do
     begin undump(0)(hyph\_size)(j); undump(0)(str\_ptr)(hyph\_word[j]);
     undump(min\_halfword)(max\_halfword)(hyph\_list[j]);
  undump\_size(0)(trie\_size)(\texttt{`trie}\_size\texttt{'})(j); init trie\_max \leftarrow j; tini
  for k \leftarrow 0 to j do undump\_hh(trie[k]);
  undump\_size(0)(trie\_op\_size)(\text{`trie}\_op\_size`)(j); init trie\_op\_ptr \leftarrow j; tini
  for k \leftarrow 1 to j do
     begin undump(0)(63)(hyf\_distance[k]); \{ a small\_number \}
     undump(0)(63)(hyf\_num[k]); \ undump(min\_quarterword)(max\_quarterword)(hyf\_next[k]);
  init for k \leftarrow 0 to 255 do trie\_used[k] \leftarrow min\_quarterword;
  k \leftarrow 256;
  while j > 0 do
     begin undump(0)(k-1)(k); undump(1)(j)(x); init trie\_used[k] \leftarrow qi(x); tini
     j \leftarrow j - x; op\_start[k] \leftarrow go(j);
     end:
  init trie\_not\_ready \leftarrow false tini
This code is used in section 1303.
```

**1326.** We have already printed a lot of statistics, so we set  $tracing\_stats \leftarrow 0$  to prevent them from appearing again.

```
\langle Dump a couple more things and the closing check word 1326 \rangle \equiv dump\_int(interaction); dump\_int(format\_ident); dump\_int(69069); tracing\_stats \leftarrow 0 This code is used in section 1302.
```

1327.  $\langle \text{Undump a couple more things and the closing check word } 1327 \rangle \equiv undump(batch\_mode)(error\_stop\_mode)(interaction); undump(0)(str\_ptr)(format\_ident); undump\_int(x); if <math>(x \neq 69069) \vee eof(fmt\_file)$  then goto  $bad\_fmt$  This code is used in section 1303.

**1328.**  $\langle$  Create the *format\_ident*, open the format file, and inform the user that dumping has begun 1328 $\rangle$   $\equiv$ 

```
selector \leftarrow new\_string; \ print("\_"(preloaded\_format="); \ print(job\_name); \ print\_char("\_"); \\ print\_int(year); \ print\_char("."); \ print\_int(month); \ print\_char("."); \ print\_int(day); \ print\_char(")"); \\ \textbf{if} \ interaction = batch\_mode \ \textbf{then} \ selector \leftarrow log\_only \\ \textbf{else} \ selector \leftarrow term\_and\_log; \\ str\_room(1); \ format\_ident \leftarrow make\_string; \ pack\_job\_name(format\_extension); \\ \textbf{while} \ \neg w\_open\_out(fmt\_file) \ \textbf{do} \ prompt\_file\_name("format\_ident"); \\ print\_nl("Beginning\_to\_dump\_on\_file\_"); \ slow\_print(w\_make\_name\_string(fmt\_file)); \ flush\_string; \\ print\_nl(""); \ slow\_print(format\_ident) \\ \end{cases}
```

This code is used in section 1302.

**1329.**  $\langle$  Close the format file 1329  $\rangle$   $\equiv$   $w_c close(fmt_file)$ 

This code is used in section 1302.

1330. The main program. This is it: the part of TEX that executes all those procedures we have written.

Well—almost. Let's leave space for a few more routines that we may have forgotten.  $\langle$  Last-minute procedures 1333 $\rangle$ 

1331. We have noted that there are two versions of TEX82. One, called INITEX, has to be run first; it initializes everything from scratch, without reading a format file, and it has the capability of dumping a format file. The other one is called 'VIRTEX'; it is a "virgin" program that needs to input a format file in order to get started. VIRTEX typically has more memory capacity than INITEX, because it does not need the space consumed by the auxiliary hyphenation tables and the numerous calls on *primitive*, etc.

The VIRTEX program cannot read a format file instantaneously, of course; the best implementations therefore allow for production versions of TEX that not only avoid the loading routine for Pascal object code, they also have a format file pre-loaded. This is impossible to do if we stick to standard Pascal; but there is a simple way to fool many systems into avoiding the initialization, as follows: (1) We declare a global integer variable called  $ready\_already$ . The probability is negligible that this variable holds any particular value like 314159 when VIRTEX is first loaded. (2) After we have read in a format file and initialized everything, we set  $ready\_already \leftarrow 314159$ . (3) Soon VIRTEX will print '\*', waiting for more input; and at this point we interrupt the program and save its core image in some form that the operating system can reload speedily. (4) When that core image is activated, the program starts again at the beginning; but now  $ready\_already = 314159$  and all the other global variables have their initial values too. The former chastity has vanished!

In other words, if we allow ourselves to test the condition  $ready\_already = 314159$ , before  $ready\_already$  has been assigned a value, we can avoid the lengthy initialization. Dirty tricks rarely pay off so handsomely.

On systems that allow such preloading, the standard program called TeX should be the one that has plain format preloaded, since that agrees with *The TeXbook*. Other versions, e.g., AmSTeX, should also be provided for commonly used formats.

```
\langle Global variables 13\rangle +\equiv ready_already: integer; \{ a sacrifice of purity for economy \}
```

1332. Now this is really it: TEX starts and ends here.

The initial test involving ready\_already should be deleted if the Pascal runtime system is smart enough to detect such a "mistake."

```
begin
            { start_here }
  history \leftarrow fatal\_error\_stop; { in case we quit during initialization }
  t\_open\_out; { open the terminal for output }
  if ready\_already = 314159 then goto start\_of\_TEX;
  (Check the "constant" values for consistency 14)
  if bad > 0 then
     begin wterm\_ln(`Ouch---my\_internal\_constants\_have\_been\_clobbered!`, `---case\_`, bad:1);
     goto final_end;
     end;
  initialize; { set global variables to their starting values }
  init if ¬get_strings_started then goto final_end;
  init_prim; { call primitive for each primitive }
  init\_str\_ptr \leftarrow str\_ptr; init\_pool\_ptr \leftarrow pool\_ptr; fix\_date\_and\_time;
  tini
  ready\_already \leftarrow 314159;
start\_of\_TEX: \langle Initialize the output routines 55\rangle;
  (Get the first line of input and prepare to start 1337);
  history \leftarrow spotless; \{ ready to go! \}
  main_control; { come to life }
  final_cleanup; { prepare for death }
end_of_TEX: close_files_and_terminate;
final\_end: ready\_already \leftarrow 0;
  end.
```

1333. Here we do whatever is needed to complete T<sub>E</sub>X's job gracefully on the local operating system. The code here might come into play after a fatal error; it must therefore consist entirely of "safe" operations that cannot produce error messages. For example, it would be a mistake to call *str\_room* or *make\_string* at this time, because a call on *overflow* might lead to an infinite loop. (Actually there's one way to get error messages, via *prepare\_mag*; but that can't cause infinite recursion.)

If final\_cleanup is bypassed, this program doesn't bother to close the input files that may still be open.

```
\langle Last-minute procedures 1333 \rangle \equiv
procedure close_files_and_terminate;
  var k: integer; { all-purpose index }
  begin (Finish the extensions 1378);
  new\_line\_char \leftarrow -1;
  stat if tracing_stats > 0 then \( \text{Output statistics about this job 1334} \); tats
  wake_up_terminal; \langle Finish the DVI file 642 \rangle;
  if log_opened then
     begin wlog\_cr; a\_close(log\_file); selector \leftarrow selector - 2;
     if selector = term\_only then
       begin print_nl("Transcript_written_on_|"); slow_print(log_name); print_char(".");
       end;
     end;
  end;
See also sections 1335, 1336, and 1338.
This code is used in section 1330.
```

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1334. The present section goes directly to the log file instead of using print commands, because there's no need for these strings to take up  $str\_pool$  memory when a non-stat version of  $T_{EX}$  is being used.

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no need for these strings to take up str_pool memory when a non-stat version of TeX is being used.

⟨Output statistics about this job 1334⟩ ≡

if log_opened then

begin wlog_ln(´¬□´); wlog_ln(´Here¬is¬how¬much¬of¬TeX´´s¬memory´, ´¬you¬used:´);
```

```
wlog(``_{\sqcup}`, str\_ptr - init\_str\_ptr : 1, ``_{\sqcup}string`);
if str_ptr \neq init_str_ptr + 1 then wlog(`s');
wlog\_ln(`\_out\_of\_`, max\_strings - init\_str\_ptr : 1);
wlog\_ln(`\_',pool\_ptr-init\_pool\_ptr:1,`\_string\_characters\_out\_of\_',pool\_size-init\_pool\_ptr:1);
wlog\_ln(`\_\_`, lo\_mem\_max - mem\_min + mem\_end - hi\_mem\_min + 2:1,
     \squarewords\squareof\squarememory\squareout\squareof\square, mem\_end + 1 - mem\_min : 1);
wlog\_ln(`\_\_', cs\_count: 1, `\_multiletter\_control\_sequences\_out\_of\_', hash\_size: 1);
wlog(`\_`,fmem\_ptr:1,`\_words\_of\_font\_info\_for\_`,font\_ptr-font\_base:1,`\_font`);
if font_ptr \neq font_base + 1 then wlog(`s`);
wlog\_ln(`, \_out\_of_\bot`, font\_mem\_size : 1, `\_for_\bot`, font\_max - font\_base : 1);
wlog(` \Box `, hyph\_count : 1, ` \Box hyphenation \Box exception `);
if hyph\_count \neq 1 then wlog(`s`);
wlog\_ln(`\_out\_of\_`, hyph\_size:1);
max\_buf\_stack+1:1, `b, `, max\_save\_stack+6:1, `s\sqcupstack\sqcuppositions\sqcupout\sqcupof\sqcup`,
    stack\_size:1, `i, `, nest\_size:1, `n, `, param\_size:1, `p, `, buf\_size:1, `b, `, save\_size:1, `s`);
end
```

This code is used in section 1333.

```
1335.
         We get to the final_cleanup routine when \end or \dump has been scanned and its_all_over.
\langle Last-minute procedures 1333 \rangle + \equiv
procedure final_cleanup;
  label exit;
  var c: small_number; { 0 for \end, 1 for \dump }
  begin c \leftarrow cur\_chr;
  if c \neq 1 then new\_line\_char \leftarrow -1;
  if job\_name = 0 then open\_log\_file;
  while input_ptr > 0 do
     if state = token_list then end_token_list else end_file_reading;
  while open\_parens > 0 do
     begin print("□)"); decr(open_parens);
     end;
  if cur\_level > level\_one then
     \mathbf{begin} \ print\_nl("("); \ print\_esc("end\_occurred\_"); \ print("inside\_a\_group\_at\_level\_");
     print_int(cur_level - level_one); print_char(")");
     end:
  while cond_ptr \neq null do
     begin print_nl("("); print_esc("end_occurred_"); print("when_"); print_cmd_chr(if_test, cur_if);
     if if_{-}line \neq 0 then
       begin print("□on□line□"); print_int(if_line);
     print("\_was\_incomplete)"); if\_line \leftarrow if\_line\_field(cond\_ptr); cur\_if \leftarrow subtype(cond\_ptr);
     temp\_ptr \leftarrow cond\_ptr; cond\_ptr \leftarrow link(cond\_ptr); free\_node(temp\_ptr, if\_node\_size);
     end:
  if history \neq spotless then
     if ((history = warning\_issued) \lor (interaction < error\_stop\_mode)) then
       if selector = term\_and\_log then
          begin selector \leftarrow term\_only;
          print_{-}nl("(see_{\sqcup}the_{\sqcup}transcript_{\sqcup}file_{\sqcup}for_{\sqcup}additional_{\sqcup}information)");
          selector \leftarrow term\_and\_log;
          end;
  if c = 1 then
     begin init for c \leftarrow top\_mark\_code to split\_bot\_mark\_code do
       if cur\_mark[c] \neq null then delete\_token\_ref(cur\_mark[c]);
     if last\_glue \neq max\_halfword then delete\_glue\_ref(last\_glue);
     store_fmt_file; return; tini
     print_nl("(\dump_is_performed_only_by_INITEX)"); return;
     end;
exit: end;
1336. \langle \text{Last-minute procedures } 1333 \rangle + \equiv
  init procedure init_prim; { initialize all the primitives }
  begin no\_new\_control\_sequence \leftarrow false; (Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226);
  no\_new\_control\_sequence \leftarrow true;
  end;
  tini
```

1337. When we begin the following code, T<sub>E</sub>X's tables may still contain garbage; the strings might not even be present. Thus we must proceed cautiously to get bootstrapped in.

But when we finish this part of the program, TEX is ready to call on the *main\_control* routine to do its work.

```
\langle Get the first line of input and prepare to start 1337\rangle \equiv
  begin (Initialize the input routines 331);
  if (format\_ident = 0) \lor (buffer[loc] = "\&") then
     begin if format\_ident \neq 0 then initialize; { erase preloaded format }
     if \neg open\_fmt\_file then goto final\_end;
     if \neg load\_fmt\_file then
        begin w\_close(fmt\_file); goto final\_end;
        end;
     w\_close(fmt\_file);
     while (loc < limit) \land (buffer[loc] = " \sqcup ") do incr(loc);
     end;
  if end_line_char_inactive then decr(limit)
  else buffer[limit] \leftarrow end\_line\_char;
  fix\_date\_and\_time;
  \langle Compute the magic offset 765\rangle;
   \langle Initialize the print selector based on interaction 75\rangle;
  if (loc < limit) \land (cat\_code(buffer[loc]) \neq escape) then start\_input; \{ \forall assumed \} \}
  \mathbf{end}
```

This code is used in section 1332.

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1338. Debugging. Once T<sub>E</sub>X is working, you should be able to diagnose most errors with the \show commands and other diagnostic features. But for the initial stages of debugging, and for the revelation of really deep mysteries, you can compile T<sub>E</sub>X with a few more aids, including the Pascal runtime checks and its debugger. An additional routine called debug\_help will also come into play when you type 'D' after an error message; debug\_help also occurs just before a fatal error causes T<sub>E</sub>X to succumb.

The interface to  $debug\_help$  is primitive, but it is good enough when used with a Pascal debugger that allows you to set breakpoints and to read variables and change their values. After getting the prompt 'debug #', you type either a negative number (this exits  $debug\_help$ ), or zero (this goes to a location where you can set a breakpoint, thereby entering into dialog with the Pascal debugger), or a positive number m followed by an argument n. The meaning of m and n will be clear from the program below. (If m=13, there is an additional argument, l.)

```
define breakpoint = 888 { place where a breakpoint is desirable }
\langle Last-minute procedures 1333 \rangle + \equiv
  debug procedure debug_help; { routine to display various things }
  label breakpoint, exit;
  var k, l, m, n: integer;
  begin clear_terminal;
  loop
     \mathbf{begin}\ wake\_up\_terminal;\ print\_nl("debug_{\sqcup}\#_{\sqcup}(-1_{\sqcup}\mathsf{to}_{\sqcup}\mathsf{exit}):");\ update\_terminal;\ read(term\_in,m);
     if m < 0 then return
     else if m=0 then
          begin goto breakpoint;
             { go to every declared label at least once }
       breakpoint: m \leftarrow 0; @{'BREAKPOINT'@}
          end
       else begin read(term\_in, n);
          case m of
          \langle \text{Numbered cases for } debug\_help \ 1339 \rangle
          othercases print("?")
          endcases;
          end;
     end:
exit: end;
  gubed
```

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```
\langle \text{ Numbered cases for } debug\_help | 1339 \rangle \equiv
1: print\_word(mem[n]); { display mem[n] in all forms }
2: print_int(info(n));
3: print_int(link(n));
4: print\_word(eqtb[n]);
5: print\_word(font\_info[n]);
6: print\_word(save\_stack[n]);
7: show\_box(n); { show a box, abbreviated by show\_box\_depth and show\_box\_breadth }
8: begin breadth\_max \leftarrow 10000; depth\_threshold \leftarrow pool\_size - pool\_ptr - 10; show\_node\_list(n);
        { show a box in its entirety }
  \mathbf{end};
9: show\_token\_list(n, null, 1000);
10: slow\_print(n);
11: check\_mem(n > 0); {check wellformedness; print new busy locations if n > 0}
12: search\_mem(n); { look for pointers to n }
13: begin read(term\_in, l); print\_cmd\_chr(n, l);
14: for k \leftarrow 0 to n do print(buffer[k]);
15: begin font\_in\_short\_display \leftarrow null\_font; short\_display(n);
16: panicking \leftarrow \neg panicking;
This code is used in section 1338.
```

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1340. Extensions. The program above includes a bunch of "hooks" that allow further capabilities to be added without upsetting TEX's basic structure. Most of these hooks are concerned with "whatsit" nodes, which are intended to be used for special purposes; whenever a new extension to TEX involves a new kind of whatsit node, a corresponding change needs to be made to the routines below that deal with such nodes, but it will usually be unnecessary to make many changes to the other parts of this program.

In order to demonstrate how extensions can be made, we shall treat '\write', '\openout', '\closeout', '\immediate', '\special', and '\setlanguage' as if they were extensions. These commands are actually primitives of TeX, and they should appear in all implementations of the system; but let's try to imagine that they aren't. Then the program below illustrates how a person could add them.

Sometimes, of course, an extension will require changes to TEX itself; no system of hooks could be complete enough for all conceivable extensions. The features associated with '\write' are almost all confined to the following paragraphs, but there are small parts of the print\_ln and print\_char procedures that were introduced specifically to \write characters. Furthermore one of the token lists recognized by the scanner is a write\_text; and there are a few other miscellaneous places where we have already provided for some aspect of \write. The goal of a TEX extender should be to minimize alterations to the standard parts of the program, and to avoid them completely if possible. He or she should also be quite sure that there's no easy way to accomplish the desired goals with the standard features that TEX already has. "Think thrice before extending," because that may save a lot of work, and it will also keep incompatible extensions of TEX from proliferating.

**1341.** First let's consider the format of whatsit nodes that are used to represent the data associated with \write and its relatives. Recall that a whatsit has  $type = whatsit\_node$ , and the subtype is supposed to distinguish different kinds of whatsits. Each node occupies two or more words; the exact number is immaterial, as long as it is readily determined from the subtype or other data.

We shall introduce five *subtype* values here, corresponding to the control sequences \openout, \write, \closeout, \special, and \setlanguage. The second word of I/O whatsits has a *write\_stream* field that identifies the write-stream number (0 to 15, or 16 for out-of-range and positive, or 17 for out-of-range and negative). In the case of \write and \special, there is also a field that points to the reference count of a token list that should be sent. In the case of \openout, we need three words and three auxiliary subfields to hold the string numbers for name, area, and extension.

```
define write\_node\_size = 2 { number of words in a write/whatsit node } define open\_node\_size = 3 { number of words in an open/whatsit node } define open\_node = 0 { subtype in whatsits that represent files to \openout } define write\_node = 1 { subtype in whatsits that represent things to \write } define close\_node = 2 { subtype in whatsits that represent streams to \closeout } define special\_node = 3 { subtype in whatsits that represent \special things } define language\_node = 4 { subtype in whatsits that change the current language } define what\_lang(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) { language number, in the range 0...255 } define what\_lhm(\#) \equiv type(\#+1) { minimum left fragment, in the range 1...63 } define write\_tokens(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) { reference count of token list to write } define write\_tokens(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) { stream number (0 to 17) } define open\_name(\#) \equiv link(\#+1) { string number of file area for open\_name } define open\_area(\#) \equiv info(\#+2) { string number of file extension for open\_name }
```

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**1342.** The sixteen possible \write streams are represented by the  $write\_file$  array. The jth file is open if and only if  $write\_open[j] = true$ . The last two streams are special;  $write\_open[16]$  represents a stream number greater than 15, while  $write\_open[17]$  represents a negative stream number, and both of these variables are always false.

```
⟨Global variables 13⟩ +≡
write_file: array [0..15] of alpha_file;
write_open: array [0..17] of boolean;
1343. ⟨Set initial values of key variables 21⟩ +≡
for k ← 0 to 17 do write_open[k] ← false;
```

**1344.** Extensions might introduce new command codes; but it's best to use *extension* with a modifier, whenever possible, so that *main\_control* stays the same.

```
define immediate_code = 4 { command modifier for \immediate }
  define set_language_code = 5 { command modifier for \setlanguage }

⟨ Put each of TEX's primitives into the hash table 226 ⟩ +≡
  primitive("openout", extension, open_node);
  primitive("write", extension, write_node); write_loc ← cur_val;
  primitive("closeout", extension, close_node);
  primitive("special", extension, special_node);
  primitive("immediate", extension, immediate_code);
  primitive("setlanguage", extension, set_language_code);
```

**1345.** The variable *write\_loc* just introduced is used to provide an appropriate error message in case of "runaway" write texts.

```
 \left< \text{Global variables 13} \right> + \equiv \\ write\_loc \colon pointer; \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} eqtb \end{array} \right. \text{address of } \backslash \text{write} \left. \right\}
```

**1346.**  $\langle$  Cases of  $print\_cmd\_chr$  for symbolic printing of primitives  $227 \rangle +\equiv extension$ : case  $chr\_code$  of

```
open_node: print_esc("openout");
write_node: print_esc("write");
close_node: print_esc("closeout");
special_node: print_esc("special");
immediate_code: print_esc("immediate");
set_language_code: print_esc("setlanguage");
othercases print("[unknown_extension!]")
endcases;
```

1347. When an extension command occurs in  $main\_control$ , in any mode, the  $do\_extension$  routine is called.

```
\langle Cases of main\_control that are for extensions to TEX 1347\rangle \equiv any\_mode(extension): do\_extension; This code is used in section 1045.
```

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\langle Declare action procedures for use by main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv
\langle Declare procedures needed in do_extension 1349\rangle
procedure do_extension;
  var i, j, k: integer; {all-purpose integers}
     p, q, r: pointer; { all-purpose pointers }
  begin case cur_chr of
  open_node: \langle Implement \openout 1351 \rangle;
  write_node: (Implement \write 1352);
  close_node: \langle Implement \closeout 1353 \rangle;
  special_node: \langle Implement \special 1354 \rangle;
  immediate_code: \langle Implement \immediate 1375 \rangle;
  set_language_code: \language Implement \setlanguage 1377 \rangle;
  othercases confusion("ext1")
  endcases;
  end;
        Here is a subroutine that creates a whatsit node having a given subtype and a given number of
words. It initializes only the first word of the whatsit, and appends it to the current list.
\langle \text{ Declare procedures needed in } do_{\text{-}extension 1349} \rangle \equiv
procedure new\_whatsit(s:small\_number; w:small\_number);
  var p: pointer; { the new node }
  begin p \leftarrow get\_node(w); type(p) \leftarrow whatsit\_node; subtype(p) \leftarrow s; link(tail) \leftarrow p; tail \leftarrow p;
  end;
See also section 1350.
This code is used in section 1348.
         The next subroutine uses cur-chr to decide what sort of whatsit is involved, and also inserts a
write_stream number.
\langle Declare procedures needed in do_extension 1349\rangle + \equiv
procedure new\_write\_whatsit(w:small\_number);
  begin new\_whatsit(cur\_chr, w);
  if w \neq write\_node\_size then scan\_four\_bit\_int
  else begin scan_int;
     if cur\_val < 0 then cur\_val \leftarrow 17
     else if cur_val > 15 then cur_val \leftarrow 16;
  write\_stream(tail) \leftarrow cur\_val;
  end;
1351. \langle \text{Implement } \backslash \text{openout } 1351 \rangle \equiv
  begin new_write_whatsit(open_node_size); scan_optional_equals; scan_file_name;
  open\_name(tail) \leftarrow cur\_name; open\_area(tail) \leftarrow cur\_area; open\_ext(tail) \leftarrow cur\_ext;
  end
This code is used in section 1348.
```

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```
1352. When '\write 12{...}' appears, we scan the token list '{...}' without expanding its macros; the macros will be expanded later when this token list is rescanned.
```

```
\langle \text{Implement } \rangle \equiv  begin k \leftarrow cur\_cs; new\_write\_whatsit(write\_node\_size); <math>cur\_cs \leftarrow k; p \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, false); write\_tokens(tail) \leftarrow def\_ref; end This code is used in section 1348.
```

```
1353. \langle \text{Implement $\closeout } 1353 \rangle \equiv \\ \text{begin } new\_write\_whatsit(write\_node\_size); write\_tokens(tail) \leftarrow null; \\ \text{end}
```

This code is used in section 1348.

1354. When '\special{...}' appears, we expand the macros in the token list as in \xdef and \mark.

```
\langle Implement \special 1354\rangle \equiv begin new\_whatsit(special\_node, write\_node\_size); write\_stream(tail) \leftarrow null; <math>p \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, true); write\_tokens(tail) \leftarrow def_ref; end
```

This code is used in section 1348.

1355. Each new type of node that appears in our data structure must be capable of being displayed, copied, destroyed, and so on. The routines that we need for write-oriented whatsits are somewhat like those for mark nodes; other extensions might, of course, involve more subtlety here.

```
\langle Basic printing procedures 57\rangle + \equiv
\mathbf{procedure}\ print\_write\_whatsit(s:str\_number;\ p:pointer);
  begin print_{-}esc(s);
  if write\_stream(p) < 16 then print\_int(write\_stream(p))
  else if write\_stream(p) = 16 then print\_char("*")
    else print_char("-");
  end;
1356.
         \langle \text{ Display the whatsit node } p \text{ 1356} \rangle \equiv
  case subtype(p) of
  open_node: begin print_write_whatsit("openout", p); print_char("=");
    print\_file\_name(open\_name(p), open\_area(p), open\_ext(p));
  write_node: begin print_write_whatsit("write", p); print_mark(write_tokens(p));
  close_node: print_write_whatsit("closeout", p);
  special_node: begin print_esc("special"); print_mark(write_tokens(p));
    end;
  language\_node: begin print\_esc("setlanguage"); print\_int(what\_lang(p)); print("u(hyphenminu");
    print_int(what_lhm(p)); print_char(","); print_int(what_rhm(p)); print_char(")");
    end;
  othercases print("whatsit?")
  endcases
```

This code is used in section 183.

```
1357.
         \langle Make a partial copy of the whatsit node p and make r point to it; set words to the number of
       initial words not yet copied 1357 \rangle \equiv
  case subtype(p) of
  open\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(open\_node\_size); words \leftarrow open\_node\_size;
  write\_node, special\_node: begin r \leftarrow get\_node(write\_node\_size); add\_token\_ref(write\_tokens(p));
     words \leftarrow write\_node\_size;
     end;
  close\_node, language\_node: begin r \leftarrow qet\_node(small\_node\_size); words \leftarrow small\_node\_size;
  othercases confusion("ext2")
  endcases
This code is used in section 206.
1358. Wipe out the whatsit node p and goto done 1358 \equiv
  begin case subtype(p) of
  open_node: free_node(p, open_node_size);
  write_node, special_node: begin delete_token_ref(write_tokens(p)); free_node(p, write_node_size);
     goto done;
     end:
  close_node, language_node: free_node(p, small_node_size);
  othercases confusion("ext3")
  endcases;
  goto done;
  end
This code is used in section 202.
1359. (Incorporate a whatsit node into a vbox 1359) \equiv
  do\_nothing
This code is used in section 669.
1360. (Incorporate a whatsit node into an hbox 1360) \equiv
  do\_nothing
This code is used in section 651.
1361. \langle Let d be the width of the whatsit p 1361 \rangle \equiv
  d \leftarrow 0
This code is used in section 1147.
         define adv_past(\#) \equiv \mathbf{if} \ subtype(\#) = language\_node \ \mathbf{then}
            begin cur\_lang \leftarrow what\_lang(\#); l\_hyf \leftarrow what\_lhm(\#); r\_hyf \leftarrow what\_rhm(\#); end
\langle Advance past a whatsit node in the line_break loop 1362\rangle \equiv adv_past(cur_p)
This code is used in section 866.
1363. Advance past a whatsit node in the pre-hyphenation loop 1363 \equiv adv_{-}past(s)
This code is used in section 896.
1364. (Prepare to move whatsit p to the current page, then goto contribute 1364) \equiv
  goto contribute
This code is used in section 1000.
```

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1365. \langle \text{Process whatsit } p \text{ in } vert\_break \text{ loop, } \mathbf{goto} \text{ } not\_found \text{ } 1365 \rangle \equiv
  goto not_found
This code is used in section 973.
1366. Output the whatsit node p in a vlist 1366 \geq
  out\_what(p)
This code is used in section 631.
1367. (Output the whatsit node p in an hlist 1367) \equiv
  out\_what(p)
This code is used in section 622.
1368. After all this preliminary shuffling, we come finally to the routines that actually send out the
requested data. Let's do \special first (it's easier).
\langle \text{Declare procedures needed in } hlist\_out, vlist\_out | 1368 \rangle \equiv
procedure special\_out(p:pointer);
  var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { holds print selector}
     k: pool_pointer; { index into str_pool }
  begin synch_h; synch_v;
  old\_setting \leftarrow selector; selector \leftarrow new\_string;
  show\_token\_list(link(write\_tokens(p)), null, pool\_size - pool\_ptr); selector \leftarrow old\_setting; str\_room(1);
  if cur\_length < 256 then
     begin dvi\_out(xxx1); dvi\_out(cur\_length);
  else begin dvi_-out(xxx4); dvi_-four(cur_-length);
```

See also sections 1370 and 1373.

end;

end:

This code is used in section 619.

1369. To write a token list, we must run it through TEX's scanner, expanding macros and \the and \number, etc. This might cause runaways, if a delimited macro parameter isn't matched, and runaways would be extremely confusing since we are calling on TEX's scanner in the middle of a \shipout command. Therefore we will put a dummy control sequence as a "stopper," right after the token list. This control sequence is artificially defined to be \outer.

```
\langle Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164\rangle +\equiv text(end\_write) \leftarrow "endwrite"; eq\_level(end\_write) \leftarrow level\_one; eq\_type(end\_write) \leftarrow outer\_call; equiv(end\_write) \leftarrow null;
```

for  $k \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr]$  to  $pool\_ptr - 1$  do  $dvi\_out(so(str\_pool[k]))$ ;

 $pool\_ptr \leftarrow str\_start[str\_ptr];$  { erase the string }

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1370.
         \langle \text{ Declare procedures needed in } hlist\_out, vlist\_out | 1368 \rangle + \equiv
procedure write_out(p : pointer);
  var old_setting: 0 .. max_selector; { holds print selector }
     old_mode: integer; { saved mode }
     j: small_number; { write stream number }
     q, r: pointer; \{temporary variables for list manipulation\}
  begin \langle Expand macros in the token list and make link(def_ref) point to the result 1371\rangle;
  old\_setting \leftarrow selector; j \leftarrow write\_stream(p);
  if write\_open[j] then selector \leftarrow j
                 { write to the terminal if file isn't open }
  else begin
     if (j = 17) \land (selector = term\_and\_log) then selector \leftarrow log\_only;
     print_{-}nl("");
  token\_show(def\_ref); print\_ln; flush\_list(def\_ref); selector \leftarrow old\_setting;
  end;
1371. The final line of this routine is slightly subtle; at least, the author didn't think about it until getting
burnt! There is a used-up token list on the stack, namely the one that contained end_write_token. (We insert
this artificial '\endwrite' to prevent runaways, as explained above.) If it were not removed, and if there
were numerous writes on a single page, the stack would overflow.
  define end\_write\_token \equiv cs\_token\_flag + end\_write
\langle Expand macros in the token list and make link(def_ref) point to the result 1371\rangle \equiv
  q \leftarrow get\_avail; info(q) \leftarrow right\_brace\_token + "}";
  r \leftarrow get\_avail; link(q) \leftarrow r; info(r) \leftarrow end\_write\_token; ins\_list(q);
  begin\_token\_list(write\_tokens(p), write\_text);
  q \leftarrow get\_avail; info(q) \leftarrow left\_brace\_token + "\{"; ins\_list(q);
        { now we're ready to scan '\{\langle token \ list \rangle\} \ \endwrite'\}
  old\_mode \leftarrow mode; mode \leftarrow 0; { disable \prevdepth, \spacefactor, \lastskip, \prevgraf }
  cur\_cs \leftarrow write\_loc; \ q \leftarrow scan\_toks(false, true); \ \{ \text{ expand macros, etc.} \}
  get\_token; if cur\_tok \neq end\_write\_token then \langle Recover from an unbalanced write command 1372\rangle;
  mode \leftarrow old\_mode; \ end\_token\_list \ \{ conserve stack space \}
This code is used in section 1370.
1372. \langle Recover from an unbalanced write command 1372\rangle \equiv
  begin print_err("Unbalanced write command");
  help2 (\verb"On_this_page_there's_a_vwrite_with_fewer_real_{||} \{ s_t than_v \} s.")
  ("I」can´t handle that very well; good luck."); error;
  repeat get_token;
  until cur\_tok = end\_write\_token;
```

end

This code is used in section 1371.

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The out\_what procedure takes care of outputting whatsit nodes for vlist\_out and hlist\_out.

1373.

```
\langle Declare procedures needed in hlist_out, vlist_out 1368\rangle +\equiv
procedure out\_what(p:pointer);
  var j: small_number; { write stream number }
  begin case subtype(p) of
  special\_node: special\_out(p);
  language_node: do_nothing;
  othercases confusion("ext4")
  endcases;
  end;
        We don't implement \write inside of leaders. (The reason is that the number of times a leader
box appears might be different in different implementations, due to machine-dependent rounding in the glue
calculations.)
\langle Do some work that has been queued up for \write 1374\rangle \equiv
  if \neg doing\_leaders then
    begin j \leftarrow write\_stream(p);
    if subtype(p) = write\_node then write\_out(p)
    else begin if write\_open[j] then a\_close(write\_file[j]);
       if subtype(p) = close\_node then write\_open[j] \leftarrow false
       else if i < 16 then
           begin cur\_name \leftarrow open\_name(p); cur\_area \leftarrow open\_area(p); cur\_ext \leftarrow open\_ext(p);
           if cur\_ext = "" then <math>cur\_ext \leftarrow ".tex";
           pack_cur_name;
           while ¬a_open_out(write_file[j]) do prompt_file_name("output⊔file_name", ".tex");
           write\_open[j] \leftarrow true;
           end;
       end;
    end
This code is used in section 1373.
1375. The presence of '\immediate' causes the do_extension procedure to descend to one level of recursion.
Nothing happens unless \immediate is followed by '\openout', '\write', or '\closeout'.
\langle Implement \setminus immediate 1375 \rangle \equiv
  begin get\_x\_token;
  if (cur\_cmd = extension) \land (cur\_chr \le close\_node) then
    begin p \leftarrow tail; do\_extension; {append a whatsit node}
    out\_what(tail); { do the action immediately }
    flush\_node\_list(tail); tail \leftarrow p; link(p) \leftarrow null;
    end
  else back_input;
  end
This code is used in section 1348.
```

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**1378.**  $\langle$  Finish the extensions 1378 $\rangle \equiv$ 

 $\mathbf{if} \ write\_open[k] \ \mathbf{then} \ \ a\_close(write\_file[k])$ 

for  $k \leftarrow 0$  to 15 do

This code is used in section 1333.

The \language extension is somewhat different. We need a subroutine that comes into play when

a character of a non-clang language is being appended to the current paragraph.  $\langle$  Declare action procedures for use by  $main\_control\ 1043 \rangle + \equiv$ procedure fix\_language; var l: ASCII\_code; { the new current language } **begin if**  $language \leq 0$  **then**  $l \leftarrow 0$ else if language > 255 then  $l \leftarrow 0$ else  $l \leftarrow language$ ; if  $l \neq clang$  then **begin**  $new\_whatsit(language\_node, small\_node\_size); what\_lang(tail) \leftarrow l; clang \leftarrow l;$  $what\_lhm(tail) \leftarrow norm\_min(left\_hyphen\_min); \ what\_rhm(tail) \leftarrow norm\_min(right\_hyphen\_min);$ end; end; 1377.  $\langle Implement \setminus setlanguage 1377 \rangle \equiv$ if  $abs(mode) \neq hmode$  then report\_illegal\_case else begin new\_whatsit(language\_node, small\_node\_size); scan\_int; if  $cur_val \leq 0$  then  $clang \leftarrow 0$ else if  $cur_val > 255$  then  $clang \leftarrow 0$ else  $clang \leftarrow cur\_val$ ;  $what\_lang(tail) \leftarrow clang; what\_lhm(tail) \leftarrow norm\_min(left\_hyphen\_min);$  $what\_rhm(tail) \leftarrow norm\_min(right\_hyphen\_min);$ endThis code is used in section 1348.

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1379. System-dependent changes. This section should be replaced, if necessary, by any special modifications of the program that are necessary to make TEX work at a particular installation. It is usually best to design your change file so that all changes to previous sections preserve the section numbering; then everybody's version will be consistent with the published program. More extensive changes, which introduce new sections, can be inserted here; then only the index itself will get a new section number.

**1380. Index.** Here is where you can find all uses of each identifier in the program, with underlined entries pointing to where the identifier was defined. If the identifier is only one letter long, however, you get to see only the underlined entries. All references are to section numbers instead of page numbers.

This index also lists error messages and other aspects of the program that you might want to look up some day. For example, the entry for "system dependencies" lists all sections that should receive special attention from people who are installing TEX in a new operating environment. A list of various things that can't happen appears under "this can't happen". Approximately 40 sections are listed under "inner loop"; these account for about 60% of TEX's running time, exclusive of input and output.

**\*\***: 37, 534. \*: 174, 176, 178, 313, 360, 856, 1006, 1355. **->**: 294. **=>**: 363. ???: 59. ?: 83. **Q**: 856. **@@**: 846. a: 47, 102, 218, 518, 519, 523, 560, 597, 691, 722, <u>738, 752, 1123, 1194, 1211, 1236, 1257</u>. A <box> was supposed to...: 1084. a\_close: 28, 51, 329, 485, 486, 1275, 1333, 1374, 1378. a\_leaders: 149, 189, 625, 627, 634, 636, 656, 671, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1078, 1148.  $a\_make\_name\_string$ : 525, 534, 537.  $a\_open\_in: 27, 51, 537, 1275.$  $a\_open\_out: 27, 534, 1374.$  $A\_token: 445.$ abort: 560, 563, 564, 565, 568, 569, 570, 571, 573, 575. above: 208, 1046, 1178, 1179, 1180. \above primitive: 1178.  $above\_code$ : 1178, 1179, 1182, 1183. above\_display\_short\_skip: 224, 814. \abovedisplayshortskip primitive:  $\underline{226}$ . above\_display\_short\_skip\_code: 224, 225, 226, 1203. above\_display\_skip: 224, 814. \abovedisplayskip primitive:  $\underline{226}$ . above\_display\_skip\_code: <u>224</u>, 225, 226, 1203, 1206. \abovewithdelims primitive: 1178. abs: 66, 186, 211, 218, 219, 418, 422, 448, 501, 610, 663, 675, 718, 737, 757, 758, 759, 831, 836, 849, 859, 944, 948, 1029, 1030, 1056, 1076, 1078, 1080, 1083, 1093, 1110, 1120, 1127, 1149, 1243, 1244, 1377. absorbing: <u>305</u>, 306, 339, 473.  $acc\_kern: \underline{155}, 191, 1125.$ accent: 208, 265, 266, 1090, 1122, 1164, 1165. \accent primitive:  $\underline{265}$ . accent\_chr: 687, 696, 738, 1165. accent\_noad: 687, 690, 696, 698, 733, 761,

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 Compute the register location l and its type p; but return if invalid 1237 \( \rightarrow \) Used in section 1236.
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 Compute the trie op code, v, and set l \leftarrow 0.965 Used in section 963.
 Compute the values of break_width 837 \ Used in section 836.
 Consider a node with matching width; goto found if it's a hit 612 \( \) Used in section 611.
(Consider the demerits for a line from r to cur_p; deactivate node r if it should no longer be active; then
    goto continue if a line from r to cur_p is infeasible, otherwise record a new feasible break 851
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(Constants in the outer block 11) Used in section 4.
(Construct a box with limits above and below it, skewed by delta 750) Used in section 749.
(Construct a sub/superscript combination box x, with the superscript offset by delta 759)
    Used in section 756.
\langle Construct a subscript box x when there is no superscript 757\rangle Used in section 756.
\langle \text{Construct a superscript box } x 758 \rangle Used in section 756.
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 $\langle \text{Construct an extensible character in a new box } b$ , using recipe  $rem\_byte(q)$  and font f 713 $\rangle$ Used in section 710. (Contribute an entire group to the current parameter 399) Used in section 392. Contribute the recently matched tokens to the current parameter, and **goto** continue if a partial match is still in effect; but abort if s = null 397 Used in section 392. (Convert a final bin\_noad to an ord\_noad 729) Used in sections 726 and 728. Convert  $cur_{val}$  to a lower level 429 \times Used in section 413. Convert math glue to ordinary glue 732 \ Used in section 730. Convert nucleus(q) to an hlist and attach the sub/superscripts 754 \(\rightarrow\) Used in section 728. Copy the tabskip glue between columns 795 \ Used in section 791. Copy the templates from node  $cur\_loop$  into node p 794 \quad Used in section 793. Copy the token list 466 \ Used in section 465. 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(Create the format\_ident, open the format file, and inform the user that dumping has begun 1328) Used in section 1302.  $\langle \text{Current } mem \text{ equivalent of glue parameter number } n \text{ 224} \rangle$  Used in sections 152 and 154.  $\langle \text{ Deactivate node } r | 860 \rangle$  Used in section 851.  $\langle \text{ Declare action procedures for use by } main\_control \ 1043, 1047, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1054, 1060, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1070, 1061, 1064, 1069, 1061, 1064,$  $1075,\ 1079,\ 1084,\ 1086,\ 1091,\ 1093,\ 1095,\ 1096,\ 1099,\ 1101,\ 1103,\ 1105,\ 1110,\ 1113,\ 1117,\ 1119,\ 1123,\ 1127,\ 1129,\ 1131,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111,\ 11111$  $1135,\ 1136,\ 1138,\ 1142,\ 1151,\ 1155,\ 1159,\ 1160,\ 1163,\ 1165,\ 1172,\ 1174,\ 1176,\ 1181,\ 1191,\ 1194,\ 1200,\ 1211,\ 1270,\ 1275,\ 1174,\ 1176,\ 1181,\ 1191,\ 1194,\ 1200,\ 1211,\ 1270,\ 1275,\ 1174,\ 1176,\ 1181,\ 1191,\ 1194,\ 1200,\ 1211,\ 1270,\ 1275,\ 1174,\ 1176,\ 1181,\ 1191,\ 1194,\ 1200,\ 1211,\ 1270,\ 1275,\ 1174,\ 1176,\ 1181,\ 1191,\ 1194,\ 1200,\ 1211,\ 1270,\ 1275,\ 1181,\$ 1279, 1288, 1293, 1302, 1348, 1376 \ Used in section 1030.  $\langle \text{Declare math construction procedures } 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 743, 749, 752, 756, 762 \rangle$  Used in section 726. (Declare procedures for preprocessing hyphenation patterns 944, 948, 949, 953, 957, 959, 960, 966) Used in section 942. (Declare procedures needed for displaying the elements of mlists 691, 692, 694) Used in section 179. Declare procedures needed in do-extension 1349, 1350  $\rangle$  Used in section 1348. Declare procedures needed in  $hlist\_out$ ,  $vlist\_out$  1368, 1370, 1373 \rangle Used in section 619. Declare procedures that scan font-related stuff 577, 578 \( \) Used in section 409. Declare procedures that scan restricted classes of integers 433, 434, 435, 436, 437 Used in section 409. Declare subprocedures for line\_break 826, 829, 877, 895, 942 \ Used in section 815. (Declare subprocedures for prefixed\_command 1215, 1229, 1236, 1243, 1244, 1245, 1246, 1247, 1257, 1265) Used in section 1211.  $\langle \text{ Declare subprocedures for } var\_delimiter 709, 711, 712 \rangle$  Used in section 706. Declare the function called  $fin\_mlist$  1184 \rangle Used in section 1174. Declare the function called  $open\_fmt\_file\ 524$  Used in section 1303. Declare the function called *reconstitute* 906 \rightarrow Used in section 895. Declare the procedure called align\_peek 785 \ Used in section 800. Declare the procedure called *fire\_up* 1012 \rangle Used in section 994. (Declare the procedure called get\_preamble\_token 782) Used in section 774.

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(Declare the procedure called handle_right_brace 1068) Used in section 1030.
 Declare the procedure called init_span 787 \ Used in section 786.
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     common\_ending 672 Used in section 668.
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 $\langle$  Display token p, and **return** if there are problems 293 $\rangle$  Used in section 292.  $\langle$  Do first-pass processing based on type(q); **goto** done\_with\_noad if a noad has been fully processed, **goto**  $check\_dimensions$  if it has been translated into  $new\_hlist(q)$ , or **goto**  $done\_with\_node$  if a node has been fully processed 728 \rangle Used in section 727. (Do ligature or kern command, returning to main\_liq\_loop or main\_loop\_wrapup or main\_loop\_move 1040) Used in section 1039. (Do magic computation 320) Used in section 292. Do some work that has been queued up for \write 1374\) Used in section 1373. Drop current token and complain that it was unmatched 1066 Vsed in section 1064. Dump a couple more things and the closing check word 1326 \ Used in section 1302. Dump constants for consistency check 1307 \ Used in section 1302. Dump regions 1 to 4 of eqtb 1315 \times Used in section 1313. Dump regions 5 and 6 of eqtb 1316 \rangle Used in section 1313. Dump the array info for internal font number k 1322 \rangle Used in section 1320. Dump the dynamic memory 1311 \rangle Used in section 1302. Dump the font information 1320 \rangle Used in section 1302. Dump the hash table 1318 \ Used in section 1313. Dump the hyphenation tables 1324 \ Used in section 1302. Dump the string pool 1309 \> Used in section 1302. Dump the table of equivalents 1313 \rangle Used in section 1302. Either append the insertion node p after node q, and remove it from the current page, or delete node(p) 1022 \rangle Used in section 1020.  $\langle$  Either insert the material specified by node p into the appropriate box, or hold it for the next page; also delete node p from the current page 1020 V Used in section 1014.  $\langle$  Either process \iff \( \) if \( \) case or set b to the value of a boolean condition 501 \rangle \) Used in section 498. Empty the last bytes out of dvi\_buf 599 \ Used in section 642. Ensure that box 255 is empty after output 1028 \rangle Used in section 1026. Ensure that box 255 is empty before output 1015 \rangle Used in section 1014. Ensure that  $trie_{-}max \ge h + 256$  954 \rightarrow Used in section 953. Enter a hyphenation exception 939 \rangle Used in section 935. Enter all of the patterns into a linked trie, until coming to a right brace 961 \ Used in section 960. (Enter as many hyphenation exceptions as are listed, until coming to a right brace; then return 935) Used in section 934. Enter skip\_blanks state, emit a space 349 \ Used in section 347. Error handling procedures 78, 81, 82, 93, 94, 95 \ Used in section 4.  $\langle$  Examine node p in the hlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the new box, or moving it to the adjustment list; then advance p to the next node 651 \( \) Used in section 649.  $\langle$  Examine node p in the vlist, taking account of its effect on the dimensions of the new box; then advance p to the next node 669 \ Used in section 668.  $\langle$  Expand a nonmacro 367 $\rangle$  Used in section 366. Expand macros in the token list and make  $link(def\_ref)$  point to the result 1371 \rangle Used in section 1370. Expand the next part of the input 478 \rangle Used in section 477. Expand the token after the next token 368 \ Used in section 367. Explain that too many dead cycles have occurred in a row 1024 \ Used in section 1012. Express astonishment that no number was here 446 \) Used in section 444. Express consternation over the fact that no alignment is in progress 1128 \rangle Used in section 1127. Express shock at the missing left brace; **goto** found 475 \( \) Used in section 474. Feed the macro body and its parameters to the scanner 390 \ Used in section 389. Fetch a box dimension 420 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch a character code from some table 414 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch a font dimension 425 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch a font integer 426 \ Used in section 413.

(Fetch a register 427) Used in section 413. Fetch a token list or font identifier, provided that  $level = tok\_val$  415 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch an internal dimension and goto attach\_sign, or fetch an internal integer 449 \ Used in section 448. Fetch an item in the current node, if appropriate 424 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch something on the  $page\_so\_far$  421  $\rangle$  Used in section 413. Fetch the dead\_cycles or the insert\_penalties 419 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch the  $par\_shape$  size 423 \quad Used in section 413. Fetch the  $prev\_graf$  422 \rangle Used in section 413. Fetch the space\_factor or the prev\_depth 418 \rangle Used in section 413. Find an active node with fewest demerits 874 \ Used in section 873. Find hyphen locations for the word in hc, or **return** 923 Used in section 895. Find optimal breakpoints 863 \ Used in section 815. Find the best active node for the desired looseness 875 \ Used in section 873. Find the best way to split the insertion, and change type(r) to  $split\_up$  1010 \range Used in section 1008. Find the glue specification,  $main_p$ , for text spaces in the current font 1042 Used in sections 1041 and 1043. Finish an alignment in a display 1206 \ Used in section 812. Finish displayed math 1199 \ Used in section 1194. Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull hbox 663 \ Used in section 649. Finish issuing a diagnostic message for an overfull or underfull vbox 675 \> Used in section 668. Finish line, emit a \par 351 \rightarrow Used in section 347. Finish line, emit a space 348 \ Used in section 347. Finish line, **goto** switch 350 V Used in section 347. Finish math in text 1196 \ Used in section 1194. Finish the DVI file 642 \ Used in section 1333. Finish the extensions 1378 \ Used in section 1333. Fire up the user's output routine and **return** 1025 \ Used in section 1012. Fix the reference count, if any, and negate  $cur_val$  if negative 430 Used in section 413. Flush the box from memory, showing statistics if requested 639 \ Used in section 638. Forbidden cases detected in  $main\_control$  1048, 1098, 1111, 1144 \(\rightarrow\) Used in section 1045. Generate a down or right command for w and **return** 610 \ Used in section 607. Generate a  $y\theta$  or  $z\theta$  command in order to reuse a previous appearance of w 609 \ Used in section 607. Get ready to compress the trie 952 \ Used in section 966. Get ready to start line breaking 816, 827, 834, 848 Used in section 815. Get the first line of input and prepare to start 1337 \ Used in section 1332. Get the next non-blank non-call token 406 \ Used in sections 405, 441, 455, 503, 526, 577, 785, 791, and 1045. (Get the next non-blank non-relax non-call token 404) Used in sections 403, 1078, 1084, 1151, 1160, 1211, 1226, and 1270. (Get the next non-blank non-sign token; set negative appropriately 441) Used in sections 440, 448, and 461. Get the next token, suppressing expansion 358 Used in section 357. Get user's advice and **return** 83 \ Used in section 82. Give diagnostic information, if requested 1031 \) Used in section 1030. Give improper \hyphenation error 936 \rangle Used in section 935. Global variables 13, 20, 26, 30, 32, 39, 50, 54, 73, 76, 79, 96, 104, 115, 116, 117, 118, 124, 165, 173, 181, 213, 246, 253, 256, 271, 286, 297, 301, 304, 305, 308, 309, 310, 333, 361, 382, 387, 388, 410, 438, 447, 480, 489, 493, 512, 513, 520, 527, 872, 892, 900, 905, 907, 921, 926, 943, 947, 950, 971, 980, 982, 989, 1032, 1074, 1266, 1281, 1299, 1305, 1331, 1342, 1345Used in section 4. (Go into display math mode 1145) Used in section 1138. (Go into ordinary math mode 1139) Used in sections 1138 and 1142. (Go through the preamble list, determining the column widths and changing the alignrecords to dummy unset boxes 801 \rangle Used in section 800. (Grow more variable-size memory and **goto** restart 126) Used in section 125.

- (Handle situations involving spaces, braces, changes of state 347) Used in section 344.
- $\langle$  If a line number class has ended, create new active nodes for the best feasible breaks in that class; then **return** if  $r = last\_active$ , otherwise compute the new  $line\_width$  835 $\rangle$  Used in section 829.
- $\langle$  If all characters of the family fit relative to h, then **goto** found, otherwise **goto** not-found 955  $\rangle$  Used in section 953.
- (If an alignment entry has just ended, take appropriate action 342) Used in section 341.
- $\langle$  If an expanded code is present, reduce it and **goto**  $start\_cs$  355 $\rangle$  Used in sections 354 and 356.
- (If dumping is not allowed, abort 1304) Used in section 1302.
- $\langle$  If instruction  $cur_{-}i$  is a kern with  $cur_{-}c$ , attach the kern after q; or if it is a ligature with  $cur_{-}c$ , combine noads q and p appropriately; then **return** if the cursor has moved past a noad, or **goto** restart 753  $\rangle$  Used in section 752.
- (If no hyphens were found, **return** 902) Used in section 895.
- $\langle$  If node  $cur_p$  is a legal breakpoint, call  $try_break$ ; then update the active widths by including the glue in  $glue_ptr(cur_p)$  868 $\rangle$  Used in section 866.
- $\langle$  If node p is a legal breakpoint, check if this break is the best known, and **goto** done if p is null or if the page-so-far is already too full to accept more stuff 972  $\rangle$  Used in section 970.
- (If node q is a style node, change the style and **goto**  $delete_{-}q$ ; otherwise if it is not a noad, put it into the hlist, advance q, and **goto** done; otherwise set s to the size of noad q, set t to the associated type  $(ord\_noad ... inner\_noad)$ , and set pen to the associated penalty 761) Used in section 760.
- $\langle$  If node r is of type  $delta\_node$ , update  $cur\_active\_width$ , set  $prev\_r$  and  $prev\_prev\_r$ , then **goto** continue 832  $\rangle$  Used in section 829.
- $\langle$  If the current list ends with a box node, delete it from the list and make  $cur\_box$  point to it; otherwise set  $cur\_box \leftarrow null\ 1080 \rangle$  Used in section 1079.
- $\langle$  If the current page is empty and node p is to be deleted, **goto** done1; otherwise use node p to update the state of the current page; if this node is an insertion, **goto** contribute; otherwise if this node is not a legal breakpoint, **goto** contribute or  $update\_heights$ ; otherwise set pi to the penalty associated with this breakpoint  $1000 \rangle$  Used in section 997.
- (If the cursor is immediately followed by the right boundary, **goto** reswitch; if it's followed by an invalid character, **goto** big\_switch; otherwise move the cursor one step to the right and **goto** main\_lig\_loop 1036) Used in section 1034.
- (If the next character is a parameter number, make *cur\_tok* a *match* token; but if it is a left brace, store '*left\_brace*, *end\_match*', set *hash\_brace*, and **goto** *done* 476) Used in section 474.
- (If the preamble list has been traversed, check that the row has ended 792) Used in section 791.
- (If the right-hand side is a token parameter or token register, finish the assignment and **goto** done 1227) Used in section 1226.
- (If the string  $hyph\_word[h]$  is less than hc[1...hn], **goto**  $not\_found$ ; but if the two strings are equal, set hyf to the hyphen positions and **goto** found 931) Used in section 930.
- $\langle$  If the string  $hyph\_word[h]$  is less than or equal to s, interchange  $(hyph\_word[h], hyph\_list[h])$  with (s, p) 941  $\rangle$  Used in section 940.
- $\langle$  If there's a ligature or kern at the cursor position, update the data structures, possibly advancing j; continue until the cursor moves 909 $\rangle$  Used in section 906.
- $\langle$  If there's a ligature/kern command relevant to  $cur_{-}l$  and  $cur_{-}r$ , adjust the text appropriately; exit to  $main\_loop\_wrapup\ 1039$   $\rangle$  Used in section 1034.
- $\langle$  If this font has already been loaded, set f to the internal font number and **goto** common\_ending 1260  $\rangle$  Used in section 1257.
- $\langle$  If this  $sup\_mark$  starts an expanded character like ^A or ^df, then **goto** reswitch, otherwise set  $state \leftarrow mid\_line 352 \rangle$  Used in section 344.
- (Ignore the fraction operation and complain about this ambiguous case 1183) Used in section 1181.
- (Implement \closeout 1353) Used in section 1348.
- (Implement \immediate 1375) Used in section 1348.
- (Implement \openout 1351) Used in section 1348.
- (Implement \setlanguage 1377) Used in section 1348.

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(Implement \special 1354) Used in section 1348.
 Implement \write 1352 \rightarrow Used in section 1348.
(Incorporate a whatsit node into a vbox 1359) Used in section 669.
(Incorporate a whatsit node into an hbox 1360) Used in section 651.
(Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it 653) Used in section 651.
 Incorporate box dimensions into the dimensions of the vbox that will contain it 670 \ Used in section 669.
(Incorporate character dimensions into the dimensions of the hbox that will contain it, then move to the
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(Incorporate glue into the horizontal totals 656) Used in section 651.
(Incorporate glue into the vertical totals 671) Used in section 669.
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(Initialize table entries (done by INITEX only) 164, 222, 228, 232, 240, 250, 258, 552, 946, 951, 1216, 1301, 1369
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\langle Initialize the current page, insert the \topskip glue ahead of p, and goto continue 1001\rangle
     Used in section 1000.
(Initialize the input routines 331) Used in section 1337.
 Initialize the output routines 55, 61, 528, 533 \ Used in section 1332.
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(Initialize the special list heads and constant nodes 790, 797, 820, 981, 988) Used in section 164.
 Initialize variables as ship_out begins 617 \rangle Used in section 640.
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 Insert a new pattern into the linked trie 963 \ Used in section 961.
 Insert a new trie node between q and p, and make p point to it 964 \( \) Used in section 963.
 Insert a token containing frozen_endv 375 \ Used in section 366.
 Insert a token saved by \afterassignment, if any 1269 \ Used in section 1211.
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 Insert the appropriate mark text into the scanner 386 \ Used in section 367.
 Insert the current list into its environment 812 \ Used in section 800.
 Insert the pair (s, p) into the exception table 940 \rangle Used in section 939.
 Insert the \langle v_i \rangle template and goto restart 789 \tag{9} Used in section 342.
 Insert token p into T<sub>E</sub>X's input 326 \rangle Used in section 282.
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(Issue an error message if cur_val = fmem_ptr 579) Used in section 578.
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 $\langle$  Justify the line ending at breakpoint  $cur_p$ , and append it to the current vertical list, together with associated penalties and other insertions 880 \ Used in section 877. (Labels in the outer block 6) Used in section 4. (Last-minute procedures 1333, 1335, 1336, 1338) Used in section 1330. (Lengthen the preamble periodically 793) Used in section 792.  $\langle \text{Let } \textit{cur\_h} \text{ be the position of the first box, and set } \textit{leader\_wd} + \textit{lx} \text{ to the spacing between corresponding}$ parts of boxes 627 \ Used in section 626.  $\langle \text{Let } cur\_v \text{ be the position of the first box, and set } leader\_ht + lx \text{ to the spacing between corresponding}$ parts of boxes 636 \> Used in section 635.  $\langle$  Let d be the natural width of node p; if the node is "visible," **goto** found; if the node is glue that stretches or shrinks, set  $v \leftarrow max\_dimen \ 1147$  Used in section 1146. (Let d be the natural width of this glue; if stretching or shrinking, set  $v \leftarrow max\_dimen$ ; goto found in the case of leaders 1148 \rangle Used in section 1147.  $\langle$  Let d be the width of the whatsit p 1361  $\rangle$  Used in section 1147. Let n be the largest legal code value, based on  $cur_chr$  1233 \) Used in section 1232. (Link node p into the current page and **goto** done 998) Used in section 997. Local variables for dimension calculations 450 \ Used in section 448. Local variables for finishing a displayed formula 1198 \> Used in section 1194. Local variables for formatting calculations 315 \ Used in section 311. Local variables for hyphenation 901, 912, 922, 929 Used in section 895. Local variables for initialization 19, 163, 927 \ Used in section 4. Local variables for line breaking 862,893 Used in section 815.  $\langle$  Look ahead for another character, or leave  $lig\_stack$  empty if there's none there 1038  $\rangle$  Used in section 1034. (Look at all the marks in nodes before the break, and set the final link to null at the break 979) Used in section 977. Look at the list of characters starting with x in font g; set f and c whenever a better character is found; goto found as soon as a large enough variant is encountered 708 \ Used in section 707. Look at the other stack entries until deciding what sort of DVI command to generate; goto found if node p is a "hit" 611 \rangle Used in section 607. (Look at the variants of (z,x); set f and c whenever a better character is found; **goto** found as soon as a large enough variant is encountered 707 \ Used in section 706. (Look for parameter number or ## 479) Used in section 477. (Look for the word hc[1...hn] in the exception table, and **goto** found (with hyf containing the hyphens) if an entry is found 930 \ Used in section 923. (Look up the characters of list r in the hash table, and set  $cur_cs$  374) Used in section 372.  $\langle \text{ Make a copy of node } p \text{ in node } r \text{ 205} \rangle$  Used in section 204. (Make a ligature node, if *ligature\_present*; insert a null discretionary, if appropriate 1035) Used in section 1034.  $\langle$  Make a partial copy of the whatsit node p and make r point to it; set words to the number of initial words not yet copied 1357 \rangle Used in section 206. (Make a second pass over the mlist, removing all noads and inserting the proper spacing and penalties 760) Used in section 726. (Make final adjustments and **goto** done 576) Used in section 562.  $\langle$  Make node p look like a char\_node and **goto** reswitch 652 $\rangle$  Used in sections 622, 651, and 1147.  $\langle \text{ Make sure that } page\_max\_depth \text{ is not exceeded } 1003 \rangle$  Used in section 997. Make sure that pi is in the proper range 831 \rangle Used in section 829. Make the contribution list empty by setting its tail to contrib\_head 995 \ Used in section 994. Make the first 256 strings 48 \rangle Used in section 47.

 $\langle$  Make the running dimensions in rule q extend to the boundaries of the alignment 806 $\rangle$  Used in section 805.

 $\langle$  Make the unset node r into a vlist\_node of height w, setting the glue as if the height were t 811 $\rangle$ 

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 $\langle$  Make the unset node r into an hlist\_node of width w, setting the glue as if the width were t 810 $\rangle$ Used in section 808.  $\langle$  Make variable b point to a box for (f, c) 710  $\rangle$  Used in section 706.  $\langle$  Manufacture a control sequence name 372  $\rangle$  Used in section 367. (Math-only cases in non-math modes, or vice versa 1046) Used in section 1045.  $\langle$  Merge the widths in the span nodes of q with those of p, destroying the span nodes of q 803 $\rangle$ Used in section 801. (Modify the end of the line to reflect the nature of the break and to include \rightskip; also set the proper value of  $disc\_break$  881 \rangle Used in section 880.  $\langle$  Modify the glue specification in  $main_p$  according to the space factor 1044 $\rangle$  Used in section 1043.  $\langle$  Move down or output leaders 634 $\rangle$  Used in section 631.  $\langle$  Move node p to the current page; if it is time for a page break, put the nodes following the break back onto the contribution list, and **return** to the user's output routine if there is one 997 Used in section 994.  $\langle$  Move pointer s to the end of the current list, and set  $replace\_count(r)$  appropriately 918 $\rangle$ Used in section 914. (Move right or output leaders 625) Used in section 622.  $\langle$  Move the characters of a ligature node to hu and hc; but **goto** done3 if they are not all letters 898 $\rangle$ Used in section 897. (Move the cursor past a pseudo-ligature, then **goto** main\_loop\_lookahead or main\_lig\_loop 1037) Used in section 1034.  $\langle$  Move the data into  $trie 958 \rangle$  Used in section 966. (Move to next line of file, or **goto** restart if there is no next line, or **return** if a \read line has finished 360) Used in section 343.  $\langle$  Negate all three glue components of  $cur_{-}val$  431  $\rangle$  Used in section 430. (Nullify width(q) and the tabskip glue following this column 802) Used in section 801.  $\langle Numbered cases for debug\_help 1339 \rangle$  Used in section 1338. Open  $tfm_{-}file$  for input 563 \ Used in section 562. Other local variables for  $try\_break$  830 \ Used in section 829. Output a box in a vlist 632 \ Used in section 631. Output a box in an hlist 623 \ Used in section 622. Output a leader box at  $cur_h$ , then advance  $cur_h$  by  $leader_wd + lx$  628 Used in section 626. Output a leader box at  $cur_v$ , then advance  $cur_v$  by  $leader_t + lx$  637 Used in section 635. Output a rule in a vlist, **goto**  $next_p$  633 Used in section 631. Output a rule in an hlist 624 \ Used in section 622. Output leaders in a vlist, **goto** fin\_rule if a rule or to next\_p if done 635 \ Used in section 634. Output leaders in an hlist, **goto** fin\_rule if a rule or to next\_p if done 626 \text{\rm Used in section 625.} Output node p for hlist\_out and move to the next node, maintaining the condition  $cur_v = base\_line$  620) Used in section 619.  $\langle \text{Output node } p \text{ for } vlist\_out \text{ and move to the next node, maintaining the condition } cur\_h = left\_edge 630 \rangle$ Used in section 629. Output statistics about this job 1334 Used in section 1333. Output the font definitions for all fonts that were used 643 \> Used in section 642. Output the font name whose internal number is f(603) Used in section 602. Output the non-char-node p for hlist-out and move to the next node 622 \ Used in section 620. Output the non-char\_node p for  $vlist_out$  631 \ Used in section 630. Output the whatsit node p in a vlist 1366 \ Used in section 631. Output the whatsit node p in an hlist 1367 \rangle Used in section 622. Pack the family into trie relative to h 956 \rangle Used in section 953. Package an unset box for the current column and record its width 796 \ Used in section 791.  $\langle$  Package the preamble list, to determine the actual tabskip glue amounts, and let p point to this prototype box 804 \ Used in section 800. (Perform the default output routine 1023) Used in section 1012.

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(Prepare all the boxes involved in insertions to act as queues 1018) Used in section 1014.
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\langle \text{ Simplify a trivial box 721} \rangle Used in section 720.
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