## Whetstone Algol Controller – Run Time Error Numbers See Appendix 2 of the English Electric Service Routine Library Manual

## Error/Meaning

- 0 Machine Compiler (non-existent operation)
- 1 KDF9 too small
- 2 Expression in an if clause not boolean
- 3 Incorrect number of parameters in a procedure call
- 4 Left and right-hand sides not compatible
- 5 Variables in left part list of differing types
- 6 Integer overflow
- 7 Integer assigned to real actual parameter called by name
- 8 Real assigned to integer actual parameter called by name
- 9 Actual parameter incompatible with formal parameter used in an expression
- 10 Invalid actual parameter corresponding to real formal parameter used in an expression (call by name)
- Invalid actual parameter corresponding to integer formal parameter used in an expression (call by name)
- 12 Integer overflow in converting real actual parameter corresponding to integer formal parameter (call by name)
- Arithmetic actual parameter corresponding to boolean formal parameter (call by name)
- 14 Algebraic actual parameter corresponding to label formal parameter (call by name)
- 15 Invalid actual parameter corresponding to real formal parameter used in an expression (call by value)
- Invalid actual parameter corresponding to integer formal parameter used in an expression (call by value)
- 17 Integer overflow in converting real actual parameter corresponding to integer formal parameter (call by value)
- 18 Arithmetic actual parameter corresponding to boolean formal parameter (call by value)
- 19 Algebraic actual parameter corresponding to label formal parameter (call by value)
- 20 Actual parameter should be real array
- 21 Actual parameter should be integer array
- 22 Actual parameter should be boolean array
- 23 Actual parameter should be procedure
- 24 Actual parameter should be real procedure
- 25 Actual parameter should be integer procedure
- 26 Actual parameter should be boolean procedure
- 27 Actual parameter should be string
- 28 Actual parameter should be switch
- 29 Actual parameter not arithmetic
- 30 Actual parameter not boolean
- 31 Actual parameter not label
- 32 Array bound not arithmetic
- 33 Lower bound exceeds upper bound
- 34 Integer overflow in converting real bound
- 35 Integer overflow in converting real subscript
- 36 Subscript not arithmetic
- 37 Incorrect number of subscripts to formal array
- 38 Subscripted variable outside array limits
- 39 Integer overflow in converting real array to integer
- 40 Actual parameter corresponding to real formal array should be arithmetic array
- 41 Actual parameter corresponding to integer formal array should be arithmetic array
- 42 Actual parameter should be boolean array
- 43 Out-of-range switch index
- 44 Operand of unary minus not arithmetic
- 45 Real overflow unary minus
- 46 Integer overflow unary minus
- 47 Operand of **not** is not boolean
- 48 Operands of integer divide (÷) not integers
- 49 Zero divisor to integer divide (÷)

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50 Operands of and not boolean
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- 51 Operands of **or** not boolean
- 52 Operands of **imp** not boolean
- 53 Operands of **eqv** not boolean
- 54 Operands of + not arithmetic
- 55 Operands of not arithmetic
- 56 Operands of × not arithmetic
- 57 Operands of < not arithmetic
- 58 Operands of ≤ not arithmetic
- 59 Operands of = not arithmetic
- 60 Operands of ≥ not arithmetic
- 61 Operands of > not arithmetic
- 62 Operands of ≠ not arithmetic
- 63 Real overflow on +
- 64 Real overflow on -
- 65 Real overflow on ×
- 66 Real overflow on <
- 67 Real overflow on ≤
- 68 Real overflow on =
- 69 Real overflow on ≥
- 70 Real overflow on >
- 71 Real overflow on ≠
- 72 Integer overflow on +
- 73 Integer overflow on –
- 74 Integer overflow on ×
- 75 Integer overflow on /
- 76 Operands of / not arithmetic
- 77 Procedure identifier as controlled variable
- 78 Expression after while not boolean
- 79 Operands of exponentiation not arithmetic
- 80  $a^{\uparrow}r$  a<0
- 81 a^r a=0, r<0
- 82 a^i a=i=0
- 83 a^i integer overflow
- 84  $a^i i < 0$ , integer overflow
- 85 Nest and SJNS not empty on exit from a code procedure
- 86 Nest and SJNS not empty on J[a] in a code procedure
- 87 Input/Output devices not closed before end of program
- 88 Input/Output function not available
- 89 Parity failure on reading object program
- 90 Even restart operator does TINT;I0.
- 91 Odd restart operator does TINT;I1.
- 92 Invalid operand to function *exp*
- 93 Invalid operand to function *ln*
- 94 Invalid operand to function sin
- 95 Invalid operand to function cos
- 96 May not be used
- 97 Invalid operand to function sqrt
- 98 Invalid operand to function entier
- 99 May not be used
- 100 C not arithmetic in for V := A step B until C
- 101 B not arithmetic in for V := A step B until C
- 102 Real overflow in forming V C in for V := A step B until C
- 103 Integer overflow in forming V C in for V := A step B until C
- Real overflow in forming V + B in for V := A step B until C
  Integer overflow in forming V + B in for V := A step B until C
- 106 Machine/Compiler (nesting store not empty on return to main loop)
- 107 Real overflow on a^r
- 121 Device already open
- 122 Device number contains 8 or 9
- 123 Trying to use *open* on a magnetic tape

- 124 No table entry for this device
- 125 No tables for this device
- 126 Parity failure on monitor
- 127 Exponent out of range
- 128 10 or decimal point in exponent
- 129 More than one decimal point
- 130 More than one sign
- 131 Sign not at the beginning of a number
- 132 + 10 or decimal point without a digit
- 133 No digit after decimal point
- 134 Number out of range
- 135 Negative number with empty sign
- 136 No digits at all in given field layout
- 137 More characters than bits in the field
- 138 Digit before start of initial spaces
- 139 Digits left over at decimal point position
- 140 More digits to left of decimal point than given in field layout before round off
- 141 More digits to left of decimal point than given in field layout after round off
- 142 Only guard digit in layout field
- 143 No digits after decimal point
- 144 More than 8 characters in exponent
- 145 More than 2 but less than 9 characters in exponent
- 146 Failure in alarm printing
- 147 An inadmissible basic symbol in inner string quotes
- 148 String does not start with L
- 149 Trying to close a device that is not open
- 150 8 or 9 in device number
- 151 Character fetching with basic symbol buffer not empty
- 152 Device not open
- 153 Reading on writing device
- 154 CR by itself (5-hole input only)
- 155 More than one retain character entry
- 156 Basic symbol buffer full
- 157 Write on binary
- 158 Parity failure on a device
- 159 Reading characters on a binary device
- 160 5- or 8-hole tables not available
- 161 writing on a reading device
- 162 Device already found
- 163 **L** not first symbol of a string
- 164 character other than 0-9 A-Z in tape identifier except for 'zero' [\*\*\*\*\*\*\*1
- 165 Input tables not present
- 166 Parity failure
- 167 Device not found
- 168 8 or 9 in device number
- 169 Table for other function not present
- 170 Device not a magnetic tape
- 171 Device not found
- 172 Writing on a reading device
- 173 Writing on a character device
- 174 Parity failure
- 175 Block count wrong on rewinding after reaching end-tape-warning
- 176 **L** not first symbol of string
- 177 An inadmissible basic symbol in inner string quotes
- 178 Device not found
- 179 Array size incompatible
- 180 Read binary on character device
- 181 Read on writing device
- 182 Block count wrong on rewinding after reaching end-tape-warning
- 183 Parity failure
- 184 Skip on writing device

- 185 Skip on character device
- 186 Backward skip to BTL (beginning-of-tape-label) i.e. before data
- 187 Parity failure
- 188 Device not found
- 189 not taken up sic
- 190 not taken up sic
- 191 Parity failure
- 192 Device not found
- 193 Out of range integer in array heading
- 194 W not 1 or -1
- 195 d > 31
- 196 Array size incompatible
- 197 Invalid terminator to a number
- 198 Array does not terminate with end-message
- 199 Number before Z terminator out of range
- 200 Number of zeros too great for size of array
- 201 Row or column or grand sum not at end of row, column or array
- 202 Sum check failure
- 203 I not first symbol of a string
- 204 Incorrect dope vector
- 205 8 or 9 in device number
- 206 BTC on device other than magnetic tape
- 207 Device not found
- 208 8 or 9 in device number
- 209 ETW on device other than magnetic tape
- 210 Device not found
- 211 Parity failure
- 212 Rewind on output device
- 213 Device not found
- 215 Over-reading of cards (END of DATA card being processed)
- 220 No variable called for standard entry, i.e. sread, swrite called with no E, F or I format specified
- 222 First Algol Basic Symbol of string not L
- 223 integer brought from format string: -ve sign but no decimal digits
- 224 -ve scale factor used with E-type transfer
- w-integer for E- or F-type number not found
- 228 w-integer for E- or F-type number out of range
- 229 No decimal point in format string for E- or F-type number
- 230 d-integer for E- or F-type number not found
- 231 d-integer for E- or F-type number out of range
- 232 w-integer < d-integer for E- or F-type number
- 233 w-integer for I-type number not found
- 234 w-integer for I-type number out of range
- 235 Invalid format symbol in the string
- Incompatibility between kind of variable and the format type of the number, i.e. integer used with E-, F-type format or real number used with I-type format
- 243 I-type number out of 39-bit range
- 245 A difference of at least 6 does not exist between w and d for E-type format
- 260 Two exponent fields in one number
- 261 Invalid symbol on input medium
- 262 Decimal point found in number expected to be I-type
- 263 No decimal digits in exponent field on input
- 264 No decimal digits in mantissa
- 265 Exponent of more than two digits
- 269 Space found in decimal number after first non-space character found
- 270 Exponent field found in number expected to be I-type
- 999 Occurs after stack post-mortem