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ABSTRACT

This document contains implementation details for the Sandia Management Restructure Study Team (MRST) Prototype Information System, which resides on a Sun SPARC II workstation employing the INGRES RDBMS. The INGRES/Windows 4GL application editor was used to define the components of the two user applications which comprise the system. These specifications together with the MRST information model and corresponding database definition constitute the MRST Prototype Information System technical specification and implementation description presented herein. The MRST Prototype Information System represents a completed software product which has been presented to the Management Restructure Study Team to support the management restructuring processes at Sandia National Laboratories.

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1. Introduction

The purpose of this report is to document the development and implementation of the Sandia Management Restructure Study Team (MRST) Prototype Information System. The system was developed using the relational database management system INGRES/Windows 4GL [1] on a Sun SPARC II workstation running the Version 4.1.1 Sun OS operating system [2]. The implementation is based on Standard Query Language (SQL) queries from a fifth-normal-form data base definition derived through Nijssen Information Analysis Methodology (NIAM) information modeling tools [3]. Data loading was performed using Version 6 INGRES Applications-By-Forms (ABF) [4] on a VAX computer running the Version 5 VMS operating system [5].

The MRST Prototype Information System was designed to support the activities of the Sandia Management Restructure Study Team as they applied to the management restructuring efforts at Sandia National Laboratories. By memorandum dated May 8, 1991, T. C. Cannon, 2850, to John Sharp, 2818, Subject: Data Comparisons Desired for Restructuring Study, the need was identified for an information system to support the analysis and comparison of the structural data of surveyed external companies, the purpose being to determine as much as possible about the benefits and drawbacks of particular structures. Also, for those companies that had restructured recently, information was to be gathered on the previous management structure, the motives for restructuring, and the effects of the restructuring process on several efficiency-related items. The design of the system needed to be conducive to these examination, analysis, and comparison activities.

The system was modeled based on the survey questionnaire used to obtain data from the external companies. This survey requested that the companies provide numerical data, graphical data in the form of organization charts, as well as textual responses. Also, the need was identified for the system to have the capability to index certain text by keywords for easy reference.

Based on these needs, the user system was to have two applications. The primary application would be used for the analysis, comparison, and examination of data items, and the secondary application would allow the user to index text by keywords. Both applications were to reside on a Sun SPARC II workstation. The loading of numerical and textual data was performed using an application developed in Version 6 INGRES Applications-By-Forms on a VAX computer running the Version 5 VMS operating system. Graphical data was read into files using a 300 dots-per-inch (dpi) scanner, and an application was developed using INGRES/Windows 4GL on the Sun SPARC II workstation to insert the filenames into the database. In order for the complete user system to be delivered in a timely manner, a schedule was determined for completion of the various phases of development, and was well kept by all involved.

The purpose of the report is not to be a user's guide or a design specification, but rather to document the technical details pertinent to the implementation of the MRST Prototype Information System. Standard commercial software and development tools were used to carry out the implementation. These tools are listed in the References section of this report and are well-documented by the vendors. In order to best describe the system implementation, the remainder of this report will consist of the information model and database definitions, screen definitions, and specifications for frames and associated procedures. As many of the external companies do not wish for their responses to be released, the actual data is not included in this report.

## 2. Information Model

NIAM, a formal information modeling method, was used to obtain the optimal database model. The model is based on the survey questionnaire used to obtain data from external companies. This section identifies the various labels (lexical object types, i.e., the data occurrences), and the relationships among them, which altogether comprise the information model. A number of relationships are presented between the entities and other entities, and between the entities and labels. Some objects included in the model are not fully implemented in the MRST Prototype Information System. These are retained for the purpose of extensibility required for follow-up implementations, but are not reflected in database schema derivations for this system.

Following is the table of contents and diagrams for the MRST Prototype Information System information model. The table of contents precedes the model diagram. Each label and entity is included in the table. Relationships are classified as either a bridge type or an idea type. A bridge is a relationship between an entity and a label. It bridges real objects with their representations. An idea expresses a relationship between two entities. The entities are shown as circular shapes made with solid lines, and the labels are shown as circles of dotted lines. The tool used to document the model, PC-IAST [6], refers to entities as "no lots" (nonlexical object types) and labels as "lots" (lexical object types). A "natural language" expression of the information model is also included following the diagram.

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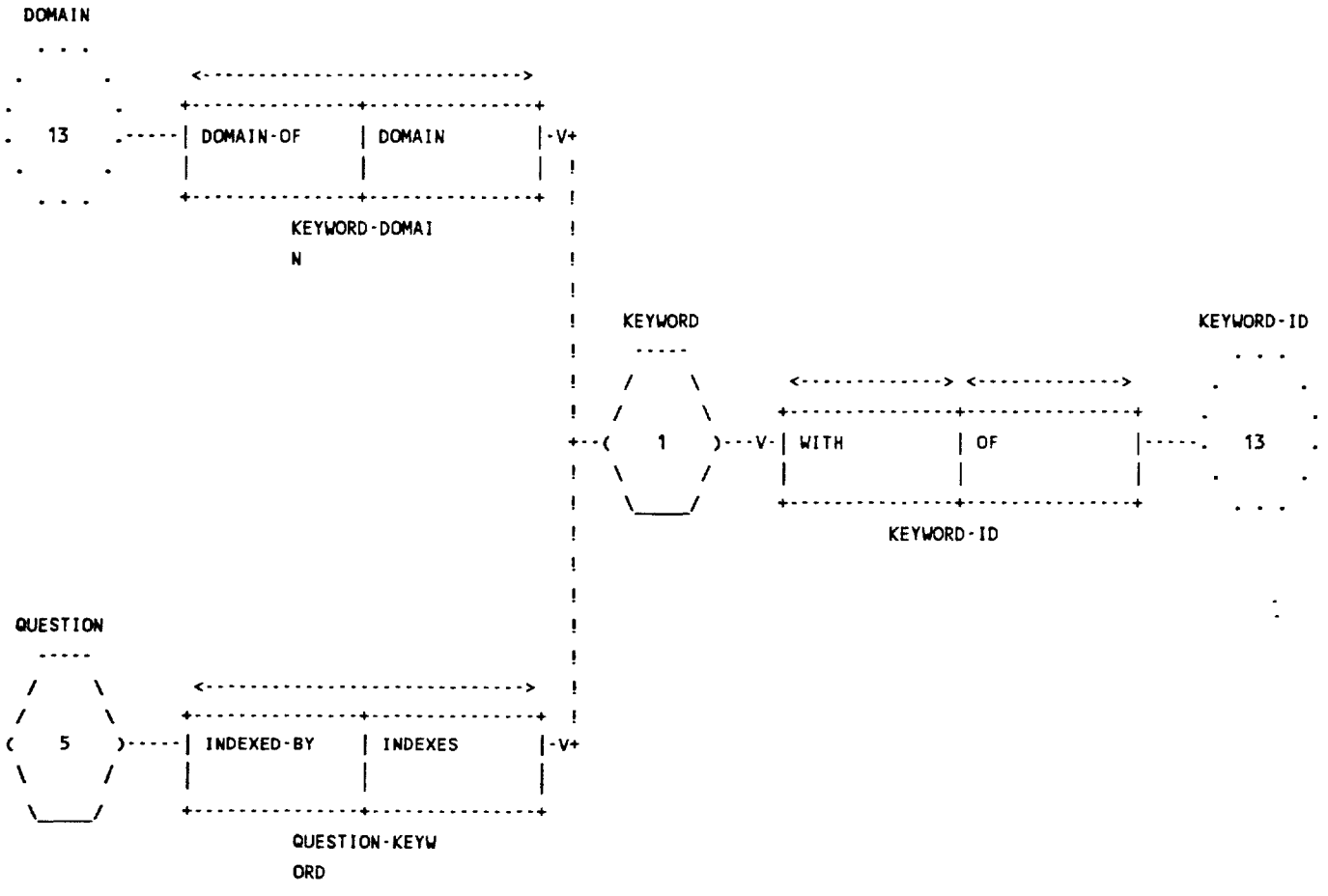
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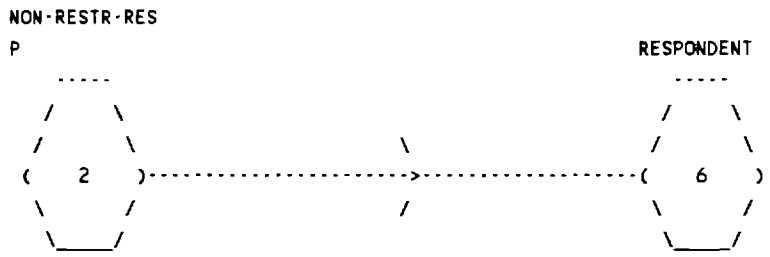
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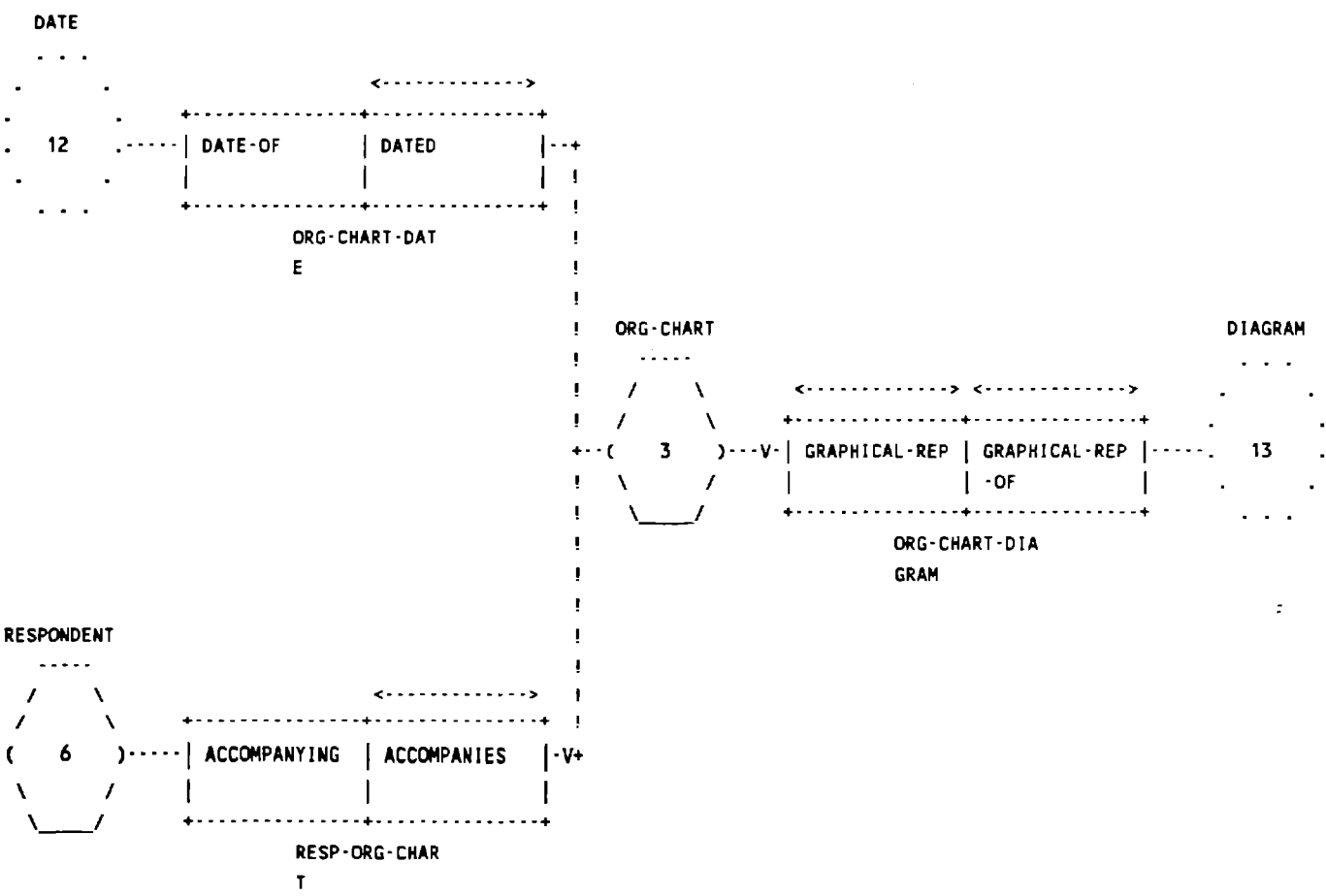


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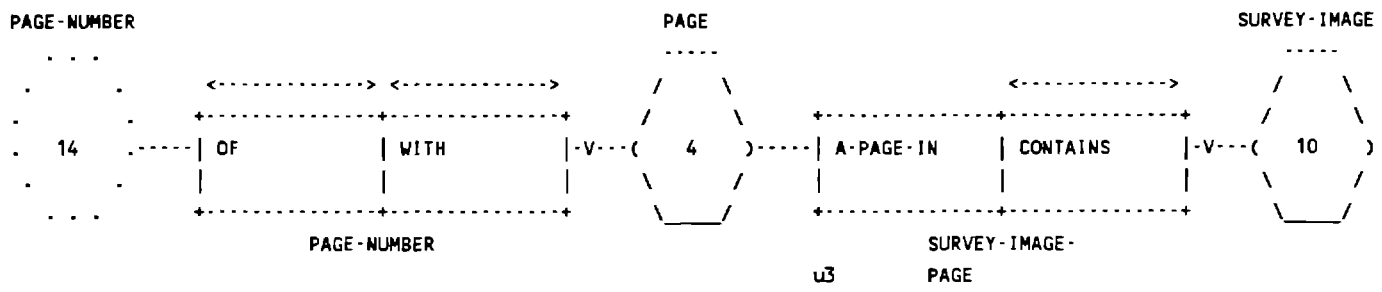


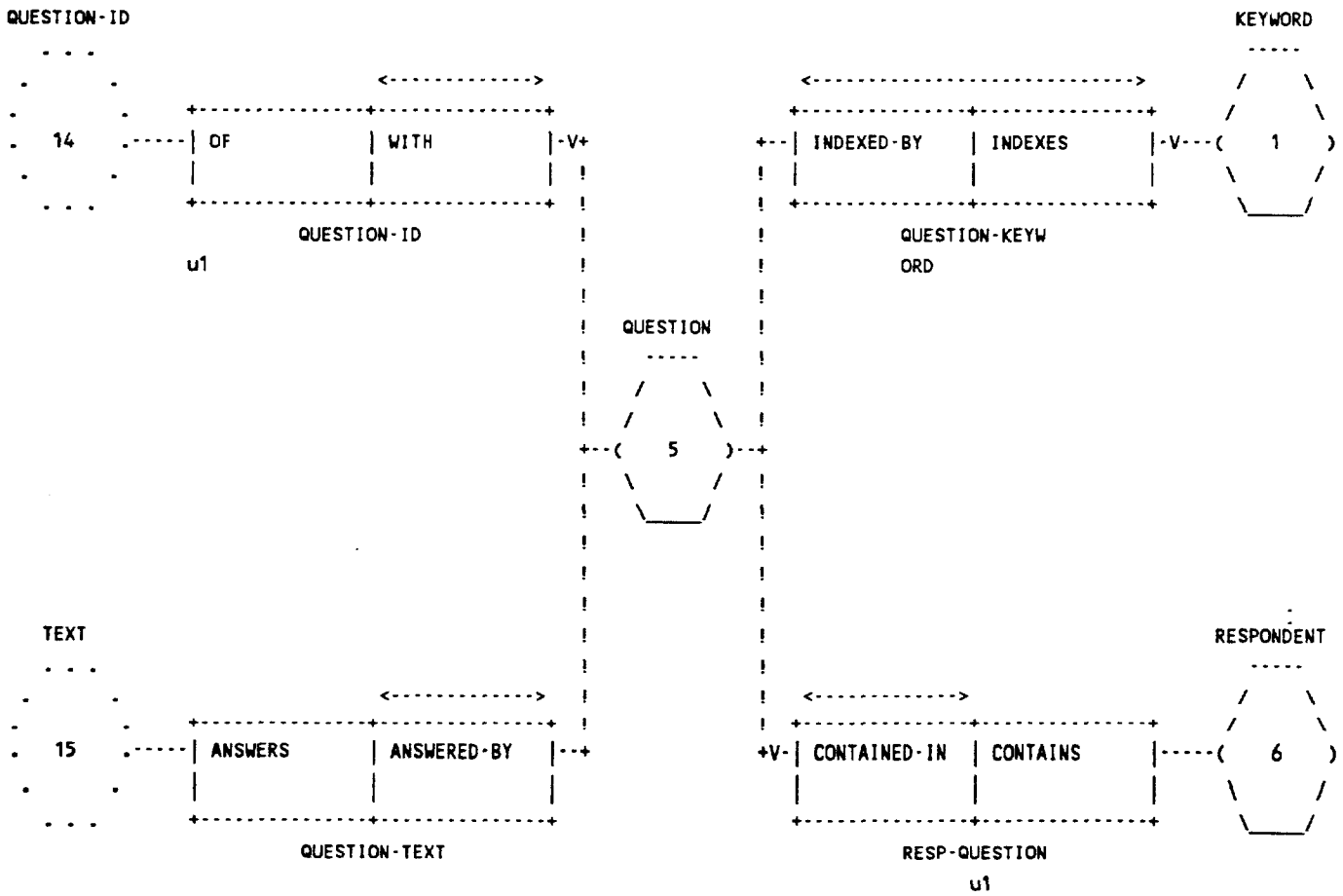


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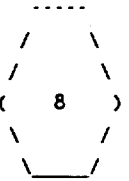
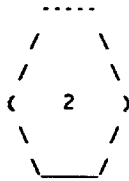


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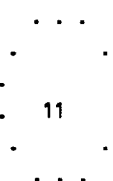
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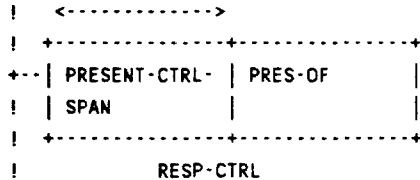
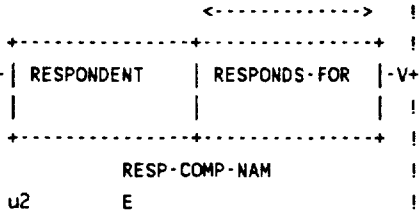
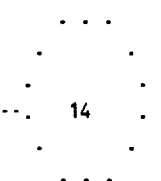
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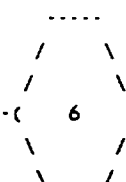
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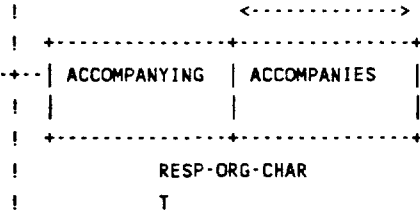
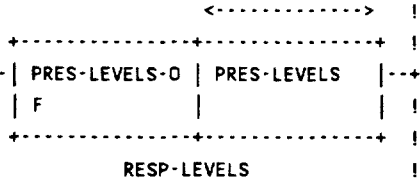
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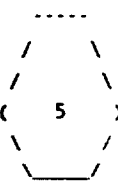
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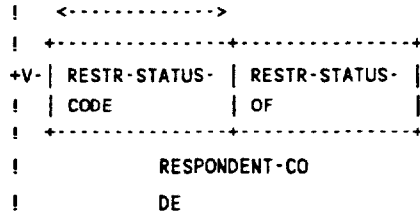
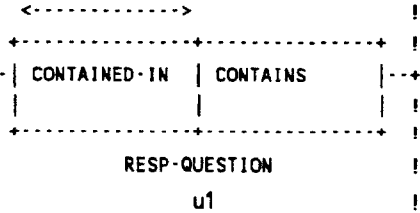
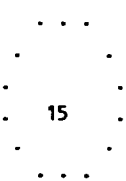
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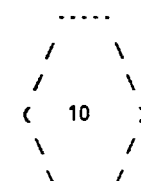
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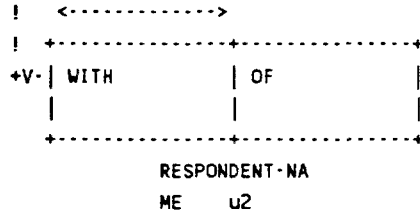
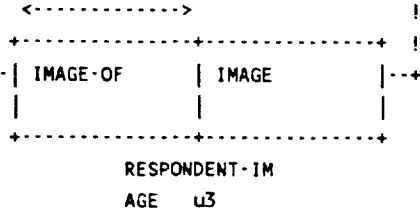
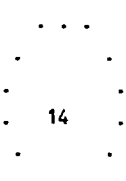
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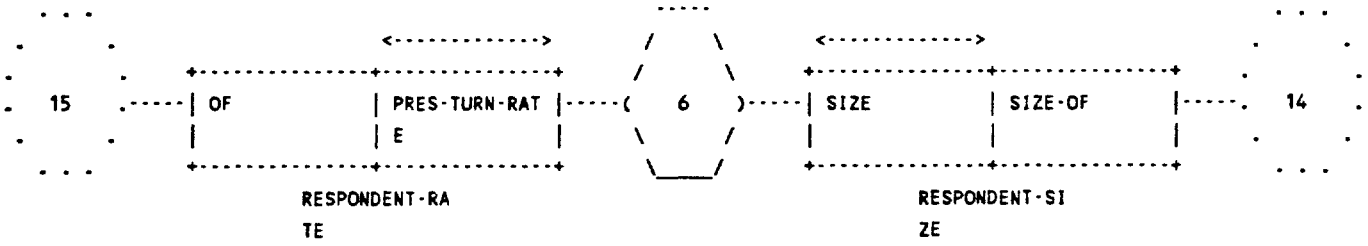
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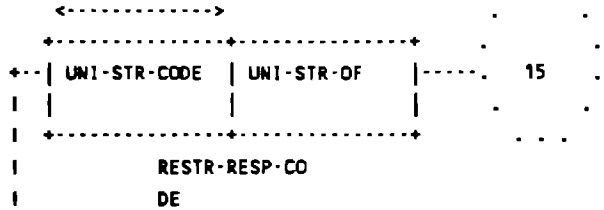




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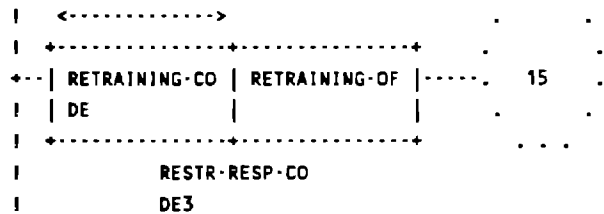
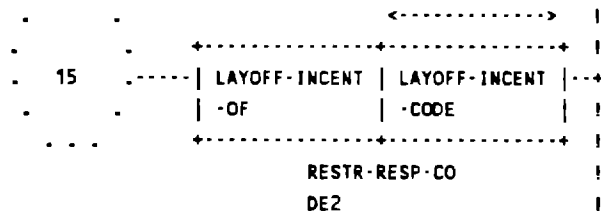
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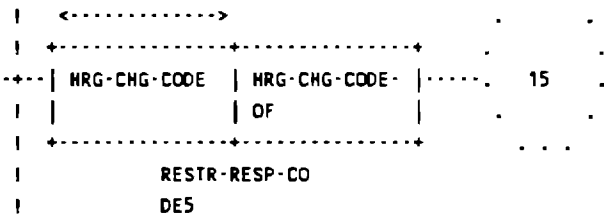
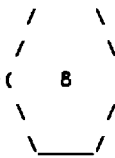
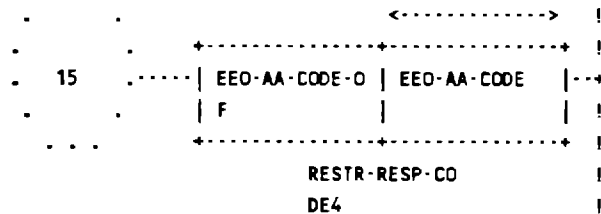
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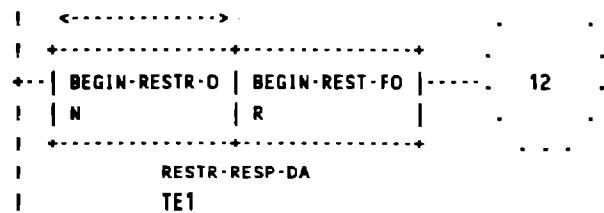
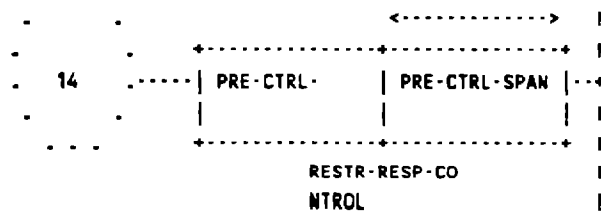
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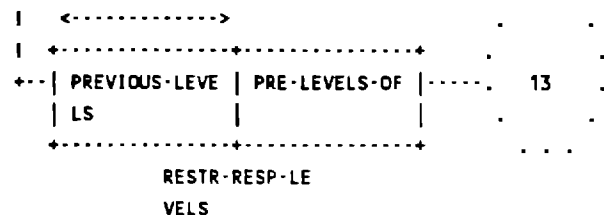
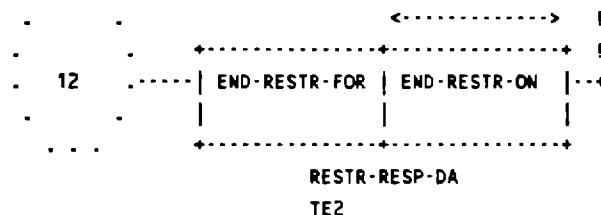
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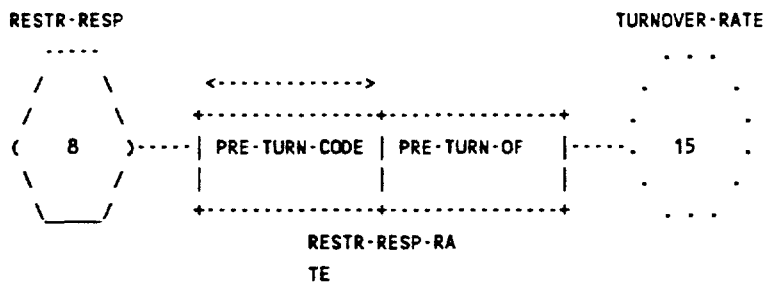


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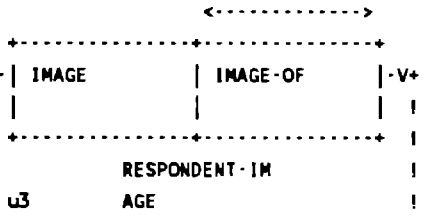
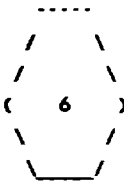


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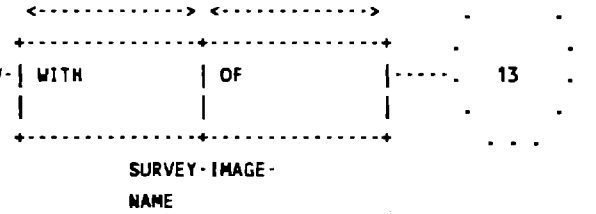


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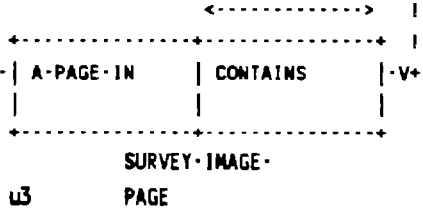
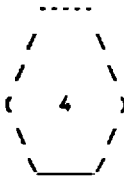
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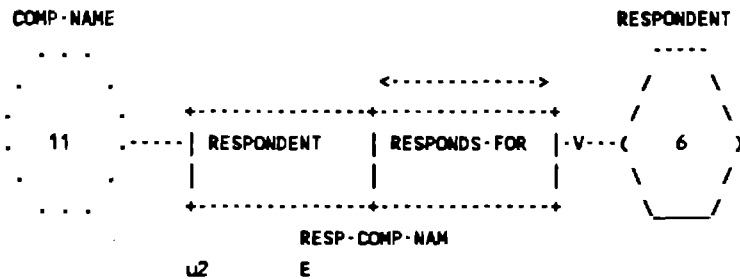
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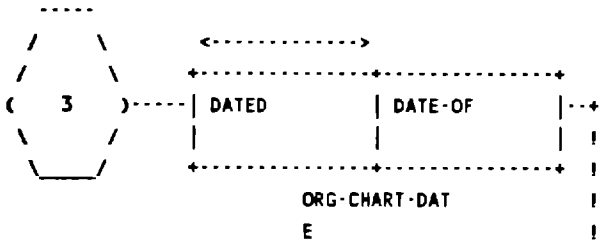


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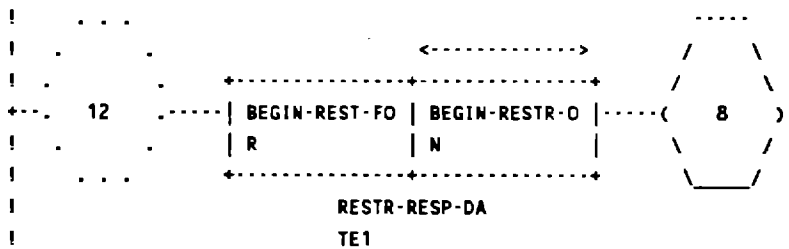


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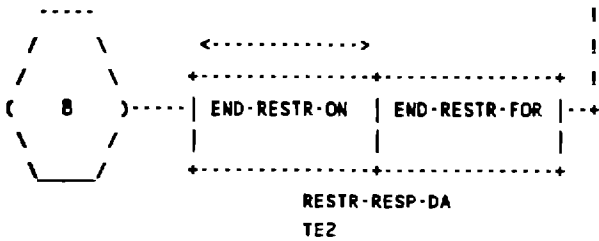


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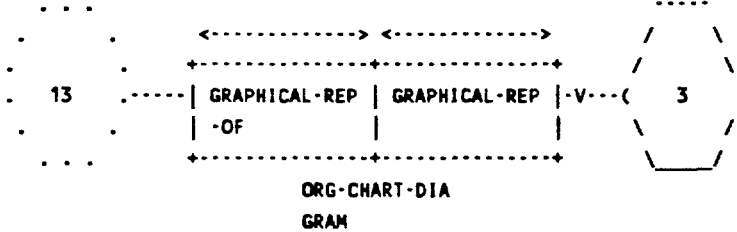
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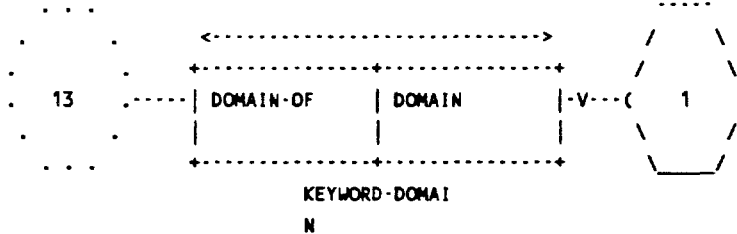
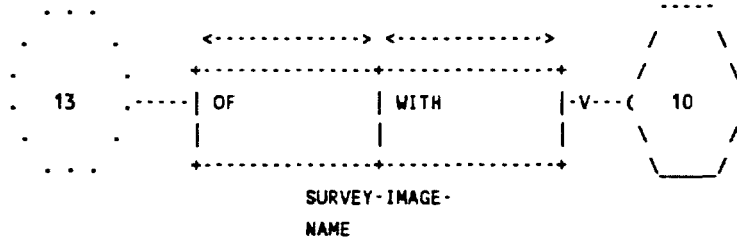


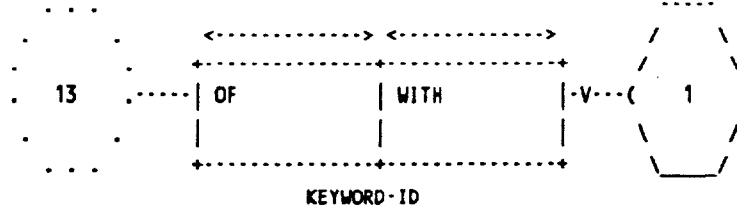
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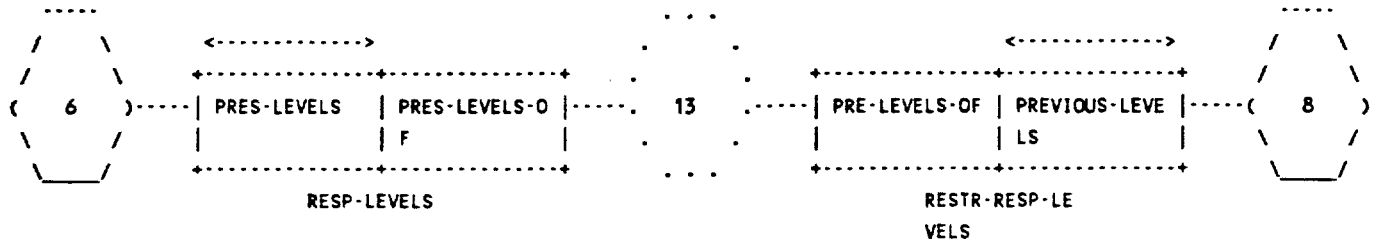
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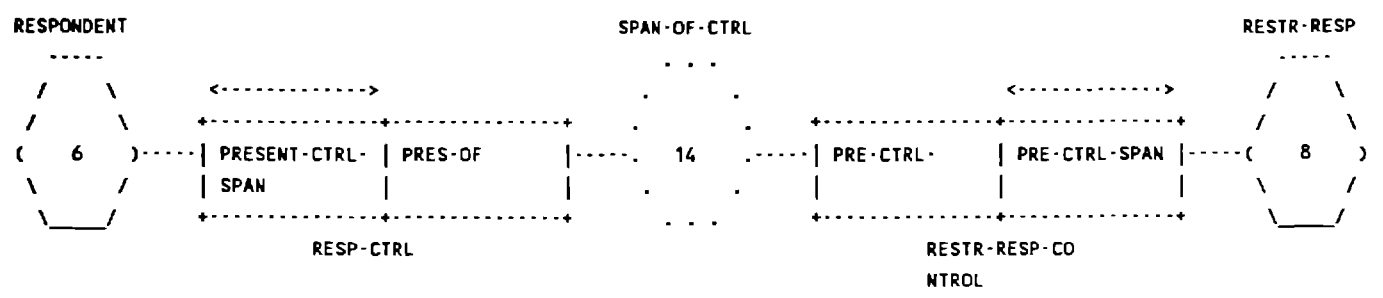
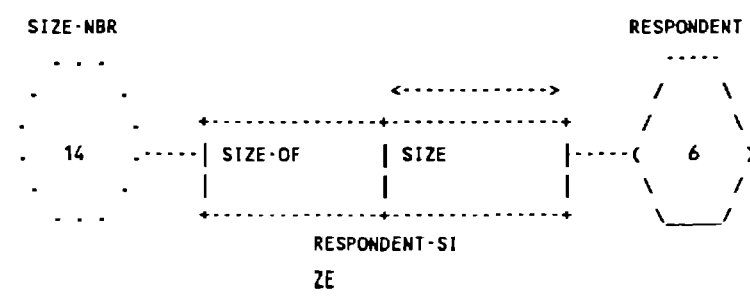
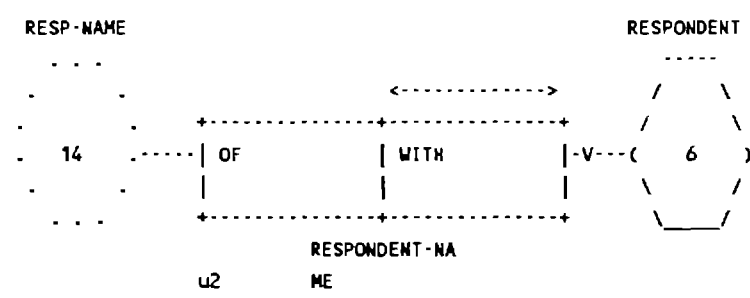
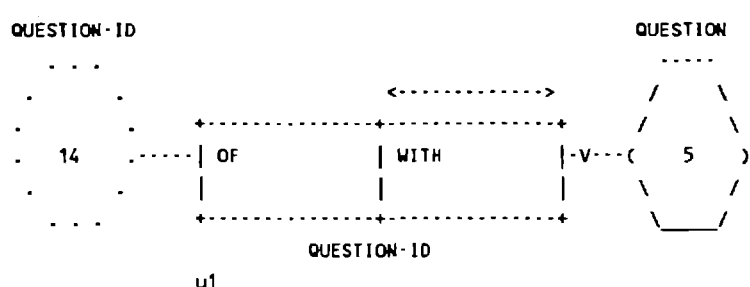
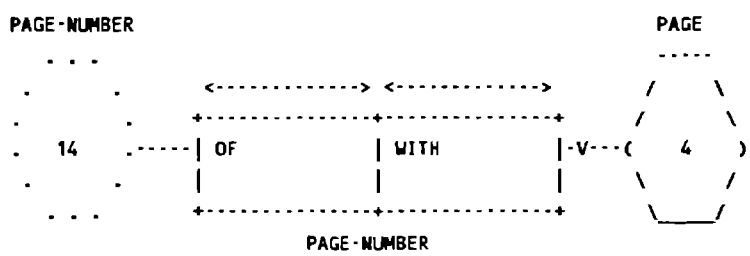
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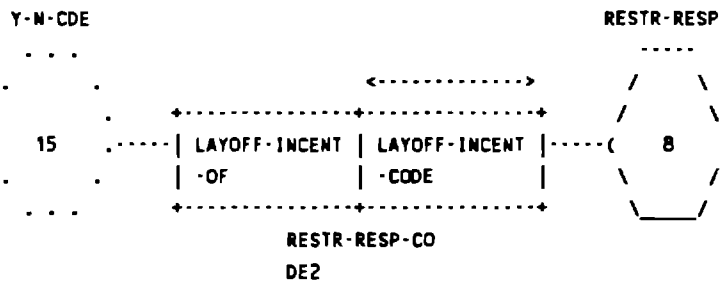
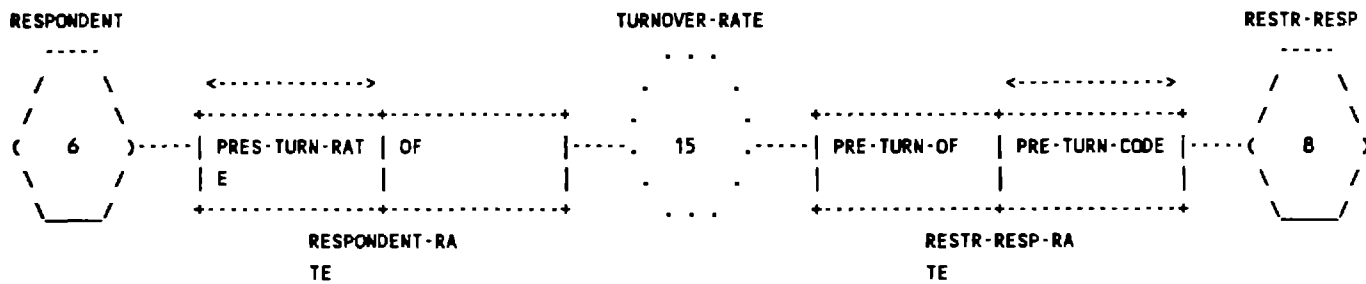
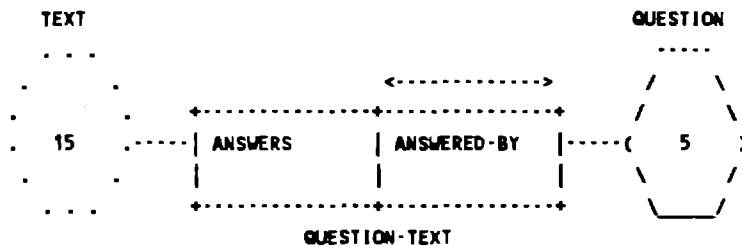
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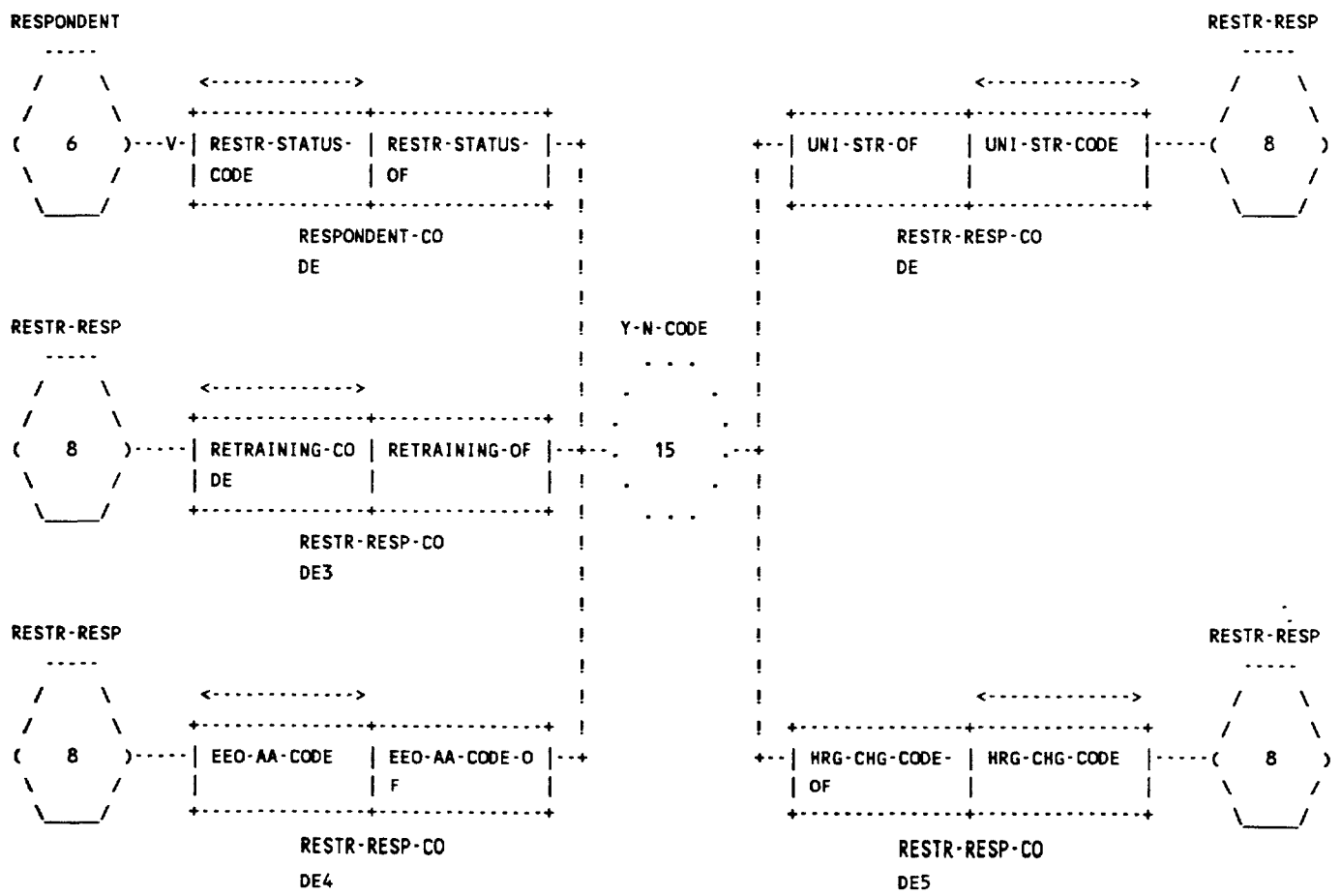
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| MODEL NAME:  MRST          | DATE : 1/ 7/91 | TIME : 22.10.15 | PAGE : 17 |
|                             |         |         |         |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
```

```
!
! LIST OF CONSTRAINTS
!
```

-----  
Constraints on roles  
-----

```
u1  CUR  QUEST-RESP-ID
u2  CUR  RESP-COMPNAME
u3  CUR  SURVEY-PAGE-RESP
```

Elementary Sentence.  
-----

A COMP-NAME is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A COMP-NAME may be RESPONDENT any number of RESPONDENT's.

A DATE is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A DATE may be BEGIN-REST-FOR any number of RESTR-RESP's.  
A DATE may be DATE-OF any number of ORG-CHART's.  
A DATE may be END-RESTR-FOR any number of RESTR-RESP's.

A DIAGRAM is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A DIAGRAM may be GRAPHICAL-REP-OF at most one ORG-CHART.

A DOMAIN is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A DOMAIN may be DOMAIN-OF any number of KEYWORD's.

An IMAGE-FILENAME is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
An IMAGE-FILENAME may be OF at most one SURVEY-IMAGE.

A KEYWORD is a OBJECT.  
A KEYWORD must be DOMAIN one or more DOMAIN's.  
A KEYWORD must be INDEXES one or more QUESTION's.  
A KEYWORD must be WITH exactly one KEYWORD-ID.

A KEYWORD-ID is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A KEYWORD-ID may be OF at most one KEYWORD.

A NBR-LEVELS is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A NBR-LEVELS may be PRE-LEVELS-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.  
A NBR-LEVELS may be PRES-LEVELS-OF any number of RESPONDENT's.

A NON-RESTR-RESP is a OBJECT.  
A NON-RESTR-RESP is always a kind of RESPONDENT.

Elementary Sentence.

-----  
An ORG-CHART is a OBJECT.  
An ORG-CHART must be ACCOMPANIES exactly one RESPONDENT.  
An ORG-CHART may be DATED at most one DATE.  
An ORG-CHART must be GRAPHICAL-REP exactly one DIAGRAM.

A PAGE is a OBJECT.  
A PAGE may be A-PAGE-IN any number of SURVEY-IMAGE's.  
A PAGE must be WITH exactly one PAGE-NUMBER.

A PAGE-NUMBER is a LABEL TYPE with representation Binary integer 6.  
A PAGE-NUMBER may be OF at most one PAGE.

A QUESTION is a OBJECT.  
A QUESTION may be ANSWERED-BY at most one TEXT.  
A QUESTION must be CONTAINED-IN exactly one RESPONDENT.  
A QUESTION may be INDEXED-BY any number of KEYWORD's.  
A QUESTION must be WITH exactly one QUESTION-ID.  
Every QUESTION

is associated uniquely with one combination of  
a QUESTION ID OF the QUESTION  
and a RESPONDENT CONTAINS the QUESTION.

A QUESTION-ID is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A QUESTION-ID may be OF any number of QUESTION's.

A RESP-NAME is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A RESP-NAME may be OF any number of RESPONDENT's.

A RESPONDENT is a OBJECT.  
A RESPONDENT may be ACCOMPANYING any number of ORG-CHART's.  
A RESPONDENT may be CONTAINS any number of QUESTION's.  
A RESPONDENT may be IMAGE any number of SURVEY-IMAGE's.  
A RESPONDENT may be PRES-LEVELS at most one NBR-LEVELS.  
A RESPONDENT may be PRES-TURN-RATE at most one TURNOVER-RATE.  
A RESPONDENT may be PRESENT-CTRL-SPAN at most one SPAN-OF-CTRL.  
A RESPONDENT must be RESPONDS-FOR exactly one COMP-NAME.

Elementary Sentence.

-----  
A RESPONDENT must be RESTR-STATUS-CODE exactly one Y-N-CODE.

A RESPONDENT may be SIZE at most one SIZE-NBR.

A RESPONDENT must be WITH exactly one RESP-NAME.

Every RESPONDENT

is associated uniquely with one combination of  
a COMP NAME RESPONDENT the RESPONDENT  
and a RESP NAME OF the RESPONDENT.

A RESTR-RESP is a OBJECT.

A RESTR-RESP is always a kind of RESPONDENT.

A RESTR-RESP may be BEGIN-RESTR-ON at most one DATE.

A RESTR-RESP may be EEO-AA-CODE at most one Y-N-CODE.

A RESTR-RESP may be END-RESTR-ON at most one DATE.

A RESTR-RESP may be HRG-CHG-CODE at most one Y-N-CODE.

A RESTR-RESP may be LAYOFF-INCENT-CODE at most one Y-N-CDE.

A RESTR-RESP may be PRE-CTRL-SPAN at most one SPAN-OF-CTRL.

A RESTR-RESP may be PRE-TURN-CODE at most one TURNOVER-RATE.

A RESTR-RESP may be PREVIOUS-LEVELS at most one NBR-LEVELS.

A RESTR-RESP may be RETRAINING-CODE at most one Y-N-CODE.

A RESTR-RESP may be UNI-STR-CODE at most one Y-N-CODE.

A SIZE-NBR is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.

A SIZE-NBR may be SIZE-OF any number of RESPONDENT's.

A SPAN-OF-CTRL is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.

A SPAN-OF-CTRL may be PRE-CTRL- any number of RESTR-RESP's.

A SPAN-OF-CTRL may be PRES-OF any number of RESPONDENT's.

A SURVEY-IMAGE is a OBJECT.

A SURVEY-IMAGE must be CONTAINS exactly one PAGE.

A SURVEY-IMAGE must be IMAGE-OF exactly one RESPONDENT.

A SURVEY-IMAGE must be WITH exactly one IMAGE-FILENAME.

Every SURVEY IMAGE

is associated uniquely with one combination of  
a PAGE A PAGE IN the SURVEY IMAGE  
and a RESPONDENT IMAGE the SURVEY IMAGE.

A TEXT is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.

A TEXT may be ANSWERS any number of QUESTION's.

Elementary Sentence.

-----  
A TURNOVER-RATE is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A TURNOVER-RATE may be OF any number of RESPONDENT's.  
A TURNOVER-RATE may be PRE-TURN-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.

A Y-N-CDE is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A Y-N-CDE may be LAYOFF-INCENT-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.

A Y-N-CODE is a LABEL TYPE with representation Character 30.  
A Y-N-CODE may be EEO-AA-CODE-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.  
A Y-N-CODE may be HRG-CHG-CODE-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.  
A Y-N-CODE may be RESTR-STATUS-OF any number of RESPONDENT's.  
A Y-N-CODE may be RETRAINING-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.  
A Y-N-CODE may be UNI-STR-OF any number of RESTR-RESP's.

### 3. Database Definition

The formal data model derived from the information model in Section 2 was translated into the database definition contained in this section. This relational definition, produced directly from the data model, is in fifth-normal-form. Fifth-normal-form implies that the structure is elementary because the same information content (data and relationships) cannot be reconstructed from smaller record types derived from the original (fifth-normal-form) representation. Such an elementary representation is particularly productive because of the flexibility it offers when making enhancements to accommodate additional requirements. Extensions can be made without rendering prior functionality inoperable. As this is a prototype system, extensions may be desired in the future.

The database definition has been used to create an INGRES relational database. The SQL definitions produce the tables which comprise the database. Following are the SQL statements which define and create tables in the database implemented for the MRST Prototype Information System.

```

CREATE TABLE KEYWORD_DOMAIN      (DOMAIN DOMAIN OF          varchar(30) not null,
                                   KEYWORD ID DOMAIN          varchar(30) not null);
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX1 ON KEYWORD_DOMAIN      (DOMAIN DOMAIN OF,
                                                KEYWORD ID DOMAIN);
CREATE TABLE NON_RESTR_RESP      (RESP_NAME OF              varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME RESPONDENT        varchar(30) not null);
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX2 ON NON_RESTR_RESP      (RESP_NAME OF,
                                                COMP_NAME RESPONDENT);
CREATE TABLE ORG_CHART           (GRAPHICAL REP OF          varchar(90) not null,
                                   RESP_NAME ACCOMPANYING      varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME ACCOMPANYING      varchar(30) not null,
                                   DATE DATE OF                varchar(4));
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX3 ON ORG_CHART           (RESP_NAME ACCOMPANYING,
                                                COMP_NAME ACCOMPANYING,
                                                DATE DATE OF);
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX4 ON ORG_CHART           (GRAPHICAL REP OF);
CREATE TABLE QUESTION            (QUESTION ID OF            varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME CONTAINS          varchar(30) not null,
                                   RESP_NAME CONTAINS          varchar(30) not null,
                                   TEXT ANSWERS                varchar(90));
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX5 ON QUESTION            (QUESTION ID OF,
                                                COMP_NAME CONTAINS,
                                                RESP_NAME CONTAINS);
CREATE TABLE QUESTION_KEYWORD    (KEYWORD ID INDEXES        varchar(30) not null,
                                   QUESTION ID INDX BY          varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME INDEXED BY          varchar(30) not null,
                                   RESP_NAME INDEXED BY          varchar(30) not null);
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX6 ON QUESTION_KEYWORD    (KEYWORD ID INDEXES,
                                                QUESTION ID INDX BY,
                                                COMP_NAME INDEXED BY,
                                                RESP_NAME INDEXED BY);
CREATE TABLE RESPONDENT          (Y N CODE RESTR STATUS OF  varchar(1) not null,
                                   RESP_NAME OF                varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME RESPONDENT         varchar(30) not null,
                                   NO LEVELS PRES LEVELS OF     varchar(8),
                                   SIZE NBR SIZE OF             varchar(8),
                                   SPAN OF CTRL PRES OF         varchar(8),
                                   TURNOVER RATE OF             varchar(8));
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX7 ON RESPONDENT          (RESP_NAME OF,
                                                COMP_NAME RESPONDENT);
CREATE TABLE RESPONDENT_IMAGE    (RESP_NAME IMAGE          varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME IMAGE              varchar(30) not null,
                                   PAGE NUMBER IMAGE OF         integer not null,
                                   IMAGE FILENAME               varchar(90) not null);
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX8 ON RESPONDENT_IMAGE    (RESP_NAME IMAGE,
                                                COMP_NAME IMAGE,
                                                PAGE NUMBER IMAGE OF);
CREATE TABLE RESTR_RESP          (RESP_NAME OF              varchar(30) not null,
                                   COMP_NAME RESPONDENT        varchar(30) not null,
                                   DATE BEGIN REST FOR          varchar(4),
                                   DATE END RESTR FOR           varchar(4),
                                   NBR LEVELS PRE LEVELS OF     varchar(8),
                                   SPAN OF CTRL PRE CTRL        varchar(8),
                                   TURNOVER RATE PRE T R OF     varchar(8),
                                   Y N CODE LAYOFF INCEN OF      varchar(1),
                                   Y N CODE EEO AA CODE OF       varchar(1),
                                   Y N CODE HRG CHG CODE OF      varchar(1),
                                   Y N CODE RETRAINING OF        varchar(1),
                                   Y N CODE UNI STR OF           varchar(1));
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX IDX9 ON RESTR_RESP          (RESP_NAME OF,

```



COMP\_NAME\_RESPONDENT);

#### 4. Screen Definitions

The MRST applications are comprised of a collection of frames, each consisting of a screen and a number of operations. A screen is required for each frame. Windows 4GL refers to a screen definition as a component (of an application). Components were generated using 4GL application editor [7]. The first form to be displayed by the primary (restructure analysis) application is the Main Menu screen, as the application has multiple functional areas. The first component to be displayed by the secondary (keyword indexing) application is the Keyword Index screen, which is the main screen for this application's one functional area. Other components are displayed as necessary to carry out the operations specified by the user. These components are documented in this section, arranged in alphabetical order by name.

Components provide the input and output facilities for the application. Buttons and menus of functions control the application flow. Following are the technical specifications for the components generated for the MRST Prototype Information System. The corresponding component scripts carry the same names as the forms and are documented in a later section of this report.

## BASIC RESTRUCTURING INFORMATION

Respondent Name

---

Begin Date

Size

Is structure uniform over all lines of business?

Were layoff incentives offered?

Were employees retrained?

Did restructuring impact: EEO/AA profile?

hiring procedures?

---

### BASIC INFO Screen

- (1) <uni-structure-code>
- (2) <layoff-incentive-code>
- (3) <retraining-code>
- (4) <eeo-aa-code>
- (5) <hiring-code>

## CHART EXAMINATION

Respondent Name

<company>

<respondent>

Date

<date>

<graphical-chart>

SELECT

COMPARE

<> Present  
<> Previous  
<> Cancel

CHART EXAMINATION Screen

### COMPARISON OF RESPONDENTS

Company	Respondent	Present	Previous
<company>	<respondent>	<present-data>	<previous-data>


SELECT

- <> Number of Levels
- <> Span of Control
- <> Turnover Rate
- <> Cancel

COMPARE INFO Screen

**COMPANY / RESPONDENT**

Company	Respondent
<company>	<respondent>


SELECT

CANCEL

GETNAME Screen

# KEYWORD INDEX

Company	Respondent	Keyword	QId
<company>	<respondent>	<Keyword>	<question>

SELECT

OK

CANCEL

KEYWORD INDEX Screen

## KEYWORD MENU

Company	Respondent	Keywords	Questions
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<company>	<respondent>	<keyword>	<question>


OK

CANCEL

KEYWORD MENU Screen



# MRST PROTOTYPE INFORMATION SYSTEM

## MAIN MENU

- <> Basic Restructuring Information
- <> Comparison of Respondents
- <> Examination of Survey Information
- <> Quit

MAIN MENU Screen

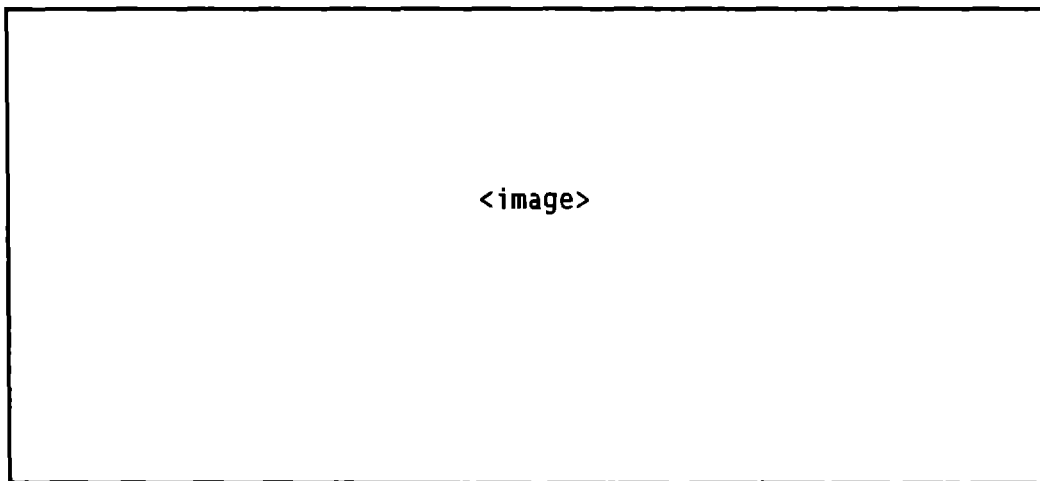
## PAGE EXAMINATION

Respondent Name

<company>	<respondent>
-----------	--------------

Page

<page>



OK

CANCEL

SELECT

COMPARE

PAGE EXAMINATION Screen

## **SURVEY INFORMATION MENU**

- <> Examine Text
- <> Examine Charts
- <> Examine Pages
- <> Cancel

**SURVEY INFO MENU Screen**

# TEXT EXAMINATION

Respondent Name 

<code>&lt;company&gt;</code>	<code>&lt;respondent&gt;</code>
------------------------------	---------------------------------

Question Number 

<code>(1)</code>
------------------

<code>&lt;question-text&gt;</code>						
	<table border="1" style="margin: auto;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>					

SELECT

COMPARE

<code>&lt;&gt;</code>	Keyword
<code>&lt;&gt;</code>	Question
<code>&lt;&gt;</code>	Cancel

## TEXT EXAMINATION Screen

(1) `<question-number>`

## 5. Frames and Procedures

INGRES/Windows 4GL frames are used to add operation selections to components, and to invoke procedures which control execution of the applications. Functions implemented by the MRST Prototype Information System correspond to the functional requirements identified in the Sandia Management Restructure Study Team (MRST) Prototype Information System Pilot System Requirements Document [8]. The application accomplishes the functions by making calls on procedures written in the 4GL programming language.

Following are the procedures written in 4GL to implement the MRST Prototype Information System. SQL statements in the source define precisely the operations which are being performed on the database. The procedures are arranged in alphabetical order. In the primary (restructure analysis) application, the first component called is the Main Menu screen. In the secondary (keyword indexing) application, the first component to be called is the Keyword Index screen. Control passes from operation selections made by the user, according to the program structure for the MRST system. A procedure script is provided for each component.

## **BASIC INFORMATION**

```

/*
** Application:   MRSTDB
** Frame:       BASICINFO
**      Call up data according to Respondent Name and Company selected
*/
INITIALIZE
(
  rname      = varchar(30) not null,
  cname      = varchar(30) not null,
  bdate      = varchar(4),
  edate      = varchar(4),
  ynrs       = varchar(1),
  uni        = varchar(1),
  lay        = varchar(1),
  ret        = varchar(1),
  eeo        = varchar(1),
  hrg        = varchar(1),
  sizen      = varchar(10),
  comp       = varchar(30) not null,
  resp       = varchar(30) not null
) =
{
}

on click select_button =
{
  callframe getname (comp := byref(comp),
                    resp := byref(resp))
  with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
       WindowXleft = -70,
       WindowYtop = 3500;
  company = comp;
  respondent = resp;
/*  CurFrame.Flush(); */

/* Clear out blocks */
begin_date = ' ';
end_date = ' ';
uni_structure_code = ' ';
layoff_incentive_code = ' ';
retraining_code = ' ';
eeo_aa_code = ' ';
hiring_code = ' ';

/* Select respondent name and company */
SELECT
      :company          = respondent.comp_name_respondent,
      :respondent       = respondent.resp_name_of,
      :size             = respondent.size_nbr_size_of,
      :ynrs             = respondent.y_n_code_restr_status_of
FROM   respondent
WHERE  respondent.comp_name_respondent = :company
      and respondent.resp_name_of     = :respondent;
IF ynrs = 'Y' OR ynrs = 'y' then
  SELECT
      :begin_date      = restr_resp.date_begin_restr_for,
      :end_date        = restr_resp.date_end_restr_for,
      :uni_structure_code = restr_resp.y_n_code_uni_str_of,
      :layoff_incentive_code = restr_resp.y_n_code_layoff_incen_of,

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```
        :retraining_code      = restr_resp.y_n_code_retraining_of,  
        :eao_aa_code         = restr_resp.y_n_code_eao_aa_code_of,  
        :hiring_code         = restr_resp.y_n_code_hrg_chg_code_of  
FROM restr_resp  
WHERE restr_resp.comp_name_respondent = :company  
      and restr_resp.resp_name_of = :respondent;  
ELSE  
    CurFrame.InfoPopup(messagetext = 'No restructure data');  
ENDIF;
```

```
}
```

```
on click compare_button =  
    'begin  
        callframe Basicinfo  
        with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,  
            WindowXleft = -70,  
            WindowYtop = 3500;  
    end;
```



## **CHART EXAMINATION**

```

initialize (comp = varchar(30) not null,
           resp = varchar(30) not null,
           restr = varchar(1) not null,
           tfname = varchar(30) not null,
           edate = varchar(4)) =

{
    images.chart_image.FileHandle = ' ';
}

on click select_btn =
{
    callframe getname (comp := byref(comp),
                     resp := byref(resp))
        with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
             WindowXleft = 5000,
             WindowYtop = -1500;
    company = comp;
    respondent = resp;
    chart_date = ' ';
    CurFrame.Flush();
}

on CLICK operation =
{
    images.chart_image.FileHandle = ' ';
    if operation = 'Cancel' then
        return;
    endif;

    chart_date = ' ';
    edate = ' ';
    restr = ' ';

/* check to see if company has restructured */

    select :restr = respondent.Y_N_code_restr_status_of
        from respondent
        where comp_name_respondent = :company
             and resp_name_of = :respondent;

    if :restr = 'Y' then
        select :edate = date_end_restr_for
            from restr_resp
            where comp_name_respondent = :company
                 and resp_name_of = :respondent;
    endif;

    if operation = 'Present' then

/* if end date found, look for chart with date >= edate */
        if :edate != ' ' then
            select :chart_date = date_date_of,
                :images.chart_image.FileHandle = graphical_rep_of
            from org_chart
            where comp_name_accompanying = :company
                 and resp_name_accompanying = :respondent
                 and date_date_of >= :edate;

```

```

else
/* look for chart with any date */
    select :chart_date = date_date_of,
           :images.chart_image.FileHandle = graphical_rep_of
    from org_chart
    where comp_name_accompanying = :company
           and resp_name_accompanying = :respondent;
endif;

if chart_date = ' ' then
    message 'No organization chart for this company';
else
    CurFrame.Flush();
endif;
elseif operation = 'Previous' then
/* if end_date found, look for chart with date < edate */
    if :edate != ' ' then
        select :chart_date = date_date_of,
               :images.chart_image.FileHandle = graphical_rep_of
        from org_chart
        where comp_name_accompanying = :company
               and resp_name_accompanying = :respondent
               and date_date_of < :edate;
        endif;

        if chart_date = ' ' then
            message 'No previous organization chart for this company';
        endif;

    endif;
}

on click compare_button =
begin
    callframe surveyinfomenu
    with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
         WindowXleft = 9000,
         WindowYtop = 2500;
end;

```

## **COMPARE INFORMATION**

```

initialize
(
    name_num = integer,
    row_num = integer,
    comp = varchar(30) not null,
    resp = varchar(30) not null,
) =
begin
end;

on click comp_resp =
begin
    name_num = name_num + 1;
    callframe getname (comp := byref(comp),
                      resp := byref(resp))
    with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
         WindowXleft = -70,
         WindowYtop = 2000;
    comptbl[name_num].company = comp;
    comptbl[name_num].respondent = resp;
end;

on click operation =
begin
    commit work;

    row_num = 1;
    while row_num <= comptbl.LastRow() do
        comptbl[row_num].present_data = ' ';
        comptbl[row_num].previous_data = ' ';
        row_num = row_num + 1;
    endwhile;

    if operation = 'Number of Levels' then
        row_num = 1;
        while row_num <= comptbl.LastRow() do
            select :comptbl[row_num].present_data = NO_LEVELS_PRES_LEVELS_OF
            from RESPONDENT
            where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
            and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
            select :comptbl[row_num].previous_data = NBR_LEVELS_PRE_LEVELS_OF
            from RESTR_RESP
            where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
            and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
            row_num = row_num + 1;
        endwhile;

    elseif operation = 'Span of Control' then
        row_num = 1;
        while row_num <= comptbl.LastRow() do

```

```

select :comptbl[row_num].present_data = SPAN_OF_CTRL_PRES_OF
from RESPONDENT
where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
select :comptbl[row_num].previous_data = SPAN_OF_CTRL_PRE_CTRL_
from RESTR_RESP
where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
row_num = row_num + 1;
endwhile;

elseif operation = 'Turnover Rate' then
row_num = 1;
while row_num <= comptbl.LastRow() do
select :comptbl[row_num].present_data = TURNOVER_RATE_OF
from RESPONDENT
where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
select :comptbl[row_num].previous_data = TURNOVER_RATE_PRE_T_R_OF
from RESTR_RESP
where RESP_NAME_OF = :comptbl[row_num].respondent
and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :comptbl[row_num].company;
row_num = row_num + 1;
endwhile;

elseif operation = 'Cancel' then
return;
endif;
end;

```

**GET NAME**

```

initialize (
    i = integer,
    comp = varchar(30) not null,
    resp = varchar(30) not null) =
{
    i = 1;
    repeated select
        :respondent_name[i].company = comp_name_respondent,
        :respondent_name[i].respondent = resp_name_of
    from respondent
    order by company,respondent
    begin
        i = i + 1
    end;

    commit;
}

```

```

on click select_button =
{
    comp = respondent_name[].company;
    resp = respondent_name[].respondent;

    return;
};

```

```

on click cancel_button =
{
    return;
}

```



## **KEYWORD INDEX**

```

initialize
(
  name_num = integer,
  row_num = integer,
  comp = varchar(30) not null,
  resp = varchar(30) not null,
) =
begin
end;

on click select_btn =
begin
  name_num = name_num + 1;
  callframe getname (comp := byref(comp),
                    resp := byref(resp))
  with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
       WindowXleft = -70,
       WindowYtop = 2000;
  kword_index[name_num].company = comp;
  kword_index[name_num].respondent = resp;
end;

on click ok_btn =
begin
  row_num = 1;
  while row_num <= kword_index.LastRow() do
    repeated insert into question_keyword (comp_name_indexed_by,
                                           resp_name_indexed_by,
                                           keyword_id_indexes,
                                           question_id_indx_by)
      values (:kword_index[row_num].company,
            :kword_index[row_num].respondent,
            :kword_index[row_num].keyword,
            :kword_index[row_num].q_id);
    row_num = row_num + 1;
  endwhile;
end;

on click cancel_btn =
begin
  return;
end;

```

## **KEYWORD MENU**

```

initialize ( i = integer,
            comp = varchar(30) not null,
            resp = varchar(30) not null,
            question = varchar(30) not null )=
begin
    i = 1;
    repeated select :kword_index[i].keywords = KEYWORD_ID_INDEXES,
                   :kword_index[i].questions = QUESTION_ID_INDEX_BY,
                   :kword_index[i].company = COMP_NAME_INDEXED_BY,
                   :kword_index[i].respondent = RESP_NAME_INDEXED_BY
    from QUESTION_KEYWORD
    order by keywords
    begin
        i = i + 1;
    end;
end;

```

```

on click ok_btn =
begin
    comp = kword_index[].company;
    resp = kword_index[].respondent;
    question = kword_index[].questions;
    return;
end;

```

## **MAIN MENU**

```
on click operation =  
  begin  
    if operation = 'Basic Restructuring Information' then  
      callframe Basicinfo;  
    elseif operation = 'Comparison of Respondents' then  
      callframe Compareinfo;  
    elseif operation = 'Examination of Survey Information' then  
      callframe surveyinfomenu;  
    elseif operation = 'Quit' then  
      exit;  
    endif;  
  end;  
end;
```

## **PAGE EXAMINATION**

```

initialize (comp = varchar(30) not null,
           resp = varchar(30) not null,
           rest_code = varchar(1) ) =
{
    page_image.FileHandle = ' ';
}

```

```

on click compare_button =
begin
    callframe surveyinfomenu
    with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
         WindowXleft = 6700,
         WindowYtop = -550;
end;

```

```

on click select_button =
begin
    page_image.FileHandle = ' ';
    callframe getname (comp :=byref(comp),
                     resp :=byref(resp))
    with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
         WindowXleft = 5000,
         WindowYtop = -1000;
    company = comp;
    respondent = resp;
    CurFrame.Flush();
end;

```

```

on click ok_btn =
begin
    page_image.FileHandle = ' ';
    select :rest_code = Y_N_CODE_RESTR_STATUS_OF
    from RESPONDENT
    where RESP_NAME_OF = :respondent
    and COMP_NAME_RESPONDENT = :company;
    if page_number < 1 or page_number > 10 then
        message 'Invalid page number!';
    elseif page_number > 7 then
        if rest_code = 'y' or rest_code = 'Y' then
            message 'Page does not apply to this respondent!';
        endif;
    elseif page_number < 8 and page_number > 1 then
        if rest_code = 'n' or rest_code = 'N' then
            message 'Page does not apply to this respondent!';
        endif;
    endif;

    select :page_image.FileHandle = IMAGE_FILENAME
    from RESPONDENT_IMAGE
    where RESP_NAME_IMAGE = :resp
    and COMP_NAME_IMAGE = :comp
    and PAGE_NUMBER_IMAGE_OF = :page_number;
end;

```



## **SURVEY INFORMATION**

```
on click operation =
  begin
    if operation = 'Examine Text' then
      callframe Textexamination;
    elseif operation = 'Examine Charts' then
      callframe Chartexamination;
    elseif operation = 'Examine Pages' then
      callframe Pageexamination;
    elseif operation = 'Cancel' then
      return;
    endif;
  end;
end;
```

## **TEXT EXAMINATION**

```

initialize
(
  comp = varchar(30) not null,
  resp = varchar(30) not null,
  filename = varchar(90) ,
  rest_code = varchar(1) not null,
  i = Integer,
  cmd = varchar(70)
) =
{}

.

on click select_button =
begin
  callframe getname (comp := byref(comp),
                    resp := byref(resp))
  with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
       WindowXleft = -70,
       WindowYtop = 4300;
  company = comp;
  respondent = resp;
  CurFrame.Flush();
end;

on click compare_button =
begin
  callframe surveyinfomenu
  with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
       WindowXleft = -150,
       WindowYtop = 4300;
end;

on click operation =
begin
  i = 1;
  while i <= text_tbl.LastRow() do
    text_tbl[i].question_text = ' ';
    i = i + 1;
  endwhile;
  if operation = 'Phrase' then

  elseif operation = 'Keyword' then
    callframe keywordmenu (question := byref(question) ,
                          comp := byref(comp) ,
                          resp := byref(resp) )
    with WindowPlacement = WP_PARENTRELATIVE,
         WindowXleft = 6000,
         WindowYtop = 4500 ;
    company = comp;
    respondent = resp;

```

```

elseif operation = 'Question' then
    filename = ' ';
    create table q_text (q_row varchar(70) );
    if question = ' ' then
        message 'No question is specified!';
    else
        select :filename = TEXT_ANSWERS
        from QUESTION
        where COMP_NAME CONTAINS = :company
        and RESP_NAME CONTAINS = :respondent
        and QUESTION_ID OF = :question;
        if filename = ' ' then
            message 'The respondent did not answer this question';
        else
            cmd := 'mv ' + lowercase(filename) + ' q_text.txt';
            call system cmd;
            commit;
            call system 'sql -s <q_text_withdraw mrstadb';
            i = 1;
            repeated select :text_tbl[i].question_text = q_row
            from q_text
            begin
                i = i + 1;
            end;
            cmd := 'mv q_text.txt ' + lowercase(filename);
            call system cmd;
            commit;
        endif;

        endif;
        drop table q_text;
        commit;
    elseif operation = 'Cancel' then
        return;
    endif;

end;

```

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**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION FOR THE SANDIA  
MANAGEMENT RESTRUCTURE STUDY TEAM (MRST)  
PROTOTYPE INFORMATION SYSTEM**

**APPENDIX A**

**MRSTDB DATA ENTRY**

**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION FOR THE SANDIA  
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This appendix contains the technical specification for the data entry application used for the MRST database (MRSTDB). The Version 6.3 INGRES Applications-By-Forms (ABF)<sup>1</sup> was used for the implementation on a VAX Computer running the version 5 VMS<sup>2</sup> operating system. Full-function TCP/IP network connectivity is maintained between the VAX and the Sun workstation on which the MRSTDB database and Windows 4GL retrieval applications reside. This connectivity is provided by WIN/TCP for VMS<sup>3</sup>, a member of the WIN/TCP family of products from the Wollongong Group, Inc.

Implementation details for the MRSTDB data entry application include the ABF frames and procedure definitions comprising the remainder of this appendix. The top-level frame is MRSTDB-MAIN, from which MRSTDB\_DATA\_ENTRY or MRSTDB\_TEXT\_ENTRY are invoked to input data and text respectively. Two files identified as Q\_TEXT\_INPUT and Q\_TEXT\_WNDRAW are also included which contain Standard Query Language (SQL) source required by the application to access textual data stored with the database.

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3. WIN/TCP is a product and trademark of the Wollongong Group, Inc., Paloatts, California.



##

MRSTDB Data Entry Screen

```
COMP                                RESP
SIZE                                LEVELS                               SPAN                                TURNOVER
RESTR ("Y" or "N")                 If "Y" answer the following:
    BEGIN                            END
    PREVIOUS VALUES:
        LEVELS                        SPAN                                TURNOVER
        LAYOFF                        EEO/AA                              HRG-CHG                            RETRAINING                            UNI-STR
```

00

Form name: mrstdb\_data\_entry  
Form owner: rchall  
Form Display Style is: FullScreen.  
Number of columns on screen: 80  
Number of lines on screen: 25  
Number of fields: 17  
Number of trim strings: 3  
Date first created: 1991\_06\_10 18:32:44 GMT  
Date last modified: 1991\_06\_12 16:23:21 GMT

FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

Field name: comp\_name  
Field title: COMP  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(30)  
Display format: c30  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: resp name  
Field title: RESP  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(30)  
Display format: c30  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: size  
Field title: SIZE  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: levels  
Field title: LEVELS  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: span  
Field title: SPAN  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: turnover  
Field title: TURNOVER  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: restr  
Field title: RESTR ("Y" or "N")  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: begin\_d  
Field title: BEGIN  
Data type: Nullable varchar(4)  
Display format: c4  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: end\_d  
Field title: END  
Data type: Nullable varchar(4)  
Display format: c4  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: plevels  
Field title: LEVELS  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: pspan  
Field title: SPAN  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: pturnover  
Field title: TURNOVER  
Data type: Nullable varchar(8)  
Display format: c8  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: layoff  
Field title: LAYOFF  
Data type: Nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: eeo\_aa  
Field title: EE0/AA  
Data type: Nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: hrg\_chg  
Field title: HRG-CHG  
Data type: Nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: retraining  
Field title: RETRAINING  
Data type: Nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: uni\_str  
Field title: UNI-STR  
Data type: Nullable varchar(1)  
Display format: c1  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video, Force upper case  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

#### TRIM DESCRIPTIONS

Text trim at row '10' and column '8' is:  
'PREVIOUS VALUES:'.  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None

Text trim at row '0' and column '21' is:  
'MRSTDB Data Entry Screen'.  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None

Text trim at row '6' and column '28' is:  
'If "Y" answer the following:'.  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None

##

MRSTDB Main Screen

00

Form name: mrstdb\_main  
Form owner: rchall  
Form Display Style is: FullScreen.  
Number of columns on screen: 80  
Number of lines on screen: 23  
Number of fields: 0  
Number of trim strings: 1  
Date first created: 1991\_06\_10 18:03:46 GMT  
Date last modified: 1991\_06\_10 18:03:46 GMT

#### FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

#### TRIM DESCRIPTIONS

Text trim at row '0' and column '25' is:  
    'MRSTDB Main Screen'.  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None

##

MRSTDB Text Entry

COMP	RESP
QUESTION	
-----	
-----	
-----	
-----	
-----	
-----	
-----	

00

Form name: mrstdb\_text\_entry  
Form owner: rchall  
Form Display Style is: FullScreen.  
Number of columns on screen: 80  
Number of lines on screen: 24  
Number of fields: 4  
Number of trim strings: 1  
Date first created: 1991\_06\_10 21:42:38 GMT  
Date last modified: 1991\_06\_10 21:42:38 GMT

FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

Field name: comp\_name  
Field title: COMP  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(30)  
Display format: c30  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: resp\_name

Field title: RESP  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(30)  
Display format: c30  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Field name: question\_id  
Field title: QUESTION  
Data type: Non-nullable varchar(30)  
Display format: c30  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: Reverse video  
Type of field: regular  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

Table field name: q\_lines  
Number of rows in table field: 6  
Special table field attributes: Highlighting current row enabled, don't display column title

Column name: q\_line  
Column title: LINE  
Data type: Nullable varchar(70)  
Display format: c70  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None  
Type of field: column in table field  
Default value:  
Validation check:  
Validation error message:

#### TRIM DESCRIPTIONS

Text trim at row '0' and column '24' is:  
    'MRSTDB Text Entry'.  
Foreground display color number is: '0'  
Special display attributes: None



**MRSTDB\_DATA\_ENTRY.OSQ**

```

initialize (
  r_count = integer) = {
  r_count := 0;
}
'INPUT' = {
  if restr != 'Y' and restr != 'N' then
    message 'RESTR code must be Y or N. Transaction rejected.'
      with style=popup;
    resume field restr;
  endif;
  insert into respondent (
    y_n_code_restr_status_of,
    resp_name_of,
    comp_name_respondent,
    no_levels_pres_levels_of,
    size_nbr_size_of,
    span_of_ctrl_pres_of,
    turnover_rate_of)
  values (
    restr,
    resp_name,
    comp_name,
    levels,
    size,
    span,
    turnover);
  commit;
  if restr = 'N' then
    insert into non_restr_resp (
      resp_name_of,
      comp_name_respondent)
    values (
      resp_name,
      comp_name);
    inquire_ingres (r_count = rowcount);
    if r_count > 0 then
      commit;
      message 'Data entry accomplished for non-restructured company.'
        with style=popup;
      resume field comp_name;
    else
      message 'System error inputting data for non-restructured company.'
        with style=popup;
      resume field comp_name;
    endif;
  endif;
  insert into restr_resp (
    resp_name_of,
    comp_name_respondent,
    date_begin_restr_for,
    date_end_restr_for,
    nbr_levels_pre_levels_of,
    span_of_ctrl_pre_ctrl_,
    turnover_rate_pre_t_r_of,
    y_n_code_layoff_incen_of,
    y_n_code_eeo_aa_code_of,
    y_n_code_hrg_chg_code_of,
    y_n_code_retraining_of,
    y_n_code_uni_str_of)
  values (

```

```

    resp_name,
    comp_name,
    begin_d,
    end_d,
    plevels,
    pspan,
    pturnover,
    layoff,
    eeo_aa,
    hrg_chg,
    retraining,
    uni_str);
inquire_ingres (r_count = rowcount);
if r_count > 0 then
    commit;
    message 'Data entry accomplished for restructured company.'
        with style=popup;
    resume field comp_name;
else
    message 'System error inputting data for restructured company.'
        with style=popup;
    resume field comp_name;
endif;
}
'RETRIEVE' = {
    mrstodb_data_entry := select
        size = size_nbr_size_of,
        restr = y_n_code_restr_status_of,
        levels = no_levels_pres_levels_of,
        span = span_of_ctrl_pres_of,
        turnover = turnover_rate_of
    from respondent
    where
        resp_name_of = :resp_name and
        comp_name_respondent = :comp_name;
    if restr = 'Y' then
        mrstodb_data_entry := select
            begin_d = date_begin_restr_for,
            end_d = date_end_restr_for,
            plevels = nbr_levels_pre_levels_of,
            pspan = span_of_ctrl_pre_ctrl_,
            pturnover = turnover_rate_pre_t_r_of,
            layoff = y_n_code_layoff_incen_of,
            eeo_aa = y_n_code_eeo_aa_code_of,
            hrg_chg = y_n_code_hrg_chg_code_of,
            retraining = y_n_code_retraining_of,
            uni_str = y_n_code_uni_str_of
        from restr_resp
        where
            resp_name_of = :resp_name and
            comp_name_respondent = :comp_name;
    endif;
}
'CHANGE' = {
    if restr != 'Y' and restr != 'N' then
        message 'RESTR code must be Y or N. Transaction rejected.'
            with style=popup;
        resume field restr;
    endif;
    delete from respondent

```

```

where
  resp_name_of = :resp_name and
  comp_name_respondent = :comp_name;
delete from non_restr_resp
where
  resp_name_of = :resp_name and
  comp_name_respondent = :comp_name;
delete from restr_resp
where
  resp_name_of = :resp_name and
  comp_name_respondent = :comp_name;
insert into respondent (
  y_n_code_restr_status_of,
  resp_name_of,
  comp_name_respondent,
  no_levels_pres_levels_of,
  size_nbr_size_of,
  span_of_ctrl_pres_of,
  turnover_rate_of)
values (
  restr,
  resp_name,
  comp_name,
  levels,
  size,
  span,
  turnover);
commit;
if restr = 'N' then
  insert into non_restr_resp (
    resp_name_of,
    comp_name_respondent)
  values (
    resp_name,
    comp_name);
  inquire_ingres (r_count = rowcount);
  if r_count > 0 then
    commit;
    message 'Data entry changed for non-restructured company.'
      with style=popup;
    resume field comp_name;
  else
    message 'System error inputting data for non-restructured company.'
      with style=popup;
    resume field comp_name;
  endif;
endif;
insert into restr_resp (
  resp_name_of,
  comp_name_respondent,
  date_begin_restr_for,
  date_end_restr_for,
  nbr_levels_pre_levels_of,
  span_of_ctrl_pre_ctrl_,
  turnover_rate_pre_t_r_of,
  y_n_code_layoff_incen_of,
  y_n_code_eeo_aa_code_of,
  y_n_code_hrg_chg_code_of,
  y_n_code_retraining_of,
  y_n_code_uni_str_of)

```

```

values (
  resp_name,
  comp_name,
  begin_d,
  end_d,
  plevels,
  pspan,
  pturnover,
  layoff,
  eeo_aa,
  hrg_chg,
  retraining,
  uni_str);
inquire_ingres (r_count = rowcount);
if r_count > 0 then
  commit;
  message 'Data entry changed for restructured company.'
    with style=popup;
  resume field comp_name;
else
  message 'System error inputting data for restructured company.'
    with style=popup;
  resume field comp_name;
endif;
}
'QUESTIONS' = {
  callframe mrstdb_text_entry (
    mrstdb_text_entry.comp_name := comp_name;
    mrstdb_text_entry.resp_name := resp_name)
}
'QUIT' = {
  return;
}

```

**MRSTDB\_MAIN.OSQ**

```
'UPDATE' = {  
    callframe MRSTDB_DATA_ENTRY;  
}  
'QUIT' = {  
    return;  
}
```

**MRSTDB\_TEXT\_ENTRY.OSQ**



```

initialize (
  r_count = integer,
  cmd = vchar(70)) = {
  r_count = 0;
  create table q_text (q_row varchar(70));
  resume field question_id;
}
'INPUT' = {
  delete from q_text;
  unloadtable q_lines
  begin
  , insert into q_text (
    q_row)
    values (
    q_lines.q_line);
  end;
  commit;
  call system 'sql -s <q_text_input. mrstdb';
  cmd := 'rename q_text.txt ' +
    squeeze(comp_name + resp_name + question_id + '.txt');
  call system cmd;
  insert into question (
    question_id_of,
    comp_name_contains,
    resp_name_contains,
    text_answers)
  values (
    question_id,
    comp_name,
    resp_name,
    squeeze(comp_name+resp_name+question_id+'.txt'));
  commit;
  message 'Text successfully input for question.' with style=popup;
  clear field q_lines;
  resume field question_id;
}
'WITHDRAW' = {
  delete from q_text;
  delete from question
  where
    question_id_of = :question_id and
    comp_name_contains = :comp_name and
    resp_name_contains = :resp_name;
  cmd := 'rename ' +
    squeeze(comp_name + resp_name + question_id + '.txt') +
    ' q_text.txt';
  call system cmd;
  commit;
  call system 'sql -s <q_text_withdraw. mrstdb';
  q_lines := select
    q_line = q_row
  from q_text;
  delete from q_text;
  cmd := 'delete q_text.txt;*';
  call system cmd;
  resume field question_id;
}
'QUIT' = {
  drop table q_text;
  return;
}

```

}

## **Q\_TEXT\_INPUT**

```
copy q_text (q_row = c0nl) into 'q_text.txt'  
\g  
\q
```

**Q\_TEXT\_WITHDRAW**

```
copy q_text (q_row = c0nl) from 'q_text.txt'  
|g  
|q
```

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**APPENDIX B**

**MRST Survey Questionnaire**

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This appendix contains the survey questionnaire that was used to obtain data from external companies. The MRST Prototype Information System information model (presented in Section 2 of this report) was based exclusively on this survey, as all responses were to be accessible through the system. However, the responses to some questions were specifically requested to be available for analysis and comparison purposes. These "priority questions" are represented as entities in the information model, separate from the "TEXT" entity which encompasses all textual responses.



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**RESTRUCTURING STUDY: COMPANY SURVEY EXTERNAL**

**May 8, 1991**

**1.0 General Information**

1. Company Name

Size

General Composition of Staff

Location

Key Contact

Telephone No.

FAX No.

Type of Business (Producers and Customers)

2. Recently restructured?

Yes      No

(If "yes," go to Question #3; if "no," or considering restructuring, go to Question #25.

3. When did you restructure?

## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

### 2.0 Questions Related to Objectives

For those who have restructured:

4. What were your objectives for restructuring?

(In asking this question, first focus on the objectives identified in the previous question that match the following Sandia objectives; then discuss those not mentioned previously.)

5. How did the restructure:

- Affect project execution
  
- Affect communication
  
- Affect flexibility, responsiveness
  
- Affect empowerment
  
- Affect cost effectiveness
  
- Affect teamwork

## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

- Affect leadership
  
  - Affect respect for individuals and their talents
  
  - Affect motivation
  
  - Affect creativity and innovation
6. a. What other mechanisms do you have in place for fostering the above items.
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- b. What metrics did you establish to measure success in meeting restructuring objectives?

### 3.0 Questions Relating to Organizational Structure

7. What was your organization structure before restructuring (organization chart if possible)?
- Number of Levels

## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

- Generic description of responsibilities of each level
  - Span of Control (Average)
  - How do you address Project vs. Line. vs. Staff vs. Research
8. How did your structure change?
- Number of Levels
  - Generic description of responsibilities of each level.

- Span of Control
- How do you address Project vs. Line vs. Staff vs. Research

## COMPANY SURVEY . INTERNAL

9. Is the new structure uniform over all lines of business?

Yes      No

If "no," describe the differences and basis for these differences.

10. What systems (internal) changes did you have to make (i.e., information systems, budget systems, financial/accounting systems, etc.)?

11. What staff support is provided to management?

### 4.0 Questions Relating to Implementing change

#### 4.1 Description of the Change Process

12. Describe the implementation (transition) plan/process (i.e., time, communication plan, feedback, what had to take place before and after restructuring, etc.).

13. Were consultants used? If yes, who. How effective were they?

## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

### 4.2 Human Resources

14. Did you offer layoff incentives for the level(s) eliminated?

Yes      No

15. Did you retrain the employees occupying the eliminated level(s)?

Yes      No

If "yes," briefly describe this training.

16. How were these people redeployed?

17. Did this restructuring have an impact on your EEO/AA profile?

Yes      No

18. How did you manage reassignments to avoid adversely impacting your EEO/AA program?

19. Did the restructuring require a change in your hiring program?

Yes      No

If "yes," describe the changes.



## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

### 6.0 Questions Relating to Objectives

For those who have not restructured:

25. How does your structure:

- Achieve excellence in project execution
  
- Foster good communication
  
- Foster flexibility, responsiveness
  
- Promote empowerment of everyone
  
- Foster cost effectiveness
  
- Foster teamwork
  
- Foster leadership



## COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL

- Foster respect for individuals and their talents
- Foster motivation
- Encourage creativity and innovation

26. What special mechanisms do you have in place for fostering the above items?

27. What metrics do you use to evaluate the above?

### 7.0 Questions Relating to Organizational Structure

28. What is your organization structure (organization chart if possible)?

- Number of levels
- Generic description of responsibilities of each level

**COMPANY SURVEY INTERNAL**

- Span of Control (Average)
- How do you address Project vs. Line vs. Staff vs. Research

29. How would you improve your current management structure?

30. Is there anything else about structure that we did not discuss?

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**APPENDIX C**

**MRST Prototype Information System User's Guide**

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This appendix contains a user's guide to the primary (restructure analysis) application of the MRST Prototype Information System. Each of the three functional areas (Basic Restructuring Information, Comparison of Respondents, Examination of Survey Information) are briefly described. For each screen, a list of available functions and an explanation of each function's purpose is presented. This is not intended as a tutorial for the use of the system, but rather as a document of operations to supplement the reader's understanding of the screen definitions.

**Sandia Management Restructure Team (MRST)  
Prototype Information System  
User's Guide**

This document describes the functions available in the Management Restructure Study Team (MRST) Prototype Information System. To execute any of the functions discussed, use the mouse to position the cursor on the desired button or menu item, and click the left mouse button.

Main Menu Screen

This screen allows the user to enter any of three functional areas: Basic Restructuring Information, Comparison of Respondents, or Examination of Survey Information. These areas are discussed below. To exit the system, click on Quit.

**Basic Restructuring Information Functional Area**

This area consists of a single screen that allows the user to access certain basic data from a respondent that has restructured. This information includes the dates that restructuring began and was completed, the company size, as well as the "Yes" or "No" answers to several survey questions dealing with the impact of the restructuring process.

Basic Restructuring Information Screen

**SELECT Function:** Allows the user to select data for a particular respondent. A menu will appear containing a list of respondent names. To select a name, click on it, then click the SELECT button. The screen will display the data for that respondent.

**COMPARE Function:** Displays another Basic Restructuring Information screen so that the user can view the data for multiple respondents simultaneously.

**CANCEL Function:** Return to Main Menu screen.

**Comparison of Respondents Functional Area**

This area also consists of a single screen that allows the user to display numerical data pertaining to organizational structures of several respondents simultaneously for comparison purposes. It also allows the user to display this data for a single restructured respondent for pre- and post-reconstruction periods in order to analyze the effects of the reconstruction process.

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Comparison of Respondents Screen

**SELECT Function:** Allows the user to select a respondent name from the selection menu. Repeated use of this function will list all selected respondents on the screen for comparison.

**NUMBER OF LEVELS**

**Function:** Displays the number of levels from pre- to post-restructured periods in the Previous and Present columns, respectively, for each respondent selected.

**SPAN OF CONTROL**

**Function:** Displays the values for span of control.

**TURNOVER RATE**

**Function:** Displays the values for turnover rate.

**CANCEL Function:** Return to Main Menu screen.

**Examination of Survey Information Functional Area**

This area allows the user to access the actual responses provided by external companies, including text as well as graphical data.

Survey Information Menu Screen

This screen allows the user to select any of the three screens described below. To return to the Main Menu screen, click on Cancel.

Text Examination Screen

**SELECT Function:** Allows the user to select a respondent name from the selection menu.

**KEYWORD Function:** Displays a menu of questions indexed by important keywords. When one is selected, the respondent name and question number will be returned to the Text Examination screen.

**QUESTION Function:** Displays the text corresponding to the respondent name and question number on the screen.

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**COMPARE Function:** Displays another Survey Information Menu screen so that the user can view the responses from multiple companies simultaneously.

**CANCEL Function:** Return to Survey Information Menu screen.

**Chart Examination Screen**

**SELECT Function:** Allows the user to select a respondent name from the selection menu.

**PRESENT Function:** Displays the organization chart corresponding to the selected respondent's present organization structure.

**PREVIOUS Function:** Displays the organization chart corresponding to the selected respondent's organization structure prior to restructuring.

**COMPARE Function:** Displays another Survey Information Menu screen so that the user can examine multiple charts simultaneously.

**CANCEL Function:** Return to Survey Information Menu screen.

**Page Examination Screen**

**SELECT Function:** Allows the user to select a respondent name from the selection menu.

**OK Function:** Displays the image corresponding to the respondent name and page number on the screen.

**COMPARE Function:** Displays another Survey Information Menu screen so that the user can view two pages simultaneously.

**CANCEL Function:** Return to Survey Information Menu screen.

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