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FIVE-BIT CHARACTER CODES

Segment and transfer-vector names are represented in the System by word pairs which contain six five-bit characters. The standard legal characters are A-Z, period, and blank. However, the ten digits have also been assigned codes, which are the same as the codes for the characters H-Q. Hence, conflicts are possible in the ASCII-to-five-bit conversion, and the five-bit-to-ASCII conversion is ambiguous. The conversion table follows.

| Octal Code | ASCII | Octal Code | ASCII |
|------------|---------|------------|-------|
| 00 | blank | 20 | P, 8 |
| 01 | Α | 21 | Q, 9 |
| 02 | В | 22 | R |
| 03 | C | 23 | S |
| 04 | D and D | 24 | T |
| 05 | E | 25 | U |
| 06 | F | 26 | v |
| 07 | G | 27 | W |
| 10 | Н, О | 30 | Х |
| 11 | I, 1 | 31 | :Y, |
| 12 | J, 2 | 32 | Z |
| 13 | к, З | 33 | • |
| 14 | L, 4 | . · · | |
| 15 | M, 5 | | - |
| 16 | N, 6 | | • |
| 17 | 0,7 | • | |