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TITLE: COAL QUALITY WEIGHTED AVERAGES

ABSTRACT:

The program computes the weighted averages of user-selected coal quality characteristics. Up to 140 coal quality factors may be weighted for analysis. Useful in mine planning and blending of stockpile material.

Program Lines: 118
Bytes: 236
Accessories: None

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION I

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Program Title COAL QUALITY WEIGHTED AVERAGES

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Program Description, Equations, Variables _____

Weighted average is determined in the following manner:

$$\frac{\sum (\text{tons} * \text{quality characteristic})}{\sum \text{tons}} = \text{Weighted average of quality characteristic}$$

The maximum number of factors is:

$$\frac{\text{Total registers} - 38}{2} \text{ for HP41CV} = 140$$

Size is computed as follows: $2(\# \text{ factors}) + 6$

Necessary Accessories None

Operating Limits and Warnings CLRG used in line 007, use with printer in NORMAL mode.

Reference(s) _____

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION II

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Sample Problem (Sketch if Desired)

For a longwall panel the following were measured:

<u>Reserve</u>	<u>Heating Value (Btu/lb)</u>	<u>Ash Content (%)</u>	<u>Sulfur Content (%)</u>
13,306	10,965	2.1	0.70
11,400	10,960	2.1	0.70
77,112	10,940	2.3	0.70
421,478	10,930	2.4	0.73
442,512	10,910	2.7	0.75

COMPUTE TOTAL TONS AND WEIGHTED AVERAGES OF COAL QUALITY

Solution:

965,808	10,922	2.5	0.74
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SOLUTION:

Display	Input	Function	Comments
NO. FACTORS	3	Size 006	minimum size
SIZE >=12		Xeq Wt	run program
11		R/S	number of quality factors
NO. FACTORS	3	Size 012	resize accordingly
FACTOR	BTU	Xeq Wt	
FACTOR	ASH	R/S	
FACTOR	SULFUR	R/S	enter alpha factor
TONS	13,306	R/S	
BTU	10,965	R/S	enter reserve data
ASH	2.1	R/S	enter corresponding quality data
SULFUR	0.70	R/S	
TONS	11,400	R/S	
BTU	10,960	R/S	
ASH	2.1	R/S	
SULFUR	0.7	R/S	
TONS	77,112	R/S	
BTU	10,940	R/S	
ASH	2.3	R/S	
SULFUR	0.7	R/S	
TONS	421,478	R/S	
BTU	10,930	R/S	
ASH	2.4	R/S	
SULFUR	0.73	R/S	
TONS	442,512	R/S	
BTU	10,910	R/S	
ASH	2.7	R/S	
SULFUR	0.75	R/S	
TONS		R/S	no entry R/S for compute
TONS=965,808.		R/S	
BTU=10,922.47		R/S	no R/S if printer
ASH=2.52		R/S	
SULFUR=0.74		R/S	
TONS			program reinitializes, tone sounds

USER INSTRUCTIONS

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				SIZE: (HP-41C) 006
STEP	INSTRUCTIONS	INPUT	FUNCTION	DISPLAY
1	Key in WT			
2	XEQ size 006 or larger		Size	
3	XEQ WT			No. factors
4	Enter number of coal quality factors	No. Factors	R/S	Size = X
4a	Size = X appears only if size inadequate, else 5 resize if necessary		Size X	
5	Enter alpha prompt repeat n times	Alpha Name	R/S	Factor
6	Enter tonnage and quality data, prompts with previously entered alphas when data entry complete R/S to exit	Input Tons Input Quality Data	R/S R/S	Tons Alpha Prompt Tons =
7	Outputs total tons and weighted averages for each alpha prompt		R/S R/S	Alpha = Tons
8	Program reinitializes with same alpha prompts, program control returns to step 6. To fully reinitialize go to step 3.			
	*If larger size is required it is computed.			

PROGRAM LISTING

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STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS	STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS
01	LBL "WT"		45	DSE 05	
02	FS? 55		46	XEQ 12	
03	PRBUF	Sets	47	RCL 05	
04	CF 21	Printer	48	X<=0?	
05	FS? 55	Flags	49	GTO 01	
06	SF 21		50	GTO 03	
07	SF 29		51	LBL 14	Output
08	FIX 0		52	"I="	Subroutine
09	CLRG		53	ARCL X	
10	LBL 02		54	AVIEW	
11	"NO. FAC	Prompts	55	FS? 55	
TORS"		for	56	RTN	
12	PROMPT	number of	57	STOP	
13	STO 04	factors and	58	RTN	
14	STO 05	computes size	59	LBL 01	Prompts for
15	ST+ X		60	XEQ 10	tons
16	6		61	CF 22	output if
17	+		62	"TONS"	no entry
18	"SIZE>="		63	PROMPT	
19	ARCL X		64	FC? 22	
20	1		65	GTO 04	
21	-	Displays if	66	STO 00	
22	SF 25	necessary	67	ST+ 01	
23	RCL IND		68	GTO 03	Accumulates
X			69	LBL 04	tons
24	FC?C 25		70	XEQ 10	
25	PROMPT		71	RCL 01	
26	XEQ 10		72	"TONS"	Output
27	LBL 00		73	XEQ 14	sequence
28	"FACTOR"	Prompt for	74	LBL 05	
29	AON	alpha factor	75	FIX 2	
30	PROMPT	repeats for	76	CLA	
31	AOFF	all factors	77	RCL IND	Iteration
32	ASTO IND		03		for
02			78	RCL 01	alpha
33	XEQ 12		79	/	output
34	DSE 05		80	ARCL IND	
35	GTO 00		02		
36	GTO 01		81	XEQ 14	
37	LBL 03		82	DSE 05	
38	FIX 2	Prompts	83	XEQ 12	
39	CLA	and	84	RCL 05	
40	ARCL IND	stores	85	X>0?	
02			86	GTO 05	
41	PROMPT		87	CLD	
42	RCL 00		88	ADV	Zero previous
43	*	Coal quality	89	TONE 9	accumulations
44	ST+ IND	data	90	0	
03			91	STO 00	

PROGRAM LISTING

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REGISTERS, STATUS, FLAGS, ASSIGNMENTS

DATA REGISTERS		STATUS			
00	Tons	SIZE 006	TOT. REG. 32	USER MODE	
01	Accumulated tons	ENG -	FIX 2	SCI -	ON OFF X
02	Counter for alpha data	DEG -	RAD -	GRAD -	
03	Counter for quality data	FLAGS # INIT SET INDICATES CLEAR INDICATES S/C			
04	No. factors-preserves data for 05	21	s/c	Printer enable	
05	No. factors-decrementing	22	s/c	Digit entry	-
06	Alpha store	25	C	Error ignore	-
07	Accumulation for quality data	29	S	Digit grouping	-
08	...	55	s/c	Printer existence	-
09	... Repeat				
10	... as				
11	--- Necessary				
		ASSIGNMENTS			
		FUNCTION	KEY	FUNCTION	KEY
		Wt	any		

TITLE: COAL QUALITY CALCULATIONS

ABSTRACT:

The program accepts coal quality data from a proximate analysis and calculates coal quality on a dry-, and dry, ash-free basis. Coal quality factors are normalized to 100 percent. In addition, coal quality on a dry, ash-free basis is calculated by the Parr Formula.

Program Lines: 229
Bytes: 488
Accessories: 1 memory module equivalent

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION I

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Program Title COAL QUALITY CALCULATIONS

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Program Description, Equations, Variables _____

The program calculates coal quality on a dry and dry,ash-free basis given coal quality on an as-received basis. The Parr Formulas are used to compute dry,ash-free coal quality as well. The Parr Formulas are as follows:

$$\text{daf FC} = (\text{FC} - 0.15\text{S}) / (100 - (\text{M} + 1.08\text{A} + 0.55\text{S})) * 100$$

$$\text{daf VM} = 100 - \text{daf FC}$$

$$\text{daf BTU} = (\text{BTU} - 50\text{S}) / (100 - 1.08\text{A} + 0.55\text{S}) * 100$$

Necessary Accessories printer desirable, 1 memory module or equivalent

Operating Limits and Warnings _____

Parr Formula volatile matter is not a reliable rank indicator. Use with printer in MANual mode.

Reference(s) n/a

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION II

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Sample Problem (Sketch if Desired)

Given a proximate analysis:

Moisture	0.7%
Ash	27.8%
Fixed Carbon	56.1%
Volatile Matter	15.4%
Heating Value	11,200 Btu/lb
Sulfur	0.58%

Determine coal quality on a dry-, and dry, ash-free basis. Also determine values from the Parr Formulas.

SOLUTION:

NON-PRINT VERSION

Display	Input	Function	Comments
Key in cq	Size 011 xeq cq	As received	Data from proximate analysis
0.7	r/s	Moisture	
27.8	r/s	Ash	
56.1	r/s	Fix Carb	
15.4	r/s	Vol Mat	
11,200	r/s	Heat Val	
0.58	r/s	Sulfur	
	r/s	Dry Basis	
	r/s	Ash=28.0	
	r/s	Fix Carb=56.5	
	r/s	Vol Mat=15.5	OUTPUT
	r/s	Heat Val=11,279.0	
	r/s	Sulfur=0.6	
	r/s	Dry, Ash-free	
	r/s	Fix Carb=78.5	
	r/s	Vol Mat=21.5	
	r/s	Heat Val=15,664.3	
	r/s	Sulfur=0.8	
	r/s	Parr Formula	
	r/s	Vol Mat=18.8	
	r/s	Fix Carb=81.2	
	r/s	Heat Val=16037.2	
		As received	Loops back

(CONTINUATION PAGE)

ID NO-123

AS RECEIVED

MOISTURE=0.7
ASH=27.8
FIX CARB=56.1
VOL MAT=15.4
HEAT VAL=11,200.0
SULFUR=0.6

DRY BASIS

ASH=28.0
FIX CARB=56.5
VOL MAT=15.5
HEAT VAL=11,279.0
SULFUR=0.6

DRY-ASH FREE

FIX CARB=78.5
VOL MAT=21.5
HEAT VAL=15,664.3
SULFUR=0.8

PARR FORMULA

VOL MAT=18.8
FIX CARB=81.2
HEAT VAL=16,837.2

Print version data entry same as non-print

However, in print version a prompt for labeling the output is incorporated.

The as-received input data is printed out as is dry and dry, ash-free calculations

Parr Formula printed out below dry, ash-free calculation.

USER INSTRUCTIONS

				SIZE: (HP-41C) 011
STEP	INSTRUCTIONS	INPUT	FUNCTION	DISPLAY
1	Minimum size and xeq CQ		Size 011	_____
1*	If printer connected enter id number			Id No. _____
1*		Id No. _____	r/s _____	_____
2	Enter data from proximate analysis			As Received Moisture _____
2a		Moisture _____	r/s _____	Ash _____
2b		Ash _____	r/s _____	Fix Carb _____
2c		Fix Carb _____	r/s _____	Vol Mat _____
2d		Vol Mat _____	r/s _____	Heat Val _____
2e		Heat Val _____	r/s _____	Sulfur _____
2f	Enter heating value in Btu/lb	Sulfur _____	r/s _____	Dry Basis _____
2g	If printer is connected the as-received		r/s _____	Ash=xx.x _____
2h	data will be printed at this point.		r/s _____	Fix Carb=xx.x _____
2i	No r/s required if printer connected.		r/s _____	Vol Mat=xx.x _____
2j			r/s _____	Heat Val=xxxx.x _____
2k			r/s _____	Sulfur=x.xx _____
2l			r/s _____	Dry, Ash-free _____
2m	Dry-ash-free output			Fix Carb=xx.x _____
2n			r/s _____	Vol Mat=xx.x _____
2o			r/s _____	Heat Val=xx.x _____
2p			r/s _____	Sulfur=x.xx _____
2q			r/s _____	Parr Formula _____
2r	Output for Parr Formula			Vol Mat=xx.x _____
2s			r/s _____	Fix Carb=xx.x _____
2t			r/s _____	Heat Val=xxxx.x _____
3	If printer then step 1* else step 2		r/s _____	As Received _____

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STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS	STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS
01	LBL "CQ"		49	FC? 55	
02	FS? 55		50	GTO 06	
03	PRBUF		51	LBL 11	if printer then
04	CF 21	printer flag	52	RCL IND	reprint as-
05	FS? 55	test	06		received data
06	SF 21		53	XEQ IND	
07	LBL 10		06		
08	FC? 55		54	"I="	
09	GTO 09		55	XEQ 55	
10	CF 29		56	ISG 06	else
11	FIX 0		57	GTO 11	
12	XEQ 07	if printer ask	58	ADV	compute
13	PROMPT	for sample no.	59	LBL 06	Parr Formula
14	STO X		60	RCL 05	criteria
15	XEQ 07		61	.55	based on
16	SF 12		62	*	original
17	XEQ 55		63	RCL 01	as-received
18	CF 12		64	1.08	data
19	ADV		65	*	
20	LBL 09		66	+	
21	SF 29		67	RCL 00	
22	FIX 1		68	+	
23	CLA		69	100	
24	SF 12		70	X<>Y	
25	"AS RECE		71	-	
IVED"			72	STO X	
26	XEQ 56		73	RCL 05	
27	CF 12	prompt for	74	.15	
28	ADV		75	*	
29	XEQ 00	data on	76	RCL 02	
30	PROMPT		77	X<>Y	
31	STO 00	as received	78	-	
32	XEQ 01		79	RCL Y	
33	PROMPT	basis	80	/	
34	STO 01		81	100	
35	XEQ 02		82	*	
36	PROMPT		83	STO 07	
37	STO 02		84	100	
38	XEQ 03		85	X<>Y	
39	PROMPT		86	-	
40	STO 03		87	STO 08	
41	XEQ 04		88	RCL 05	
42	PROMPT		89	.55	
43	STO 04		90	*	
44	XEQ 05		91	RCL 01	
45	PROMPT		92	1.08	
46	STO 05	set increment	93	*	
47	.005		94	+	
48	STO 06		95	100	

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STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS	STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS
96	X<>Y		140	ISG 06	
97	-		141	GTO 13	
98	RCL 05		142	100	
99	50		143	RCL 01	
100	*		144	-	
101	RCL 04		145	RCL 02	compute new
102	X<>Y		146	100	multiplication
103	-		147	*	factor for
104	RCL Y		148	X<>Y	dry,ash-free
105	/		149	/	basis
106	100		150	RCL 02	
107	*		151	/	
108	STO 09		152	STO 10	
109	100	compute	153	2.005	reset increment
110	RCL 00	ratio	154	STO 06	
111	-	multiplication	155	ADV	
112	RCL 02	factor	156	LBL 12	
113	100	for dry basis	157	RCL IND	multiply factor
114	*		06		against data
115	X<>Y		158	RCL 10	
116	/		159	ST* IND	
117	RCL 02		06		
118	/		160	ISG 06	
119	STO 10		161	GTO 12	
120	1.005		162	SF 12	
121	STO 06	reset increment	163	"DRY-ASH	
122	LBL 08		FREE"		
123	RCL IND		164	XEQ 56	
06			165	CF 12	
124	RCL 10	apply to	166	ADV	
125	ST* IND	original	167	2.005	reset increment
06		factors	168	STO 06	for output
126	ISG 06		169	LBL 14	
127	GTO 08		170	RCL IND	
128	SF 12		06		
129	"DRY BAS	print or	171	XEQ IND	
IS"		display	06		
130	XEQ 56	header	172	"F="	
131	CF 12		173	XEQ 55	
132	ADV		174	ISG 06	
133	1.005	reset increment	175	GTO 14	
134	STO 06	for output	176	ADV	
135	LBL 13		177	SF 12	
136	RCL IND		178	"PARR FO	
06			RMULA"		display Parr
137	XEQ IND	output dry	179	XEQ 56	Formula data
06		basis data	180	CF 12	
138	"F="		181	ADV	
139	XEQ 55		182	RCL 08	

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STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS	STEP/ LINE	KEY ENTRY	COMMENTS
183	XEQ 03				
184	"I="				
185	XEQ 55				
186	RCL 07				
187	XEQ 02				
188	"I="				
189	XEQ 55				
190	RCL 09				
191	XEQ 04				
192	"I="				
193	XEQ 55				
194	ADV				
195	GTO 10				
196	♦LBL 00				
197	"MOISTUR E"	alpha subroutines for prompting and output			
198	RTN				
199	♦LBL 01				
200	"ASH"				
201	RTN				
202	♦LBL 02				
203	"FIX CAR B"				
204	RTN				
205	♦LBL 03				
206	"VOL MAT "				
207	RTN				
208	♦LBL 04				
209	"HEAT VA L"				
210	RTN				
211	♦LBL 05				
212	"SULFUR"				
213	RTN				
214	♦LBL 07				
215	"ID NO--"				
216	RTN				
217	♦LBL 55	output subroutine			
218	ARCL X				
219	AVIEW				
220	FC? 55				
221	STOP				
222	RTN				
223	♦LBL 56				
224	FS? 55				
225	PRA				
226	FC? 55				
227	AVIEW				
228	RTN				
229	END				

REGISTERS, STATUS, FLAGS, ASSIGNMENTS

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