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CORRECTION

There is a charge of \$0.75 per month for each reel of tape stored by SPCC. The stated charge of \$.075 in last month's newsletter was incorrect.

HANDOUTS AVAILABLE

Users are reminded that the handouts for SAS and DOS/VSE, which were revised in December, 1980, are available from both the Main Office, 33 North Hall, and the Help Desk in 90 Coffey Hall. The revisions describe the control cards for IBMBATCH. The revision for SAS emphasizes the desirability of creating permanent disk files.

DISK AND TAPE FOR DOS/VSE

Users who are experienced in DOS/VSE can create and maintain their own tape and disk files on our IBM 4331 system. Other users who wish to do so ought to see either Jim Colten or Dave Savela first.

COBOL ANS, FORTRAN IV, AND ASSEMBLER languages are supported, at present, under DOS/VSE. IBMBATCH control cards for DOS/VSE are described in the handout, "How to Access and Use DOS/VSE".

SAS SEMINARS

Elements of the Statistical Analysis System (SAS) will be explained in a series of seminars, given by Mel Sauve of the St. Paul Computer Center. This series is especially useful for those who are thinking about using SAS or for those who have just begun to use SAS.

SAS is an integrated system for data management, statistical analysis, and report writing. It is comprehensive and yet easy to use. SAS manuals are available in the University Bookstores. The handout "How to Access and Use SAS", is available at the Main Office, 33 North Hall, and at the Help Desk, 90 Coffey Hall.

The seminars are as follows:

"INTRODUCTION TO SAS: THE DATA STEP:  
Wednesday, February 11, 1981  
From 3:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.  
In 120 Coffey Hall  
St. Paul Campus

"INTRODUCTION TO SAS: THE PROC STEP"  
Thursday, February 12, 1981  
From 3:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.  
In 401 Coffey Hall  
St. Paul Campus

"STATISTICS AND SAS"  
Friday, February 13, 1981  
From 3:15 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.  
In 120 Coffey Hall  
St. Paul Campus