

A Equation Notation

The equations as printed in Chapter 3 and Appendix B are written in the notation for the DYNAMO compiler. For complete information see the *DYNAMO User's Manual* by Alexander L. Pugh, III, third edition, M.I.T. Press, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1970.

The letters J, K, and L following a decimal point that separates the letters from the symbol groups representing variables are time-step indicators. The “present” time at which the equation is being evaluated is called time K. The previous point in time was J, the next is L. In rate equations, the JK notation indicates the rate that existed over the preceding time interval, and KL indicates the rate of flow that is being computed for the following time interval.

Variables and constants are designated by letter groups as defined in Appendix C.

Before the equation in Appendix B and after the equation number in Chapter 3 is a letter indicating the kind of concept that is defined by the equation. The letter L indicates a level equation, N an initial value for a level, R a rate equation, A an auxiliary variable that is part of the rate equation it feeds, C a constant, T a table, and X indicates a continuation from the preceding line.

In several equations, for example Equation 2, will be found the CLIP function. It is used here as a switch to change the value of a constant at a specified point in time. In Equation 2, the value BRN is used until TIME reaches the value specified by SWT1 after which the value is changed to that given by BRN1. The several CLIP functions are used in producing the computer runs in this book.

TABLE and TABHL are table look-up functions as for example in Equation 3. In that equation the format indicates that a table by the name of BRMMT will be entered with the variable MSL. The table extends from a value of MSL of 0 to a value of 5 in steps of 1 unit in MSL. The following line gives the required six values for the table as graphically portrayed in Figure 3-1.

B Equations of the World Model

The following equations and control information are in the exact format used by the DYNAMO compiler for producing the computer output used in this book.

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*          WORLD DYNAMICS W5
1      L      P.K=P.J+(DT)(BR.JK-DR.JK)
1.1    N      P=P!
1.2    C      PI=1.65E9
2      R      BR.KL=(P.K)(CLIP(BRN,BRN1,SWT1,TIME.K))(BRFM.K)(BRMM.K)(BRCM.K)(BR
X      X      PM.K)
2.2    C      BRN=.04
2.3    C      BRN1=.04
2.4    C      SWT1=1970
3      A      BRMM.K=TABHL(BRMMT,MSL.K,0,5,1)
3.1    T      BRMMT=1.2/1/.85/.75/.7/.7
4      A      MSL.K=ECIR.K/(ECIRN)
4.1    C      ECIRN=1
5      A      ECIR.K=(CIR.K)(1-CIAF.K)(NREM.K)/(1-CIAFN)
6      A      NREM.K=TABLE(NREMT,NRFR.K,0,1,.25)
6.1    T      NREMT=0/.15/.5/.85/1
7      A      NRFR.K=NR.K/NRI
8      L      NR.K=NR.J+(DT)(-NRUR.JK)
8.1    N      NR=NRI
8.2    C      NRI=900E9
9      R      NRUR.KL=(P.K)(CLIP(NRUN,NRUN1,SWT2,TIME.K))(NRMM.K)
9.1    C      NRUN=1
9.2    C      NRUN1=1
9.3    C      SWT2=1970
NOTE    EQUATION 42 CONNECTS HERE FROM EQ. 4 TO EQ. 9
10     R      DR.KL=(P.K)(CLIP(DRN,DRN1,SWT3,TIME.K))(DRMM.K)(DRPM.K)(DRFM.K)(DR
X      X      CM.K)
10.2   C      DRN=.028
10.3   C      DRN1=.028
10.4   C      SWT3=1970
11     A      DRMM.K=TABHL(DRMMT,MSL.K,0,5,.5)
11.1   T      DRMMT=3/1.8/1/.8/.7/.6/.53/.5/.5/.5/.5
12     A      DRPM.K=TABLE(DRPMT,POLR.K,0,60,10)
12.1   T      DRPMT=.92/1.3/2/3.2/4.8/6.8/9.2
13     A      DRFM.K=TABHL(DRFMT,FR.K,0,2,.25)
13.1   T      DRFMT=30/3/2/1.4/1/.7/.6/.5/.5
14     A      DRCM.K=TABLE(DRCMT,CR.K,0,5,1)
14.1   T      DRCMT=.9/1/1.2/1.5/1.9/3
15     A      CR.K=(P.K)/(LA*PDN)
15.1   C      LA=135E6
15.2   C      PDN=26.5
16     A      BRCM.K=TABLE(BRCMT,CR.K,0,5,1)
16.1   T      BRCMT=1.05/1/.9/.7/.6/.55
17     A      BRFM.K=TABHL(BRFMT,FR.K,0,4,1)
17.1   T      BRFMT=0/1/1.6/1.9/2

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18      A      BRPM.K=TABLE(BRPM.T,POLR.K,0,60,10)
18.1    T      BRPM.T=1.02/.9/.7/.4/.25/.15/.1
19      A      FR.K=(FPC1.K)(FCM.K)(FPM.K)(CLIP(FC,FC1,SWT7,TIME.K))/FN
19.1    C      FC=1
19.2    C      FC1=1
19.3    C      FN=1
19.4    C      SWT7=1970
20      A      FCM.K=TABLE(FCMT,CR.K,0,5,1)
20.1    T      FCMT=2.4/1/.6/.4/.3/.2
21      A      FPC1.K=TABHL(FPC1T,CIRA.K,0,6,1)
21.1    T      FPC1T=.5/1/1.4/1.7/1.9/2.05/2.2
22      A      CIRA.K=(CIR.K)(CIAF.K)/CIAFN
22.1    C      CIAFN=.3
23      A      CIR.K=C1.K/P.K
24      L      C1.K=C1.J+(DT)(CIG.JK-CID.JK)
24.1    N      C1=C11
24.2    C      C11=.4E9
25      R      CIG.KL=(P.K)(CIM.K)(CLIP(CIGN,CIGN1,SWT4,TIME.K))
25.1    C      CIGN=.05
25.2    C      CIGN1=.05
25.3    C      SWT4=1970
26      A      CIM.K=TABHL(CIMT,MSL.K,0,5,1)
26.1    T      CIMT=.1/1/1.8/2.4/2.8/3
27      R      CID.KL=(C1.K)(CLIP(CIDN,CIDN1,SWT5,TIME.K))
27.1    C      CIDN=.025
27.2    C      CIDN1=.025
27.3    C      SWT5=1970
28      A      FPM.K=TABLE(FPMT,POLR.K,0,60,10)
28.1    T      FPMT=1.02/.9/.65/.35/.2/.1/.05
29      A      POLR.K=POL.K/POLS
29.1    C      POLS=3.6E9
30      L      POL.K=POL.J+(DT)(POLG.JK-POLA.JK)
30.1    N      POL=POL1
30.2    C      POL1=.2E9
31      R      POLG.KL=(P.K)(CLIP(POLN,POLN1,SWT6,TIME.K))(POLCM.K)
31.1    C      POLN=1
31.2    C      POLN1=1
31.3    C      SWT6=1970
32      A      POLCM.K=TABHL(POLCMT,CIR.K,0,5,1)
32.1    T      POLCMT=.05/1/3/5.4/7.4/8
33      R      POLA.KL=POL.K/POLAT.K
34      A      POLAT.K=TABLE(POLATT,POLR.K,0,60,10)
34.1    T      POLATT=.6/2.5/5/8/11.5/15.5/20
35      L      CIAF.K=CIAF.J+(DT/CIAFT)(CFIFR.J*CIQR.J-CIAF.J)
35.1    N      CIAF=CIAFI
35.2    C      CIAFI=.2
35.3    C      CIAFT=15
36      A      CFIFR.K=TABHL(CFIFRT,FR.K,0,2,.5)
36.1    T      CFIFRT=1/.6/.3/.15/.1
37      S      QL.K=(QLS)(QLM.K)(QLC.K)(QLF.K)(QLP.K)
37.1    C      QLS=1
38      A      QLM.K=TABHL(QLMT,MSL.K,0,5,1)
38.1    T      QLMT=.2/1/1.7/2.3/2.7/2.9
39      A      QLC.K=TABLE(QLCT,CR.K,0,5,.5)
39.1    T      QLCT=2/1.3/1/.75/.55/.45/.38/.3/.25/.22/.2
40      A      QLF.K=TABHL(QLFT,FR.K,0,4,1)
40.1    T      QLFT=0/1/1.8/2.4/2.7
41      A      QLP.K=TABLE(QLPT,POLR.K,0,60,10)
41.1    T      QLPT=1.04/.85/.6/.3/.15/.05/.02
      NOTE      EQUATION 42 LOCATED BETWEEN EQ. 4 AND 9.
42      A      NRMM.K=TABHL(NRMMT,MSL.K,0,10,1)
42.1    T      NRMMT=0/1/1.8/2.4/2.9/3.3/3.6/3.9/3.95/4
      NOTE      INPUT FROM EQN. 38 AND 40 TO EQN. 35
43      A      CIQR.K=TABHL(CIQR.T,QLM.K/QLF.K,0,2,.5)
43.1    T      CIQR.T=.7/.8/1/1.5/2
      NOTE
      NOTE      CONTROL CARDS
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43.5    C      DT=.2
43.6    C      LENGTH=2100
43.7    N      TIME=1900
44      A      PRTPER.K=CLIP(PRTP1,PRTP2,PRSWT,TIME.K)
44.1    C      PRTP1=0

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44.2  C      PRTP2=0
44.3  C      PRSWT=0
45    A      PLTPER.K=CLIP(PLTP1,PLTP2,PLSWT,TIME.K)
45.1  C      PLTP1=4
45.2  C      PLTP2=4
45.3  C      PLSWT=0
      PLOT   P=P(0,8E9)/POLR=2(0,40)/CI=C(0,20E9)/QL=Q(0,2)/NR=N(0,1000E9)
      PLOT   FR=F,MSL=M,QLC=4,QLP=5(0,2)/CIAF=A(.2,.6)
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C Definitions of Terms

Following are the definitions of the letter groups used to identify variables and constants in the model equations.

BR	BIRTH RATE (PEOPLE/YEAR)
BRCM	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-CROWDING MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
BRCMT	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-CROWDING-MULTIPLIER TABLE
BRFM	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-FOOD MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
BRFMT	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-FOOD-MULTIPLIER TABLE
BRMM	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-MATERIAL MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
BRMMT	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-MATERIAL-MULTIPLIER TABLE
BRN	BIRTH RATE NORMAL (FRACTION/YEAR)
BRN1	BIRTH RATE NORMAL NO. 1 (FRACTION/YEAR)
BRPM	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-POLLUTION MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
BRPMT	BIRTH-RATE-FROM-POLLUTION-MULTIPLIER TABLE
CFIFR	CAPITAL FRACTION INDICATED BY FOOD RATIO (DIMENSIONLESS)
CFIFRT	CAPITAL-FRACTION-INDICATED-BY-FOOD-RATIO TABLE
CI	CAPITAL INVESTMENT (CAPITAL UNITS)
CIAF	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-IN-AGRICULTURE FRACTION (DIMENSIONLESS)
CIAFI	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-IN-AGRICULTURE FRACTION, INITIAL (DIMENSIONLESS)
CIAFN	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-IN-AGRICULTURE FRACTION NORMAL (DIMENSIONLESS)
CIAFT	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-IN-AGRICULTURE-FRACTION ADJUSTMENT TIME (YEARS)
CID	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT DISCARD (CAPITAL UNITS/YEAR)
CIDN	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT DISCARD NORMAL (FRACTION/YEAR)
CIDN1	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT DISCARD NORMAL NO. 1 (FRACTION/YEAR)
CIG	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT GENERATION (CAPITAL UNITS/YEAR)
CIGN	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT GENERATION NORMAL (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
CIGN1	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT GENERATION NORMAL NO. 1 (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
CI1	CAPITAL INVESTMENT, INITIAL (CAPITAL UNITS)
CI1M	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
CI1MT	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-MULTIPLIER TABLE
CIQR	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-FROM-QUALITY RATIO (DIMENSIONLESS)
CIQRT	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT-FROM-QUALITY-RATIO TABLE
CIR	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT RATIO (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON)
CIRA	CAPITAL-INVESTMENT RATIO IN AGRICULTURE (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON)
CLIP	LOGICAL FUNCTION USED AS A TIME SWITCH TO CHANGE PARAMETER VALUE
CR	CROWDING RATIO (DIMENSIONLESS)
DR	DEATH RATE (PEOPLE/YEAR)
DRCM	DEATH-RATE-FROM-CROWDING MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
DRCMT	DEATH-RATE-FROM-CROWDING-MULTIPLIER TABLE
DRFM	DEATH-RATE-FROM-FOOD MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
DRFMT	DEATH-RATE-FROM-FOOD-MULTIPLIER TABLE

DRMM	DEATH-RATE-FROM-MATERIAL MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
DRMMT	DEATH-RATE-FROM-MATERIAL-MULTIPLIER TABLE
DRN	DEATH RATE NORMAL (FRACTION/YEAR)
DRN1	DEATH RATE NORMAL NO. 1 (FRACTION/YEAR)
DRPM	DEATH-RATE-FROM-POLLUTION MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
DRPMT	DEATH-RATE-FROM-POLLUTION-MULTIPLIER TABLE
ECIR	EFFECTIVE-CAPITAL-INVESTMENT RATIO (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON)
ECIRN	EFFECTIVE-CAPITAL-INVESTMENT RATIO NORMAL (CAPITAL UNITS/PERSON)
FC	FOOD COEFFICIENT (DIMENSIONLESS)
FC1	FOOD COEFFICIENT NO. 1 (DIMENSIONLESS)
FCM	FOOD-FROM-CROWDING MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
FCMT	FOOD-FROM-CROWDING-MULTIPLIER TABLE
FN	FOOD NORMAL (FOOD UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
FPCI	FOOD POTENTIAL FROM CAPITAL INVESTMENT (FOOD UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
FPCIT	FOOD-POTENTIAL-FROM-CAPITAL-INVESTMENT TABLE
FPM	FOOD-FROM-POLLUTION MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
FPMT	FOOD-FROM-POLLUTION-MULTIPLIER TABLE
FR	FOOD RATIO (DIMENSIONLESS)
LA	LAND AREA (SQUARE KILOMETERS)
MSL	MATERIAL STANDARD OF LIVING (DIMENSIONLESS)
NR	NATURAL RESOURCES (NATURAL RESOURCE UNITS)
NREM	NATURAL-RESOURCE-EXTRACTION MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
NREMT	NATURAL-RESOURCE-EXTRACTION-MULTIPLIER TABLE
NRFR	NATURAL-RESOURCE FRACTION REMAINING (DIMENSIONLESS)
NRI	NATURAL RESOURCES, INITIAL (NATURAL-RESOURCE UNITS)
NRMM	NATURAL-RESOURCE-FROM-MATERIAL MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
NRMMT	NATURAL-RESOURCE-FROM-MATERIAL-MULTIPLIER TABLE
NRUN	NATURAL-RESOURCE USAGE NORMAL (NATURAL RESOURCE UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
NRUN1	NATURAL-RESOURCE USAGE NORMAL NO. 1 (NATURAL RESOURCE UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
NRUR	NATURAL-RESOURCE-USAGE RATE (NATURAL RESOURCE UNITS/YEAR)
P	POPULATION (PEOPLE)
PDN	POPULATION DENSITY NORMAL (PEOPLE/SQUARE KILOMETER)
PI	POPULATION, INITIAL (PEOPLE)
PLSWT	PLOT SWITCH TIME (YEARS)
PLTP1	PLOT PERIOD NO. 1 (YEARS)
PLTP2	PLOT PERIOD NO. 2 (YEARS)
PLTPER	PLOT PERIOD (YEARS)
POL	POLLUTION (POLLUTION UNITS)
POLA	POLLUTION ABSORPTION (POLLUTION UNITS/YEAR)
POLAT	POLLUTION-ABSORPTION TIME (YEARS)
POLATT	POLLUTION-ABSORPTION-TIME TABLE
POLCM	POLLUTION-FROM-CAPITAL MULTIPLIER (DIMENSIONLESS)
POLCMT	POLLUTION-FROM-CAPITAL-MULTIPLIER TABLE
POLG	POLLUTION GENERATION (POLLUTION UNITS/YEAR)
POLI	POLLUTION, INITIAL (POLLUTION UNITS)
POLN	POLLUTION NORMAL (POLLUTION UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
POLN1	POLLUTION NORMAL NO. 1 (POLLUTION UNITS/PERSON/YEAR)
POLR	POLLUTION RATIO (DIMENSIONLESS)
POLS	POLLUTION STANDARD (POLLUTION UNITS)
PRSWT	PRINT SWITCH TIME (YEARS)
PRTPT1	PRINT PERIOD NO. 1 (YEARS)
PRTPT2	PRINT PERIOD NO. 2 (YEARS)
PRTPER	PRINT PERIOD (YEARS)
QL	QUALITY OF LIFE (SATISFACTION UNITS)
QLC	QUALITY OF LIFE FROM CROWDING (DIMENSIONLESS)
QLCT	QUALITY-OF-LIFE-FROM-CROWDING TABLE
QLF	QUALITY OF LIFE FROM FOOD (DIMENSIONLESS)
QLFT	QUALITY-OF-LIFE-FROM-FOOD TABLE
QLM	QUALITY OF LIFE FROM MATERIAL (DIMENSIONLESS)
QLMT	QUALITY-OF-LIFE-FROM-MATERIAL TABLE
QLP	QUALITY OF LIFE FROM POLLUTION (DIMENSIONLESS)
QLPT	QUALITY-OF-LIFE-FROM-POLLUTION TABLE
QLS	QUALITY-OF-LIFE STANDARD (SATISFACTION UNITS)
SWT1	SWITCH TIME NO. 1 FOR BRN (YEARS)
SWT2	SWITCH TIME NO. 2 FOR NRUN (YEARS)
SWT3	SWITCH TIME NO. 3 FOR DRN (YEARS)
SWT4	SWITCH TIME NO. 4 FOR CIGN (YEARS)
SWT5	SWITCH TIME NO. 5 FOR CIDN (YEARS)
SWT6	SWITCH TIME NO. 6 FOR POLN (YEARS)

SWT7	SWITCH TIME NO. 7 FOR FC (YEARS)
TABHL	LOGICAL FUNCTION, TABLE LOOK UP AND INTERPOLATION
TABLE	LOGICAL FUNCTION, TABLE LOOK UP AND INTERPOLATION
TIME	CALENDAR TIME (YEARS)