VI.6.1 INTRODUCTION TO UTILITY PROGRAMS

The Operational Forecast System utility programs are used to:

- maintain the data bases
- display contents of the data bases
- change values in the data bases

The data bases that have utility programs are:

- Preprocessor Data Base
  - add and delete data types
  - change data type specifications
  - reset statistics
  - display contents
  - edit data values

- Processed Data Base
  - add and delete data types
  - change data type specifications
  - define special time series
  - display contents
  - edit time series values