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• For technical accuracy.

TOPIC -----

These lists of system error codes and their meanings are maintained with MPW SysErr.a, and in Inside Macintosh Volume VI (c) Addison-Wesley 1991. The last change was for system software version 7.0.1, on Thursday, June 20, 1991.

Here's an explanation of two symbols used in the lists:

[Items listed in brackets are old result code meanings]

???? This information wasn't available.

DISCUSSION -----

DS Error Table

1	dsBusError	bus error
2	dsAddressErr	address error
3	dsIllInstErr	illegal instruction error
4	dsZeroDivErr	zero divide error
5	dsChkErr	check trap error
6	dsOvflowErr	overflow trap error
7	dsPrivErr	privilege violation error
8	dsTraceErr	trace mode error
9	dsLineAErr	line 1010 trap error
10	dsLineFErr	line 1111 trap error
11	dsMiscErr	miscellaneous hardware exception error

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12
      dsCoreErr
                      unimplemented core routine error
13
      dsIrqErr
                      uninstalled interrupt error
14
      dsIOCoreErr
                      IO Core Error
15
      dsLoadErr
                      Segment Loader Error
      dsFPErr
16
                      Floating point error
17
      dsNoPackErr
                      package 0 not present [List Manager]
18
      dsNoPk1
                      package 1 not present [Reserved by Apple]
19
      dsNoPk2
                      package 2 not present [Disk Initialization]
20
      dsNoPk3
                      package 3 not present [Standard File]
21
      dsNoPk4
                      package 4 not present [Floating-Point Arithmetic]
22
      dsNoPk5
                      package 5 not present [Transcendental Functions]
23
      dsNoPk6
                      package 6 not present [International Utilities]
24
                      package 7 not present [Binary/Decimal Conversion]
      dsNoPk7
25
      dsMemFullErr
                      out of memory!
                      can't launch file
26
      dsBadLaunch
27
      dsFSErr
                      file system map has been trashed
28
      dsStknHeap
                      stack has moved into application heap
30
      dsReinsert
                      request user to reinsert off-line volume
                      not the disk I wanted (obsolete)
31
      dsNotThe1
33
      negZcbFreeErr
                      ZcbFree has gone negative
40
      dsGreeting
                      welcome to Macintosh greeting
41
      dsFinderErr
                      can't load the Finder error
                      handled like a shutdown error (obsolete)
42
      shutDownAlert
      dsSystemFileErr can't find System file to open (obsolete)
43
51
      dsBadSlotInt
                      unserviceable slot interrupt
      dsBadSANEopcode bad opcode given to SANE Pack4
81
84
                      happens when a menu is purged
      menuPrgErr
85
                      SysErr -- cannot find MBDF
      dsMBarNFnd
      dsHMenuFindErr SysErr -- recursively defined HMenus
86
87
      dsWDEFnFnd
                      Could not load WDEF
88
      dsCDEFnFnd
                      Could not load CDEF
89
      dsMDEFnFnd
                      Could not load MDEF
98
      dsNoPatch
                      Can't patch for particular Model Mac
99
      dsBadPatch
                      Can't load patch resource
101
      dsParityErr
                      memory parity error
102
      dsOldSystem
                      System is too old for this ROM
103
      ds32BitMode
                      booting in 32-bit on a 24-bit sys
20000 dsShutDownOrRestart
                            user choice between ShutDown and Restart
20001 dsSwitchOffOrRestart user choice between switching off and Restart
20002 dsForcedQuit
                      allow the user to ExitToShell, return if Cancel
32767 dsSysErr
                      general system error (catch-all used in DSAT)
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