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DATABASE USERS' GUIDE

INTRODUCTION

This is the first edition of the *INSPEC Database Users' Guide*. Its
purpose is to provide the kind of background information on the
database which will be helpful to a user working with INSPEC files
either on his own computer system or on a publicly-available on-line
service.

Because it is the first edition, the *Guide* will be subject to revi-
sion and improvement, as well as to the kinds of amendment which
are inevitable when dealing with a database whose characteristics
and content must change from time to time to keep up with develop-
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