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WordPerfect 5.1	WordPerfect 6.0
{:}	//comment
{Block Append}	AppendToFile("filename")
{Block Copy}	CopyAndPaste followed by MoveModeEnd
{Block Move}	CutAndPaste followed by MoveModeEnd
{CALL}	CALL(label)
{CANCEL OFF}	CANCEL(Off!)
{CANCEL ON}	CANCEL(On!)
{CASE}	SWITCH(variable) followed by CASEOF
{CASE CALL}	SWITCH(variable) followed by CASEOF
{CHAIN}	CHAIN("macro")
{CHAR}	CHAR(variable[;,"prompt"])
{DISPLAY OFF}	DISPLAY(Off!)
{DISPLAY ON}	DISPLAY(On!)
{ELSE}	ELSE
{END FOR}	ENDFOR
{END IF}	ENDIF
{END WHILE}	ENDWHILE
{FOR}	FORNEXT(variable;start;stop[;step])
{FOR EACH}	FOREACH(variable;{exp1;exp2;...;expN})
{GO}	GO(label)
{IF}	IF(expression)
{IF EXISTS}	EXISTS(variable)
{INPUT}	INPUT("prompt")
{Item Down}	PosTableCellDown
{Item Left}	PosTableCellPrevious
{Item Right}	PosTableTopCellNext
{Item Up}	PosTableCellUp
{KTON}	CTON("character")
{LABEL}	LABEL(label)
{LEN}	STRLEN("string")
{LOOK}	LOOK(variable)
{MENU OFF}	No equivalent

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{MENU ON}	No equivalent
{MID}	SUBSTR("string";pos;len)
{NEST}	NEST("macro")
{NEXT}	NEXT
{NTOK}	NTOC(expression)
{ON CANCEL}	ONCANCEL(label) ONCANCEL CALL(label)
{ON ERROR}	ONERROR(label) ONERROR CALL(label)
{ON NOT FOUND}	ONNOTFOUND(label) ONNOTFOUND CALL(label)
{ORIGINAL KEY}	NTOC(?OriginalKey)
{OTHERWISE}	DEFAULT: action
{Para Down}	ParagraphDown
{Para Up}	ParagraphUp
{PAUSE}	PAUSE
{PAUSE KEY}	PAUSEKEY(key name)
{PROMPT}	PROMPT("prompt")
{QUIT}	QUIT
{RESTART}	No equivalent
{RETURN}	RETURN
{RETURN CANCEL}	No equivalent
{RETURN ERROR}	No equivalent
{RETURN NOT FOUND}	No equivalent
{SHELL ASSIGN}	SHELLASSIGN(variable;expression)
{SHELL MACRO}	SHELLMACRO("macro")
{SHELL VARIABLE}	SHELLVARIABLE(variable)
{SPEED}	SPEED(10ths)
{STATE}	Use a system variable
{STATUS PROMPT}	STATUSPROMPT("prompt")
{STEP OFF}	STEP(Off!)
{STEP ON}	STEP(On!)
{SYSTEM}	Use a system variable
{TEXT}	GETNUMBER(variable[;"prompt";"title"]) GETSTRING(variable[;"prompt";"title";"len"])

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	GETUNITS(variable["prompt";"title"])
{VARIABLE}	Type(variable)
{WAIT}	WAIT(10ths)
{WHILE}	WHILE