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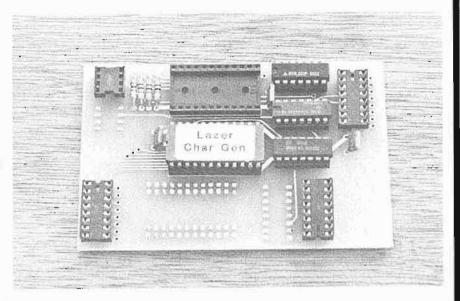
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Software Distribution

This editorial is in two parts. Part 2 will appear next month.

Part 1

You have written a piece of software you think is pretty good and which you feel would be of Interest to other computerists. You decide that you would like to distribute it in some manner for three reasons: 1. you are a "nice guy" and want to help your fellow computerists; 2. you would like to get some credit and recognition for the good programming that you have done; and 3. you would like to make a few dollars. Now the problem arises: how do you distribute this software most effectively to serve the above purposes? There are a number of options, and I will cover them here.

Give it away. Your product may not be marketable for money for a variety of reasons, or you may simply not care about a limited return on a marketing or sales effort. Software which would not be marketable would include that which is too limited in interest and/or application, such as a driver for a very uncommon piece of peripheral equipment; a game or demonstration program which is not significantly different from other products on the market; a utility which is too small to be a saleable item; or a program which would cost too much of your time and effort to document to the point required to make it marketable. There are, I am sure, other reasons for not selling your software, but, you get the idea. If you choose not to sell your software, you may want to let others use it by giving it away. This may be done in several ways. Donate it to your local computer club library; donate it to a national user group for your microcomputer; send it to a magazine which does not pay for articles; etc.

Sell it as a software package. Assuming that your product has a more than minimal potential market value, what is the best way to make money on it? There are two major routes to selling a software package. First, and most obvious, is to package and sell it yourself. Any software which

you plan to sell should be well documented. This is a major stumbling block for many computerists. Programming is fun; documenting is a drag. If you are going to sell it yourself, then you are solely responsible for writing, editing, and printing the documentation, and you must handle sales by mail order and/or through dealers. While this method may have the greatest reward (my company is founded on the profits from a \$10.00 demonstration package for the KIM-1), it entails the most work and greatest risk. MICRO tries to aid this type of effort via its free MICRO Software Catalog, and a number of people have been very successful using this service to get started.

The second common sales method is to work though an existing software distributing company. A number of these are connected with major computer magazines such as Creative Computing and Kilobaud Microcomputing. Others are independent and may or may not concentrate on a particular market segment such as 6502, TRS-80, APPLE, etc. You will normally be expected to provide good documentation, but you may also get some help from the company. All of the risk and effort of marketing are borne by the company and you receive a royalty, usually a fixed percentage of the selling price. This percentage may be quite low. I know of one case where an individual's software was approximately one-ninth of a total package being sold for \$150.00, and his payment per copy was 25 cents, which came to approximately 0.16 percent (0.0016 cents on the dollar)! The normal royalty payment will be higher. Be sure you shop around. Prices can vary considerably. Also consider the total distribution. A large-volume distributor may offer you less per copy than a smaller distributor, but may sell many more copies.

Robert M. Tarjes



The Sporting Micro Cover Artist Terry Allen

The cover depicts, tongue-in-cheek, a micro being used to score a medieval joust. Actually, a micro is ideally suited for scoring and keeping track of our far more complicated modern sports.

Timing: Numerous sports require accurate timing. A micro makes the ideal controller for a basketball clock, automatic race timer, auto race laptime/speed calculator, and so on. The input may be manual and not require any additional peripheral equipment, or may be generated by various peripheral devices.

Statistics: Many sports enthusiasts now demand more than a simple won/lost type of scoring. They want to know all types of statistics: batting average for the season, against left-handed pitchers, against a particular team; pass-completion percentages, yards-per-carry, total yardage; etc. TV and radio sportscasters provide some of this data, but a micro could permit a fan to call up the information which he is interested in—when he wants it!

Averages and Handlcapping: Any league secretary can tell you that keeping the bowling or golf averages and handicaps for a team or league can be a tedious job. How simple for the micro to keep all of the pertinent information updated and instantaneously determine any required set of averages and handicaps.

Scoring: Some sports have complex scoring requirements and could make good use of a micro. The scoring of Olympic ice skating or gymnastics requires certain scores to be dropped, others to be averaged, and other factors to be weighted. Any event which has a large number of participants—such at the Boston Marathon—could obviously use a number of micros to help keep account of who is and who is not on the track.

Summary: A microcomputer can have a number of roles in the sporting world.

An OSI Cheep Print

Here is the answer to the age-old question, "How do I get data from my computer to a remote printer?" Hardware requirements are discussed and software is provided.

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When I settled on an OSI computer, I knew that OSI's documentation was not the best. The documentation that I received was far better than I had expected, but there were no disassembled listings of machine software. The dealer from whom I purchased the computer was very helpful, but even that is no substitute for hard copy listings. OSI's OS65D operating system contains a disassembler so that listing of a few program lines is possible. Even so, it is very difficult to understand a large program seeing only 20 lines at a time.

The program offered here solved my problem for almost no cost. It will run on Challenger 2, 4, and 8 computers equipped with a disk and OS65D. (I have OS65D V3.2 NMHZ 10/79 POLLED.) The machine language program will run on any OSI computer with the keyboard tone generator. However, the BASIC program in Listing 2 will only connect the routine to OS65D. Changes are needed if you have a non-disk system. The program has been so valuable that using it I have written a BASIC text processor whose output I run on an IBM selectric for beautiful right and left justified

About the time I received my computer, a friend, C.A. McCarthy, told me of a program he had developed to use on his PET to send tones to a tape recorder. These tones were subsequently played back to a printer with attached modem to produce hard copy. I was new to machine programming, so he kindly sketched the crux of such a program

for me. After disassembling the operating system and experimenting with possible ways to use the program, the present version evolved.

Recently, Charlie gave me a copy of his article 'Cheep Print' which appears in *Compute* No. 3. Even though it is written for the PET, rather than a Challenger, this article contains valuable information. I will only repeat the more vital data given in that article.

The Equipment

To use this program you need: (1) a cassette tape recorder; (2) a kludge to decrease the volume from the computer output to the recorder; (3) HIFI phonograph cables to connect things together; (4) a telephone handset; and (5) someone else's printer with a modem attached. (You can live without items (2), (3), and (4) if you are a pauper and warbling tones are music to your ears.) Let's run over these items one at a time.

Almost any cassette recorder will do. I am probably unique among computerists in owning a cassette recorder which is unsuitable for computer use. This machine is an older Panasonic. For reasons known only to themselves the designers geared the capstan drive to the capstan roller. Gear enhanced warble does wonders toward destroying the enjoyablility of music and the intelligibility of computer tones. Panasonic must have fired those engineers since newer models do not have this ingenious innovation. I borrowed Charlie's 'Brand X El Cheapo' cassette machine and have since bought a small GE recorder. The printers can't seem to tell the difference between these two because they both work fine.

The schematic for my kludge is given in Figure 1. The potentiometer is nothing special. Anything from 10K ohms on up will do. I have used both 10K and 1 Megohm pots. The 10K choice is slightly easier to ad-Just. The resistor can have values from 4.7K to 47K and still work; be creative. My kludge is housed in a $1.5 \times 1.5 \times 2.25$ inch metal box. A plastic box or pill bottle should work fine. This kludge is a real handy dandy. When I travel, I often take a recorder with me. It is easy, using the kludge, to dub tapes from the radio, a HIFI, or another recorder. OSI protects the tone output with blocking capacitors. However, if you record music such protection may not be present. If you find the kludge not working, the reason may be due to voltages appearing at the input of your recorder. Inserting the optional capacitor should cure all problems. I have never used such a capacitor and have had no problems. Adjustment of the kludge is always the same: record music or tones while fiddling the pot on the kludge; set the pot at a level slightly below the point where the recording begins to sound awful. That's all there is to it.

The cables are the ordinary kind available at HIFI, electronic, and radio shops. You need ones to fit the holes on your recorder, your computer, and the kludge.

Letterbox

We often get letters, such as the following, which ask for advice. They are frequently long, and for lack of time, we cannot answer then individually, point by point. Furthermore, we are publishers, not consultants, and dare not recommend specific products, despite our personal experience and preferences.

We know, however, that some of our readers could and might like to answer other readers' queries. Therefore, as space permits, we will print such letters here.

NOTE TO THOSE SEEKING ADVICE: To increase your chances of having your letter published—please be brief! The following letter had to be shortened considerably:

Dear Editor:

I am planning to purchase an Apple II but am running into a problem in planning the system I will get. Most computer stores tend to push the brands of hardware they carry. Thus, I don't think I'm getting objective information. In particular, I am vexed by the choice of which printer to get. Money is a big factor, but also of prime interest to me are two uses to which plan to put the computer: I want to use it in text editing and also to aid me in musical composition with the appropriate hardware/software.

Should I get one printer that does both letter-quality work and the necessary graphics for musical scores, or would I be better off buying two printers, one letter-quality and one with graphics ability? (one dealer suggested the Centronics 737 as being of letter quality; do you believe this print is acceptable?) Second, in line with your answer to my first question, could you recommend a printer or printers that fit my specifications?

David Ben Leavitt 8044 Germantown Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19118

Dear Editor:

I enjoyed reading the article on "BCD Input to a 6502 Microprocessor", (August 1980 27:68-70) since I recently went through the same problem with an AIM-65. The subroutine which unpacks a pair of BCD digits (lines 500-570 of the program) is unnecessarily complex. If you think hard about the problem, or do as I did, just enumerate all the cases and look for the pattern, you will find that the conversion basically involves longhand division of the input by 16. If the two digit input is XY the quotient is the left hand digit(X) and the remainder is the right hand digit(Y). The BASIC programs listed below will do the conversion. The last line repacks in base 10.

I 10 XY = PEEK (40960)
20 I = XY/16
30 X = (NT(I)
40 Y = (I-X)*16
50 XY = (10*X) + INT(Y)
II 10 XY = PEEK(40960)
20 X = 0
30 Y = XY
40 IF Y < 16 THEN 80
50 X = X + 1
60 Y = Y-16
70 GOTO 40
80 XY = (10*X) + Y

Program I is cuter, but program II is probably faster. The roundoff problems discussed in the article preceding the one being discussed don't apply since 16 represents exactly in binary. (I tried all 100 cases on an AIM-65.) It is not clear to me what the fastest way to do the job is if you work in assembler or machine code. Are there any readers out there who would care to explain the fastest way for us?

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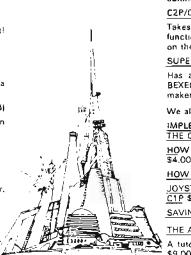
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The telephone handset is a convenience: it fits into the modem cradle and should have a jack on the other end to plug into your recorder output. A very small transistor radio speaker could probably substitute for the handset. You can buy an expensive telephone at your local discount store and cut the handset off; you can haunt the radio junk shops; or you can touch-up a local radio amateur club for information. There seem to be telephoneless handsets floating around at reasonable prices.

The kludge, wire, and handset are not essential. I did my first printing over the phone lines by holding the phone up to the speaker on my video TV monitor. Later I held the tape recorder microphone up to the TV to record, and the recorder itself up the the modem to play back.

Finally, you need a printer with a modem attached. I use two at work. Students may be able to use printers at their schools. (Be sure your employer or school approves of this procedure.) A buddy may let you use his. If you are looking for a suitable buddy, join a computer club. After using this program you will covet a printer. If your local computer shop realizes this, they may let you use their printer for a small 'paper and use' fee.

These gadgets are connected together as follows: the tones come out of the tone generator on your computer; this output is on the back panel of the C4P and on the back of the keyboard of the C8P. (See your instruction manual.) Use your wire to connect the tone generator to the kludge and then the kludge to the microphone input on you casette recorder. Now it's ready to go. The poor man's approach is to connect the tone generator to the video TV monitor and play it into the microphone on the cassette recorder.

The Programs

Now that we have the nuts and bolts under control let's move on to the programs. The assembly language program appears in Listing 1. The 0S65D operating system has an Assembler. In fact, this program was prepared on the Assembler. This is probably the quickest way to put CHEEP PRINT

into your system. Those following this route probably need no further help.

If you're not a programming ace. Listing 2 gives a BASIC program that will: (1) load CHEEP PRINT; (2) ask you for and set all parameters; and (3) start the program running. The various tone mode data are listed in Table 1. A baud rate of 110 is reliable but slow; 300 is more acceptable, but the printer you use may give you no choice about baud rates. The ANSWER or ORIGINATE modes may also be fixed by the modem. The OSI tone generator is more 'fine-tuned' for low tones, and I have had the best luck with these frequencies, even though my first several hundred pages were successfully run with the high tones. You may also prepare Kansas City Standard tapes with this program. The necessary data are given with the modem data.

Those of you who have ROM BASIC without 0S65D are left pretty much on your own, since the BASIC program given here assumes you have a disk drive and 0S65D. If and when I obtain full information on how to connect the routine on non-disk systems, I will publish it. Someone with such a system could solve the problem by writing the solution down and sending It to his favorite computer magazine. The secret is to change the pointers to

the printer subroutine so that they point to CHEEP PRINT instead. With ROM BASIC this may be quite a trick.

Using It

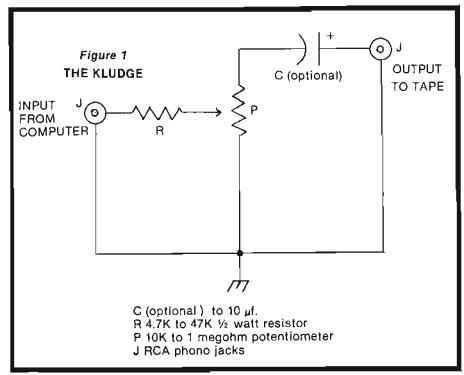
Finally, we need to know how to use the program. Once the program is loaded, the computer thinks CHEEP PRINT is a printer. Thus all commands or statements which would cause a printer to print (if you had one) will cause CHEEP PRINT to chirp instead. In a BASIC program.

10 PRINT "GARBAGE"

will cause the word "GARBAGE" to appear on the screen. In the same way,

10 PRINT #4, "GARBAGE"

will send the word "GARBAGE" warbling out your tone generator. Similarly LIST #4 would list a program via tones. When you use the device #4 statements, you will see nothing on the screen; it's all going out the tone generator. Don't lose heart in this case because your computer really is working. You may also reset the input/output flags via the operating system IO command. The command (from BASIC) DISK"IO, OA will cause all output to go both to the screen and out the tone generator. DISK!"IO, O2" will



reset the IO to screen only. Beware that the operating system objects to your changing the output flag so that for certain changes in operating mode (such as disk errors or a CONTROL C) it will reset the flag to screen only. If you reset the computer, you will have to reload CHEEP PRINT.

The loading program will ask for a carriage return time. This must be determined experimentally. I use a wait time of 20 for an NCR thermal printer which has a fast carriage return. The IBM selectric is so slow that I not only use full walt time of 255, but also add extra stop bit time equal to 40 after each character. In my word processor program I use a BASIC wait loop for carriage returns. The stop bits in the table are minimum. They provide walt time after each character and may be increased to any number greater than the minimum.

All parameters are set in the beginning of the BASIC loading program in Listing 2. The equations for calculating these parameters are given in the Appendix. There is a great deal of flexibility in the recording formats that you can choose.

The Bottom Line

Now comes the fine print. The OSI tone generator is not perfect and neither is cassette tape. When many appliances are switching off and on, they may upset your tape recorder and cause a slight pop to be recorded on the tape. The keyboard cables which came with my C8PDF were quite short, so I added longer cables. This caused havoc with the tone generator. I still have not fully cured the problem. The computer's pops and clicks are coupled through the long cable to the tone generator causing it to pop and click. Interestingly enough, these pops are most severe in the left margin of CHEEP PRINT output. When I find a sure cure, I will let people know. Modems don't like these pops and say so by causing the printer to botch a letter or two. If you run repeated hard copy and find the same errors in the same places, then the problem is with the cassette recording. Listen carefully to the recording and see if you can hear the errors. One solution is to spend more money for filters. My solution is to record when the ap-

10			1051 CHEEP DR	IUT
20			T.R. REREES	
30		;	,	•
ίκο		,	ASSEMBLY DATA	
50		;	•	
	\$000	,	■ ቴሪያስስስ	STARY ADDRESS
	0092-		SH = \$97	INCLAY SHORT
	0007=		LG = \$03	PELAY TONG
	0004 -		SP = \$04	STOR KIT TIME
	0014=		WT = \$24	CARRIAGE RETURN WALL
110	002E=		LO = \$27.	LOW TONE PIVISOR
120	0027=		111 = \$27	FUICH TONE DIVISOR
130		;		
140			THE STUT;	MA 12 PROGRAN!
15C		;		
150	5000 48		PHA	SAVE CHAR ON STACK
170	5001 78		\$F1	;INHIBIT INTERRUPTS
180	5002 AZZE		I DX • FW	SET 10 TONE DIVISOR
190	5004 8501PF		STY SDF01	TURN TONE ON
2 D O	5007 202E50		JSR DELAY	HALT ONE BIT
21,0	500A 38		SEC	SET UP A STOP BIT
220	5 COB GA		ROR A	GET FIRST BIT
	500C A22E	10001	LDX •10	ADSIVIC BROT C.I;
	500E 3002		BCC BR	GET HIGH TONE IF 1
	5010 A227		[DX →11 I	HI TOHE DIVISOR
	5012 8501DE	P. R	STX \$DED1	STURN ON TONE
	5015 202550		JSR DFLAY	HAIT ONE BIT
	3018 4A		LSR A	GET NEXT BIT
	5019 00F1		BNE LOOPI	; IF MORE RITS THEM
	5018 BOEF		RCS 1.00Pl	GO BACK & SEND THEM
	501D 42B4		LDX /SP	STOP BIT TIME
	SOIF 203250		JSA LOOP2	SEND STOP BITS
	5022 68		Pt Λ	GET CHARACTER
	5023 C909		CMD 4500	; CARRIAGE RETURN?
	\$025 D005		BNE DONE	;NO, THEM DOUG
	5027 A214	WATT1	LDX →WT	YES, THEN WATT
	5029 203250		JSR LOOPZ	LUMED DE DES AN HALL
	502C 58	DONE	CLI	; INTERRUPTS OK NOW
	5020 GO		RTS	;0017
400		;	TILLS 15 7115	DC1 AV
410			THIS IS THE	PELAY
420				LANA DELLA TERM
	502E A203	DELAY	LUX (FR	LONG DELAY TERM
	5030 A092	1.0022	104 1211	SHORT DELAY TERM
	5032 88	1.0072	NE 1 0003	COUNT DOWN Y
	5033 P0F0		BRE LOOP2 OEX	; COUNT Y TO A
	5035 CA		BNE LOOP2	COUNT DOWN X :COUNT X 70 0
	5036 DOFA 5038 60		RTS	GO BACK
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Listing 1

pliances are quiet, plug the recorder into a separate outlet, and keep it away from the computer. I also tolerate an occasional error. Before I lengthened the keyboard cables, I obtained almost perfect copy. The few errors I did have could be heard as tape dropout and minor clicks. This article was prepared using the word processor and CHEEP PRINT. I am happy with CHEEP PRINT (even though I wish I had my own printer).

if you find many nonrepeating errors then your tone generator and the modem have a disagreement. You own your tone generator so you change its personality to make it more agreeable. Since not all modems are created equal, you may have different changes for different modems. Listing 3 gives a BASIC program which will allow you to 'fine tune' your tone generator for a particular modem. Run this program and record the output via CHEEP PRINT. Look over the printed output for the 'best values' of HI and LO. Insert these values in the loading program of Listing 2 for L1, H1, L2, etc. You will probably find that the calculated values are best.

But Mom, It doesn't work

I am annoyed when I enter a program exactly as written and it doesn't work as it's supposed to. I can't promise you this one will work, but if it doesn't, the following hints may help.

There are several levels of 'NOT WORKING.' They are: (1) nothing happens; (2) the system crashes when the program is loaded; (3) the system crashes when you try to output via CHEEP PRINT; (4) the tone comes on but it doesn't warble; and (5) you get nice warbling tones but they look like mish-mash on the printer. The cures are as follows. First, check (character by character) the BASIC loading program in Listing 2. An error in a DATA statement or a POKE will stop the program from running properly. Next get your manual and compare the addresses given there with the ones listed at the end of the APPENDIX. If they don't match, use the ones from your manual. There is one crucial address you will not find: the one for the beginning of the printer subroutine in the 0S65D input/output table. It should be where I say it is, but if it isn't, hop off to your local OSI dealer and ask him, "Where is the OS65D I/O jump table located in my memory map? In this table, where is the printer subroutine address?" You don't want the address of the printer subroutine. You do want the two addresses of the two locations in the jump table which store the address of the printer subroutine. (Isn't that confusing?) These two addresses, converted to decimal, appear as the addresses in the POKEs in line 670 of Listing 2.

If you've managed to wade this far, you should be able to play CHEEP PRINT through your video monitor and hear warbling tones. Now, about that mish-mash: Carefully read your manual on your tone generator. Does everything check with the APPENDIX data? If not, use the values from your manual.

My computer has a 1MHZ clock frequency. All of these programs assume this is the clock speed. If you have a newer C4P or C8P (or the GT option) then you have a different clock frequency. Look in your manual or phone your local OSI dealer to find out your clock frequency. The APPENDIX explains how to incorporate changes into the program for a different clock speed.

If the program still does not work, I can offer only the following general observations. If you run the program of Listing 2 and it causes your system to crash then the addresses in Line 670 are wrong, or the address in Line 540 is wrong. That is, the BASIC program can't find the printer jump table or it can't find a proper home for CHEEP PRINT. If the system crashes when you attempt to run CHEEP PRINT, then the program is not properly protected

from BASIC (Lines 530-640) or the program can't find the printer jump table. If you hear a tone but no warbling, then again the problem is with the jump table. If you hear warbling, but get mish-mash, then the trouble is with either the tone timing (variables: LG; SH; SP; and WT) or the tone frequencies (variables: LO and HI). If the timing is off, your system clock is not 1MHZ. If the tone frequencies are off, you may be able to adjust them to the correct values by experimentation. The tone must sound clean and be clear of all clicks and pops.

Good luck! You will find that a printer gives a whole new dimension to your computing. If you have questions, I might be able to help. I'd be glad to reply If a question is accompanied by a stamped self-addressed envelope. Write to:

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APPENDIX

All variables are named at the beginning of the BASIC loader program in Listing 2. The various standards are as follows:

BIT TIME(µS)	STOP BITS	STOP BITS(µS)	
9091 ັ່	2	18182	
3333	1	3333	
MARK(1)	SPACE(0)	DIVISORS	ERRORS(%)
2400HZ	1200HZ	20 41	2.4 0.1
2225HZ	2025HZ	22 24	0.4 1.1
1270HZ	1070HZ	39 46	0.8 0.1
	9091 3333 MARK(1) 2400HZ 2225HZ	9091 2 3333 1 MARK(1) SPACE(0) 2400HZ 1200HZ 2225HZ 2025HZ	9091 2 18182 3333 1 3333 MARK(1) SPACE(0) DIVISORS 2400HZ 1200HZ 20 41 2225HZ 2025HZ 22 24

The frequency of the tone generator is given by:

FREQUENCY = 49152/DIVISOR.

Below, T1 is the time of 1 bit. Time through the character loop:

T1 = 1284*LG + 5*SH - 1250

LG = INT((T1 + 1250)/1284)

SH = INT((T1 + 1250-1284*LG)/5)

The stop bit time is only approximately computed. If T is the full stop bit time then:

SP = INT((T + 1917)/1284).

If your clock speed is C MHZ then use INT(C*T1) and INT(C*T) in place of T1 and T in the above formulas. Calculated parameters (1MHZ clock):

	110 BAUD	300 BAUD
LG	8	3
SH	14	146
SP	15	4
Calculated pa	arameters (2 MHZ clock)) :
LG	15	6
SH	34	43
SP	30	7

Now the POKES of Listing 2 and their meanings:

POKE 8960 132,133 8983 8984 56832	NUMBER ST 00,ST 255 ST-1 3	MEANING Address of the last memory page. BASIC end of memory. Low byte: Input/output jump table. High byte: Same as above. Tone generator ON/OFF.
56832 57089	3 HI, LO	Tone generator ON/OFF. Tone generator frequency.

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280 REM 110 BAUD LONG
510-
                                       290 REM 110 BAUD SHORT
                                                                 S 1
                                                                 B1
                                       300 REM 110 BAUD STOP
510;
                                       310 REM 300 BAUD LONG
520 ;TIME THROUGH LOOP2 TO RTS
                                               300 BAUD SHORT
                                                                 S 2
                                       320 REM
            ;1284*LG + 5*SH - 1275
 530
                                       330 REM 300 BAUD STOP
                                                                 B2
                      (1 MHZ CLOCK)
                 = T
                                       340 REM KC TONE HI
540 :TIME THROUGH CHAR DECODE
                                       350 REM KC TONE LO
                                                                 L3
            ;T + 25 (1 MHZ CLOCK)
 550
                                       360 REM ORG TONE HI
                                                                 H 4
 560 ;110 BAUD
                                                               : L4
                                       370 REM ORG TONE LO
            ;SH = $0E = 14
 570
                                                               ; H5
                                       380 REM ANS TONE HI
             ;LG = $08 = 8
 580
                                       390 REM ANS TONE LO
                                                                 L5
             ;SF = $0F = 15
 590
                                                                ; MO$
                                       400 REM MODE CHOICE
 600 ;300 BAUD
                                       410 REM STOP BIT CHANGE; SP$
             $SH = $92 = 146
 610
                                       420 REM *** FIXED PARAMETERS
 620
             ;LG = $03 =
                           3
                                       430 REM 110 BAUD
            ;SP = $04 =
 630
                                       440 L1=8:S1=14:B1=15
 640 ; WAIT TIMES
                                       450 REM 300 BAUD
             ;NCRWT = $14 =
                               20
 650
                                       450 L2=3:S2=146:B2=4
             ;IBM WT = $FF = 255
 660
                                       470 REM KC MODE
             ;IBM SP = $28 =
                               40
 670
                                       480 H3=20:L3=41
    :ANSWER MODE
 680
                                       490 REM ORG MODE
             ;L0 = $2E = 46
 690
                                       500 H4=22:L4=24
             ;HI = $27 = 39
 700
                                       510 REM ANS MODE
 710 :ORIGINATE MODE
                                       520 H5=39:L5=46
             ;LO = $18 = 24
 720
                                       530 REM *** PROTECT HI MEMORY
             ;HI = $16 = 22
 730
                                       540 ST=PEEK(8960)
 740 ; KANSAS CITY STANDARD
                                       550 \text{ CH} = (ST+1) * 256
             ;LO = $29 = 41
 750
                                       0 K
             ; HI = $14 = 20
 760
                     ;KC RUNS AT
 770
                                        560 REM IS PROGRAM LOADED?
                         300 BAUD
                                        570 IF PEEK(CH)<>72 THEN 630
 780 .END
                                        580 IF PEEK(CH+1)<>120 THEM 630
                                        590 IF PEEK(CH+2)<>162 THEN 630
                                        600 ST=ST+1
                                        610 GOTO 670
              Listing 2
                                        620 REM NO, THEN PROTECT
                                        630 POKE132,00:POKE133,ST
 100 REM *** A BASIC LOADER FOR
                                        640 POKE8960, ST-1
 110 REM *** "OSI CHEEP PRINT"
                                        650 REM *** DOS JUMP TABLE
 120 REM *** T. R. BERGER 3/80
                                        660 REM PRINTER SUBR ADDR
  130 REM *** VARIABLE NAMES
                                        670 POKE8983, 255: POKE8984, ST-1
  140 REM DIVISOR LO TONE; LO
                                        630 REM *** START ADDRESS
  150 REM DIVISOR HI TONE; HI
                                        690 ST = ST * 256
  160 REM STOP BIT TIME
                            SP
                                        700 REM *** CALC SUBR ADDR
  170 REM CAR RETURN WAIT; WT
                                        710 DH=1NT((ST+46)/256)
                          ; LG
  180 REM DELAY LONG
                                        720 DL=(ST+46)-256*DH
  190 REM DELAY SHORT
                            SII
                                        730 LH=INT((ST+50)/256)
                            BR
  200 REM BAUD RATE
                                        740 LL=(ST+50)-256*LH
                          ; BY
  210 REM BYTE OF DATA
                                        750 REM *** MAIN PROGRAM
                            CH
  220 REM ADDR CHECK
                                        760 REM ** QUESTIONS FIRST
                          ; DH
  230 REM ADDR DELAY HI
                                        770 PRINT "CHOOSE A MODE OF ";
  240 REM ADDR DELAY 10
                          ; DL
                                        730 PRINT "OPERATION."
  250 REM ADDR LOOP2 HI
                          ; LH
                                        790 PRINT "KANSAS CITY/ORIGINATE/";
                            LL
  260 REM ADDR LOOP2 LO
                                        800 PRINT "ANSWER (K/O/A)";
                           ; ST
  270 REM ADDR START
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1370 DATA 136,208,253,202,203
810 INPUT MO$
820 IF MO$ = "K" THEN 850
                                      1380 DATA 259,36
830 IF MO$="O" THEN 850
                                      1390 END
840 IF MO$<>"A" THEN 770
                                      0 K
850 PRINT "CHOOSE A BAUD RATE."
860 IMPUT "(110/300)"; BR
870 IF BR=110 THEW 890
                                                    Listing 3
880 IF BR<>300 THEN 850
890 PRINT "CARRIAGE RETURN WAIT."
                                       100 REM *** TESTER FOR
                                       110 REM *** "OSI CHEEP PRINT"
900 IMPUT "(<256)"; WT
910 IF WT<0 OR WT>255 THEN 890
                                       120 REM *** T.R. BERGER 3/80
920 IF WT<>INT(WT) THEN 890
                                       130 REM ** GET START ADDR
930 PRINT "CHANGE STOP BIT TIME?"
                                       140 ST=PEEK(8960)
940 INPUT "(Y/N)"; SP$
                                       150 ST=(ST+1) * 256
950 IF SP$<>"Y"THEN 1020
                                       160 REM ** DETERMINE MODE
960 PRINT "NEW TIME?"
                                      170 INPUT "MODE (K/O/A)"; MO$
180 IF MO$="K" THEN 220
970 INPUT "(<256)"; SP
980 IF SP<0 OR SP>255 THEN 930
                                      190 IF MO$="A" THEN 230
990 IF SP(>INT(SP) THEN 930
                                       200 IF MO$="O" THEN 240
1000 B1=SP: B2=SP
                                      210 GOTO 170
1010 REM ** LOAD CHEEP PRINT
                                      220 LO=41:HI=20:GOTO 260
1020 FOR 1=0 TO 55
                                      230 L0=45:H1=39:GOTO 260
1030 READ BY
                                      240 \text{ LO} = 24 : \text{HI} = 22
1040 POKE ST+1, BY
                                      250 REM ** SET I/O
1050 NEXT I
                                      250 DISK!"10 ,0A"
0K
                                      270 REM ** PRINT LOOP
                                      280 REM VARY LO
1060 REM ** BAUD RATE TIMING
                                      290 FOR I = LO - 2 TO LO + 2
1070 IF BR=110 THEM 1000
                                     300 POKE ST+3, 1: POKE ST+13, 1
1080 LG=L2:SM=S2:SP=B2:GOTO 1110
                                      310 REM VARY HI
1090 LG=L1:SH=S1:SP=B1
                                      320 FOR J=HI-2 TO HI+2
1100 REM ** TONE DIVISORS
                                     330 REN KEEP HI ABOVE LO
1110 IF MO$="K" THEN 1140
                                     340 IF IC=J THEN 510
1120 IF MO$="0" THEN 1150
                                      350 POKE 57039, J
360 POKE ST+17, J
1130 LO=L5:HI=H5:GOTO 1170
1140 L0=L3:!!!=!!3:COTO 1170
                                      370 REM LET NEW TONE GO
1150 LO=L4:H1=H4
                                      380 FOR K=0 TO 1000
1160 REM ** INSERT PARAMETERS
                                       390 NEXT K
1170 POKE ST+3, LO: POKE ST+13, LO
                                       400 REM OUTPUT TWICE
1180 POKE ST+17, HI
                                       410 FOR K=0 TO 1
1190 POKE ST+40, WT
                                      420 PRINT "ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPORS";
1200 POKE ST+30, SP
                                       430 PRINT "TUVHXYZ 0123456789"
1210 POKE ST+47, LG: POKE ST+49, SH
                                      440 PRINT "!#$3&'() =<>+-*/ .";
450 PRINT ":?"
1220 REM ** SUBROUTINE ADDRS.
1230 POKE ST+8, DL: POKE ST+9, DI!
                                       460 PRINT "THIS IS A TEST."
1240 POKE ST+22, DL: POKE ST+23, D!!
                                       470 PRINT "HI=";J;"LO="; |
1250 POKE ST+32, LL: POKE ST+33, LH
                                       480 PRINT : PRINT
1260 POKE ST+42, LL: POKE ST+43, LH
                                       490 NEXT K
1270 REM ** TURN ON TONE
                                       500 NEXT J
1230 POKE 56832,3: POKE 57039,HI
                                       510 NEXT !
1290 REM *** MACHINE PROGRAM
                                      520 PRINT "TEST COMPLETE."
1300 DATA 72,120,162,0,142,1,223
                                      530 REM ** RESET 1/0
1310 DATA 32,0,0,56,106,162,0
                                      540 DISK!"10 ,02"
1320 DATA 144,2,162,0,142,1,223
                                      550 REM RESET TONES
1330 DATA 32,0,0,74,208,241,176
                                      560 POKE ST+3, LO: POKE ST+13, LO
1340 DATA 239, 162, 0, 32, 0, 0, 104
                                     570 POKE ST+17, HI
1350 DATA 201,13,208,5,162,0,32
                                      580 END
1360 DATA 0,0,08,96,162,0,160,0
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PRINT USING for Applesoft

One of the minor but annoying problems with BASIC is the format of output. The program here permits userdefined formatting of the output for Applesoft, and can be easily modified for other flavors of BASIC.

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When I started using my APPLE for business programming, my biggest headache was formatting output for reports. I started out using various BASIC subroutines that barely performed the needed Job and required a lot of overhead. Tired of using MID\$, LEFT\$, RIGHT\$, and STR\$, I decided to write a general-purpose print formatter using the USR function in Applesoft.

The routine is written entirely in assembly language, which is ideal for handling this sort of problem. It is used from BASIC by assigning the string variable ED\$, the edit pattern showing how you want the output formatted. During a print statement when you use the USR function, the argument is evaluated and then printed in the format specified by the current value of ED\$.

In the sample BASIC program (in figure 1) line 10 loads the machine language program into RAM at \$300-\$3A9. Then line 20 puts a "JMP \$0300" at \$000A, which is used by Applesoft to find the routine to be used. Lines 10 and 20 are only needed once at the beginning of a program. Line 30 assigns an edit pattern to the variable ED\$. Line 40 is a sample print statement that uses the USR function. Line 50 assigns a value to X (that we want printed) rounded off to two decimal places, and line 60 does this. If you wanted to round to three places, the 100 would be changed to 1000 and the edit pattern would have to be changed to allow three digits after the decimal point. Note that any valid expression could be within the parenthesis of the USR function.

The routine works by taking the number that Applesoft would normally print out and filling up the edit pattern with those characters from right to left, skipping over decimal points, commas and special characters.

The output of the routine may be used wherever a BASIC PRINT statement can be used, such as printing to a disk file, to a printer, or just to the screen. It is especially desirable for creating fixed-length records in files.

The edit pattern can be fairly complex, as in figure 1, or it can be simply blanks. Using a blank pattern will cause the number to be right-justified within the number of blanks in the edit pattern. If the number is too large to fit in the edit pattern, the left-most digits will be truncated. Any special characters (\$,." ÷ %:") in the edit pattern will be skipped, and the digits will fill in over blanks or numeric digits in the pattern.

The zeros are used in the edit pattern so that, if the number is small, there will always be zeros between the decimal point and the right-most column. If the number is too small to fill past the comma(s), then the extra commas will be replaced with blanks. When using an edit pattern with a decimal point, the argument for the function must be a whole number, or two decimal points will result. The edit pattern must be less than or equal to 16 characters in length. If it is greater, it will be cut off at 16.

The machine language program was written so that it can be located anywhere in addressable memory space. It is completely relocatable. That is, no changes are needed to run it at another address. It requires 169 (\$A9) bytes of RAM. The program uses the same zero page locations that are assigned to Applesoft so that there are no conflicts. It also uses 752-767 (\$2F0-\$2FF) as a buffer to perform editing. This area is in the input buffer and is not used during printing (except when printin DOS commands).

How It Works

For those of you who would like to know how the program works, keep reading. Starting with the PRINT statement, the argument for the USR is evaluated and placed in the floating point accumulator by the BASIC interpreter. Then a JSR is made to \$000A, where we have a JMP to the start of our subroutine.

At the beginning of the machine language subroutine, the Applesoft floating point accumulator is converted (lines 48-55) into a character string, in the format that Applesoft

would normally print it out. This is done by the Applesoft subroutines FPSTR1 and FPSTR2 (my names). These routines leave the resulting string at the bottom of the page used for the stack (\$100).

The routine then searches (lines 57-75) the variable table to find ED\$. When found, its value is moved (lines 77-83) to the buffer area (\$2F0-\$2FF).

After the program has all the necessary data, it starts to work. The length of the unformatted number is found (lines 85-90); and this number (an ASCII string right now) is then moved (lines 92-133) into the buffer, one character at a time, from right to left. The current character in the pattern is checked and, if it is a special character, it is skipped. Minus signs are carried over any digits in the pattern so that they will be on the left of the number. This process continues until we run out of characters to put in the pattern (or the pattern fills up), at which time any leftover commas are covered up (lines 135-145) with blanks.

Finally the program is ready to print out the result. Lines 147-152 print out all of the number, except the last digit (I'll explain this in a moment), using the output routine in Applesoft. This output routine does all of the necessary checking and conversion so that Applesoft's SPEED, INVERSE, and FLASH functions will work. The routine also sets the most significant bit of all outgoing ASCII characters.

The USR function must return a value to the BASIC program, which will be printed out by the BASIC interpreter, because we are in a PRINT statement. The last character of the buffer (which must be a digit) is taken and converted to an integer in the Y register and passed to Applesoft's integer to floating conversion routine (lines 154-161). This routine converts the integer (passed in the A, Y registers) into floating point in the floating point accumulator, which is just where we need it to pass back to BASIC.

Hardware Requirements

This program requires an APPLE II+, and APPLE II with an Applesoft

card, or and APPLE II with a language card. It will work in any memory size system. A disk drive is not required.

If the appropriate changes are made to the JSR's and JMP in the

machine language routine, the program can be used with RAM Applesoft (which loads in at \$0800-2FFF). After keying in the code from figure 2, if you then key in the code from figure 3, it will run with RAM Applesoft Instead.

Figure 1: Sample Program

Figure 2: HEX DUMP

```
0300- A5 52 48 20 34 ED 20 E7
0308- E3 68 85 52 A9 45 A2 C4
0310- 85 81 86 82
                  20 53 E0 A0
0318- 04 Bl
            9B 85
                  84 88 Bl
0320- 85 83 88 Bl 9B C9 10 90
            10 85 D0 A8 88 B1
0328- 02 A9
0330- 83 99 F0 02 88 10 F8 A0
0338- 00 B9 00 01 F0 03 C8 D0
0340- F8 A6 D0 88 B9 00 01 48
0348- 68 48 C9 2D D0 0E BD EF
0350- 02 C9 2D 90 16 CA D0 F0
0358- 68 18 90
               35
                  BD EF
                        02
                           C9
0360- 20 F0 08 C9
                  3A FO EE C9
0368- 30 90 EA 68 9D EF 02
                           CA
0370- FO 1F CO 00 DO CD E8
                            18
0378- 90 10 BD EF 02 C9 24
                           FÜ
0380- 10 C9
            2E B0
                  05 A9 20
                           9D
0388- EF 02 CA F0
                  04 E4 D0
                           90
0390- E9 A2 01 BD EF 02 20 5C
0398- DB E8 E4 D0 90 F5 BD EF
03A0- 02 49 30 A8 A9 00 4C F2
03A8- E2
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Figure 3: MO	Figure 3: MOD FOR RAM APPLESOFT		LINE	LOC	CODE	LINE	
ر د د			0039	0000		pplesoft s 1 =\$2528	ubroutine addresses: ;floating to string ~
>BLOAD FRINT	USING. OBJECT, ASSUU		0041	0000		FPSTR2	conversion rout
304:2B	0 DE 1B		0042	0000		COUNT BALSE	print an ascil char INT to FP conversion
315:4C 18	1 1 3		0044	0000		=\$184	find a variable
*397:5F 13 *3A7:EB 1A			0046	0000		*=\$0300	;Organize at \$0300 ;(relocatable)
SEAVE PRINT	USING.OBJECT, AS300, L\$A9		4	0300		Ö	ting point accum to
			r so.		A552	START LDA AFLAG	; save the flag
LINE# LOC CODE	M N		0051	0302	8 034E	PHA JSR FPSTRI	;convert floating
		****	W F		206763	JSR FPSTR2	point to strin
~	***************************************	t t	വം		68 8552	FLA STA AFLAG	restore flag
0004 0000	;* PRINT USING FOR APPLESOFT	* *					
	;* (C) 1980 by Gary Morris	*	0057	030		Now find the vari	able (ED\$) that has
	Norwalk, Connecti	* *	00500 00500	0000	94	14	;basic variable
	;* Commercial Rights Reserve	σ	0900	030E	42C4	144	name is ED\$
_			0061	0310	200	NAME	
	NAC	5 1980* ******	0063	0314	0 20	JSR FIND	
			0064	0317	004	44	
14	USR function requires	JMP to	5000	0319	67	(VARBLE)	,Y ;get addr ni
0015 0000	the start of the ro	START	0066	031B 031D	8 5 8 4 8 8 8 4	STA PNTR+1 DEY	
9 5	equals the address where the ide	vill set	0068	031E	19		'Y ;get addr lo
8	the UMP:) }	6900	0320	3583	STA PNTR	
19	10 POKE 10,76		0000	0322	38		4
20	; 20 POKE 11, START-INT(START/25	56) *256	0072	0325	3616 3610	(nafirations, i
7	7/19916) INT / 21 29/		0073	0327	9002		maximum length
023 0	oles:		000	8250 8250	טואיי		T ST DAMOTT
024 0	=SS2 rtlag tor	Applesort		2 2 2		ENON SIR LENGI	
026 0	2 2	نه	07	32D		pattern t	o the buffer
027 0	=\$9B ;pointer	ble	07	320	A8	TAY	
028 0	=\$50	ngth) a	3.2E	o 20 ~	DEY CONTO	
029 0	02F0 ;edit bu		σα	275	0100	LOOFA LUA CENIK	
0030 0000 0031 0000	(C = \$010	here as - r string	0082	0334)		
32	soft subroutine	S S & S & S & S & S & S & S & S & S & S	ο α	2 2 2	3	1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.	7
7 7	154 ; Eload	routing routine	88	337	0000	LDY #0	,
2 2	BSC print	cii cha	800	339	B90001	LOOP LDA STRING,Y	;get char
0036 0000	INTEP =\$E2F2 ; INT to FP co FIND =\$E053 ; Find a varia	conversion iable	0089	033E	5 0 0 5 C3 0 0 5	INY	
,			60	33 <i>F</i>	DO FB	BNE LOOP	



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- LC Commands the assembler to stop list source (text file) from this boint in the progra
- CT Commands the assembler to continue that source program (text file) on tape
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- OC Commands the assembler to not store object code in
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- SE Commands the assembler to store an external address
- DS Commands the assembler to set aside a block of storage
- BY Commands the assembler to store data.
- S1 Commands the assembler to store an internal address.
- DE Commands the assumbler to calculate an external label expression.
- Commands the assembler to calculate an internal label
- . EN Informs the assembler that this is the end of the program
- EJ Commands the assembler to eject to top of page on
- SET. A directive not a pseudo-op, directs the assemblers to

Macro Assembler

The macro pseudo-ops include

This is a macro beginning instruction definition MЕ This is end of a macro instruction definition. Do not putput macro-generated code in source

Do output macro generated code in source

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The following small program "Function Key" enables you to define your own command using the key & The definition of the command is stored in the second cassette buffer and is available as long as PET is not switched off, or until the command is defined new.

Using the Program

Load and run the program Function Key. Listing 1 is for the new ROMs and listing 2 is for the old ROMs. The program asks you for your command definition. You enter a BASIC program line for example:

?"THE TIME IS NOW " TI\$

The line should not contain more than 77 characters, as usual for a

BASIC program line. Then you press "RETURN" and your command is defined.

Now whenever you press &, followed by RETURN, your special command is executed. In our example, the time will be printed. It is also possible to use the command in a program. In the same way as PET executes a PRINT whenever it finds a?, it will execute your command on the occurence of the &. The new command does not disturb any of the other functions of your PET, unless you own a floppy disk system. In this case the program must be changed slightly.

Program Description

Even though the program is short

its operation is complex. The principle is as follows: Your BASIC code is inserted as line 0 in the program. It is then shifted into the second cassette buffer starting at dec. 895. A second line containing a SYS 870 is added. Then a loop is inserted into PET's CHAR GET routine to see if the character & occurs, if an & was found the registers and pointers are saved and then the processor is set to the "execute a line routine" where the code pointer is set to the place dec. 895. As the code ends with a SYS870, a jump back to the machine code is executed where the registers and pointers are restored before normal operation goes on.

I added a disassembly of the machine code (old ROMs) for those who want to understand the whole program in more detail (listing 3).

FUNCTION KEY LISTING 1 NEW ROM

```
5 PRINT"""
10 FORI=813T0890:READK:POKEI,K:NEXT
20 OPEN1,0:PRINT"ENTER YOUR FUNTION !"
40 PRINT"0:";
45 GETA$:PRINTA$;:IFA$<>CHR$(13)THEN45
50 PRINT"18Y8870":PRINT"GOTO60%";
55 POKE158,3:FORI=623T0625:POKEI,13:NEXT:END
60 FORI=895T0995:A=PEEK(I+134):POKEI,A:NEXT
70 SYS813:NEW
500 DATA169,76,133,112,169,58,133,113,169,3,133,114,96
510 DATA230,119,208,2,230,120,32,118,0,201,38,240,3,76,118,0,140
515 DATA254,3,142,253,3,165,119,133,1,165,120,133,2,186,134,0,169
520 DATA127,133,119,169,3,133,120,76,247,198,166,0,154,165,1,133,119
525 DATA165,2,133,120,172,254,3,174,253,3,76,58,3,0
READY.
```

FUNCTION KEY LISTING 2 OLD ROM

5 PRINT"D"
10 FORI=813T0890:READK:POKEI,K:NEXT
20 OPEN1,0:PRINT"ENTER YOUR FUNCTION !
40 PRINT"0:";
45 GETA\$:PRINTA\$;:IFA\$<>CHR\$(13)THEN45
50 PRINT"18Y8870":PRINT"GOTO608";
55 POKE525,3:FORI=527T0529:POKEI,13:NEXT:END
60 FORI=895T0995:A=PEEK(I+134):POKEI,A:NEXT
70 SYS813:NEW
500 DATA169,76,133,194,169,58,133,195,169,3,133,196,96
510 DATA230,201,208,2,230,202,32,200,0,201,38,240,3,76,200,0,140
515 DATA254,3,142,253,3,165,201,133,1,165,202,133,2,186,134,0,169
520 DATA127,133,201,169,3,133,202,76,233,198,166,0,154,165,1,133,201
525 DATA165,2,133,202,172,254,3,174,253,3,76,58,3,0
READY.

Listing 3

32D A9 4C 32F 85 C2 331 A9 3A 333 85 C3 335 A9 03 337 85 C4 339 60		LDA =4C STA Z1 LDA =3A STA Z2 LDA =03 STA Z3	Change the first 3 bytes of the CHR GI routine to JMP 033A
33A E6 C9 33C D0 02 33E E6 CA	J5	RTS INC Z4 BNE L1 INC Z5	Get character
340 20 C8 00 343 C9 26 345 F0 03	L1	JSR J2 CMP =26 BEQ L3	& ?
347 4C C8 00 34B 8C FE 03 34D 8E FD 03 350 A5 C9 352 85 01 354 A5 CA 356 85 02 358 BA 359 86 00 35B A9 7F 35D 85 C9 35F A9 03 361 85 CA	L3	JMP J2 STY W1 STX W2 LDA Z4 STA Z5 STA Z7 TSX STX ZERO LDA =7F STA Z4 LDA =03 STA Z5	no, return save registers and stack pointer
363 4C E9 C6 366 A6 00 368 9A		JMP J4 LDX ZERO TXS	execute shifted pgm
369 A5 01 36B 85 C9 36D A5 02 36F 85 CA 371 AC FE 03 374 AE FD 03 377 4C 3A 03		LDA Z6 STA Z4 LDA Z7 STA Z5 LDY W1 LDX W2 JMP J5 BRK	restore everything go on

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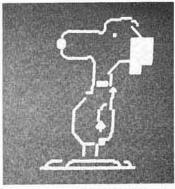
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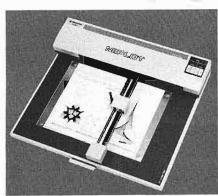
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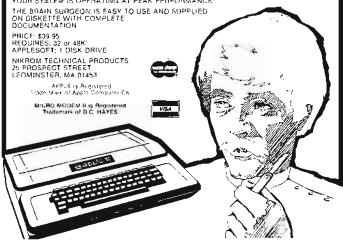
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An Improved Morse Code Receive Routine and Interface

Here are hardware and software enhancements to the article that appeared in Feb 1980 (21:19). The material contains information on interfacing to a 6522 VIA that is independent of the ham radio application.

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In the February 1980 issue of MICRO (21:19) we described a program that used the AIM 65 keyboard to send Morse code and the AIM 65 20-character display to output received Morse code. The interface circuit that was used to interface the receiver to the transmitter for the purposes of receiving Morse code used an LM567 tone decoder. It appears from the feedback that I have received that the LM567 has such a narrow bandwidth that it is difficult to tune the received signal. What follows is a different approach to a receive routine, and a different interface. The program should be of interest to any computer owner who has a 6522 VIA in his system, not simply AIM 65 owners. With a few modifications, given in the Appendix, it can be used with the program described in the February issue of MICRO.

We begin by describing the new interface circuit that was used. Its function is to change the sine wave audio output from the receiver to pulses that have the shape of a square wave. These pulses are counted by the T2 counter/timer on the 6522. The interface circuit is shown in Figure 1. The LM386 acts

as an audio amplifier, while the 555 is configured as a Schmitt trigger. The gain control on the receiver and the 10K potentiometer in the interface circuit are adjusted to give a comfortable listening level while the LED in the circuit in Figure 1 flashes only occasionally when no tone is present. That is, the noise level should be kept between the trigger thresholds of 1/3 V_C and 2/3 V_C on the 555 timer. When a tone from a transmitting station is in the passband of the reciever, the 555 should toggle back and forth at the same frequency as the tone input, producing a square wave input on PB6, and

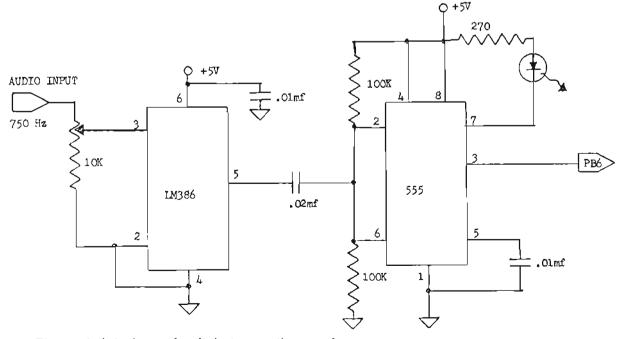


Figure 1: Interface circuit between the receiver and PB6, the pulse counting pin.

the LED will glow. These square wave pulses are counted by the T2 counter/timer. Counting noise pulses and static crashes (QRN) will produce various forms of useless and meaningless output, so keep the gain controls low enough to reject most of the noise. Best reception is obtained with a good sharp audio filter and just enough gain to detect the tone but not the noise.

The program is given in Listing 1. The part of the listing with comments is the basic code reception program that can be used with any microcomputer having a 6522 VIA and some kind of output device such as a teleprinter or a video monitor. Provided the subroutine jumps are modified accordingly, the commented program and subroutines are relocatable. The Morse-ASCII look-up table must also be loaded for the receive routine to work, and you must provide a suitable output routine that takes an ASCII character in the accumulator and outputs it. This is the JSR OUTCH instruction at \$07BE. If you have an AIM 65, use the subroutines listed in the AIM 65 format, which may also be relocated.

The receive routine automatically sets the code speed and will copy up to about 70 words per minute. Speeds less than about 20 words per minute do not work very well because the locations that hold the various character length parameters overflow. The comments should make the general flow of the program clear. Basically, the T2 counter/timer counts pulses from the receiver. If a pulse is not counted, a space counter (SPACE) is incremented at a 750 Hz rate. Thus, the receive routine returns to subroutine COUNT once every 1/750 second. If a pulse has been counted, MARK is incremented, otherwise SPACE is Incremented. Refer to the listing to see that in STATE1 the program is waiting for a mark of sufficient length (34 of the dot length) to appear. When it does, the program makes the transition to STATE2, where it waits for the space counter to reach 1/2 the dot length. At this time it is assumed that the mark has been completed and the program jumps to STATE3 where it is decided whether the mark was a dot or a dash. The character register is modified accordingly, and the calibration

Listing 1: Morse code receive routine.

OFOO DA	START	CID	Clear decimal mode for all additions.
OF 01 A9 20		LDA \$20	Set up T2 counter/timer to count pulses
OF03 8D 09 AD		STA ACR	by loading the ACR of the 6522 with \$20.
01°06 85 0D 01°08 85 00		STA DOT STA MARK	Also initialize dot counter to \$20, and mark counter to \$20.
OF 0A 78		SET	Do not allow interrupts to bother this
OFOB 20 AC OF		JSR GAL	routine. Before starting to receive,
CFOZ A9 O1		IDM \$01	calibrate the various registers.
OF10 85 CA		STA CHAR	Initialize the character register to \$01.
0F12 20 80 OF	ሮምለ ጥ ዊ፣	JSR TIMER	Jump to start space timer.
OF15 A9 OO OF17 85 OB	STATEI RPT	LDA SCO STA SPACE	Clear mark and space counters. Next we will jump to subroutine COUNT
OF19 85 OC	74.1	STA MARK	to increment the number of pulses from
OF1B 20 83 CF	CNT	JSR COUNT	the receiver that have been detected.
OFIE AS OC		LDA MARK	If the pulses have exceeded 3/4 those
OF20 C5 OF		CMP 3/LDOT	in DOT, a mark has been detected. Then
OF22 BO 08		BCS STATE2 LDA SPACE	jump to STATE2 to wait for a space. If space counter exceeds one dot, start
OF24 A5 OB OF26 C5 OD		CMT DOT	over in STATE1.
OF28 BO ER		BCS STATEL	Otherwise, continue counting marks and
OF2A 90 EF		HCC CNT	spaces.
OF2C A9 00	STATEZ	LDA \$00	Begin STATE2 by clearing space counter.
OFRE ES OU	MODE	STA SPACE	The court was and a second of the CDICE
OF30 20 89 OF OF33 A5 OF	MORE	JSR COUNT IDA SPACE	Then count marks and spaces. When SPACE exceeds 1/2 dot length, then space has
OF35 C5 OE		CMP 1/200T	been detected. Go to STATE3. Otherwise
0F37 90 F7		BCC MORE	count some more.
0F39 06 04	STATE3	ASL CHAR	A mark element has been detected, shift
OF3B A5 OC		LDA MARK	character register left. If the mark
OF3D C5 12		CMP 2DOT BCC ARND	length exceeded 2 dats, then it was a dash.
OF3F 90 OC OFAI E6 CA		INC CHAR	If a dot, do not put a one in CHAR. If a dash, add a one to the character registe
OF43 4A		LSi A	Convert the dash length to a dot by multiplying
OF44 4A		LSR A	by 3/8.
OF45 85 OC		STA MARK	
0F47 LA		LSit A	
OF48 18 OF49 65 OC		CLC ADC MARK	
OF4B 85 00		STA MARK	
OF4D 20 AC OF	CKGA	JSR CAL	Jump to calibration routine to update
OF50 A9 CO		CO 2 ACLI	automatic culibration of UCT.
OF52 85 00		STA MARK	Clear mark counter.
OF 54 20 88 OF	LOAF	JSR COUNT	Start counting again. If a new mark is detected, go to STATF2. Otherwise wait
OF57 A5 OC OF59 C5 OF		CMP 3/4001	for a character space.
OF SB BO CF		RCS STATE2	Total distribution of the con-
OFSD AS OB		LDA SPACE	Mas space exceeded 2DOT? That's a
OF5F C5 12		CMP ZDOT	character space so output the character.
OF61 90 F1		BCC LOAF	Otherwise, return to count some more.
OF63 20 00 0E		JSR SPEED	Subroutine speed measures the speed and
OF66 A9 O1 OF68 85 OA		LDA SOI STA CHAR	outputs the speed and the new character. Reset the character register.
076A 20 88 05	LOITER	JSR COUNT	Then wait for more pulses and spaces.
OF6D A 5 OC		LDA MARK	Has a new mark been detected. If so,
076F C5 07		CMP 3/4DOT	jump to STATE2.
0F71 BO B9		BCS STATE2	David STORY IS an a
0F73 A5 0B 0F75 C5 13		IDA SPACE CMP 5DOT	Does space exceed NOT. If so, a word space has been detected.
OF77 90 F1		BCC LOITER	word space has been assessed
OF79 20 95 07		JSR CUTFUT	Output the word space,
OF7C A9 CO		LDA \$00	Clear accumulator.
ofte fo 97		BFQ RPT	Back to STATEL.
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0F80 A9 A7	TIMER	SUBROUTINE TIMES LIDA \$A7	Coad divid-by-eight timer for 167
OF82 8D 95 A4	111121	STA TIME/8	counts, or 1336 microseconds = 1/750.
OF85 AD 08 AO		EDA T2CL	For 1000ffz tone use \$70 rather than \$A7.
OF68 85 18		STA STORE	Read IZ counter and store.
OF8A 60		RTS	Then return.
		SUBFOUTINE COUNT	
OF8B 58	COUNT	CLT	Allow an interrupt here (for author's
OFEC 78		SEI	send routine.)
OF8D 2C 97 A4	WAIT	BIT TMFLAG	Has timer timed-out?
OF90 10 FB		BPI WAIT	No. Then wait.
OF 92 38		SEC	Yes. Then count the pulses that have
OF93 A5 18 OF95 ED OS AO		LDA STORE SEC T2CL	been detected by T2.
OF93 85 19		STA TEMP	Save pulse count here for a moment.
OF9A 20 80 OF		JSR TIMER	Start the timer again.
OF9D A5 19		LDA TEMP	Get the pulse count again.
0F9F F0 08		req aned	If no pulses, then increment space
OFA1 18 OFA2 65 OG		CIC VARY	counter. If pulses, then add the number to MARK.
OFA4 85 OC		ADC MARK STA MARK	number to rattata

OFA6 18 OFA7 90 02 OFA9 E6 OB	A HED DETOUR	CLC BCC DETOUR INC SPACE RTS	Skip around space increment instructions. Increment space counter if no pulses detected, then back to the program.
OPAB 60			you do not have an AIM 65.
-	CAL	ISR MARK	Divide Mark by 2.
OFAC 46 OC OFAE A5 OD	CKL	LDA DOT	Gct previous DOT.
OFBO 46 CD		LSR DOT	Divide previous DOT by 2.
OFBC 18		CLC	DOT plus MARK/2.
OFB3 65 OC OFB5 18		ADC MARK CLC	bo) pres radity21
OFB6 65 00		ADC DOT	DOT plus MARK/2 plus DOT/2.
OF BB 4A		LSR A	New DOT = 3/4 DOT plus 1/4 MARK
OFB9 C9 OF		CMP \$OF	Is New DOT too short (noise problems):
OFBD BO O2 OFBD A9 OF		BCS SKIP LDA \$OF	Yes, use \$OF as minimum DOT length.
OFBF 85 OD	SKIP	STA DOT	We have a new DOT length.
OFC1 OA		ASL A	Calculate 2DOT.
OFC2 85 12		STA 2DOT	Calculate 5DOT.
OFC4 OA OFC5 18		ASL A CLC	vareum oc por
OFC6 65 00		ADC DOT	
OFC8 85 13		STA 5DOT	- A A A A A A A POPOR
OFCA A5 OD		LDA DOT	Calculate 1/2DOT.
OFCC 4A		LSR A STA 1/2DOT	
OFCE 45 OF		LSR A	Calculate 3/4DOT.
OFDO 65 OE		ADC 1/2DOT	
OFD2 85 OF		STA 3/4DOT	
OFD4 60		rts	
		SUBROUTINE OUTPUT	
07B6 A5 QA 07B8 09 80 07BA A8	OUTPU T	LDA CHAR ORA \$80 TAY	Get contents of character register. Put a one in bit seven. Transfer this to the Y register and look up the ASCII code in the look-up
07BB B9 00 04 07BE 20 72 06		LDA TAB,Y JSR OUTCH	table. Use your own subroutine to
0701 20 60 06		JSR DISP	output the ASCII character to your

routine is called to update the dot length. The program then waits until a new mark is received, or if the space counter reaches twice the dot length then a character is printed. If a new mark is received the program jumps back to STATE2. When the space counter reaches five time the dot length, a word space is printed, and the program Jumps back to STATE1.

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AIM 65 users will want to use subroutine SPEED where it is called. while other microcomputer owners will use subroutine OUTPUT at this point, Subroutine SPEED converts the dot length to a code speed in words per minute and displays this number on the left-most digits on the AIM 65 display. Remember, this is only a crude approximation to the exact speed, unless your CW output tone on your receiver is exactly 750 Hz. The subroutine TIMER is set for a period corresponding to the period of the tone from the receiver. The byte given at \$0F81 corresponds to 1333 microseconds, the period of a 750 Hz tone. This byte may be modified to be equal to the period of some other tone frequency if your receiver has a different tone frequency.

output device (teleprinter or CRT).

The routines here are for the AIM 65.

Appendix

To use this program with the send/receive program in the Feb. 1980 issue of MICRO, make the following changes in the listing given there, in addition to loading the program and subroutines listed here:

\$0575	\$60 instead of \$40	J
\$0655	\$00 instead of \$20	0
\$0656	\$0F Instead of \$08	
\$0F03	\$0F05 \$EA, \$EA, \$EA I	n
	Listing 1 in this article.	
\$07B6	Use the subroutine give	n
	in Listing 1.	

i would really like to hear from someone who makes a comparison between the program and interface described here and the one described in the earlier article in MiCRO. The program described here is a novel approach, intended to be more immune to noise, and has worked very well for me. But I would like to hear from you if you have any suggestions, improvements or criticisms.

AIM-65 output subroutines

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967F ES 18X 9680 E0 1PX #15 9681 90 801 9677 9684 60 RTS	
0534 50 K:5 0685 A2 LDX #10 0687 BD LDA 84DA. 068A E8 1NX 068B 90 STA 943A. 068E CA DEX	ŧ.
968E CA DEX	X
3687 CA CEX 0690 10 8PL 8687 0692 89 LDA #20 0694 8D STA 8668 0697 20 JSR 8668 0698 60 RTS 0698 A2 LDX #13 0690 A9 LDA #20 0697 90 STA 8438, 0682 CA BEX 0683 10 8PL 869F	
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9582 18 958 9583 18 8PL 969F 8685 60 875	
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Undedicating a Dedicated Microcomputer

Some valuable ideas are presented here toward developing a time-shared process controller.

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Introduction

Programs which use microcomputers for dedicated control often have two problems. One problem is lack of flexibility. Because the programs are either stored in EPROM or else they must be reassembled and reloaded into RAM, the control routines are difficult to change. A second problem is that the control routines can tie up the whole computer for only one dedicated application. While working on a proiect at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute I have developed a dedicated controller that solves both of these problems.

Background

The project at RPI is the development of a solar energy collector. See Figure 1. The collector is a Fresnel reflecting concentrator which redirects solar power to a monotube boiler where cold water absorbs the solar energy and becomes hot steam. In order to keep the concentrated sunlight in the boiler, this type of collector follows the sun across the sky by means of two rotation axes. When the sun is out, this 2-axis tracking of the sun is straightforward and can be done with discrete logic without a microcomputer. Often, however, the sun is not out for variable portions of the day, and while it is behind clouds, it continues its motion across the sky. When the sun comes out again the collector is no longer aimed at the sun, and therefore the collector must have a large, high power, expensive motor and/or take a long time to reposition Itself toward the sun. A microcomputer, however, can easily track the sun while it is behind clouds thus allowing the use of small, inexpensive, low power tracking motors. This article describes how a dedicated microcomputer is configured.

The System Hardware

The system could reside on a one chip micro but is currently made up of a KIM-1, a Memory Plus and an inhouse interface board. The interface board has a 16 channel 8-bit A/D converter (see Joe William's article in MICRO 12:25) and digital I/O drivers and logic. The Memory Plus

provides I/O lines, sockets for EPROM and RAM for data.

Another KIM and Memory Plus with an EPROM version of the MicroADE assembler are connected to a Teletype 43 for program development, testing and EPROM programing. Assembled programs are easily tested in RAM since the development system is almost identical to the control system. Source programs are stored on cassette tape for revisions.

The Implementation

The control program is made of modules of code in EPROM and

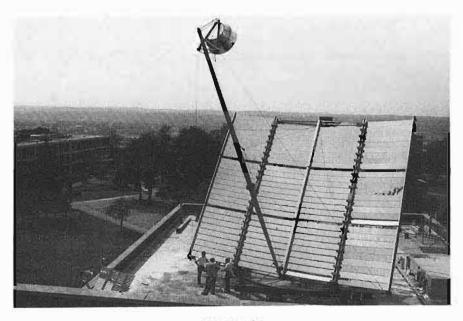


Figure 1

uses the non-maskable interrupt. It consists of two parts: the part that controls the position of the solar collector is the interrupt routine; the main loop part provides for other uses of the computer and interactively monitors the collector and/or the computer.

Interrupt Service

The non-maskable interrupt(NMI) is wired to the timer in one of the KIM 6530 chips. Every ¼ second, when the timer times out, the interrupt service routine is executed. See figure 2. This routine is made of modular sections, each of which performs some function. The first section of the NMI routine is a clock. This section fine tunes the ¼ second interrupt and keeps track of days as well as hours, minutes and seconds.

One of the NMI routine sections performs the A/D conversions as well as the I/O functions of sensing the sun and turning on and off motors and indicators. Another section actually makes the control decisions which the I/O section carries out.

All the sections are in EPROM and end with a 'Jump Indirect' instruction. This instruction solves the first problem mentioned above, that of inflexible dedicated controllers. The difficulty is overcome because the RAM zero page pointers used by the jump indirect instruction can point to any other function module to be included in the routine. Each section ends with a jump indirect pointing to the next section and so on, until the last sec-

Real time clock

Other functions

Input / Output

Control decisions

RII

Figure 2

tion points to the code that restores the x, y and p registers and performs a 'Return from Interrupt'(RTI).

Main Loop

The main loop program (see figure 3.) is constructed in a way which solves the second problem, that of tying up the whole computer with just the control functions. The key to solving the problem is a keyboard monitor which allows other unrelated functions to be timeshared with the control functions. The keyboard monitor can select for display any of the A/D channels, the solar collector position, or the time of day. In addition, one of the unused analog inputs can be connected and monitored to use the microcomputer as a digital voltmeter.

The keyboard monitor can also select a jump to the KIM monitor. The KIM monitor can be used to

enter or look at data or programs and even run other unrelated programs (including programs that use the IRQ, the maskable Interrupt) while the dedicated controller is using the NMI and controlling the solar collector.

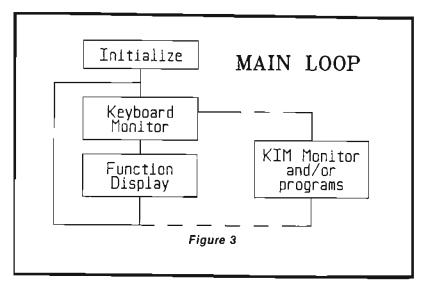
Cautions

There are minor hazards connected with having a flexible, time-shared dedicated controller. For example, a problem can occur when a program running on the system crashes, because, of course, pushing 'reset' stops the NMI clock timer. However, stopping the clock is not too serious a problem because with a warm restart of the control main loop, the clock will only lose a couple seconds, and it can be corrected at any time.

The warm restart is an important part of the initialization of the program. The original initialization sets up the NMI vector, the initial choices for the jump indirect pointers, the I/O ports and also starts the clock timer. By setting up the I/O and starting the timer at the end of the initialization a warm restart here will not change things like the time of the date or the jump indirect pointers that were correct before reset was pushed.

Conclusion

It is possible to program a dedicated controller which not only is flexible in what it does but, through time-sharing, can be used for other functions (and even act as a digital voltmeter) while it is performing as a dedicated controller.



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A "Stop-On-Address" Routine for KIM

This very useful subroutine allows the user to debug more efficiently through the use of a trap, which will stop on a specified address.

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In the midst of debugging machine code for the KIM-1, it is this author's common practice to insert jumps to the monitor or breaks at strategic points in the program, and then start execution from the beginning. This is usually quite useful for tracing through a program to see what has happened to the output that was supposed to appear. There are two main problems with this technique however:

- You have to write down the contents of where you are placing the breakpoint and then return the contents later.
- The method is not usable for investigating a ROM or PROM.

A Solution

One means of getting around these difficulties is to use a tracer program. This can be accomplished quite easily by using a hardware timer, operating in the interrupt mode (eg. ref. 1), to cause an interrupt during every instruction until a specified end address is reached. For KIM this is simple, since one need only duplicate the monitor's single-step routine (to handle the interrupts) with the addition of setting up the timer to interrupt during every instruction.

The Program

The program (listing 1) uses the KIM monitor page zero locations to save all registers. This allows you to single step from the selected address once the routine has

operated. Register contents are inspected in the same manner as single step operation. As usual, pushing PC returns the next address to be executed.

To use the program do the following:

- 1. Set the vector for single step operation.
- 2. Set up PCL, PCH with the FIRST ADDRESS to be ex-

- ecuted (this is not necessary following single step operation).
- Place the END ADDRESS at ENDL (\$1780) and ENDH (\$1781).
- 4. Execute from START (\$1782).

The program stops on the selected address (before executing it).

0010:							ESS FCR	KIM
0020:					RICK M	ACEGNAI	LD	
0030:								
0040:	17CC				PUL		•	KIN MONITOR PAGE ZERO
0350:	17DC				PCh	*	\$00F0	EQUATES
0060:	1760				PKLG	*	\$00F1	
0070:	1766				SPUSER	*	\$00£2	
0060:	17DC				ACC		\$0083	
0050:	175C				YREG	*	\$00F4	
0100:	175C				XREG	*	\$00F5	
0110:	17LC				PCINTL	*	\$00FA	
0120:	17 <i>L</i> C				FOINTH	*	\$00FB	
0130:								
0140:	17EC				TIMCLR	*	\$1704	STOP TIMER ADDRESS
0150:	1700				TIMSET			START TIMER ADDRESS
0160:	_						-	
0170:	1750					CRG	\$1720	
0160:	-,						•	
	1750	aa			ENUL		\$00	STORAGE FOR END ADDRESS
0200:					BAAB		-	
0210:	1,01	•			51.51.		7.5	
	17>2	7 C	(۵		TALT	CDAIN	î h t.	SETUP IRQ VECTOR
0230:	1754	Al.	é F	17	J.1		\$17FE	5.1.101 1.1.Q 1.2010.1.
0240:	1757	45	17	.,		LDAIM	IRC.	/ high address
0250:						STA		, hide Abbazob
0260:		0.0	•	• •		J 111	*****	
0270:	178C	46	F 2		AGAlh	LDXZ	SPUSER	LCAD STACK FOINTER
0280:						TXS		
0290:			F5			Lbkz	XREG	LCAD X
:60:0							YKEG	
0310:			• ′			CLI		ENABLE IRC
0320:			1.1				\$11	
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0340:				. ,			PREG	
0340.	1177	7	L r			LUAL	E ICI. G	LUND JINIUS

For executing through a loop a number of times, pick an address in the loop to stop on and initialize LOOP (at \$17DB) to the number of times through the loop required.

Notes

- 1. The single step switch must be off!
- 2. PB7 must be connected to IRQ.
- 3. The program fits quite nicely in the KIM ROM scratchpad area but is fully relocatable.
- 4. The routine is easily modified to stop on any register or memory location equal to a given value. Just replace "conditions 1 and 2" in the program with the appropriate test logic.

References

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- 2. KIM-1 User Manual, MOS Technology.

0350: 175E 46 PHA PUT IN STACK	
0360: 179C A5 F3 LDAZ ACC GET ACCUNICATOR	
0370: 179E 28 PLP GET STATUS	
0360: 179F 6C EF 00 JMI PCL EXECUTE INSTRUCTION	
0350:	
0400: 17A2 65 F3 IRG STAZ ACC THIS IS THE SAME AS	
0410: 17A4 68 PLA THE KIM MCNITUR AT \$1000	
0420: 17A5 &5 F1 STAZ PREG	
0430: 17A7 of PLA	
0440: 17A8 65 EF STAZ PCL	
0450: 17AA 85 FA STAZ POINTL	
0400: 17AL 68 PLA	
0470: 17AD 85 FO STA2 PCH	
0460: 17AF 65 FB STAZ FUINTH	
0490: 1761 84 F4 STY2 YREG	
0500: 1763 86 F5 STAZ AREG	
0510: 1765 bA TSX	
0520: 1766 66 F2 STXZ SPUSER	
0530: 1766 ad 04 17 STA TINCLE STOP TIMER	
0540: 176E AD 80 17 LDA ENDL CONLITION I	
0550: 17be EA NOP	
0560: 178F C5 EF CMP2 PCL	
0570: 17C1 DO C5 BNE AGAIN	
0580: 17C3 AD 61 17 LDA ENDH CONDITION 2	
0590: 1766 EA NOP	
0600: 17C7 C5 F0 CMP2 PCh	
0610: 17C5 LO CI BNE AGAIN	
0620: 17Cb AD LB 17 LDA LOGP	
0630: 17CE b0 03 BNL SKIP	
0640: 17LO 4C 16 1C JAP \$1C16 TO KIM IF ADDRESS AND NO	LOCK
0650:	
0660: 1763 CE DB 17 SKIP DEC LOGP	
0670: 17D6 D0 b4 BNE AGA1N	
0660: 17DE 4C 16 1C JNP \$1C16	
0690:	
0700: 1706 00 LOCP - \$00 00 CR 01 TO EXECUTE ONCE	
0710: 02 ON MORE TO EXECUTE THAT NUMBER OF TIMES	
0720:	
1D= μ	

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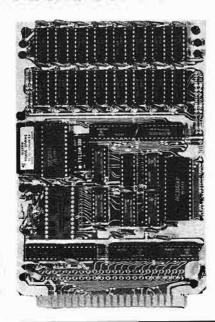
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A modification to Tiny Pilot which Improves the "Match" statement.

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As soon as I installed the first 4K additional memory in my KIM, I figured that the time was right to try my hand at programming in something other than assembly language. The Tiny Pilot interpreter, written by Nicholas Vrtis, that appeared in MICRO, September 1979 (16:41), looked good. It is written for the SYM, but Bob Applegate's suggestions in MICRO, Feburary 1980 (21:41), helped me get it running on my system.

It is a fun language! But, to my disappointment, I discovered that the "Match" statement would only match the first word input into the accept field. For example, I was trying to get the program to match if the word "wrong" were typed by the person using the program. If he or she typed "wrong" It would match, but if "you are wrong" were typed, it wouldn't match.

I made a modification to the Tiny Pilot interpreter to remedy this shortcoming. This modification fits in the space in KIM's upper RAM right behind Applegate's I/O routines.

Here's how it works. The interpreter enters the old "Match" routine. If a match is made, fine, the interpreter goes on to the next routine. If no match is found, the modifications prevent the old "Match" routine from giving up that easily.

The modification routine looks for the first ASCII "space" in the accept

0010:					TINY PILCT MODIFICATION				
0020:					RCBERT SCHULTZ				
0030:									
0040:					"CO-Pl	LCT"			
0050:									
0060:					ŁLG	74	\$0002		
0070:	1705				NGKAD	*	\$209A		
					CUTCH	*	SIEAO	KIM CUTPUT CHARACTER	
0000:	1755				GEICH	*	SIESA	KIM GUTPUT CHARAGTER KIM INPUT GHARAGTER	
0100:	1705				CKLF	*	SIEZF	KIM CARRIAGE RETURN/LINEFEED	
0110:	0353					GRG	50353	NIM CARRIAGE RETURN/LINEFEED TIE IN TO EXISTING PROCKAM	
0120:							•		
0130:	0.153	40	ЪC	17		JMP	\$17BC	CHANGE FUNCTION OF JUMP	
0140:								JMP TO KIN UPFER RAM LA "h"	
0150:							427710	511	
						c.R.G.	\$0356		
0160; 0170;	0.150	46	4 A					CHANGE LCADING INST TO NORAD	
0169:		н	7.1					otation constituting in the house	
0190:						Ck/-	\$0360		
0200:	0366	1.5	9.5			k k E	\$3350		
0210:		DQ	ری			800	\$ 3333		
9220:						(6)	EALOS		
0230:			L S	17			•	JMP TO BEGINNING OF NEW LOOP	
0240:		40	כט	11		JEI	411PJ	THE TO BEGINNING OF NEW LOCF	
0250:						COC	61760	REGISTER PRESERVER	
0260;						ONG	41.00	NEGIGIER FRESERVER	
		20			XSAVE	_	sno		
					YSAVE				
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								KESICKE Y	
0350:	1766	40	61	17		kTS		KETURN	
0360:	1700	00				K13		RE: GRA	
0303.					SYM INC		17.71		
03/0:					3161 160	, nin - 3	DV A TIA		
		.,	L 1	1.7	CALLA	CTV	VILLE	CITE	
0393:	1750	: ^	61	16	DWATM	27.1	15876	SAVE Y GET ASCII CHAR	
0400;	1.761	20	JA LI	12		72K	Chich	OEI ASCII CRAK	
0410:	1772	A C	٥ı	17				RESTORE Y	
0420:	(/5)	00				RTS		KEIUKA	
0430:					r 100 - 7 - 7 - 1				
					SYN CK!	.r = 54	7 ACK		
0450:	1.70.5			1 7	4 4 100	CTV	10.00	(116.1)	
04601	1796	٠٠	č l	1.7	24 ACK	511	37 <i>k2f</i> 37 <i>k2k</i>	SAVE Y	
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field. When it finds one, it makes the next character in the accept field into the first character of a new search.

If the "Match" routine doesn't find a match during this search, it looks for the next ASCII "space", and the search begins anew. When the modification routine discovers that the next possible accept field start position is the last position in the accept field, it calls it quits, declares no match, and goes on to the the next routine in the interpreter.

The following is a listing of my modification routine. The address locations that begin with "03" replace listings in Mr. Vrtis' program. They jump Tiny Pilot to the new routine in KIM's upper RAM. This new routine goes from 17A6 to 17D4. I've also supplied listings of the I/O routines suggested by Bob Applegate. They go from 1780 to 17A5.

I'd like to thank Mr. Vrtis for providing us with such a fun language in Tiny Pilot. I hope soon to be able to supply intriguing programs in Tiny Pilot.

0420:	1797	20	7.6	16		15%	Cal.F	CUIPUT CRLF
0440.	1746	AL	B.I	17		LLA	VSAGE	RESTORE Y
0500:	174)	AF	50	17		LDX	A SAVE	RESTORE X
0510:								KETUKN
0520;		00						
0530:					INITIA	.178 F	R NEL	LCCF
0543:								
0550:	1746	69	40		MIEST	CHEIM	\$4D	TEST "N"
0560 .	1745	DO.	27			ENE	NOTM	
0570:	1744	AZ	27			LEALM	\$27	LCAD & WITH BUFFER OFFSET
0580:	17AC	86	9A			STX	NCKAD	
0540:	17AE	40	5A	03		JMP	\$035A	JMP TO EEGINNING OF LOCP
0600:	1751	46	AY	د0	NOTH	JM:P	SOJAS	JMF TO NEXT FUNCTION
0610:						NCP		
0620:	- 0.0							
0630:					LETERH	INE IF	ALL ho	RLS IN BUFFER HAVE BEEN RESET BUFFER POINTER TO
0640:					EXAMINE	ED. II	NCT, I	KESET BUFFER PUINIER TO
0650:					NEXT WO	עאר		
0660:								
0670:	17B5	A6	9A		NLUCP	LLX	NORAL	LOAD BUFFER FOINTER
: 0330	17B7	CA			NNLCCP	DEX		NEXT BUFFER POSITION NO, SC LOAD N IN X STORE IN FLG NEXT ROUTINE
0690:	1760	LO	07			BNE	BLCCP	
0100:	17BA	AZ	4E			LLXIM	\$4E	NO, SC LCAD N IN X
0710:	17EC	86	02			STA	FLG	STORE IN FLG
0720:	17BE	46	79	22		JNP	\$0279	NEXT KOUTINE
0730:								
						LLAZX	\$03	LCAD A FROM BUFFER
0750:	1703	CS	20					TEST SPACE
0760:	40.00							BRANCH IF SPACE
0770:							NNLCCP	
0780:	1709	CA			CLCOP	CEX		NEXT CHARACTER
0790;	17CA	AO	27			LUYIM	\$27	FIRST BUFFER POSITION
0600:	1100	24	bD			STY	\$338D	STURE INLEX POINTER
:0130	17CE	40	02			LDYIM	\$02	FIRST BUFFER POSITION STORE INLEA POINTER LOAD Y WITH CURRECT CONTENT
0620:	LIDO	00	24			STA	NCKAD	FUT NEW BUFFER START INTO NORAD JUNF 10 BEGINNING OF NEW LOCF
0630:	1702	46	ЭA	03		JhP	\$0154	JUMP TO PECTURISE OF VER TOCK
0840:								μ
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Always make a backup copy! That is good advice, and I followed it assiduously for a year. Then it became apparent that something had to give. I had over 100 original programs or data files on separate tapes; which meant that I had over 100 backups. That made me one of the more regular customers of the store from which I buy tapes, and I had a very large sum of money tied up in tapes. In addition, my tapes were running me out of house and home. Something had to be done!!

Aside from lethargy, what kept me from doing something about this situation was the recognition of how slowly the PET tape drive operates, and the amount of time I projected it would take to make multiple file backup tapes or to use them once they were constructed. But I remembered a couple of programs that used fast forward to go skittering across the tape until the correct file was found so I dug them out and began to construct multiple file backup tapes. Everything was going fine until I had to save a program that took 2K of memory and one that took 11.3K of memory. Because of the way the program worked that wasted a lot of space for the first program and was not big enough for the second. The problem: a fixed amount of tape reserved for each program. That seemed a very unhandy way for a program to operate so I wrote this program called TAPE BACKUP.

TAPE BACKUP is designed to facilitate creating multiple file

backup tapes. In order to do this effectively you need a long tape; a 46 minute or 60 minute tape will do. The first program saved on the tape is TAPE BACKUP. After TAPE BACKUP is loaded you are asked whether you want to use cassette #1or #2. Then a "table of contents" is displayed, and you are instructed to push F.FWD and then indicate the number of the file you want to access (or the location at which you wish to save a file). Once you indicate the file, the cassette fast forwards to the appropriate place and stops. The operation is very simple, and F.FWD is fast, at least relative to PLAY. In addition, the program gives instructions on what has to be changed in the program when you add a file to the tape to bring it up to date, and it will even compute the number of jiffies required to fast forward over a program of a given size.

Next! would like to describe the program and how it does what it does. Then! will suggest some simple procedures for using the program.

The program is designed to be quite flexible. It will run on machines with either the new or old PET BASIC ROMs, and it will permit using either cassette. The PEEK statement in line 90 determines whether it is the new or old ROM. The next few lines print an introduction to the program and determine which cassette will be used. Lines 180-195 define a variable "RO" which combine those two pieces of information, and this variable is used later in three GOSUB statements.

Lines 200 through 350 put the instructions to push F.FWD and the table of contents on the screen.

Lines 400 through 550 plus three subroutines and a data statement are the heart of the program. There are four tasks to be performed in this segment of the program.

- 1. Stop the cassette.
- 2. Ascertain the file to be accessed.
- 3. Determine the number of jiffies needed to get to that file.
- Start the cassette; let it run the required length of time; and then stop the cassette.

Lines 400, 410, and 530 obtain the number of the file to be accessed. They constitute a loop which includes the GOSUB statement in 420. Depending on "RO", which specifies the ROM and the cassette being used, statement 420 sends the program to a statement which does two things. It sets the tape drive to an "off" status, and it stops the operation of the appropriate cassette motor. For the old ROM, memory location 519 sets the status of the first tape and 520 sets the status of the second cassette. For the new ROM the comparable memory locations are 249 and 250. If 52 is POKEd to 519 for the old ROM or 1 is POKEd to 249 for the new ROM this sets the status of tape 1 as off. For tape 2 the memory location 520 must be POKEd 1 for the old ROM and 250 must be POKEd 1 for the new ROM. Memory location 59411 is used for the first cassette motor in both old and new ROM's, and 59456 is used for the second

cassette motor. By POKing 61 for the first cassette or 223 for the second cassette, the motor is turned off

The third task is accomplished by lines 440 through 500. In 440 the file number is changed from a string variable to a number. This allows the for/next loop in 450 through 490 to operate the appropriate number of times. Line 460 reads the Kth number on a data statement; the data statement is in line 888. Line 470 adds the past value of J (represented by J1) to 150 (which is the liffies needed for the leader) to the number of jiffies needed for the file. If one wants the fourth file the loop will operate four times. The first time It will add the past value of J (which is zero) to 150 (for the leader) to the number of jiffies for the first file. And it continues in this way through four iterations. Thus, the loop calculates the number of jiffies needed to reach the file to be accessed.

The final task is fast forwarding to the appropriate place on the tape. This is done in lines 510 through 540 and the associated subroutines. The subroutine in 1100 (or whichever of the four is appropriate) sets a value of TS which is the current value of Ti (the PET's clock) plus J. Then it starts the cassette motor. In 530 the value of TI is compared to TS; as long as TI is less than TS the cassette is fast forwarding. When TI is no longer less than TS the subroutine shuttled to by line 540 stops the cassette motor.

From line 600 on the program gives instructions. After the cassette stops one can either access the file or save a new file. The program contains two features for assisting in creating a new file. First, it will remind the user about the changes that should be made in TAPE BACKUP when a new file is added. Then it will compute the Jiffies needed for a file of a given size. The user has to know how much memory is required for the program or the data set. This can be determined using FRE(0) when the program is loaded or before and after a data file has been read by a program.

Using the program is quite simple. It works particularly smoothly

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10 REM *** TAPE BACKUP PROGRAM
20 REM *** G. R. BOYNTON
30 REM *** DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
40 REM *** UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
50 REM *** IOWA CITY, IOWA 52242
90 RM=PEEK (50003)
100 PRINT" (CLR) (DN) [DN] (DN) "; TAB(10); "*** TAPE BACKUP ***
110 PRINT"[DN][DN][DN][TNIS PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO FACILITATE"
120 PRINT"CREATING MULTIPLE FILE TAPE BACKUPS."
130 PRINT" (DN) IT CAN BE USED EITHER TO SAVE A FILE"
140 PRINT"AT A PARTICULAR SPOT ON THE TAPE OR TO
150 PRINT"ACCESS A PROGRAM OR DATA SET QUICKLY.
160 PRINT"[DN][DN][DN]DO YOU WANT TO USE TAPE #1 OR TAPE #2?"
170 PRINT"[DN][RC][RC][RC](RESPOND '1' OR '2') ";:INPUT TO
180 IF RM=0 AND TD=1 THEN RO=1
185 IF RM=0 AND TD=2 THEN RO=2
190 IF RM=1 AND TD=1 THEN RO=3
195 IF RM=1 AMD TD=2 THEN RO=4
200 PRINT" (CLRIIDN) [DN] [DN] PRESS F. FWD KEY ON CASSETTE TAPE NOW.
210 PRINT" [DN] MEXT ENTER THE DESIGNATION FOR THE FILE"
220 PRINT"TO BE SELECTED."
230 PRINT" (DN) (DN) THE FILES ON THIS TAPE ARE:
240 PRINT"[DN] N
                     DATA FILES FROM CALENDAR
250 PRINT
260 PRINT"[DN]O.
                    FIRST FILE
270 PRINT"1. SECOND FILE
280 PRINT"2.
                THIRD FILE"
290 PRINT"3."
300 PRINT"4."
310 PRINT"5. "
320 PRINT"6."
330 PRINT"7."
340 PRINT"8."
350 PRINT"9. TENTH FILE"
400 NS=1
410 GET N$
420 ON RO GOSUB 1000,1010,1020,1030
430 IF NS="" THEN GOTO 410
440 N=ASC(LEFT$(N$,1))-48
445 IF N=0 THEN 600
450 FOR K=1 TO 11
460 READ D(K)
470 LET J=J1+150+D(K)
480 LET J1=J
490 NEXT K
500 RESTORE
510 PRINT"SEARCHING FOR FILE ";N
520 ON RO GOSUB 1100,1110,1120,1130
530 IF TIKTS THEN 530
540 ON RO GOSUB 1200,1210,1220,1230
600 PRINT" [CLR] [DN] [DN] FILE ";N;" HAS BEEN FOUND."
610 PRINT" [DN] PRESS 'STOP' ON THE CASSETTE."
620 PRINT"[DD] NOW YOU MAY ACCESS THE PILE NORMALLY"
630 PRINT" [DHIOR"
640 PRINT"[DM]SAVE A NEW FILE ON THE TAPE AT"
650 PRINT"[DM]THIS POINT."
660 PRINT" [DN] (DN] (DN] WOULD YOU LIKE INSTRUCTIONS FOR UPDATING"
670 PRINT"THIS PROGRAM WHEN ADDING A NEW FILE?"
680 PRINT"[DN]";: INPUT AS
690 IF AS="YES" THEN GOSUN 1300
700 PRINT" (CLR) [DN] [DN] [DN] WOULD YOU LIKE TO COMPUTE THE NUMBER"
710 PRINT"OF JIFFIES REQUIRED FOR THIS FILE?"
720 PRINT" (DUIL"; : INPUT AS
730 IF AS="YES" THEN GOSUB 1400
740 PRINT" [DN] THAT'S IT. "
750 END
888 DATA 325,700,5
1000 IF PERK(519)=0 THEN POKE 519,52:POKE 59411,61:RETURN 1010 IF PERK(520)=0 THEN POKE 520,1:POKE 59456,223:RETURN
1020 IF PUEK (249) = 0 THEN PORE 249,52:PORE 59411,61:RETURN 1030 IF PUEK (250) = 0 THEN PORE 250,1:PORE 59456,223:RETURN
1100 POKE 59411,53:TS=TI+J:PMTURN
 1110 PORE 59456,207:TS=TI+J:RETURN
 1120 POKE 59411,53:TS=TT+J:RETURN
 1130 POKE 59456,207:TS=TI+J:RETURM
 1200 POKE 59411,61:RETURN
 1210 PORE 59456,223: PETURN
 1220 POKE 59411,61:RETURN
 1230 PORE 59456,223: RETURN
 1300 PRINT" (CLR) [DN) [DN) [DN) TWO PARTS OF THE PROGRAM SHOULD BE"
 1310 PRINT"UPDATED. "
 1320 PRINT" [DMITHE TABLE OF CONTENTS IN LINES 230"
 1330 PRINT"THROUGH 350 SHOULD DE CHANGED BY ADDING"
 1340 PRINT"THE MAME OF THE PILE ADDED.
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1350 PRINT" (DU) THE DATA STATEMENT IN LINE 388 SHOULD" 1350 PRINT THE DAY AS A STATEMENT IN THE SEA SHOWN
1360 PRINT"HILE ADDED TO IT."
1380 PRINT"HILE ADDED TO IT."
1385 PRINT"HESS SPACE PAR TO CONTINUE"
1390 GET AS:IF AS="" THEM 1390 1399 RETURN 1400 PRINT"[CLR][DN][DN][DN]THE NUMBER OF JIFFIES REQUIRED TO"
1410 PRINT"FAST FORWARD OVER A FILE DEPENDS ON THE"
1420 PRINT"SIZE OF THE FILE. IF THE CISE REQUIRES" 1410 PRINT FART FORWARD OVER A FILE DEPENDS ON THE"
1420 PRINT"SIZE OF THE FILE. IF THE FILE REQUIRES"
1430 PRINT"2.1K OF MEMORY IT WILL TAKE A SCALL"
1440 PRINT"HUMBER OF JIFFIES. IF THE FILE REQUIRES"
1450 PRINT"HEODIRED." 1470 PRINT" [DUI] [DUI] HOW MANY BYTES OF MEMORY ARE REQUIRED"
1480 PRINT" FOR THE FILE?" 1490 PRINT"[NC] (PLEASE GIVE A NUMBER LIKE 2.1 OR 11.8)" 1500 PRINT" [DM] ";: INPUT M 1510 Int=n*1000 1520 JJ=188/15 1530 PRINT"[DN]"; JJ; " IS THE PUBBER OF TIFFIES" 1540 PRINT" [DI] [DI] DOULD YOU LIKE TO COMPUTE THE MUMBER" 1550 PRINT"OF JIEFIES FOR AMOTHER FILE?" 1560 PRINT"[DN]";:IMPUT AS 1570 IF AS="YES" THEN GOTO 1470 1580 RETURN [LC] **CURSOR LEFT** [CLR] **CLEAR SCREEN İRC**İ **CURSOR RIGHT** [DN] **CURSOR DOWN** ไปยา IRVI REVERSE CURSOR UP [RVOFF] REVERSE OFF [HM] CURSOR HOME

with two cassettes, one for tapes to be copied from and one for the tape to be copied to. However, I will not assume two cassettes are available in these instructions.

First, one needs a long tape with TAPE BACKUP saved as the first file. Load and run the program. DO NOT REWIND THE TAPE. The tape is now ready for saving your backup

file '0'. Take the backup tape out of the cassette and put the tape to be copied from in the cassette and load that program. Once the program is loaded type PRINT FRE(0). That will give the amount of RAM left. If that number is subtracted from the RAM available you then know the amount of RAM used by the program. Take the program tape out and insert the backup tape which is still at the position it was after loading TAPE BACKUP. Save the program at this point. Rewind the tape and load TAPE BACKUP again. Add the name of the new file to the table of contents. Then type RUN 1400 to compute the jiffies needed, and add this to the data statement in line 888. To save a second program run TAPE BACKUP again asking for file '1'. The program will fast forward over your '0' file and be in place for saving file '1'. Then repeat the steps outlined above.

To access a file is even simpler. Load TAPE BACKUP. Specify the file you want to access. The program will fast forward to that file, and you load the program.

To save or access a data file (as opposed to a program) you need a program that will read and write the data file. Load TAPE BACKUP. When it has fast forwarded to the appropriate location take the backup tape out and load the program to read and write the data file. Read the data file, and take that tape out. Put the backup tape in the cassette, and write the data file.

Making multiple file backup tapes is always a rather boring task; it is one of the overhead costs of having a tape based system. But this program takes a good deal of the drudgery out of the task.

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PET Vet

by Loren Wright PET Specialist MICRO Staff

Documentation on the PET is definitely improving, both from Commodore and from independent sources. PET veterans remember all the trouble they had in getting information, and I won't go into a long dissertation on Commodore's past inadequacies in this area. Neophytes can be assured that they won't have any of the same problems.

Commodore currently has available PET User Manual (BASIC 2.0, \$9.95), PET User Manual (BASIC 3.0, \$9.95), CBM User Manual (BASIC 3.0, \$9.95) and CBM User Guide (\$7.95). As this column goes to press, a manual covering the 4.0 BASIC (Point of Reference Manual) has just been released. When the magazine reaches you, a manual covering the 51/4" Floppy Disk should be available. Neither was available in time for this column, but both sound as if they would be valuable.

Recently several books applicable to the PET have appeared independently of Commodore. For the PET user who is new to both BASIC programming and the PET, Hands-On BASIC with a PET by Herbert D. Peckham (McGraw-Hill, 1979, \$10.95) is an excellent starting point. Each chapter begins with specific learning objectives, progresses to a hands-on discovery session, then a discussion, and finally a quiz. Thinking is encouraged by "What do you think with happen if...?" Many illustrations of the PET's output and cartoons are liberally used to convey important points.

PET/CBM Personal Computer Guide by Carroll S. Donahue and Janice K. Enger (Osborne/McGraw-Hill, 1980, \$14.95) is the comprehensive reference manual everyone hoped would come from Commodore. It is Commodore-authorized, which means, I imagine, that Commodore provided a lot of Information and reviewed the manuscript. It is clearly written, well-organized, and prolifically illustrated. There are many programming hints, although the book is not intended as a programming manual.

The authors make liberal use in the text of photos, keyboard diagrams, flow charts, and actual PET output. All of the essential charts and tables (memory maps, ASCII and PEEK/POKE codes, error messages, and lots more) are included in an appendix. Whenever there is a difference between operation with old and upgrade ROMs this is clearly pointed out. The book lacks interfacing information, and assembly language is only touched upon, but otherwise it is an invaluable reference for every PET owner. The book is currently being revised and expanded to cover all three BASICs and all of the Commodore peripherals. The new edition, due in November, will be enclosed with all new PETs sold.

PET and IEEE 488 Bus (GPIB) by Eugene Fisher and C.W. Jensen (Osborne/McGraw-Hill, 1980, \$14.95) covers

just about everything you need to know about the GPIB. Even if you only want to understand the bus on an intuitive level, the book is designed to accomodate you. Of course, if you want timing diagrams and schematics, those are here too. Once you start reading it, you will probably find youself learning more than you had originally intended. The cartoons, aside from entertaining, actually reinforce the essential concepts. An especially valuable feature of the book is a section giving detailed instructions for using five different peripherals with the PET on the bus. Another is a section on adapting non-standard devices to the bus. Many PET owners fail to realize the potential of that mysterious connector back there between the power cord and the parallel user port. This book should get many reluctant users to actually use it!

Another book — PET Machine Language Guide — is available from Abacus Software (P.O. Box 7211, Grand Rapids, MI 49510, \$6.95 plus \$.70 postage). It covers a wide range of necessary operations, such as arithmetic, address handling, and input/output. Also included are detailed descriptions of many of PET's own routines.

Some Common BASIC Programs, PET edition by Poole, Borchers and Donahue (Osborne/McGraw-Hill, \$12.50), should be valuable, too. Unlike other books of BASIC programs available, this book contains programs that will work in your PET without having to be converted from some other kind of BASIC. Also, the programs are available on 51/4" floppy disk and cassette.

With the increased attention to documentation on the part of Commodore, and with the arrival of these excellent independent works, the PET is now finally being well served, and it looks as if things are going to be getting even better.

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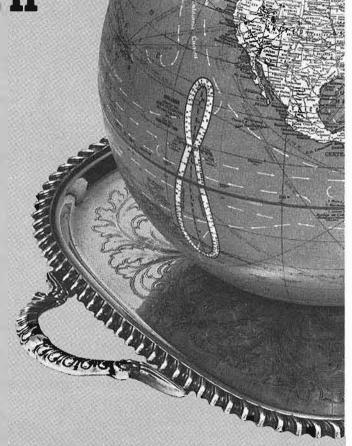
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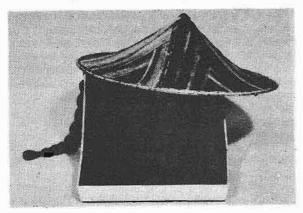
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Challenger 1P series personal computers are extremely versatile in educational computing applications. Once the user gets involved in the educational applications of these machines, he will quickly consider them a necessity in the educational process.

Young children from kindergarten to grade six are expecially attracted to computers. As the child's reading ability develops he quickly masters the elementary operations of the computer. It is not at all unusual for six-year old children to respond to mathematical problems on a personal computer. Children's natural fascination with computers in conjunction with C1P's cartoon-like interactive capability make the computer highly valuable in a modern educational environment. Programs which teach, tutor and drill students in virtually all areas of education can be easily program med on the Challenger 1P system. Ohio Scientific has a full library of several types of educational games which can be used as an example in programming such applications. These programs range from a simple "Sesame Street" type arithmetic cartoon through mathematical drills, to word games such as "Hanoman".

Another broad area of education is in teaching computer fundamentals. The Challenger 1P utilizes the most popular upper level language, BASIC, in a very complete and concise implementation. With the Challenger 1P the user can teach or learn BASIC in conjunction with any of the commonly available text books on the BASIC programming language. The C1P series machines have full machine code accessibility including the machine code monitor so that advanced students can enter, edit and execute machine programs. A very fast and interactive assembler/editor is available to run on Challenger 1P machines so that students can be introduced to the concepts of assembler programming and editing.

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Advanced Applications

There are many other applications of the basic 1P machines that have not been mentioned here. The C1P Series 2 mini-floppy provides the user with the extra convenience of virtually instantaneous loading and storing of programs on mini-floppy disks. The addition of a mini-floppy disk drive to the C1P also provides convenient construction and access of data files. Using the file capabilities of the C1P MF, an educator can develop an interactive textbook with a quick access data base for any educational topic. In the home, the data file operation of the mini-floppy makes the Challenger 1P a deluxe personal service computer giving the user easy access to phone numbers, a personal calendar, addresses and other file-type information.

C1P Series 2 Expansion

The 630 I/O Expander board is available for addition to either the C1P or C1P MF. This board provides the C1P with the state-of-the-art in input/output capabilities rivaling the most expensive small computer systems available today. This board allows direct interface with joysticks, remote keypads, AC remote control units, home security system and more. It also substantially enhances the video display capabilities of the Series 2 models in the Challenger 1P line by allowing the display of up to 16 colors with any of the standard 256 graphics characters. The color is available either as standard composite video or with RGB (red-green-blue) direct color drive.

MS PLANNER

Ohlo Scientific, Inc. is pleased to introduce MDMS Planner, a preprogrammed computer system for the home computerist as well as managers and consultants.

Planner is a technical analysis computer system which was designed to perform financial planning statements and analysis projections. And because Planner is preprogrammed and very flexible, it is easy for the untrained computer user and non-technically oriented person to use. This flexibility is accomplished through the use of models.

A model is a small scale representation of a large scale event. Models are used throughout industry in far too many forms to mention, but a common and familiar type of model is the wind tunnel.

The wind tunnel has made possible great achievements in the field of aerodynamics, because of three characteristics it shares with other types of models: precision, efficiency, and relatively low cost. Just think of the difference in working with a six-foot model as opposed to a full-sized aircraft. The model allows for more precise measurements of any variance; it can be adjusted more efficiently and simply than full scale systems, and it costs much, much less, both in intitial investment and redesign.

Financial modeling shares these desirable features with other types of modeling and is similar in concept. While the wind tunnel, financial modeling can be useful everyone, from home budgeters to plant managers

and consultants. Anyone who needs to know where money is going (or should be going!) can benefit from financial modeling.

Moreover, Planner provides a means of storing models and their results on disk, each stored in separate data files. This allows the user to recall a model and/or a given set of results for future use. Such a feature saves time by not having to re-enter models and/or results (or vice versa) since both are stored separately.

When constructing a model, the user must lay out and design it by defining the lines and columns that should exist. This includes specifying title lines (/T), blank lines (/), single (/-), and double underlining (/=) (Example 1 and 2). Example 1 illustrates lines that might be used in a home budget. After each line is entered, it is formatted and displayed to the right of its entry. Example 2 illustrates columns that might be used for the same home budget. Like Example 1, after each column is entered, it is formatted and reprinted.

Example 1

LINE EDIT: AUP ADOWN ACOPY AMONTHS AWIDTH AEDIT AC A>

BUDGET 1980/T INCOME/T	BUDGET 1980 INCOME	
/- SALARY BONUS	SALARY BONUS	(4) (5)
/- TOTAL INCOME	TOTAL INCOME	(7)
EXPENDITURES/T	EXPENDITURES	
GROCERY UTILITIES CAR PYMT & TRANS HOUSE PYMT & HAINT INSURANCE SAVINGS CLOTHING MEDICAL RECREATION	GROCERY UTILITIES CAR PYMT & TRANS HOUSE PYMT & MAINT INSURANCE SAVINGS CLOTHING MEDICAL RECREATION	(11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19)

Example 2

COLUMN EDIT: ALEFT ARIGHT ACOPY AMONTHS AWIDTH AEXIT AC A>

JAN/80 FEB/80 MAR/80 APR/80 MAY/80 JUN/80 JUL/80 AUG/80 SEPT/80

CURSOR AT C1 FORMATS: /L /R /\$ /% /I

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Example 3

RULE EDIT: AUP ADOWN ACOPY AEXIT A< A>

ADD L% L5, SAVE L7 MUL L4 BY 12%, SAVE L11 MUL L4 BY 5%, SAVE L16 MUL L7 by 10%, SAVE L19 MUL L7 BY 10%, SAVE L20 NUL L7 BY 35%, SAVE L19, C6 MUL L7 BY 15%, SAVE L20, C6 MUL L4 BY 20%, SAVE L11, C12 MUL L7 BY 25%, SAVE L20, C12 TOT L11 THR L21, SAVE L23 DIV L23 BY L7, SAVE L24 SUB L23 FROM L7, SAVE L25 TOT C1 THR C12, SAVE C13

RULE #1

OPERATIONS: ADD, SUB, MUL, DIV, AVE, FIL, TOT, MAX, MIN, GRO

The initial values and amounts of the lines and columns are then entered. Finally, the calculations, or what is referred to as the rules to be performed on the lines and columns, are entered. Example 3 is a list of rules that might be run on the home budget example. For instance, rule two (MUL L4 BY 12%, SAVE L11" in English means "multiply line 4 by 12% and save the answer in line 11". A simpler interpretation is that the grocery bill will be 12% of each month's salary.

Planner is an unstructured system which allows the user to set up models and perform specific operations with a single key stroke. Models may be executed and set up in any fashion and can be edited and re-entered, allowing the user to run a "What If" pro forma calculation (Example 4), budgets (Example 5), etc. Because Planner is a semi-screen formatted system, formatted and easy to read reports and worksheets can be displayed on both the console and line printer.

Example 4: "What if" my sales for the first quarter were one million dollars, cost of sales were \$530,000 and sales grew by 25% for the remaining three quarters, but the cost of sales only increased by 20%. What would gross profit be per quarter? Per year? (See copy of pro forma

Example 4

This is an example of a "What If" pro forma calculation!

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INCOME		1ST QTR	2ND GTR	3RD QTR	4TH QTR	AHNUAL
SALES	(3)	1000000.00	e. 00	0. 66	Ø. 0 8	B. 9Ç
COST OF SALES	(4)	538000. RR	D. 90	e. 88	୧. ୧୯	8. 86
	FFREEDEF					
GROSS PROFIT	(6)	8. 88	B. 00	8. 88	9. 88	8. 80

This is an example of a "What It" pro forma calculation!

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INCOHE		1ST QTR	2ND QTR	3RD QTR	4TH DTR	ANNUAL
SALES	(3)	1000000.00	1250988. 88	1562500, 00	1953125, 66	2441406, 25
COST OF SALES	(4)	539.000.00	636888.88	763288. 88	915848. 86	1099008, 00
****************				******	*******	*******
GROSS PROFIT	(6)	478660.80	614000.00	799300.80	1837285. 88	1342398, 25

Example 5: Now that I have received a raise, can the cost of leasing a car and transportation expenses (leasing and transportation cost estimated at \$68.00/mo) fit in my budget? Keep in mind that groceries are 12% of my salary, utilities fluctuate according to seasons, savings are 5% of salary, recreation is 10% of income, and

contributions and gifts are 10% of income. All other expenses are fixed amounts.

Note: Twice a year a \$500 bonus is given: Vacation (June) and Christmas, thus causing more money to be needed for certain expenditures in June and December. (See copy of budget.)

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Example 5

Bob & Nancy Jones |Monthly Budget |For 1980

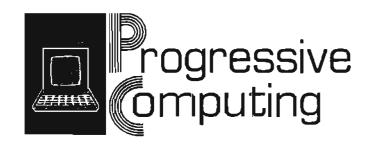
(Which includes the additional expense of leasing a car)

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BUDGET 1988 INCOME		08\NAL	FEB/80	MRR/00	APR/68	MAY/90	JUN/80	JUL/	80
SALARY	(4)	921, 49	939. 21	950. 00	954. 87	950. 96	950.	0 9 93 0.	71
BONUS	(5)	9. 99	0. 00		9. 90	0. 00	508.		90
TOTAL INCOME	(7)		939. 21	950. 08	954. RT	950.00	1459.	00 930 <i>.</i>	71
EXPENDITURES		****		~			<u>.</u>		
GROCERY	(11)	110. 58	112. 71	114. 00	114. 58	114, 90			
UTILITIES	(12)	178. 88	178. 00	133.00	140.00	125. 00			
CAR PYMT & TRANS	(13)	68. 99	68. 99	68. 99	68. 00	68. 00			
HOUSE PYMT & MAINT	(14)	215. 00	215. 00	213. 80			215.		
INSURANCE	(15)	62. 50	62, 50	62. 50	62. 50	62. 50			
SRVINGS	(16)	46. 07	46. 96	47, 50	47. 74	47, 36		58 46.	
CLOTHING	(17)	20. 00	20. 00	20.00	20. 00	20. 70	3 20.		
MEDICAL	(18)	25. 00	25. 08	25. 00	25. 00	25, 00		00 25.	
RECREPTION	(えタ)	92. 15	93. 92	95. 80	95. 49		3 507.		
CONTRIB & GIFTS	(20)	92. 15	93. 92	95. 00	95. 49	95. 00		59 93.	
MISC.	(21)	20. 00	20. 00	20. 00	20.00	20, 00	50.		
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			928. 01		903. 80	887. 86	1437.	00 949.	86
PERCENTAGE/INCOME	(24)	100. 0%	98. B%	96, 5%	94. 7%	93. 47	39.	_	
UNBUDGETED MONEY	(25)	0, 84	11. 20	33. 66	51. 07	63. 00	13 .	00 80.	85
BUDGET 1980 Income		AUG/80	SEP/80	OCT/80	NOV/89	DE	C/80	12/31/ PAGE 2 ANNUAL	
SALARY	(4)	953, 00	967. 18	942. 26	983	: 64	997.77	11440	13
RONUS	(5)	9. 00	8. 00	0. 00	e	. 00	500.00	1600	
TOTAL INCOME	(7)		967. 18	942. 26	983		1497. 77	12440	. 13
EXPENDITURES									
GROCERY	(11)	114. 36	116. 86	113. 07	118	. 84	199. 55	1452	. 64
UTILITIES	(12)	95. 80	110.00	125. 00	140	. 80	155.00	1578	. 00
CAR PYMT & TRANS	(13)	68. 00	68. 00	68. 88	68	. 00	68. 00	816	. 00
HOUSE PYMT & MAINT	(14)	215, 00	215. 00	215. 88	215	. 00	215, 00	2580	. 00
INSURANCE	(15)	62. 50	62. 50	62. 50	62	. 50	62, 50	750	. 00
SAVINGS	(16)	47, 65	48. 36	47. 11	49	. 18	49, 89	572	. 01
CLOTHING	(17)	28. 99	20. 00	20. 00	20	. 00	125, 00	345	
MEDICAL	(18)	25. 00	25. 99	25. 00	25	. 90	25. 08	300	. 90
RECREATION	(19)	95. 38	96. 72	94, 23	98	. 36	149, 78	1606	
CONTRIB & GIFTS	(98)	95. 30	96. 7 2	94. 23	96	. 36	374, 44	1541	. 18
MISC.	(21)		20, 00	20. 88	_	. 00	70. 00	320	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	(23)	858. 11	878. 36	884, 14			1494. 16	11273	
PERCENTAGE/INCOME	(24)	90, 0%	90. 8%	93. 8%	93	. 8%	99. 8%	1141	. 2%
UNBUDGETED MONEY	(25)	94. 89	88. 82	56, 12	69	. 19	3, 61	566	

After reviewing the results of the model, the user can change any or all of these values. Immediately reexecute the model and instantly obtain new results. This process can be repeated as many times as needed. This feature is what makes Planner so astounding! It allows the user to actually see what future benefits or losses which could occur under the given set of circumstances.

Many business administrators spend much time forecasting the likely effects of business transactions for a distinct period of time. Planner provides the essentials to perform such forecasting along with profit and loss projections, budgets, make/buy decision analyses, cost extimating, etc. Planner uses are limited solely to the imagination of the user.



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Paged Printer Output for the APPLE

Improve the format of your printed output by adding a page mode to your system.

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If you have ever sent output to a printer you have probably become very annoyed when the output continued from the the very end of one page and then on to the next. Wouldn't it be nice if the printer would automatically scroll to the top of a new page when it got near the bottom of the previous one? Of course it would, and the PAGER program will do it for you. PAGER will count the number of line feeds that are sent by APPLE to the printer and when this total reaches 54, twelve blank lines will be generated to automatically bring you to the top of the next eleven-inch page. PAGER can be used from within a program or from immediateexecution mode. It is extremely useful for LISTing long programs page by page.

PAGER, the source listing of which appears below, has been written for use with a serial printer that Is connected to the APPLE serial interface card. If PAGER is to be used in conjunction with a parallel printer connected to the APPLE parallel interface card, two bytes of the routine must first be changed. To make these changes, load PAGER, and then enter the following two commands from BASIC:

POKE 785,2 POKE 812,2

The modified program should then be saved.

In order to change the number of lines that are printed before PAGER causes the paper to scroll to the top of the next page, enter the command POKE 798,LP from BASIC, where LP is the required number of lines per page.

In order to change page length, enter POKE 804,PL from BASIC, where PL is six times the length of the page (in inches). For example, for an eleven inch page, PL=66. Note that PL must be greater than LP.

Output to the printer can be stopped after each page is printed by entering a POKE 822,1 command before activating PAGER. To proceed after a page has been printed, simply press any key on the keyboard. This 'page pause' feature must be used when the user is feeding each piece of paper to the printer manually. To turn off the 'page pause', enter a POKE 822,0 command.

Instructions for Use Within a Program

The following sequence should be used to turn the printer on and off from within a BASIC program:

5 D\$ = CHR\$(4) 10 PRINT D\$;"PR#1"

20 LW = 132 : REM LINE WIDTH 30 PRINT CHR\$(9);LW;"N" : PRINT CHR\$(9); "K"

40 CALL 768 : REM TURN ON PAGER

. (Generate Output)

50 PRINT D\$;"PR#0" 0 : REM TURN PRINTER OFF

If DOS is not being used, change line 10 to PR#1 and line 50 to PR#0 and delete line 5. If a serial printer is being used, delete lines 10, 20, and 30.

Instructions for Use Outside a Program

If a serial printer is involved, PAGER can be activated by a CALL 768 from BASIC. It can be deactivated by a PR#0. If a parallel printer is involved, PAGER can be activated by performing the following four steps:

- 1. Enter PR#1
- 2. Enter CTRL-I 132N (132 or other line width).
- 3. Enter CTRL-I K
- 4. Enter CALL 768

It can be deactivated by a PR#0.

Additional Notes:

- 1. Remember to set the DIP switches on the serial printer interface card for the appropriate baud rate and line width before activating PAGER.
- 2. Remember to adjust the paper in the printer so that the first line printed will be at the desired starting position before activating PAGER.
- 3. Make sure that a PRINTed line will not exceed the line width which has been set for the printer. If it does, then the overflow will appear on the next line and this line will not be taken into account by PAGER.

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*******
                   3
                         * PAGER
                   5
                         * RY GARY LITTLE
                   6
                           #101-2044 WEST THIRD AVENUE
                         * VANCOUVER B.C. V6J 11.5
                   10
                         A INSTRUCTIONS:
                   11
                         * POSITION THE PAPER IN YOUR * PRINTER AND THEN CALL 768
                   12
                   13
                           FROM BASIC TO ACTIVATE
THIS ROUTINE. TO DEACTIVATE,
                           ENTER A PR#O.
                   17
                   18
                         * PAGE PAUSE FEATURE:
                              POKE 822,0 TO TURN OFF
POKE 822,1 TO TURN ON
                   19
                   20
                   21
                   22
                           LINES PRINTED PER PAGE:
                   23
                              POKE 798, LP
                   24
                   25
                         * PAGE LENGTH:
                   26
                             POKE 804, PL
                   27
                         * DESCRIPTION:
                   28
                   29
                   30
                           THIS ROUTINE WILL SEND 'PL-LP'
                   31
                         * BLANK LINES TO THE PRINTER
                   32
                         * AFTER 'LP' LINES HAVE BEEN
                   33
                         * SENT BY THE USER.
                   34
                         * DEFAULTS:
                   35
                   36
                              LP = 54
PL = 66 (11" FAPER)
                   37
                   38
                               PAGE PAUSE OFF
                   39
                   40
                                         ***********
                                          $6
                   41
                         COUNT
                                    EQU
                                                      LINE COUNT STURAGE
                                          $36
$3KA
                   42
                         CSWL
                                    EQU
                                                      OUTPUT HOOK
DOS I/O UPDATE HOOK
                   43
                         DOS
                                    F.OU
                         KBD
                                    EQU
                                          $0000
                                                      KEYBOARD
                                          $0010
                         STRB
                                    EQU
                                                      KEYROARD STROBE
                         PRINT
                                     EQU
                                          $6100
                                                      PR#) SERIAL OUTPUT
                   47
                                    ORG
                                          $300
0300: A9 OF
                   48
                                    T.DA
                                          # <START
                                                      SET OUTPUT HOOK
0302: 85 36
                   49
                                                       TO START OF ROUTINE.
                                          CSWL.
                                    ATZ
0304: A9 03
                   50
                                    LUA
                                          #>START
0306: 85 37
                                    STA
                                          CSWL+1
0308: A9 00
                                    1.DA
                                          #500
                                                      ZERO THE LINE COUNTER.
030A: 85 06
                   53
                                          COHNI
                                    STA
030C: 4C EA 03
                                    JMP
                                          DOS
                                                      GIVE NEW HOUK TO DOS.
030F: 48
                   55
                         START
                                    PHA
                                                     ; ROUTINE STARTS HERE.
0310: 20 00 01
                   56
                                    ISR
                                          PRINT
                                                      SEND CHARACTER TO PRINTER.
0313: 68
                   57
                                    PLA
0314: C9 BD
                   59
                                    CSP
                                          6380
                                                      CARRIAGE RETURN?
0316: 10 01
                   60
                                    SEQ
                                          LINE
                                                      BRANCH IF IT IS.
                         NEXT
0318: 50
                   6.1
                                     ETS
$319: 10 06
                                                      INCREMENT LINE COUNT.
                   62
                         LINE
                                    136
                                          COUNT
0318: A5 06
                   63
                                    LUA
                                          COUNT
                                                      LINE COUNT = 54?
#31b: 69 36
                   64
                                    CMP
                                          ×536
                                          KEXT
                                                      IF NOT, THEN RETURN.
0317: 00 F7
                   65
                                     BNE
0321: A5 06
                         RLANK
                                    LIVA
                                          сопкт
0323: 09 42
                   67
                                    CMP
                                          8542
                                                      PAGE LENGTH MET?
0325: FO 0A
0327: E6 06
                   68
                                     038
                                          4001
                                                      INCREMENT THE COUNTER
                                          COUNT
                   64
                                     INC
0129; A9 8A
                   70
                                                     LOAD A LINE FEED
                                    1. D A
                                          # 58A
                                                      AND SEND IT TO THE PRINTER
0328: 20 00 01
                   71
                                    JSR
                                          TRING
032E: 38
                                     SEC
032F: 80 FO
                   73
                                     ILCS
                                          BLANK
0331: A9 90
                   74
                         LCOP
                                    LDA
                                          #500
                                                      ZERO THE COUNTER.
0333: 85 06
                   75
                                    STA
                                          COUNT
                                                     CHANGE TO LDA #SOL TO
0335: A9 00
                   76
                                    I.DA
                                          6500
                                                     GET 'PAGE PAUSE'.
WAIT FOR KEYPERSS
0337; FO 08
                   77
                                     RYO
                                          DOME
                   78
0339: 2C 00 CO
                                          KSD
                         AGAIS
                                    HIT
0330: 10 лв
                                          AGAIN
                                                       BEFORE CONTINUING.
                                     BPL
033E: 20 10 CD
                                                      CLEAR KEYBOARD STROBE.
                   80
                                          STRR
0341: 60
                   81
                         DONE
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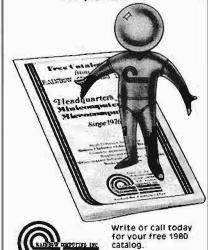
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3. System software requirements: No special requirements.

4. Product features: The program is designed to assist in the study and memorizing of 27 wellknown pieces of literature including prose, poems and songs. Such diverse items as "The 23rd Psalm," "The Bill of Rights," "Casey at the Bat," and several Shakespearean Items are included. Graphics are used to excellent advantage to keep the various readings interesting and a "Hangman" type of "guess the word" system is used to assist in memorizing when necessary.

5. Product performance: Performance is very good and the product represents a novel approach to

learning.

8. Product quality: The program seems very well written and no problems were encountered during extensive testing.

7. Product limitations: There are no unusual product limitations.

B. Product documentation: Very little written documentation is furnished; however, none is really required as the introductory instructions on the disk are very thorough.

9. Special user requirements: There are no special user requirements.

10. Price/Feature/Quality evaluation: The price of \$24.95 seems reasonable in relation to the amount of programming involved and the overall high quality of the product.

11. Additional comments: It should be noted that the disk is "locked" to prevent unauthorized copies and thus backup copies cannot be made. However, the manufacturer does offer to replace any disk which becomes damaged for a \$10.00 charge.

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Biorhythm: An AIM BASIC Programming Excercise

Whether or not you believe in biorhythm theory, the programs presented here make an interesting demonstration and provide some useful techniques for using the AIM and its printer.

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The natural, regularly repeating rhythms of our world continually affect our daily lives. The sun and moon appear and disappear, the tides rise and fall and the seasons change. In all life, regular cycles are seen. Early in this century various researchers found evidence supporting the cyclic nature of human behavior. Through the years a body of "biorhythm" theory has evolved.

Physical, emotional and intellectual biorythm cycles begin at birth and continue throughout life. The rhythm of physical capacity covers 23 days, high during the first half of the cycle and low during the second. The first 14 days of the 28 day emotional or sensitivity cycle reflect cheerfulness and optimism followed by and emotionally negative period. Similarly, the cycle of intellectual capacity covers 33 days. In the positive half cycle, individuals are more mentally alert and capable. While in the latter half, thinking capacity is reduced and concentration is more difficult.

The day when the cycle changes from low to high or from high to low is a critical day. Accident studies have shown that a high percentage of accidents occur on critical days. On those days when more than one cycle crosses the baseline, a person is likely to be especially accident prone.

A biorhythm chart for a person born April 1, 1980 Is shown in figure 1. Days when the curve is to the right of center are high and those to the left are low. Physical, emotional and intellectual cycles are labeled "P", "E", and "I" respectively. Critical days, zero crossings, are labeled "C". The program described in this article will provide a calendar and biorythm chart for the month you select.

Whether or not such cycles are really accurate, developing a routine to determine and plot them is an Interesting AIM BASIC programming exercise. I was encouraged to do such an exercise when Mel Evans' Perpetual Calendar (MICRO April 1980, 23:27) proved such a hit with my family.

To chart the cycles, the time between birth and chart date is needed. A BASIC program to do this appeared in BYTE ("Day of The Week and Elapsed Time Programs", W. B. Agocs, September, 1979, p. 126). This program readily translated into AIM BASIC, but its 12 × 31 matrix occupied too much memory. Further, it produced an incorrect result, 365 or 366 days too large, when computing for dates in adjacent years.

It was possible to ues most of this program by substituting some simple arithmetic for the matrix. The er-

ror for adjacent years developed from the way the number of days was computed. For years between birth and chart year, 365 or 366 days were added to the sum of days in a loop which checked for leap year. For adjacent years event though there are no intervening years, the loop cycled once, at least in AIM BASIC, adding an extra year's days. In the program presented in this article, the difficulty is corrected (in step 401) by zeroing the extra days. The algorithm used in place of the matrix to find days in a year to a certain date is shown below.

Let: M = Month (a number 1 to 12) D = Day of month (1 to 31)

S = Sum of days

MC = Correction to number of days for months of less than 31

Then: S = D + 31*(M-1)-MC

In the program the correction is stored in string variable, M\$ = "003344555667". The correction for the month is selected by reading the digit corresponding to the month, 0 for January and February, 3 for March and April, etc. For leap years, an additional day is added for months after February. The calculations are:

MC = VAL (MID\$(M\$, M, 1))

If M > 2 then S = S + L

Note: L = 1 leap year L = 0 otherwise

FIGURE 1, BIORHYTHM FOR BIRTH APR. 1, 1388 You might want to check the calculation. Simply add the following:

590 PRINT'"DAYS BET WEEN", M1, "/"; D1; "/"Y 1; "AND" 600 PRINTIM2, "/ 1/" ; Y2 610 301010

Once the number of days has been computed, starting values for the biorythm sine functions are determined by subtracting the integer number of periods since birth. A natural temptation here is to compute and save all the biorythm curve values in a matrix for later plotting. Again the limited memory dictates computing, formatting and printing each day's values in sequence.

The routine to plot the cycle values assembles a twenty element printer line in a string statement, one element at a time. In this case, space eleven was chosen as the center of the plot and sine values allowed to vary nine spaces right or left. Sine values are sorted after converting to strings and adding a plotting symbol (P, E, or I). Two symbols in the same slot are plotted as an asterisk. Date is plotted in the center except at zero crossing where "C" (for critical) is plotted.

The program presented here is not as neat and pretty as it might be. Instructions for input data format, which reasonably should be included, have been omitted to save memory space. Where possible, "pirated programs" have been left intact. Some effort has been made to conserve memory space by reusing variables and using multiple statements on a line.

The program will run with print control "OFF", so that only the output information is printed. The program listing has a number of REM statements for clarity. These should be omitted when entering the program, as there is insufficient memory.

A sample Biorhythm produced by the program is shown in figure 2.

For anyone desiring further information on Biorhythms. The following publications provide a good start.

 Biorhythm: A Personal Science, Bernard Gittelson, Arco Publishing Company, 2nd Ed 1976

810RYTHN CHART	
FOR: DAVID BURCHER	
BORN, WEDNESDAY	
JULY, 9 . 1969 **** APRIL 1988 - **	-
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FIGURE 2. BIORHYTHM CHART PRINTED BY THE PROGRAM FOR AUTHOR'S SON.	

- 2. Blorhythm Sports Forecasting, Bernard Gittelson, Arco Publishing Company, 1977
- 3. Is This Your Day?, George Thommen, Crown Publishers, Inc., Rev Ed 1973

1 REM BIORHYTHM WITH CALEN-DAR 5 REM USER DATE INPUTS

	[\$= "	
	BI\$="***BIORYTH# RT***"	
12	PRINT!LS, BIS, LS	
	[]到了家=",	
	IMPUT"NAME"; NS IMPUT"E1RTH DATE	
	/YY";M1;D1;Y1 INPUT"CHART DATE	
선건무	P: M2, 부2	

90 REM COMPUTE DAYS BETWEEN DATES IN SAME YEAR

```
100 IFY2-Y1=0THEN12
0
110 GOTO220
120 M=M1:D=D1
125 IFY1/4-INT(Y1/4)=0THEN150
130 L=0:00SUB450
140 GOTO160
150 L=1:GOSUB450
160 S1=S
170 M=M2:D=1 GOSUB4
```

Note: To conserve memory space, no input instructions have been coded. Names should be 15 digits or less. Dates are input:

Month - 2 digits Date - 2 digits Year - 4 digits

200 REM COMPUTE DAYS BETWEEN DATES

```
220 S=0:M=M1:D=D1
230 FORI=Y1+1T0Y2-1
240 IFI/4-INT(I/4)=
0THEN270
250 S=S+365.GOT0280
270 S=S+366
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188 NEXTI
 285 S4=S
 298 IFY1/4-1MT(Y1/4
)=0THEN328
 ]60 L=0:605UB450
 314 8870350
 320
     _=1:805UB450
    91=366-5 007006
 350 31=365-9
  80 M=M2:D=1
 181 IFY2/4-INT(Y2/4
)=0THEN390
 378 L=0:605U8450
 388 G6T0400
 290 L=1:60SUB45@
 468 SS=S
 461 IFY2-Y1=1THENS$
=\bar{g}
 410 33=54+51+52
 420 60T0580
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440 REM DAYS IN YEAR TO DATE SUBROUTINE

```
450 S=0+(M-1)*31
480 M$="00334455566
7"
470 S=3- AL: "105(M$)
480 IFMO2THENS=S+L
450 RETURN
```

500 REM USING ZELLERS CONGRUENCE 510 REM CALCULATE THE STARTING DAYS OF WEEK BIRTH DATE FIRST

```
588 REM
 630 S=0
 $35 Y=Y1:M=M1:D=D1
    -JFM=10RM=2THENS
 548
39
 550 GCT0705
 650 [FM=1THEN690
 670 M=12
 680 00T0708
     M=11
     7=Y-1:60T5710
 765 产=鲜-2
 710 C=INT(Y/188+, 88
5 1 4 Z= Y-0*100
 711 C=IMT(2.6*M- 1)
부만수무집도집N(주)(무조/4+ 소)
 715 D=D+1NT(8/4+ 1)
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_-2*0
__720_D=D-INT(D/7+ 01
:*7+1
```

725 REM READ DAY AND MONTH WORDS

```
730 FORI=1TOD:READA
$.MEXTI
731 RESTORE:FORI=1T
OM1+7 READMN$:NEXTI
RESTORE
735 IFS=0THENA1$=A$
740 S=S+1
750 IFS=1THENY=Y2:D
=1 M=M2 G0T0640
```

825 REM COMPUTE NO. OF DAYS IN CHART MONTH

816 mD=="0301010010 10" MD=31-VAL(MID*(MD*, M2 1)) 827 JFM2=2THENMD=MD +L 830 R=6, 2831854

900 REM PRINT HEADER AND CALENDAR

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945 PRINT" "
 988 PRINTILE
 1000 PRINT BIS
 1001 PRINT:L$,"FOR
 <sup>23</sup>:预度
 1082 PRINT: TAB(28),
"80RN.
         ": A1$; TAB(28
D. 种障室:2、2、2 Di: 2、2、2:早主
 1818 PRINT:L#
 1013 FORI=170M2+7:R
EADMNA.NEXTI
 1031 DS=01
 1032 51$=" **** "'?
②宝丰名艾尼宝(学②):阿凡宝=阿凡宝+
무근호
 1831 SP=INT((28-LEN
(四枚字))/2)
1834 PRINTIRIGHT$(S
is, SP), MNs, LEFTs(Sis
, SP0
 1835 PRINT!" 5
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1036 F\$="":D1≃D-.5 1037 FORI=1T07 1838 DT=I-D+1 1039 IFIKD1THENF\$=F 1040 IFIDD1THENF\$=F \$+" "+CHR\$(48+DT) 1041 IFICS, 5THENF\$= 产本十"" 1042 NEXTI 1043 PRINTIFS 1044 EN=0 1045 F\$="" 1846 FORI=1707 1047 DT=DT+1:IFDTDM D+. 5THENEN=1:60T0105 1848 Di=INT(DT/18+. 05);D2=DT-10*D1 1849 IFD1K, 5THENF\$= F 金 + ** ** 1050 IPD10.5THENF\$= F\$+CHR\$(48+D1) 1851 F\$=F\$+CHR\$(48+ D20 1052 IFIK6, STHENF#= F金+11 11 1053 NEXTI:PRINT!F\$ 1054 IFENC. 5THEN104 1055 PRINT!Ls 1056 PRINT!" LOW HIGH", "----

1060 REM COMPUTE NO. OF DAYS SINCE LAST FULL CYCLE

1061 P=S3-INT(S3/23)*23)*23 1062 E=S3-INT(S3/28)*28 1063 C=S3-INT(S3/33))*33

1064 REM PLOTTING LOOP COM-PUTE P/E/I VALUES

1065 FORJ=1TOMD 1066 PP=11+INT(9*(S IN(R*P/23)+.05)) 1067 EE=11+INT(9*(S IN(R*E/28)+.05)) 1068 CC=11+INT(9*(S IN(R*C/33)+.05))

1069 REM CHG TO STRING

1070 A\$(1)=STR\$(PP) +"P" 1080 A\$(2)=STR\$(EE) +"E" 1090 A\$(3)=STR\$(CC) +"I"

1095 REM SORT, LOW FIRST

1100 F=0 1110 FORI=1T02 1120 IFVAL(A\$(I))<= VAL(A\$(I+1))THEN1170 1130 T\$=A\$(I):A\$(I) =A\$(I+1):A\$(I+1)=T\$ 1160 F=1 1170 NEXTI 1180 IFF=1THEN1100

1185 REM BUILD PRINT LINE

1190 F\$="":M=0 1280 FORI=1T03 1218 A(I)=VAL(A\$(I)):As=RIGHTs(As(I),1) 1220 IFA(I)=A(I-1)T HENFS=LEFTS(FS, LEN(F \$)-1)+S\$:GOTO1240 1230 F\$=F\$+LEFT\$(D0 T\$, ABS(A(I)-A(I-1)-1 (() 1240 NEXTI 1248 F=20-LEN(F\$) 1249 IFFD0THENF\$=F\$ +LEFT#(DOT#,F) 1250 ls=MIDs(Fs,10, 2) 1251 IFI#=" "THENI #=STR#(J):G0T01290 252 IFRIGHT\$(I\$,1) =" "THENI\$="C":LC=-1 :80T01260 1253 I\$="C":LC=-1 1250 F\$=LEFT\$(F\$,9-LC)+I\$+RIGHT\$(F\$,9) 1265 PRINT!F\$ 1266 P=P+1:E=E+1:C= 0+1 1270 NEXTJ 1275 PRINT!L#. TAB(6 8), " " 1280 00701330 1298 I\$=RIGHT\$(I\$,L

1300 REM REPEAT FOR ADDITIONAL CHARTS

-2:00T01260 1330 INPUT"MORE Y/N # ;] \$ 1348 IFI*C>"Y"THENE ND. 1350 INPUT"SAME PER 50N Y/N"; I\$ 1360 IFI = "Y"THEND1 =ns:RPSTORE:GOT050 1370 CLEAR:GOT010 1505 DATASUNDAY, MON DAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDA 1510 DATATHURSDAY, F RIDAY, SATURDAY 1515 DATAJANUARY, FE BRUARY, MARCH, SPRIL, M AY, JUNE 1520 DATAJULY, AUGUS T,SEPTEMBER,OCTOBER, NAVEMBER, DECEMBER

WHAT FOLLOWS IS A RUN FOR FRAN TARKENTON TO SHOW THE RESULT WITH THE "DAYS BETWEEN PRINT" ADDED. NOTE 80 BYTE FREE AFTER RUNNING.

NAMES 5987!"DAYS BETWEEN", Mi: "/"; Di: "/"Pi; "AND 600?!M2;"/ 1/";Y2 6187!"FRE(0)=";FRE(0 RUN 事事中是【包尼早丁目析 【0月月尺子中中》 NAME? FRAN TARKENTON BIRTH DATE MUDUY? 2 ?? 3 92 년 일4<u>월</u> CHERT DATE M/Y? 1 20 1977 THERE ARE 13482 DAYS BETWEEN 2 / 3 / 1940 AND 1 / 1/ 1977 FRE(0)= 426

EN(Is)-1);LC=LEN(Is)

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MICROPROCESSORS IN MEDICINE: THE 6502

MICRO is pleased to present here the first column in a continuing series by Jerry W. Froelich, M.D., on the 6502 microprocessor in medicine. The author provides his own introduction.

Soon after the introduction of commericial computers, the imaginative physician and engineer prophesied and advocated the extension of computers into medicine. The initial attempts to bring computers into the hospital only made it as far as the business office. Once computers became fully accepted in the business side of the hospital, various clinical applications were tried. One, in the clinical laboratory, was to process the vast amount of information generated by laboratory procedures. Another was to analyze electrocardiograms (EKGs), which seemed like "simple" signal analysis. Still another was monitoring, where the computer's "watchful eye" records, interprets, and reacts to devlances from preset parameters.

These applications met with various problems such as that of "technology transfer" (the man-machine interface), and size and cost limitations. One of the initial obstacles to widespread acceptance of clinical computer technology was the lack of collaboration between engineers and physicians. Sophisticated design did not translate, necessarily, into clinically practical information.

During the last decade, there has been maturation of our understanding, both of the technology transfer process and of the technology appropriate for medicine. During that same period, *microprocessors* became sufficiently economical, powerful, reliable and available to be useful and efficient for a broad range of medical applications.

Allow me to introduce myself. I first learned about computers in the late 60's by programming business applications on an IBM 1130, no small feat. The fruits of this labor financed my undergraduate education. At this time, I became interested in applying computers to the monitoring, modeling, and prediction of shock states in critically ill patients. In medical school, I began programming real-time applications in neurophysiology and nuclear cardiology. The bulk of this work was performed on the PDP 8, 11, and 12.

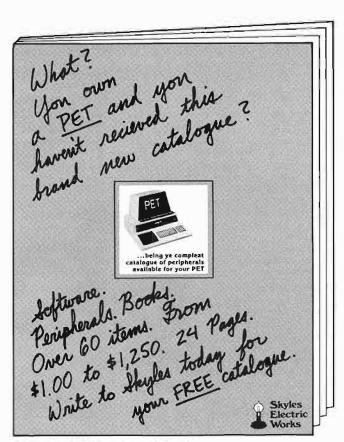
During my last year of medical school, I spent the summer at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) as a visiting scientist, to learn the many applications of computers to medicine at the Institutes. During this time, I helped implement real-time analysis of electrocardiograms in the post-surgical intensive care unit. It was at NIH that I first became familiar with microprocessors in medicine. Scientists there were fabricating "intelligent" monitoring devices such as preprocessors for EKGs, blood pressure measurements, and fluid cumult

Currently, I am a clinical fellow at Harvard Medical School and work in the Radiology-Nuclear Medicine Division at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. In our department, we have various applications on computers ranging from the largest to the smallest microprocessors. I myself have a PET computer, a 6800 microprocessor system (TVBUG), and access to an APPLE system.

With this introduction behind us, I would like briefly to cover what this column will accomplish. Because MICRO is dedicated to the 6502, I would like to structure the column so that an overview of a computer application in medicine includes an in-depth description of a specific 6502 application. I hope that this column can be a forum with reader comments and suggestions. What I need to know from you the reader is how much depth is desired, If reviews of current literature would be helpful, and how much technical information is desired. Please write to me at the address below.

The second column will discuss the use of microprocessors in medical education and will include a description of a specific system for teaching physicians and technologists about nuclear cardiology and nuclear medicine.

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Hexadecimal Printer

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When using the disassembler in the Apple II to print out machine language code, one normally types in the starting address and then a number of L's. There are two problems with using this method to print out a machine language program. The first is that if the machine language program does not happen to be a multiple of 20 instructions, there is probably going to be a collection of unwanted garbage printed at the bottom of the desired machine code. The second problem occurs when the program being printed is fairly long. Does one type in 50 or 51 L's to get all of the desired code? The program presented here solves both of these problems by decoding an outputing the disassembled machine language code that lies between two hexidecimal addresses.

After loading the program, using it is very easy. First, turn on the printer with a control P and then type 800G (return). The screen will clear and prompt you with the header "STARTING ADDRESS" Enter the hexidecimal address of the first instruction to be decoded and then hit return. A similar prompting question will be asked for the ending address and after entering the ending address the program will start outputing the disassembled code beginning at the starting address and continuing until the ending address.

The code presented here is transportable in that only two addresses (4 bytes) need to be changed to relocate the program anywhere in memory. These locations are the addresses for the data that prints out the program's two lines of text. Data for this text is stored starting at lines 570 (\$86B)

001A DECODE BETWEEN ADR 9929 <u>essée</u> FINA DL BOFE ลศสล AF'A2 DI BRIEF 0050 LENG .DL 002F BBBBREFE DL 0038 9976 :CLEAR SCREEN STAR JER #FORA BBB0 205860 GGGA :OUTPUT FIRST HEADER LINE ØSØ1 8200 Фира LICK GOO "STARTING ADDRESS" 0805 6166 DEAS LDA TITLES 804808 0808 91 L9 BED DBB1 FØØ8 **BROA** 8988 0120 DEB BEB 9890 20E0E0 9139 JSR #FOED **BBBF** E8 0140 THE DOFE 0810 9150 BNE DBRC :KEYBOARD INPUT OF STARTING ADRRESS 206FFD DBA1 JSR ≭FD6F 0812 84.68 0245 ROOM 0178 LDY 999 : CHANGE TO HEXIDECIMAL ADDRESS TSR #FFAT 20AZEE MBDM 8817 :MOVE HEXIDECIMAL ADDRESS TO 881A A5₹E 04.90LUM THER. APPC (\$3A) 681C 853A <u>B</u>2BB STB MARRO 084 F BS32 0.24 0 1.7-B #BPB2+B1 STA WARROWAL 0820 8516 0229 :PRINT LINE FEED 0239 JER #FR8E 8822 SUSPED :PRINT SECOND HEADER LINE 0925 8200 1.0% 969 **B248** "ENDING ADDRESS" 6256 DBA4 LDA TITZ,X 8827 BID ZEGA FØØ8 0260 SEO DESS 0828 8820 <u>иняв</u> <u>й."</u>Ры ORA 080 CREDER B288 ISP #FDFD 082E 0931 ES: ลอดก TNX 9832 DØES orge BNE CER4 : XEYBOARD INPUT OF ENDING ADDRESS 0834 JOSEFED 0310 DBAG JSR #FD6F 0120 BRET. BBBB LOW DRO :CHANGE TO HEXIDECIMAL ADDRESS 88<u>3</u>39 2087FF BUDB JSP #FFAT :MOVE HEXIDECIMAL ADDRESS TO 97,49 0830. 953E LDA #APAR 9759 FINA (\$FE) FINAL ADDRESS 983E **85FE** STA ≭FINA 653F 商品高商 LD6 + 6882+04 RESE 0842 SSEE 6376 STA *FINA+01 :PRINT LINE FEED JSR #FD@E 0844 208EF0 9389 :DISASSEMBLE ONE LINE 9847 2000F8 90,40 D885 198 #F800 : INCREMENT BYTE FOR LENGTH **ЙЗ48** E62F F141117 INC *LENG **印**急4日; 8418 ijĻij 18 :ADD LENGTH OF INSTRUCTION TO 094D A53A 9429 LUM *APPC :ADDRESS THAT IS POINTER FOR 984F 652F 9439 ADC #LENG :OP CODE TO BE DISASSEMBLED 0851 853A 6446 STA *ARREC Ø353 A538 6159 LDA *APPC+91 Ø855 6990 6466 ADC QUE STA *APPC+01 9857 85<u>1,8</u> लब हुल 38 0859 6486 SEC :SUBTRACT FINAL ADDRESS TO SEE IF 885A 6508 6496 LDA *APPO THE END HAS BEEN REACHED SBC WEINH 0850 E5EE ภริติติ LDR #APP0+01 985E **8538** 0510 0860 ESFF 0520 SBC *FINA+01 0862 GIBE -0530 800 DBA5 :PRINT LINE FEED **BS**64 20SEED. 0.540TER SECRE 15R MEDBE :PRINT LINE FEED 0867 208EF0 9559 :RETURN TO MONITOR 696A მნიც 60

and 610 (\$87D) in the program listing and this data is used in lines 100 (\$806) and 250 (\$828) respectively.

Several APPLE monitor subroutines are used in this program and two of them deserve some comment. The first is the GETNUM (\$FFA7) subroutine that converts a number stored as ASCII characters in the input buffer (\$200), indexed by the Y register, into a two byte hexidecimal number. This routine converts ASCII characters until it encounters a character that is a nonhexidecimal number. A carriage return (\$8D) is used in this program for the terminator. The resulting hexidecimal address is stored at location A2L (\$3E) and A2H (\$3F) in the usual low byte, high byte order for addresses required by the 6502.

The second routine that deserves some comment is the INSTDP (\$F8D0) routine. This routine disassembles an instruction and outputs it to the screen. The address that is used to direct the subroutine to the op code to be disassembled is stored in PCL (\$3A)

899(#JF)	발간들4개法	0%79	TITi	+*^.	~ የዘመን ነ ነ	: DATA	FOR	FIRST	HEADER	LINE
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997D	9D	$\{j_i,j_i\}\{j\}$	TITE	DΞ	6(6)	·DATA	FOR	SECONI	HEADER	LINE
087E	454E44	(A_{ij}, A_{ij}, A_{ij})		AS.	ENCING	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		0200		
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0887	445245									
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		$G_{12} = G_1$	END	EN						

and PCH(\$3B). After returning from INSTDP, a number that is one less than the length of the instruction is stored in location LENGTH (\$2F). The address in the pointer (\$3A, \$3B) is not changed by INSTDSP and hence the length of the instruction needs to be added to the pointer to get to the location of the next op code (lines 410 to 470 in the program listing).

If you do not desire to have the initial lines of text printed out on your printer then one should insert a printer turn-on routine between lines 380 and 390 of the assembled pro-

gram listing. Hopefully this routine will be useful in making your machine language print-outs look neater in the future.

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Programming with Pascal

This overview of PASCAL discusses the features of the language and provides a sample program illustrating its structure and ease of use.

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One of the first things that I realized after purchasing my APPLE II computer system, was that programming in BASIC was really a pain. Although BASIC is very suitable for programming games and relatively simple programming systems, I feel that its usefulness declines in direct proportion to the complexity of the application. There are a number of important reasons for this.

First of all, it is very difficult to program in BASIC using Structured programming techniques. Structured programming is a concept that has become widely accepted over the last few years as a method for simplifying program design and coding, and any subsequent maintenance. Basicly, the program is designed by continuously breaking the main problem down into smaller problems, and then by writing one program module to solve each of the smaller problems. The modularization additionally serves to enhance readability and logic design.

Another aspect of programming that helps in understanding logic flow is the concept of "prettyprinting", if I may borrow a term. This is simply writing the program in such a way as to promote ease of reading, and to indicate logic flow by Indentation. APPLE's BASICs are notoriously difficult to read, although this is understandable because the BASIC Interpreter needs to parse the text directly at

execution time and so needs the text formatted in a specific manner.

The last, and for me, most important fault that I see with BASIC is that it is tediously slow. This again is due to the aforementioned interpretation of the BASIC textual statements. In some applications, this is quite acceptable, but for high volume processing, this becomes increasingly important. Until recently, I overcame this factor by doing most of my programming on the APPLE II in Assembly language.

Now that I have aired my grievances about BASIC, let's turn to Pascal. Pascal was first developed by Niklaus Wirth, who tried to develop the perfect programming language. This language is actually based on the ALGOL 60 programming language which is, like Pascal, a procedure oriented language. The language developed by Wirth was named after the French mathemetician Blaise Pascal, and was designed as a language to teach programming concepts. Although originally used on minicomputer systems, it has been shown to be excellent for microprocessor-based systems as

The nice thing about Pascal is that it has all of those traits that BASIC lacks, and more. The APPLE II implementation of U.C.S.D. Pascal is a very excellent programming system that is convenient, sophisticated and quite powerful.

However, rather than concentrating on the operating system and the program development aspects of the system, I would like to talk about Pascal Itself.

First of all, it is a compiler language. The program text is input to the compiler, and a Pascal P-code object module is generated that is executed by the Pascal P-machine emulation program. This speeds up program execution at least ten times over an equivalent BASIC program. Speed advanages are not the only benefit to program compilation. The program text can be written free form, which promotes the use of prettyprinting, and this in turn increases readability.

For example, I have written a program that sorts an array of integer numbers using the QUICKSORT algorithm. This is one of the most efficient sorting techniques that has been yet discovered, but it is somewhat confusing at first glance. Essentially, the array is sorted by the following means: First, the array is split into two halves and a routine is called for each half which first estimates a value that is in the middle of the range. When this is done, the array section being operated on is scanned and all values less than or greater than the estimated value are placed on their respective half of the array section. When this is accomplished, the array section is split and the procedure is again called.

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Look at the program example, TESTSORT. The first thing to remember about Pascal programs is that 'first is last'. In other words, any variable, constant, or procedure must be defined before it is referred to. That is why the executable statements for any program or procedure are the last statements in that program or procedure.

A procedure is basicly a program subroutine that is, or should be accomplishing a discrete function within the program. Any procedure may also be composed of one or more procedures. In the example, procedure PRINT is a stand-alone procedure, while procedure SPLIT is constructed using four submodules, SWITCH, BUBBLE, MOVEUP and MOVEDN.

Notice also that variables and constants are always declared prior to their use at the beginning of the program or procedure. Additionally, these data areas are global to the lexical level of the program at which they are defined. In other words, the constant MAXMEMS is available to any statement in the program because it is defined at the highest level, but the variable HOLD can only be accessed from within procedure SWITCH.

This feature of defining variables for a sub-module allows the technique of recursion to be used. Simply put, this means that a procedure is able to call itself as a subroutine. This is in fact what the procedure SPLIT is doing. By using recursion, the programmer can keep the coding simple, and yet write extremely efficient programs. In this example, SPLIT is Initially called from the main program logic, and the value 0 and the variable ACT-MEMS are passed as parameters. At the end of the SPLIT processing, the size of the array segment being manipulated is evaluated. At this point, the array is broken into two halves and the procedure is called again for each half. This process continues until the array segment to be passed to the SPLIT procedure is twelve items or less. At this point, a simple bubble sort is called for efficiency reasons and the return is made from the subroutine call.

This use of recursion is possible because new and unique variables

are generated for each recursional level. This allows the variables to be at the proper value when the return to the next higher level is completed. Because of this, however, a lot of memory is gobbled up in the process and there is an effective limit to the number of recursion levels possible. In the case of the APPLE, a minimum of six words are used at each level in addition to any variables used, and each word is

considered by the P-machine to be 16 bits. For this reason, the example is limited to 285 members in the array.

The use of this recursion technique is what makes the QUICKSORT algorithm so efficient, however. The first sort that I wrote in Pascal was a simple bubble sort that took about 70 seconds to sort 100 items in the array. Using QUICKSORT, this same

```
1:0
                      1 (*$L PRINTER: *)
123456789011213145617892122222222223
                        PROGRAM TESTSORT;
            1:0
            1:0
                        1
                      3 (*
3 (*
            1:0
                              QUICKSORT ARRAY OF INTEGER
                                                                   *)
      1
            1:D
                      3 (*
                                                                   ¥Ì
      1
            1:0
            1:0
                         (<del>*********************</del>)
     1:1
                         ($ )
            1:10
            1:0
                      333
                             FUNCTION PADDLE(SELECT: INTEGER): INTEGER;
FUNCTION BUTTON(SELECT: INTEGER): BOOLEAN;
            2:0
            3:0
                             PROCEDURE TILOUT(SELECT: INTEGER: DATA: BOOLEAN);
            4: D
                      1
                             FUNCTION KEYPRESS: BOOLEAN;
            5:២
                      3
                             FUNCTION RANDOM: INTEGER;
PROCEDURE RANDOMIZE;
PROCEDURE NOTE(PITCH, DURATION: INTEGER);
                      3
            6: D
                      1
            7:D
            8:0
                      33
            8:D
            1:D
1:D
                           IMPLEMENTATION
            1:D
                         USES APPLESTUFF:
            1:D
                      3
                         CONST MAXMEMS = 284;
            1:0
            i:fi
                      ž
                        VAR
                                     OUT : INTERACTIVE;
            1;D
            1:D
1:D
                                            INTERACTIVE:
                    304
                                     CON :
                                            ARRAY(O., MAXMEMS) OF INTEGER;
                                     NUM :
                            ACTMEMS, IY : INTEGER;
            1:0
            1:0
                    892
                                 P.D.IX : INTEGER;
                    895
                                 CHARCTR : CHAR;
      1
            1:1
                    896 (#$P#)
3132333453333334
            1:0
                        PROCEDURE PRINT(TEXT:STRING);
            2:D
            2:D
                     43 (**********************
            2:D
2:D
2:D
                     43 (*
                     43 (*
                                PRINT THE INTEGER ARRAY
                                                                   *)
                                                                   ¥١
                     43 (#
            2: D
2: D
2: D
                     43
                         (<del>*******************</del>)
                     43 VAR IX,CTR : INTEGER:
                     45
            2:0
                        BEGIN
                      0
41
42
43
            2:1
2:1
2:1
                           PAGE(OUT);
                     14
31
                           HRITELN (OUT, TEXT);
                           WRITELN(OUT):
44
45
            2:1
                     38
                           WRITELN(OUT);
            2:1
2:1
2:1
2:2
                     45
                           IX := 0;
46
47
48
                     48
                           CTR := 0:
                     51
51
                           REPEAT
                              WRITE(OUT, < <:4, NUM([]X]:6);
49
            2:2
                     81
                              IX := IX + 1;
            2:2
                              CTR := CTR + 1;
855333555558
                     87
            2:2
                     93
                              IF CTR = 12 THEN
            2:3
                     99
                                 BEGIN
                     99
            2:4
                                     CTR := 0;
            2:4
2:3
2:1
                    102
                                     WRITELN(OUT)
                    109
                                 END;
                           UNTIL IX > ACTMEMS;
                    109
            2:1
2:0
                           WRITELN(OUT);
                    124 END;
```

```
2:0
3:B
                     138 (#$P#)
                         PROCEDURE SPLIT(X, Y: INTEGER);
3:D
                       3
                         (*************************
                       3 (*
              3: D
                                                                    *)
                               SPLIT IS A PROCEDURE WHICH ACTUALLY DOES THE SORTING. THE SORT ALGORITHM USED IS THE QUICKSORT METHOD.
                       3
              3:0
                         {#
                                                                    +)
              3:D
                       3 (*
                                                                    ¥١
              3:D
                       3 (*
                                                                    #)
                       3 (<del>*</del>
3 (<del>*</del>
                                                                    ¥١
              3:D
              3:10
                                                                    #)
                       3:0
              3: D
                       3
                         VAR F, L, MID : INTEGER;
                               ODDPASS : BOOLEANS
              3:D
              3:0
                             PROCEDURE SHITCH(SW1.5W2: INTEGER);
              4: D
                       1
              4:n
                       3
                              VAR HOLD : INTEGER;
             4: B
              4:0
                       Ō
                                 BEGIN
                                     HOLD := NUMESWIJ;
              4:1
                       0
                      14
38
49
                                     NUMESHID := NUMESH23;
              4:1
                                     NUM(SW2) := HOLD
              4:1
              4:0
             4:0
                      64
                             PROCEDURE BUBBLE(BB1,BB2:INTEGER);
              5: D
                       1350
              5:Ď
                              VAR Z,X : INTEGER;
              5: D
              5:0
             5:1
5:2
5:3
                       Ŏ
                                    FOR Z := BB1 TO (BB2 - 1) DO
                      13
13
                                    BEGIN
                                      FOR X := (Z + 1) TO BB2 DO
                      26
26
57
64
              5:4
                                      BEGIN
              5:5
                                         IF NUMCZO > NUMCXO THEN SMITCH(Z,X);
             5:4
5:2
                                      END;
                                   END;
              5:0
                      71
                                 END:
              5:0
                      88
                       i
                             PROCEDURE MOVEUP;
              6:D
              6:0
                                 BEGIN
                       0
                                    ODDPASS := FALSE;
              6:1
             6:1
                                    REPEAT
                       4
                                      IF NUM(F1 >= NUM(L1 THEN
                      38383555
555
              6:3
                                         BEGIN
                                           SHITCH(F,L);
              6:4
              6:4
                                           F := F + 13
101
                                           MID := L;
102
              6:4
103
              6:4
                                           EXIT(MOVEUP)
              6:3
6:3
6:3
                                         END
                      61
104
105
                      61
                                      ELSE
                      63
71
                                   L := L - 1;
UNTIL NOT (L > F);
106
107
              6:1
              6:0
                      81
                                 END;
108
              6:0
7:D
                      96
109
                              PROCEDURE MOVEDN:
110
              7:0
111
                                  BEGIN
                                    ODDPASS := TRUE;
                       0
112
              7:1
              7:1
                        4
113
                                    REPEAT
              7:2
7:3
                                      IF NUMCL) ( NUMCF) THEN
114
                      353345157
115
                                         BEGIN
              7:4
                                           SHITCH(F,L);
116
                                           L := L - 1;
MID := F;
              7:4
7:4
117
118
              7:4
                                           EXIT (MOVEDN)
119
              7:3
                      61
120
                                         END
              7:2
7:3
121
                                      ELSE
                      61
122
                      63
71
       1
                                           1= F + 1;
              7:1
                                    UNTIL NOT (L 5 F);
124
                                 END;
```

array will be sorted in about five seconds. The maximum of 285 elements is sorted consistently in 16 seconds. Even though a machine language sort would run circles around these figures, try doing some sorts in BASIC. I'm not even sure that QUICKSORT could be written in BASIC.

There is one last feature of the U.C.S.D. Pascal system that I feel merits a lot of attention. With this system, machine language subroutines can be linked into and called from Pascal host programs. These routines are essentially members of Partitioned Data Sets (PDS) that are called UNITs. These UNITs each have a unique name, and up to 16 of these UNITs may reside on any one of a number of subroutine libraries that the programmer can generate. In the TESTSORT program, I wanted to use the routines NOTE and RAN-DOMIZE, which are machine language procedures that are used to manipulate the APPLE's speaker and in gererating random numbers, respectively. These routines reside in An APPLE supplied UNIT called APPLESTUFF. This unit is included in the program, and at the end of compilation, this UNIT is automatically linked in from the system library. Any of the functions and procedures listed at the beginning of the program above the statement. IMPLEMENTATION are now available to the Pascal host program.

In this article I have tried to highlight some of the main features of this very professional software system as simply as possible, and in doing so, have tried to indicate the usefulness of this product without being tedious. Pascal is an exciting development on the microcomputer horizon which will allow the serious software analyst to develop professiona applications for microcomputer systems. Oh yes, there is only last critical point that I have neglected to mention. Programs written in U.C.S.D. Pascal can be run on any computer system using the U.C.S.D. Operating System, and there are a lot of micros out there in addition to AP-PLE now using this operating system. Think about it for a moment. The implications are truly amazing.

```
7:0
                    96 (**P*)
 126
             7:0
                    127
             7:0
                    96 (*
             7:0
                    96 (*
                              MAIN LOGIC FOR SPLIT
                                                        *)
             Ź÷0
                    96 (*
 130
             7:0
                    131
             3:0
                     O BEGIN
 132
133
             3; 1
                     8
                         F := X;
             3:1
                     3
                         L := Y:
 134
135
136
137
             3:1
                         MID := ((F + L) DIV 2);
            3:1
3:2
                         IF NUMEFO < NUMERIOO THEN
                    40
                              SMITCH(F.MID):
            3:1
                         IF NUMCF3 > NUMCL3
                                                THEN
 138
            3:2
                    71
                              SWITCH(F,L);
 139
140
                         ODDPASS := TRUE;
WHILE L > F DO
IF ODDPASS THEN
                    ŹŜ
             3:1
            3:1
                    78
 141
                    83
            3:2
 142
            3:3
                               MOVEUP
 143
144
145
            3:2
                    86
                           ELSE
            3:3
                    90
                                MOVEON;
                         IF (MID - X) > 12 THEN
             3:1
                    94
 146
            3:2
                   101
                              SPLIT(X, MID)
 147
            3:1
                   103
                         ELSE
 148
                         BUBBLE(X,MID);
IF (Y - MID) > 12 THEN
             3:2
                   107
 149
            3:1
                   111
 150
            3:2
                             SPLIT(MID,Y)
                   118
 151
152
            3:1
                   120
                         ELSE
            3:2
                   124
                             BUBBLE (MID, Y);
 153
            3:0
                   128 END;
154
            3:0
                  142 (*$P*)
155
156
157
            3:0
                  142 (********************
            3:0
                   142 (*
            3:0
                  142 (*
                             PROGRAM TESTSORT LOGIC
                                                         # }
158
            3:0
                  142 (#
159
            3:0
                  142
                      160
            1:0
                    0
                      BEGIN
                        RESET(CUT, 'PRINTER: ');
RESET(CON, 'CONSOLE: ');
161
            1:1
162
                   41
            1:1
            1:1
163
                        PAGE (CON);
                   62
164
            1:1
                   72
                         GOTOXY(05,06); WRITE('#############################/);
165
            1:1
                  120
                         GOTOXY(05,07); WRITE(/*
                                                                                *');
                                                   INPUT NUMBER OF ELEMENTS
                                                                                *');
166
            1:1
                  168
                         GOTOXY(05,08); WRITE(/*
                        GOTOXY(05,09); WRITE('*
167
            1:1
                  216
                                                      LESS THAN 285:
                                                                                 ¥');
168
                         50T0XY(05,10); WRITE(/*
            1:1
                  264
169
            1:1
                  312
                         170
                         GOTOXY(26,09);
            1:1
                  360
171
            1:1
                  365
                        UNITCLEAR(1);
172
            1:1
                  368
                        READLN(ACTMEMS);
173
            1:1
                  387
                        RANDOMIZE:
174
                  390
                        FOR IY := 0 TO ACTMEMS DO NUMILY] := (IY + RANDOM MOD 3452);
            1:1
175
            1:1
                  446
                         GOTOXY(06,13); WRITE('PRINT UNSCRIED ARRAY (Y/N)? ');
176
                        UNITCLEAR(1):
            1:1
                  491
177
                  494
                        READ(CHRCTR);
            1:1
178
            1:1
                  505
                         IF CHRCTR = 'Y' THEN
179
                  512
            1:2
                           BEGIN
180
            1:3
                  512
                             GCTOXY(06,14); WRITE('START PRINTER AND HIT ANY KEY ');
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                             UNITCLEAR(1);
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            1:3
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I sat down that evening after the children and my husband had gone to bed (that's the only time I can get the computer) and designed this program to use with our teletype.

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Program Description

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your own printer. Lines 1000 to 1150 print the inside label with the side-A and side-B instructions. lined 2000 to 2160 print the front cover. Use it as is or invent your own text graphics cover like I did on some of mine. If your printer has a graphics character set, you're really in luck. Lines 3000 to 3030 print the title strip. Lines 4000 to 4070 print your name and address. Line 4900 turns off our teletype motor. Line 4910 starts you all over again for the next cover. Lines 5000 to 5040 centers all inputs when they are printed.

I used colored paper for the cassette covers to make it easier to spot different types of programs. Maybe this program will help you keep your tapes organized until you win the lottery and buy a disk!

10 REM CASSETTE LABEL PROGRAM 20 REM BY DAWN F. ELLIS	RAM FOR TAPES WITH ONE": PRINT SPC(10); "PROGRAM ON EACH S
30 REM RD 8 POX 344	IDE"
40 REM YORK PA 17403	150 PRINT : PRINT "ENTER YOUR NA
50 DIM A§(9)	ME:": INPUT AS(O): IF LEN (
60 AS = "": BS = "!	A\$(0) > 39 THEN 150
!": REM	160 PRINT "ENTER FIRST LINE OF 3
39 SPACES	LINE ADDRESS: ": INPUT AS(1)
70 C\$ = "":D\$ = "!	: IF LEN (A\$(1)) > 39 THEN
	160
100 REM INPUT QUESTIONS	170 PRINT "ENTER SECOND LINE OF
110 TEXT: PR# 0: HOME	3 LINE ADDRESS: ": INPUT A\$(2
120 PRINT SPC(9); "CASSETTE COV): IF LEN (A\$(2)) > 39 THEN
ER PRINTER"	170
130 PRINT SPC(13); "BY DAWN ELL	180 PRINT "ENTER THIRD LINE OF 3
I S"	LINE ADDRESS: ": INPUT A5(3)
140 PRINT : PRINT SPC(7); "PROG	: IF LEN $(A\$(3)) > 39$ THEN

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     2 LINE INST: ": INPUT AS(6): IF
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     LEN (AS(6)) > 3) THEN 220
     PRINT : PRINT "ENTER SIDE-B
230
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     PROGRAM NAME: ": INPUT AS(7):
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     IF LEN (Af(7)) > 30 IHEN 2
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     PRINT "ENTER FIRST LINE OF 2
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     LINE INS1:": INPUT AS(8): IF
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     LEN (A$(8)) > 39 THEN 240
                                               PRINT "!
                                         5150
     PRINT "ENTER SECOND LINE OF
250
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     2 LINE INST: ": INPUT A$(9): IF
                                        2130
                                               PRINT "!
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     LEN (A$(9)) > 39 THEN 250
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     PRINT : PRINT "SIDE-A = ";A$
260
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     (4): PRINT A$(5): PRINT A$(6
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     ;A$(7): PRINT A$(8): PRINT A
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     $(9): PRINT : INPUT "IS THIS
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      CORRECT? (Y OR N) ";AS: IF
                                         3000
                                               REM TITLE STRIP
     4$ < > "Y" THEN 200
                                         3010 \text{ A}\$ = "SIDE-A = " + A\$(4): 30SUB
900
     CALL 768: PRINT : POKE - 16
                                              5000
     293,0: FOR Z = 1 TO 2000: NEX1
                                         3020 A\$ = "SIDE-B = " + A\$(7): GDSUB
     Z: PRINT : PRINT
                                              5000
     REM INSTRUCTION PAGE
990
                                         3030 PRINT DS; " FOLD"
      PRINT DS; " CU1"
1000
                                         4000 REM YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS
      PRINT B$
1010
                                         4010 \text{ As} = \text{As(0)}; 50 \text{SUB} 5000
      PRINT BS; " INSTRUCTION"
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                                         4020 A = A (1): 30 SUB 5000
      PRINT 9$;" PAGE"
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     PRIN1 B$
                                         4040 AS = AS(3): GOSUR 5000
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     PRINT B$
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1060 AS = "(SIDE-A)": 30SUB 5000
                                         4060 PRINT D9; " CUT"
1070 \text{ A} = \text{A}(4) = 30 \text{SUB} 5000
                                              PRINT : PRINT : PRINT : PRINT
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1080 \text{ A} = 49(5): 30SUB 5000
1090 A\$ = A\$(6): 30SUR 5000
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                                               PR# 0: POKE - 16294,0
1100
     PRINT BS
                                         4910
                                               3010 200
1110 A$ = "(SIDE-B)": GOSUB 5000
                                         5000 REM CENTERING ROUTINE
1120 AS = AS(7): 30SUB 5000
                                         5010 \ Z = 39 - LEN (AS):Y = INT
1130 AS = AS(8): GOSUB 5000
                                              (Z / 2)*X = Z - Y
1140 As = As(9): GOSUB 5000
                                         5020 C$ = LEFT$ (B$,Y + 1) + A$ +
1150
     PRINT DS: " FOLD"
                                               RIGHTS (BS, X + 1)
     REM COVER PAGE
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                                         5030
                                               PRINT CS
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There are always problems and growing pains associated with an emerging market. The Ohio Scientific market is no different. The most serious threat I see to the healthy expansion of that market is software piracy. Wholesale software piracy could be particulary damaging. If that occurs, the responsibility for the damage will fall on both end-users and dealers, and the effects will injure us all.

Because the Ohio Scientific market is oriented very much toward vertical-market applications, it is particularly vulnerable to the ill effects of software plracy. Also, since this market is in its infancy, it lacks the maturity and economic pressures that keep the CP/M market balanced.

For those of you unfamiliar with the term "vertical market," it is a vertical segment of the over-all business market that can be characterized by a particular need. For example, all automobile dealers, as part of their business, handle financing, and auto financing may be considered a vertical market within the over-all financial market which cuts across all types and sizes of businesses. A computerized finance program could appeal to a range of different-sized automobile dealers, which might other wise require special-purpose software. Ohio Scientific, with its high-performance, low-priced hardware, has succeeded very well with programmers who are interested in writing their own software for such applications.

Dealers and end-users who have been successful with a particular vertical-market package are just starting to advertise their packages in various trade journals and through mailings. Their experience will largely determine the future health and quality of independent Ohio Scientific-based software. If they find their packages are routinely pirated by others, then they are unlikely to return to the marketplace with a package of similar quality. Furthermore, if a dealer or end-user purchases a package that does not meet his expectations or, worse yet, finds that he can't get support from the vendor once he receives the package, then the dealer or end-user is going to be much more cautious about entering the marketplace again.

Software piracy is already occuring on a large scale. One of the most widely advertised, independent Ohio Scientific-compatible software packages was not written by its vendors. The software purchaser already has become somewhat wary, because of the spotty quality of software and support available from the factory and from factory-supported software vendors. If software available through independent channels fails to improve on

that situation, there just won't be much of a marketplace for software.

So here we sit with a burgeoning marketplace which has the potential to support very high-quality applications software. On the other hand, the marketplace could shrink to include only very low-priced software of questionable utility, with the quality software eventually going to other machines.

As an end-user, there are several things that you can do. The first is: refuse to copy for another user any software you may have purchased. The second is: insist on original coples of all software and documentation that you purchase. Original copies will generally include some sort of license form and serial number. For your own protection, you should also insist on knowing who the authors of the software are and what sort of support you can expect from both your dealer and the original vendor of the software. Though the market is still young, there is no reason why quality software should not also have quality documentation. Too often, authors are more proficient in writing code than they are in writing the English language. However, if the marketplace demands a particular quality of documentation, you can be sure that software vendors will do their best to conform to that standard. If you ever suspect that you have received a pirated copy, you should make every attempt to contact the authors. In case your dealer fails at some point to provide the support you need, that is really the only way to protect your investment.

Steps are now being taken by vendors as well. The most significant is the formation of an independent corporation, by several of the larger distributors of Ohio Scientific hardware, to distribute software and nurture the market to maturity. Though this organization is still in its natal stages, I have high hopes that it will be a strong force working in the interests of both the software vendor and the software purchaser. It will be able both to prevent and prosecute the software pirate and also serve as a resource center for software vendors and software purchasers. In addition, the new organization will insure that high-quality software will include high-quality documentation. It will also answer questions from end-users and dealers concerning installation of the packages that it offers.

If the new software corporation is as successful as I hope, and end-users realize the value of a strong, independent software market and work to make it happen, I am convinced that Ohio Scientific computers will live up to their potential as the most cost-competitive machines available today. Excellent software is being written all across the country for these machines, for every conceivable application. With the proper encouragement and a healthy marketplace, it won't be long before we all have access to it.

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System: Apple II, Apple II Plus

Memory: 32K Language: Machine Hardware: Disk II

Description: With this program you can type "BRUNC" instead of "CATALOG" in order to: display all file names at one in alphabetical order — fast! Allow just 2 or 3 keystrokes to run any file, show binary addresses and lengths, show hidden control characters, show free space on disk, and more, operate with 1 or 2 drives using DOS 3.1 or 3.2. The program is completely relocatable; it can be run in any free 5K block of memory.

Price: \$19.95

Includes: Diskette, operating in-

structions

Author: Danlel J. Hughes

Available: JDel LectricWare, Inc.

P.O.Box 9140

St. Louis, MO 63117

Name: Inventory Program
System: Apple II, Apple II Plus
Memory: 48K (Firmware Card on

Apple II)

Language: Applesoft, Assembly Hardware: 2 disk drives, 132 col-

umn printer

Description: Maintain a complete inventory on up to 800 items. Every category included to backorder as well as LOC, Coast and QTY on order. Generates search reports, keeps a running account of what was sold YTD and much more. A must for inventory control or daily inventorles.

Price: \$140.00 with complete

manual

Author Gary E. Haffer
Available: Software Technology

for Computers P.O. Box 428

Belmont, MA 02178

Name: ON-LINE DATABASE
System: Apple II, Apple II Plus,
Language System

Memory: 48h

Language: Applesoft, Machine

Language

Hardware: Disk II

Description: An extremely fast and easy to use database system. Full screen editing during data entry or updating. Holds binary file pointers in memory to reduce disk access to a minimum. Allows user definition of searches and sub-sorts based on fields and sub-fields in the data records. Automatically prints full data screens, user defined reports, and mailing labels.

Price: \$100.00 Author: **Mike Dhuey**

Available: Blue Lakes Computing

438 N. Frances Madison, WI 53703

Name: R.F. Power Amplifier

Design

System: Apple II with Applesoft II firmware card or Ap-

ple II Plus, with 48K

RAM

Memory: 48K

Language: Firmware Applesoft Description: This set of programs

allows the user to design R.F. Power Amplifiers through the use of Microstripline, or conventional lumped constant methods. One can select either resistive or reactive impedances for interstage or transistor matching, respectively. All standard dielectric constants for standard P.C. boards are supported. Microstripline filters, splitters/combiners, and resistive matching networks can also be designed using this program. All schematics are shown in High Resolution Graphics with labels to show component location and value.

Price: \$69.95

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and Examples

Author: David A. Glawson
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Name: Contest

System: Apple II, Apple II Plus
Memory: 32K RAM—ROM Applesoft, 48K RAM(disk)

Applesoft

Language: Applesoft

Hardware: Apple II, single drive.
Appleclock, printed

desired but optional

Description: Designed for any amateur radio operating contest. Provides not only logging contacts with other amateur operators, but in the fast-paced contest quickly tells the operator whether he has worked a particular station before. Handles

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Copies: Just released

Price: \$14.95 cassette or

user provided diskette. \$19.95 on author supplied diskette. Specify Applesoft ROM or

RAM.

Author: Al Jensen Available: Al Jensen

> 19111 First Avenue Seattle, WA 98177

Name: PLOT

System: Apple II, Apple II Plus

Memory: 16K Language: Applesoft

Hardware: Apple II with Applesoft

in ROM or Apple II

Plus

Description: PLOT will graph virtually any function in HIRES graphics. It features automatically scaling of the y-axis, use of built in functions, and the ability to graph up to 5 functions on one set of axes. Built in funtions include ABS, SIN, COS, TAN, INT, SGN, and many more.

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Price: \$9.95
Author: Joe Verzulli
Available: Softpoint
Dept. A

103 Clinton Avenue Terryville, NY 11776

Name: SYMBOL System: AIM-65 Memory: 4K or more

Language: Aim-65 Assembler Hardware: AIM-65 Assembler,

with cassett

Description: Saves paper by making assembly listings unnecessary. Allows user to find a specific symbol, step up, step down, and list table to printer/display. Also calculates total number of symbols and total RAM required for table in HEX. Uses F3 key and \$E00 to \$FFF.

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Author: Doug Kaynor

Available: Software Experience

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Name: PolyMan

System: Apple II, II Plus Memory: 48k & ROM Applesoft

64k & Language Sys.

Language: Applesoft

Hardware: Disk II, printer optional Description: Allows interactive manipulation of twenty polynomials of degree less than 21. Add, subtract, multiply, divide, find all real and complex roots, integrate, differentiate, evaluate at real or complex point, and graph between real limits with automatic scaling of graph and annotation of extrema. Save and recall graph files and database files on disk. Display or print coefficients or roots, input by roots or coefficients.

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Includes: Diskette and manual Author: Robert Rennard Available: SmartWare

2281 Cobble Stone Ct Dayton, Ohio 45431

Name: Apple World System: Apple II, Plus

Memory: 48K

Language: 6502 machine code Description: Apple World is a new 3-D hires graphics package for the Apple II computers that promises to make drawing figures in three dimensions easier than ever. Is a text-editor base and is easy for anyone to us. Includes color, texteditor input, and user oriented input (no subroutines to call!).

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Price: \$59.95 plus \$5.00 s&h Includes: 32 page instruction

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Author: Paul Lutkus

Available: USA

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Name: The Conditioning Life

Dynamic em: Apple II

System: Apple II Memory: 48K

Language: Applesoft, Machine Hardware: Apple II, Disk II

Description: This disk adds up to a long, intense look at conditioning, motivation, positive and negative reinforcements, etc. Deals with conditioned values, effects, responses, attitudes, beliefs, and motivations. Centers on five programs. One allows you to condition a Hi-res

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Name: C1 Cassette Data

Base Manager

System: OSI C1 BASIC-in-ROM

Memory: 16K or more Language: BASIC Hardware: None special

Description: A data base manager for cassette based systems. Good for maintaining mailing lists, article or slide lists, etc. Save and read to tape, find, sort, list, add to file, delete from file, and change file entry are all supported. High speed sorts are used.

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Author: Mike Cohen

Available: Orion Software

Associates 147 Main Street Ossining, N.Y. 10562

Name: Data Factory 3.0

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System: Apple

Memory: 48K RAM, ROM card,

Language Card

Language: Applesoft

Description: A data base file program of unique utility. It can modify one of its own existing data bases by adding or deleting fields, changing the order of fields, or changing the field lengths without having to re-enter your data. This is just one of the many time and money saving features that makes this program so powerful! Can never overload your diskette; the program informs you of your free disk space when entering data. Many features!

Price: \$100.00

includes: Disk, manual and pro-

gram

Author: William Passauer Available: Andent, Inc.

1000 North Avenue Waukegan, IL 60085 Name: Autodialer II
System: APPLE II
Memory: Program -9K

Data Statements 10K

Language: Applesoft

Hardware: APPLE II, APPLE II Plus with D.C. Hayes

Micromodem II

Description: Comes with over 100 phone numbers built in that can be dialed automatically by the micromodem II. Each number can have up to 14 lines of information (text). Micromodem parity, wordlength, transparency, lower case mask, and duplex set at the touch of a key. Manual dial entry too!

Price: \$15.00 (diskette or

tape)
Author: Bill Hyde

Available: Modular Software

P.O.Box 12883 San Antonio, TX 78212

Name: H-EDIT 1.5 System: APPLE II

Memory: 32K ROM Applesoft.

48K with either RAM or ROM Applesoft

(specify which)

Language: Applesoft, Machine

Language

Hardware: APPLE II, APPLE II
Plus, Disk II, Printer

optional

Description: H-Edit is a 'mini' text editor which provides the user with the ability to create, read and update moderate size text files. It is a line-oriented text file editor used to speed up certain edit functions and permit any type of character input. It will provide you with the ability to create or read those 'EXEC' files that, heretofore, were a nuisance to work with. Easy to use. Comes with instruction booklet.

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Price: \$16.95 Diskette, plus

\$1.50 p&h, first class

Includes: System diskette, and

booklet

Available: ABC Software

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ico 88001

Name: STATISTICAL System: APPLE II Memory: 48K

Language: Applesoft BASIC Hardware: Disk drive, optional

printer

Description: A comprehensive statistical analysis package for econometric work including multiple linear regression of up to seven variables - each can be lagged by up to fifteen periods. Correlation with fifteen period lag. Seasonal analysis - deseasonalising and smoothing of series. Data can be stored, amended, updated and processed in arithmetic progrm before analysis. Handles both monthly and quarterly data.

Price: \$69.00 diskette
Author: Jillan Knight

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Name: FILEWRITER

System: APPLE II, APPLE II

Plus

Memory: 2K (plus DOS & op-

tional RAM Applesoft)

Language: Applesoft II

Hardware: Disk II, Printer op-

tional

Description: Allows you to write random-access disk files with a minimal effort. It has many safeguarding features sothat it is very hard to make a mistake. It allows you to enter commas into your lines. The CTRL-0 command allows you to use the options the program provides. A machine language version will soon be available.

Price: \$20.00 (incl. p&h)
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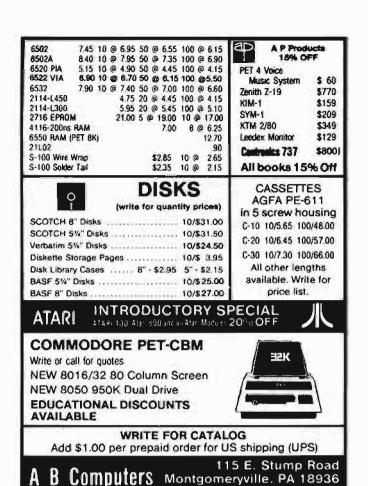
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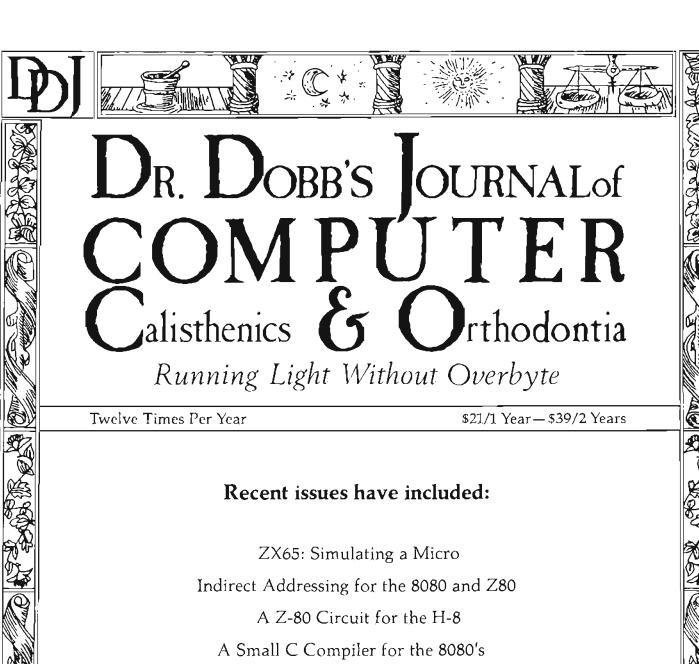
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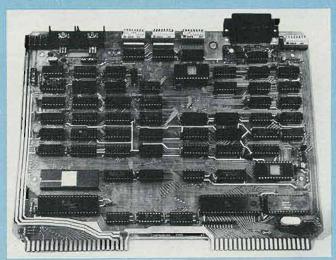
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