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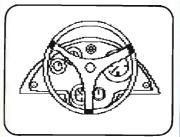


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#### About the Cover



This month's cover gets MICRO off to a flying start at the races. Increasing software and hardware sophistication make simulations possible that put you in the driver's seat. The MIT Artificial Intelligence lab has produced a microcomputer-videodisk combination that lets you simulate a drive through Aspen, Colorado, seeing on TV just what you would see through your windshield if you were actually there.

The cover graphic was generated on an Apple Graphics Tablet, and the output was produced on an IDS Color Printer by Susan Maras at Computerland of Nashua, New Hampshire.

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## **Editorial**

#### Present Shock

Turning on Commodore's new Super-PET is a startling experience. The system's introductory menu modestly offers access to: BASIC; Pascal; FOR-TRAN; APL; Assembly; and Monitor. Merely hit the appropriate key!

The development of the microcomputer is proceeding at breathtaking speed. A ferociously efficient combination of high technology, intense international competition, and ready venture capital is generating new hardware faster than society can absorb the old. How rapidly the aerospace industry progressed, we once thought, marvelling at the short span between Kitty Hawk and the Moon. But microcomputers are advancing much more swiftly. Incredibly, the arrival of the new SuperPET coincides with ongoing use of the KIM-1, a 1977 single-board system still covered by MICRO. As a special effect, such an eerie foreshortening of time belongs in a Star Trek episode, like Commodore's imagemaster, William Shatner

As we admire the development of ever-more-sophisticated microcomputer hardware, we should remember that each new system requires of its users an enormous investment of time. A case in point: IBM's new Personal Computer. Announced last year to universal acclaim, the system almost entirely lacks software that exploits its 16-bit potential. While the software industry strains to fill the huge gap that appeared the day the Personal Computer was introduced, even more advanced machines are being developed.

We must learn to recognize how conservative we are with our most precious investment, time. Otherwise, costly mistakes will be hard to avoid. For example, those who promoted novel keyboard designs in hopes of replacing the standard QWERTY arrangement have convinced almost no one, the marketplace least of all. We have invested far too much time in learning QWERTY to leave it even for a significantly better keyboard design. The zeal with which microcomputer owners go

on developing systems that are technological antiques should warn us that these systems, like QWERTY, will be with us for a long time to come. And as more and more new systems are introduced, sopping up more and more available time and energy, the gap between a new system's potential and the availability of resources to develop that potential seems likely to widen.

The solution to this problem is certainly not to stop building more advanced computers. The limits of the microelectronics revolution are not yet in sight, and we can look forward to ever more powerful microcomputers. What we must do is understand that the most important component in a working computer system - people cannot fully process change at such a fast rate. Nor can we afford to discard huge investments of our time. Therefore, we must find ways to keep that investment on board. The SuperPET, for example, includes both the older 6502 and the newer 6809 processor, and can therefore run older as well as newer software. Radio Shack's recently announced Model 16 incorporates the even newer 68000 processor, yet also uses a Z-80. All older Model II software can still be used. In fact, it will even be possible to upgrade Model IIs with the 68000 board.

MICRO supports design decisions that make software compatible with different generations of a system. The same generation of people will be using many generations of computers. To stay in touch with us, the microcomputer revolution must be made compatible with the need imposed by human limits to use our time wisely.

This issue of MICRO spotlights Commodore's PET. Europe's most popular microcomputer, the PET is steadily attracting more American users. The program accompanying David Heise's feature article, "Growing Knowledge Trees," was written especially for the PET. However, the insight it offers MICRO readers into the concept of artificial intelligence makes it must reading for all.

Lourence Kepple



#### Letterbox

Dear Editor:

I would strongly recommend against your readers' taking, at face value, the comments made in your December 1981 Letterbox, ''Atari Ad Attacked.''

Mr. Kirby does not define "adapting." If Mr. Kirby takes an Atari program and makes a "similar" program, he may end up in the Austin court he mentions in his letter. The same rules apply to a computer program as to books, etc. It is not necessary to make a 100% duplicate in order to be found guilty of copyright infringement. For example, if he were to use an unusual approach or algorithm in only a part of his new "adapted" program (assuming that the Atari program itself makes it obvious that the contents are copyrighted), the remainder of the "adapted program" could be totally different, yet a copyright infringement could easily be regarded by the court as having occurred. Mr. Kirby will then be subject to a number of possible actions, ranging from criminal penalties, damages, court injunctions... or all of them.

A helpful publication, costing about \$12.00, is "The Copyright Kit," published by the National Attorney's Publications, Inc., P.O. Box 150, East Setauket, N.Y. This book explains copyrighting in layman's terms and clears up the muddy waters created by December's "intellectual property law" expert.

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Dear Editor:

Your magazine is a very good one. My opinion might be illustrated by my collection of your issues. I started reading your magazine in late 1979. I currently have 38 issues, one reprint collection covering six more issues, and am requesting a recently missed issue. When I receive this issue, I will have access to information from 45 of the 46 issues you have placed on the market at this time.

I own an Apple II with 48K of memory, an Applesoft language card, and one DOS 3.3 disk drive. I find your coverage of the Apple to be not only very large in quantity but fine in quality. I also get a lot of ideas from the articles dealing with the other 6502/6809 machines.

Are there any plans to publish articles which describe the other CPU boards which run in the Apple? Even though you are a 6502/6809 journal, an article describing how a 6502 works with a Z80, 6800, 6809, 8088, and other chips would be very interesting.

Also, are any of your readers familiar with the new MTU 6502 machine? I recently received some literature describing it and it isn't too far from a "dream machine" itself. It appears to have hardware 18-bit addressing (yes, 18 not 16) and great bit map graphics. It also has a very sophisticated operating system.

I do have one final problem: A few months back, you had an article which described an operating system for the 6809. I believe it was OS/9 or something similar. But I don't remember seeing a manufacturer's name or address (or price for that matter). Did I simply overlook these or were they missing? Could you re-supply them? Does this operating system come in a format for the Apple II's various 6809 boards?

Larry W. Virden 1207 Rosehill Rd., Apt. 104 Reynoldsburg, OH 43068

Editor's note: The MICRO staff is very interested in hearing from readers who have experience using any of these CPU boards. Since these boards use the 6502 to handle the I/O and other functions, it would be valuable to see how the two CPU's cooperate with each other. Possible areas of coverage could include how the dual CPU's deal with cycle stealing, address translations, interrupts, parameter passing, etc.

The OS-9 operating system is available for the MILL 6809 card through Stellation Two, P.O. Box 2342, Santa Barbara, CA 93120; (805) 966-1140.

Dear Editor:

I just finished reading the March issue of MICRO. As an OSI user [I have a C2-4P MF system] I wish to thank you for your editorial "Hello, OSI?" and also for making the March issue an OSI Feature.

Let's hope that the cover photo is not a group of OSI users watching the OSI personal computer division going up in flames.

After reading the notation about the cover photo, I looked through my collection of computer manuals and found a copy of the manual prepared by Professors J.G. Kemeny and T.E. Kurtz dated June 1965. A statement of interest in the manual is: "The language that you will use is BASIC (Beginner's All-purpose Symbolic Instruction Code) which is at the same time precise, simple, and easy to understand."

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Dear Apple Owners:

In conjunction with the release of The Graphics Magician and the updated Complete Graphics System II, Penguin Software is announcing a new policy with our applications software for the Apple. The Complete Graphics System II, Special Effects, and The Graphics Magician will all now be available on non-protected disks.

We've been torn between two points of view. As computer users, we appreciate the ability to have several working copies of our applications software, and even the ability to go in and modify the code, if desired. We'd use programs such as VisiCalc or DB Master for dozens of other applications if we could have them running off several separate disks and didn't have to guard our master copies with such extreme care. Disks are fragile; we handle thousands of them, and no disk is absolutely 100% error-proof. Being programmers also, occasionally we'd like to adapt a program slightly to our system or our needs. On locked disks, much of a software product's potential (Continued) usage goes untapped.

#### Letter Box (Continued)

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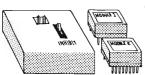
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# **Memory Map Relocator**

by Preston R. Black

This short program relocates a previous memory map program. Thus, even your longest program won't be written over by the memory map program.

MEMORY MAP Relocator requires:

Apple II

The MEMORY MAP program by Peter Cook (MICRO 36:45) is a very elegant way to assess memory usage by the Apple II computer. I have found this program to be particularly useful as a tool in program development. It gives me an up-to-date account of the size of my program and the space reserved for variable storage.

One of the drawbacks of the program is its location in memory (\$3200). While this does not interfere with most of my programs, it is annoying to have to frequently reload a large program because parts of it have been written over by MEMORY MAP. This can be disastrous if the program you are developing has not been saved. Moreover, MEMORY MAP keeps reminding me that there is free space to use with my programs. Wouldn't it be great if MEMORY MAP were always loaded into that free space, leaving your program intact?

As Mr. Cook points out in his article, MEMORY MAP is not readily relocatable since there are frequent absolute references within the program. To relocate the program by hand would be most tedious. Obviously, a relocating loader for MEMORY MAP is what we need.

MEMORY MAP RELOCATOR is such a relocating loader. This program defines the free space in RAM and loads MEMORY MAP into that area. MEMORY MAP RELOCATOR then updates the relocated program to make it internally consistent and jumps to the beginning of the relocated program to run MEMORY MAP.

```
Memory Map Relocator
                                          MEMORY MAP RELOCATOR
                                                           RY
                                            PRESTON R BLACK MD
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                                    THIS PROGRAM WILL RELOCATE
THE MEMORY MAP PROGRAM
WRITTEN BY PETER A. COOK
(MICRO 36.45) TO RESIDE
IN RAM WHERE THERE IS FREE
SPACE AND WILL NOT WRITE
OVER THE BASIC PROGRAM
ALREADY IN MEMORY
                              EQUATES
                           NADDRL EPZ $06
NADDRH EPZ $07
NENDL EPZ $08
                                       EPZ $19
EPZ $18
                           NENDH
                           BUFFH EPZ $1D
LENGTH EPZ $2F
PROMPT EPZ $33
PGENDL EPZ $AF
PGENDH EPZ $BO
                           BUFFH
                           OLDADL EPZ $32
OLDADH EPZ $39
PGPTRL EPZ $CA
PGPTRH EPZ $CB
                           RSTPG3 EQU $9E25
RSTRTS EQU $9E30
                           INSDS2 EQU $F88E
COUT EQU $FDED
                           COUT
 0300 401303
                           START JMP INIT
 0303
                             THIS ROUTINE RESTORES PAGE THREE DOS POINTERS WHICH ARE WRITTEN OVER BY THIS ROUTINE
 0303
                          RSTORE LDA #$60
STA RSTRTS
JSR RSTPG3
 0303 A960
                                                                            ; PLACE 'RTS' WHERE
; WE WANT IT BEFORE
; WE JUMP TO RESTORE ROUTINE
 0305 BD309E
0308 20259E
 030B
 030B A9AD
                                       LDA #$AD
                                                                            ; RESTORE CHANGED DOS BYTE AND ; JUMP TO RELOCATED MEMORY MAP
                                      STA RSTRTS
JMP (BUFFL)
 030D 8D309E
 0310 6C1900
0313
 0313
0313
                             THE TRUE BEGINNING OF THE PROGRAM
 0313 A533
                          INIT
                                      LDA $33
CMP #">"
 0315 C9BE
0317 FOOC
                                                                              INTEGER BASIC?
                                       BED INITE
 0319 E6B0
031B A5B0
                                                                           ; NO, THEN ADD ONE TO H.O. BYTE
; APPLESOFT EOP POINTER
; TO MAKE SURE WE ARE OVER
; THE PROGRAM
                                       LDA PGENDH
                                      STA NADDRH
STA BUFFL+1
 031D 8507
 031F 851A
0321 C6B0
                                       DEC PGENDH
 0323 D009
                                       BNE INIT2
0325 38
0326 A5CB
                                      SEC
                                                                            ; YES, USE INTEGER BASIC
                                      LDA PGPTRH
                                                                               FOINTERS
ALLOW ENOUGH SPACE BELOW
0329 E900
                                      SBC #$OC
STA NADDRH
 032A 8507
                                                                              PROGRAM FOR MEMORY MAP
                                                                                                                   (Continued)
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#### How it Works

The first step in relocating MEMORY MAP is to define the area of free space in RAM. Both Applesoft and Integer BASIC have pointers to the end of the program stored in memory. Unfortunately, they are not the same bytes. In addition, programs are not stored the same way in the two languages. Applesoft begins storing programs at \$801 and succeeding bytes are added above this. Integer BASIC begins storing programs at HIMEM and places all succeeding bytes below this. Thus, the pointers to the end of the program in the two languages must be treated differently.

For Applesoft we must load MEM-ORY MAP above the program already in memory. If we take the high order byte of the address of the end of the program and add one to it, we can be certain that we are above the program in memory. MEMORY MAP requires slightly less than \$C00 bytes of memory if we include the area used by the printing routine. Therefore, in Integer BASIC we must go at least this far below the program to load MEMORY MAP. Otherwise we will overwrite the BASIC program already in memory.

During initialization of MEMORY MAP RELOCATOR we can determine the current language by checking which prompt is used. Appropriate adjustments must be made to the high order byte of the program end. We now have a starting address within the free space to place MEMORY MAP. Calculate the ending address of the relocated program by adding the length of MEMORY MAP to the new starting address.

Next load MEMORY MAP into the free area. This is done by constructing a string consisting of "BLOAD MEMORY MAP, A\$xx00". The xx is the high order byte for the new starting address that we determined during initialization. But before we can place this number into our string, it must be converted into the ASCII representation of that number. This is done by first dividing the number into two nibbles (a nibble is equal to four bits) and converting the nibbles into the Apple ASCII code for the respective numbers. The Apple ASCII codes for the numbers from 0 to 9 are \$B0 to \$B9 respectively. Thus, to convert these numbers, we simply add \$B0 to them. (The numbers \$A to \$F must have \$B7 added to them to convert them into ASCII.) Once the numbers have been converted to ASCII, they are added to our string to complete it. We then use COUT (\$FDED) to pass the string to DOS to be executed.

```
Memory Map Relocator (Continued)
                               STA BUFFL+1
  032C 851A
                     INIT2
                              CLC
                                                         ; FIND END OF
                              ADC #$06
STA NEND
  032F 5906
                                                           RELOCATED PROGRAM
AND SAVE IN BUFFERS
   0331 8509
                                    NENDH
                               STA BUEEN
  0333 8510
  0335 A9E0
0337 8508
                              STA NENDL
                              LDA #$00
STA NADDRL
  0339 A900
  033B 8504
033D 8519
                               STA BUFFI
                                                         ; TAKE H.O. BYTE OF NEW START
; LOOK AT L.O. NIBBLE
; IS IT <10
                                    NADDRH
                     ELDAD
                              LDA
  033F A507
  0341 290F
0343 C90A
                               AND #$0F
                              CMP
BLT
                                    BLOAD1
  0345 9006
0347 18
                                                         ; NO, CONVERT TO ASCII
                               CLC
                               ADC #$87
                                                         ; FOR 'A'-'F
   0348 6987
                               JMP BLOAD2
   034A
         405003
                                                         ; YES, CONVERT TO ASCII
; FOR 'O'-'9'
                      BLOAD1 CLC
  034D 18
                               ADC #$80
   034E 69B0
  0350 A201
0352 9DF803
                     BLOAD2 LDX #$01
STA LOAD1,X
                                                         STORE IN STRING
  0355 A507
0357 4A
                              LDA NADDRH
                                                         ; NOW LODK AT H.O. NIBBLE
; AND CONVERT TO ASCII
; AND STORE IN STRING
   0358 4A
                               LSR
  0359 4A
035A 4A
                               LISE
                               LSR
  035B C90A
035D 9006
                               CMP
                                    #$0A
                               BLT BLOADS
   035F 18
                               CL.C
   0360
         69B7
4C6B03
                               ADC #$B7
JMP BLOA
                                    BLOAD4
   0362
   0365 18
                      BLOAD3 CLC
                               ADC #$BO
   0366 69E0
   0368 CA
0369 9DF803
                      BLOAD4 DEX
                               STA LUADI, X
                                                         : USE COUT TO
: PASS BLOAD COMMAND 10
   036C BDE203
036F F006
                      BLOADS LDA LOAD, X
                                    UPDATE
   036F F006
0371 20EDFD
                               BED
                               JSR COUT
                                                          : DOS WITH RELOCATING
: STARTING ADDRESS
   0374 E8
                               TNX
                               BNE BLOADS
   0375 DOF5
                                                         ; FIRST FIND OFFSET
   0377 38
                      UPDATE SEC
   0378 A507
037A E932
                               LDA NADDRH
                                                          : BETWEEN ORIGINAL
                               SBC
                                                         : AND RELOCATED PROGRAM
: AND SAVE
                                    #OLDADL
   037C 851B
                               STA DIFF
                              LDY
         A000
                                    #$00
(NADDRL),Y
                      UPDAT1
   0380 B106
                               LDA
   0382 208EFB
0385 A52F
                                                         : FIND LENGTH OF
                               TSE
                                    INSDS2
                               LDA LENGTH
                                                            OF CODE
   0387 AB
                               TAY
   0388
         C902
                                                         : IF < 3 THEN NEXT ONE
                                    #$02
                               BNE UPDATS
   038A D01D
                                                         : IF = 3 THEN
; SEE IF ADDRESS IS
: WITHIN PROGRAM
                                    (NADDRL),Y
   038C B106
   038E C932
                               CMP
   0390 9017
0392 C939
                               BLT UPDATS
CMP #OLDAD
                               CMP #OLDADH
BGE UPDAT3
                                                            BOUNDARIES
                                                            IF NOT, THEN
GOTO NEXT OF CODE
   0394 B013
                                    #OLDADH-1
                               BNE UPDATE
   0398 D008
   039A 88
                               DEY
                               LDA (NADDRL),Y
         B106
   039B B10
                               INY
   039E C9E0
03A0 B007
                               CMP
                                    #$E0
                                BGE UPDAT3
                                                         : IF ADDRESS WITHIN PROGRAM
: ADD OFFSET TO CHANGE
   03A2 18
03A3 B10
                      DPDAT2 CLC
         B106
                               LDA
                                    (NADDRL), Y
                                                            TO RELOCATED ADDRESS
                               ADC
   03A5 A51B
                                    DIFF
   03A7
         9106
                               STA (NADDRL), Y
                      UPDATE INY
   03A9 C8
   03AA
03AB
         98
                                TYA
                               CLC
         18
                                                            UPDATE TO NEXT
                               ADC NADDRL
   0340
         5506
                               STA NADDRL
BCC UPDAT4
   03AE 8506
                                                            OP CODE
   03B0
         9002
   03B2
         E607
                                INC NADDRH
                      UPDAT4
                               SEC
   03B4
          38
                                                          ; END OF THE
   03B5 A50B
03B7 E506
                               LDA NENDL
                                                            RELOCATED PROGRAM?
                                     NADDRL
   0389
         A509
                               LDA NENDH
         E507
                               SBC
BCC
                                    NADDRH
UPDATS
   03BB
   03BD
          9003
                                                          : NO. CONTINUE UPDATE
   03BF
         4C7E03
                               JMP
                                    UPDAT1
   03C2 A51C
                      UPDATS LDA BUFFH
                                                           YES, REPLACE $6F
WITH PROPER ADDRESS
   03C4 A06F
03C6 9119
                               LDY #$6F
                               STA (BUFFL), Y
   0308
                        NOW CORRECT THE ADDRESSES OF THE STARTING PAGES
   02C8
02C8
                        FOR PRINTING THE MOVED TEXT PAGE
   0308
   03CB A51C
                                LDA BUEEN
                               STA NENDH
   03CA 8509
                               LDA #$00
STA NENDL
   03CC A900
   03CE 8508
```

| nory Map Rei  |           | ,         |  |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| 03D0          | AOB3      | LDY       | #\$B3  |
| 03D2          | 18 UF     | DAT6 CLC  |  |
| 03 <b>D</b> 3 | B108      | LDA       | (NENDL), Y   |
| 0305          | 651B      | ADC       | DIFF   |
|               | 9108      | STA       | (NENDL), Y   |
| 03 <b>D9</b>  |           | INY       |  |
|               | CB        | INY       |  |
|               | COEO      | CPY       | #\$E0  |
|               | 90F3      | BLT       | UPDAT6   |
| 03DF          | ;         |           |  |
| O3DF          |           | WHEN FIN  | ISHED RESTORE PAGE THREE POINTERS                                |
| 03DF          | ;         | BEFORE RU | ISHED RESTORE PAGE THREE POINTERS<br>JNNING RELOCATED MEMORY MAP |
| USDF          |           |           |  |
| 03DF          | 400303    | JMP       | RSTORE   |
| 03E2          | 8D8D84 LD | AD HEX    | 8D8D84   |
| 03E5          | C2CCCF    | ASC       | "BLOAD MEMORY MAP, A\$"  |
|               | C1C4A0    |           |  |
| 03EB          | CDC5CD    |           |  |
|               | CFD2D9    |           |  |
| 03F1          | AOCDC1    |           |  |
|               | DOACC1    |           |  |
| 03F7          |           |           |  |
|               |           | AD1 HEX   | 0000B0B0BD00   |
| 03FB          | B08D00    |           |  |
| 03FE          | 1.5       | NTH EQU   | *-START  |

Once the program has been loaded into memory, we must update it to make internal calls consistent. The algorithm for this is as follows: First, the offset between the original program and the relocated program is calculated. This is the amount that must be added to the original addresses to make them compatible with the relocated program. Using the monitor routine INSDS2, we determine how many bytes are used by each op code. If the op code requires only one or two bytes, then any addressing will be relative and will not require updating. If, however,

the op code is three bytes long, then all addresses used must be absolute.

We must also check to see if that address is within the boundaries of the original program (i.e., from \$3200 to \$38E0). If it is, then we add the offset to the high order byte. If it is not, we go to the next op code. We continue in this fashion until we reach the end of the relocated program. When the relocated program has been completely updated, an indirect jump to the beginning of the relocated program will run MEMORY MAP.

#### How to Use the Program

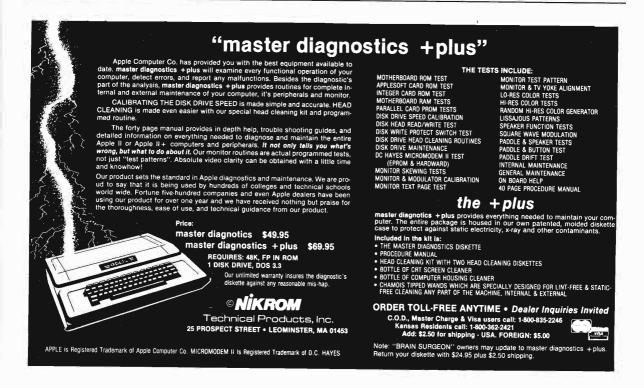
MEMORY MAP RELOCATOR resides on page three of memory. Since it is longer than \$D0 bytes long, it overwrites important DOS vectors located on page three. To insure proper function of DOS after the program is run, a short routine to restore these pointers begins the program. It is placed at the beginning so it will not be destroyed while the pointers are restored.

The routine to restore the pointers makes use of the part of DOS which places the pointers onto page three during the bootstrap. I place an 'RTS' [\$60] in the place that suits my purposes and restore the byte to what it was before performing the indirect jump to run MEMORY MAP.

Once the program has been entered and saved, BRUNning it will place MEMORY MAP into the available free space and run it. Remember that this program is written to run with a program named MEMORY MAP which is normally stored from \$3200 to \$32E0. With minor modifications, this program can be converted to run with a program beginning at any address, and of any length.

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# BASIC to Machine Language Interface

by Christer Engstrom

Since the AIM lacks a SYS or CALL function, it is difficult to communicate between BASIC and machine language. This interface routine makes the USR(W) function more flexible and allows entry of the machine language address directly in hexadecimal through the BASIC variable AD%.

#### Interface

requires:

AIM with 4K BASIC AIM Assembler

I own an AIM with 4K RAM and BASIC and assembler ROMs. The BASIC interpreter is slow, but the machine itself is very fast. Furthermore, there is a lack of cooperation between BASIC and machine language. The only way to jump out from BASIC to execute other code in memory, is to use the USR(W) command. This command lets you jump to a subroutine whose address is given in locations \$04 and \$05, and also pass a floating point value in locations \$B1 - \$B6.

A frequent use of this method results in many POKEs, which are done byte-by-byte in decimal. This is not good for readability. I think we need an easier way to jump out, a better way to define where to jump, and a method to pass parameters. We need a general interface.

The best way to define an address is with (ASCII) hex characters. Here's my solution to the problem: every time BASIC executes the USR(W) command, the machine enters the general interface. The integer AD% is supposed to contain the address to jump to, in highlow order. The interface scans the variable table and searches for AD% (which in the machine is interpreted as \$C1C4 — ASCII of 'A' and 'D', each ORed with \$80). If it is found and contains an address > \$00FF, the interface converts the value W specified in the

USR(W) statement, to a signed binary value in locations \$AC to \$AD (subroutine \$BEFE).

Next it loads the byte at location \$AD (LSB of the value) into the accumulator, and jumps to the subroutine. On returning from the subroutine, the accumulator is stored into \$AD, and the signed binary value in \$AC-\$AD is converted back to the floating-point register (subroutine \$COD). Finally, a return to BASIC is made.

#### Examples

1. You want to jump to a subroutine at location \$0400.

10 AD% = 
$$X''0400''$$
  
20 L = USR(0)

2. Take advantage of the monitor routine at location \$E97A. Don't forget that the accumulator must be loaded with a value:

10 AD% = 
$$X''E97A''$$
  
20 L =  $USR(A)$ 

I know, you're thinking that the X''0400'' and the X''E97A'' are not conforming to general BASIC syntax. But AD% = 1024 and AD% = -576 are! So what we now need is a way to translate all X''..'' expressions to their decimal equivalents before execution. That is done by the hex converter. If the general interface doesn't find AD% or if AD% is zero, all X''..'' and Z''..'' expressions are converted to decimal.

You can see that the hex converter is entered *via* the general interface. This means that it is easy to modify the interface so that it can execute more functions (with a function code in AD%). You may even want to modify the whole interface. Maybe it is better when used this way:

Let's get back to the hex converter. If you want to assign an unsigned value > \$7FFF to a BASIC Integer, you must consider this: the interval \$8000 to \$FFFF equals the decimal interval -32768 to -1. This means that \$8000 = -[\$10000 - \$8000] = -[65536 -32768] = -32768.

We don't always want to translate the hex string to a signed value, so another type must be defined. This leads us to two different syntaces. To get a signed decimal value, precede the hex string in quotes with an X. For positive (unsigned) values, use a Z instead.

Example 3:

$$X''9000'' = -(65536 - 36864)$$
  
=  $-28672 \text{ BUT}$   
 $Z''9000'' = 36864$ 

If you define an address, use the X type. Note that only the program part, not the variable part, is hex-converted. Also note that the string within the quotes must consist only of the hex characters [0 - 9, A - F], and have a length of 0 - 4 characters. Left-fill with zeroes is done automatically. For example:

10 L = 
$$USR(X''A'')$$
  
20 A =  $X''CC''/B$ 

After hex conversion,

$$10 L = USR(0010)$$
  
 $20 A = 00204/B$ 

no compression is done. The string beginning with X or Z is replaced by a decimal value of the same length. If the hex string is not enclosed within quotation marks, BASIC will attempt to interpret some strings to function codes during input phase; "DEF" for example.

#### Program Description: The Interface

In my version, the interface consists of two parts: the interface and the hex converter. Since only relative branches are made, both parts are relocatable. The interface and the hex conversion need not cooperate - simply remove one of them. In my version, the interface must know the real start addresses of functions it should handle. The BASIC input buffer (\$14 - \$50) is used as a work area. The interface starts with a lookup of the variable table.

Here are some valuable points:

- 1. The start address for the table is in locations \$75 and \$76.
- 2. An integer variable name has \$80 added to the first and second character of its name (thus making AD% = \$C1C4, not \$4144).
- 3. Every entry in the table consists of seven bytes, the first two for its name.
- 4. An integer variable has its value (signed) in the two bytes following the name.
- 5. "End-of-table" is flagged by \$AA in the first location of an entry.

Here is a description of what is done at each label:

ENTRY-Stores the address of the variable table start in a work area.

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SCAN-A search for \$C1C4 or end-oftable is done.

NEW-Get address for next entry, scan again.

CHECK-Tests value in leftmost byte of integer AD%.

IUMP-Jumps to subroutine after floating point conversion. At return, converts integer back to floating point array.

OUT-Clears A,X,Y registers and returns back to BASIC.

FUNC-Jumps to functions by testing the rightmost byte of AD%. Invalid functions are ignored.

FUNC .. - The functions.

#### **Hex Converter**

This is a fairly long and spaceconsuming part; the readability is worth more than smart programming.

- 1. A scan for all strings beginning with X" and Z" is done in the program part (page "CHECK PROG").
- 2. If such a string is found, and the rest of it conforms to the above given

syntax, it is converted to the decimal equivalent (pages "MOVE RIGHT JUST" and "STRING TO HEX").

- 3. If it is an X' string with a value > = 32768, a sign-conversion (see example 3) is done (page "SIGN CONVERSION"].
- 4. Finally, the converted value is edited back to the program (pages "EDIT NOW" and "MOVE TO PROG"].
- 5. When the program part is scanned through, a return to the interface is done [page "MAIN LOOP"].

#### Conclusion

We now have an extended and more flexible way to use BASIC with the rest of the machine. Even some monitor routines can be used without specially written routines. The hex converter allows us to specify constants in hexadecimal mode. This method also cooperates better with the rest of the machine. Finally, the interface can help during the editing of a program (function codes could be used].

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|                      |  |
|                      | ORG \$F81  |
| ENTRY                | LDX \$75   |
|                      | STX \$14   |
|                      | LDX \$76<br>STX \$15   |
| SCAN                 | LDY #\$00  |
|                      | LDA (\$14),Y   |
|                      | CMP #\$AA  |
|                      | BEQ FUNCO  |
|                      | CMP #\$C1  |
|                      | BNE NEW  |
|                      | INY  |
|                      | LDA (\$14),Y<br>CMP #\$C4  |
|                      | BEQ CHECK  |
| NEW                  | CLC  |
|                      | LDA \$14   |
|                      | ADC #\$07  |
|                      | STA \$14   |
|                      | LDA \$15   |
|                      | ADC #\$00  |
|                      | STA \$15<br>CLC  |
|                      | BCC SCAN   |
| CHECK                | INY  |
|                      | LDA (\$14),Y   |
|                      | BEQ FUNC   |
| JUMP                 | JSR \$BEFE   |
|                      | LDA #\$4C  |
|                      | STA \$16   |
|                      | LDY #\$02<br>LDA (\$14),Y  |
|                      | STA \$18   |
|                      | INY  |
|                      | LDA (\$14),Y   |
|                      | STA \$17   |
|                      | LDA \$AD   |
|                      | JSR \$0016   |
|                      | STA \$AD   |
|                      | LDA \$AC<br>LDY \$AD   |
|                      | JSR \$COD1   |
| OUT                  | LDA #\$00  |
|                      | TAY  |
|                      | TAX  |
|                      | RTS  |
| FUNC                 | INY  |
|                      | LDA (\$14),Y   |
|                      | CMP #\$00  |
|                      | BEQ FUNCO<br>CMP #\$01   |
|                      | BEQ FUNT   |
|                      | RTS  |
| FUNCO                | JSR \$0E00   |
|                      | CIC .  |
|                      | BCC OUT  |
| FUNC1                | NOP  |
|                      | CLC<br>BCC OUT   |
|                      | CHECK JUMP OUT   |

| Listing 2: Hexadecimal Converter |               |                          |  |  |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|--|--|
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|                                  | ,****         | *******                  |  |  |
| OEOO A573                        | START         | ORG \$0E00               |  |  |
| 0E02 8514                        | SIAKI         | LDA \$73<br>STA \$14     |  |  |
| OEO4 A574                        |               | LDA \$74                 |  |  |
| OEO6 8515<br>OEO8                |               | STA \$15                 |  |  |
| 0E08                             | ;<br>• ፍጥል ውሳ | LOOP IN PROG             |  |  |
| 0E08                             | ;             | I DOF IN FROS            |  |  |
| 0E08 A515                        | LOOP          | LDA \$15                 |  |  |
| OEOA C576                        |               | CMP \$76                 |  |  |
| 0EOC 3007<br>0EOE A514           |               | BMI GO<br>LDA \$14       |  |  |
| OE10 C575                        |               | CMP \$75                 |  |  |
| OE12 3001                        |               | BMI GO                   |  |  |
| 0E14 60                          |               | RTS                      |  |  |
| OE15<br>OE15 2028OE              | ;             | TOP OUR                  |  |  |
| OE13 20200E                      | GO            | JSR SUBR<br>CLC          |  |  |
| OE19 A514                        |               | LDA \$14                 |  |  |
| OE1B 6901                        |               | ADC #\$01                |  |  |
| OE1D 8514<br>OE1F A515           |               | STA \$14                 |  |  |
| 0E21 6900                        |               | LDA \$15<br>ADC #\$00    |  |  |
| OE23 8515                        |               | STA \$15                 |  |  |
| 0E25 18                          |               | CLC                      |  |  |
| 0E26 90E0<br>0E28                | 1.2           | BCC LOOP                 |  |  |
| 0E28                             | ;             | PROGRAM                  |  |  |
| 0E28                             | ; CIECK       | FROSIAN                  |  |  |
| 0E28 D8                          | SUBR          | CLD                      |  |  |
| OE29 A000                        |               | LDY #\$00                |  |  |
| OE2B A958<br>OE2D D114           |               | LDA 'X<br>CMP (\$14),Y   |  |  |
| OE2F FOO6                        |               | BEQ CONT                 |  |  |
| 0E31 A95A                        |               | LDA 'Z                   |  |  |
| OE33 D114                        |               | CMP (\$14),Y             |  |  |
| 0E35 D037<br>0E37                |               | BNE NEXT                 |  |  |
| OE37 8516                        | CONT          | STA \$16                 |  |  |
| 0E39 A922                        |               | LDA '"                   |  |  |
| OE3B C8<br>OE3C D114             |               | INY                      |  |  |
| OESE DOZE                        |               | CMP (\$14),Y<br>BNE NEXT |  |  |
| 0E40 A230                        |               | TDX '0                   |  |  |
| 0E42 8618                        |               | STX \$18                 |  |  |
| 0E44 8619                        |               | STX \$19                 |  |  |
| 0E46 861A<br>0E48 861B           |               | STX \$1A<br>STX \$1B     |  |  |
| 0E4A A200                        |               | LDX #\$00                |  |  |
| OE4C 8634                        |               | STX \$34                 |  |  |
| OE4E A218                        |               | LDX #\$18                |  |  |
| 0E50 8633<br>0E52 EA             |               | STX \$33<br>NOP          |  |  |
| 0E53                             | ;             | ATO 2                    |  |  |
| 0E53 C8                          | IN            | INY                      |  |  |
| OE54 B114                        |               | LDA (\$14),Y             |  |  |
| 0E56 C922<br>0E58 F015           |               | CMP '" BEQ UT            |  |  |
| 0E5A C006                        |               | CPY #\$06                |  |  |
| 0E5C F010                        |               | BEQ NEXT                 |  |  |
|                                  |               | (Continued)              |  |  |
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| 0E5E C930            | CMP 'O              |
| OE60 300C            | EMI NEXT            |
| OE62 C93A            | CMP #\$3A           |
| 0E64 30ED            | BMI IN              |
| OE66 C941            | CMP 'A              |
| 0E68 3004            | EMI NEXT            |
| 0E6A C947            | CMP 'G              |
| OE6C 30E5            | BMI IN              |
| 0 <b>E6E</b>         | ; INVALID/NO STRING |
| OE6E 60              | NEXT RTS            |
| 0 <b>E6</b> F        | 7                   |
| OE6F                 | MOVE RIGHT JUST     |
| OE6F                 | 7                   |
| OE6F 8417            | UT STY \$17         |
| OE71 A203            | LDX #\$03           |
| OE73 8636            | STX \$36            |
| OE75 8435            | STY \$35            |
| 0E77 C635            | IN2 DEC \$35        |
| OE79 A435            | LDY \$35            |
| OE7B B114            | LDA (\$14),Y        |
| OE7D C922            | CMP '"              |
| OE7F FO09            | BEQ UT2             |
| OE81 A436            | LDY \$36            |
| OE83 9133            | STA (\$33),Y        |
| OE85 C636            | DEC \$36            |
| OE87 18              | CLC                 |
| OE88 90ED            | BCC IN2             |
| OE8A                 | ;                   |
| OE8A                 | STRING TO HEX       |
| OE8A                 | ;                   |
| OE8A A003            | UT2 LDY #\$03       |
| OE8C B133            | UT2A LDA (\$33),Y   |
| OESE 207DE           | JSR \$EA7D          |
| OE91 9133            | STA (\$33),Y        |
| OE93 88              | DEY                 |

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| 9      | 0E94         |                |            | BPL UT2A              |            |
|        | 0E96         |                |            | COUNT LOOP            |            |
|        | 0E96         | A200           |            | LDX #\$00             |            |
|        | 0E98         |                |            | STX \$22              |            |
|        | OE9A         | 8623           |            | STX \$23              |            |
|        | OE9C         |                |            | STX \$24              |            |
|        | OE9E         | F8             |            | SED                   |            |
|        |              | A940           |            | LDA #\$40             |            |
|        |              | 8525           |            | STA \$25              |            |
|        |              | A996           |            | LDA #\$96             |            |
|        |              | 8526           |            | STA \$26              |            |
|        |              | A518           | :TEST      | LDA \$18<br>BIT 1     |            |
|        | OEA9         |                | ,1101      | OMP #\$08             |            |
|        |              | C908           |            | BMI NOMI              |            |
|        |              | 300D<br>A516   |            | LDA \$16              |            |
|        |              | C958           |            | CMP 'X                |            |
|        |              |                |            |                       |            |
|        |              | D007           |            | BNE NOMI              |            |
|        |              | A9A5           | FT 3.0     | LDA #\$A5             |            |
|        | OEB5         | 0516           | ;FLAG      |                       |            |
|        | OEB5<br>OEB7 | 8516<br>18     |            | STA \$16<br>CLC       |            |
|        |              | 9004           |            | BCC IN3               |            |
|        |              | A930           | NOMI       | LDA 'O                |            |
|        | OEBC         |                | ;FLAG      |                       |            |
|        |              | 8516           |            | STA \$16              |            |
|        |              | C618           | IN3        | DEC \$18              |            |
|        |              | 3005           |            | BMI UT3               |            |
|        |              | 20F60E         |            | JSR ADD               |            |
|        |              | 90F7           |            | BCC IN3               |            |
|        |              | A902           | UT3        | LDA #\$02             |            |
|        |              | 8525           |            | STA \$25              |            |
|        |              | A956           |            | LDA #\$56<br>STA \$26 |            |
|        |              | 8526           | TATA       | DEC \$19              |            |
|        |              | C619           | IN4        | BMI UT4               |            |
|        |              | 3005<br>20F60E |            | JSR ADD               |            |
|        |              | 90F7           |            | BCC IN4               |            |
|        |              | A900           | UT4        | LDA #\$00             |            |
|        |              | 8525           | 011        | STA \$25              |            |
|        | OEDC         | A916           |            | LDA #\$16             |            |
|        |              | 8526           |            | STA \$26              |            |
|        | OEEO         | C61A           | IN5        | DEC \$1A              |            |
|        | OEE2         | 3005           |            | BMI UT5               |            |
|        |              | 20F60E         |            | JSR ADD               |            |
|        |              | 90F7           |            | BCC IN5               |            |
|        |              | A901           | UT5        | LDA #\$01             |            |
|        |              | 8526<br>C61B   | IN6        | STA \$26<br>DEC \$1B  |            |
|        |              |                | TIAO       | BMI UT6               |            |
|        |              | 301A           |            | JSR ADD               |            |
|        |              | 20F60E<br>90F7 |            | BCC IN6               |            |
|        | OEF6         |                | ;ADD       | TO RESULT             |            |
|        | OEF6         |                | ADD        | CLC                   |            |
|        |              |                | ; ADD      | TO RESULT             |            |
|        | OEF7         | A524           | ,,         | LDA \$24              |            |
|        |              | 6526           |            | ADC \$26              |            |
|        |              | 8524           |            | STA \$24              |            |
|        |              | A523           |            | LDA \$23              |            |
|        |              | 6525           |            | ADC \$25              |            |
|        |              | 8523           |            | STA \$23              |            |
|        |              | A522           |            | LDA \$22              |            |
|        |              | 6900           |            | ADC #\$00             |            |
|        |              | 8522           |            | STA \$22<br>CLC       |            |
|        | OFO9         |                |            |                       |            |
|        |              | 60             |            | RTS                   |            |
|        | OFOE         |                | ;<br>•STGN | CONVERSION            |            |
|        | OFUE         |                | , SIGN     |                       | Continued) |
|        |              |                |            |                       |            |

| Listing 2 (Continued)         |                           |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| OFOB                          | ;                         |
| OFOB A516<br>OFOD             | UT6 LDA \$16              |
| OFOD C9A5                     | CHECK MINUS<br>CMP #\$A5  |
| OFOF DO13                     | BNE IN7                   |
| OF11 38                       | SEC                       |
| 0F12 A936                     | LDA #\$36                 |
| OF14 E524<br>OF16 8524        | SBC \$24                  |
| 0F18 A955                     | STA \$24<br>LDA #\$55     |
| OFIA E523                     | SBC \$23                  |
| 0F1C 8523                     | STA \$23                  |
| OF1E A906                     | LDA #\$06                 |
| OF20 E522<br>OF22 8522        | SBC \$22                  |
| 0F24                          | STA \$22<br>;             |
| 0F24                          | ;EDIT NOW                 |
| OF24                          | ;                         |
| OF24 D8                       | IN7 CLD                   |
| OF25 EA                       | NOP                       |
| 0F26 A516<br>0F28 8535        | LDA \$16                  |
| OF2A A522                     | STA \$35                  |
| 0F2C 20560F                   | LDA \$22<br>JSR LEFT      |
| 0F2F 8536                     | STA \$36                  |
| 0F31 A522                     | LDA \$22                  |
| 0F33 205C0F                   | JSR RIGHT                 |
| 0F36 8537<br>0F38 A523        | STA \$37<br>LDA \$23      |
| 0F3A 20560F                   | JSR LEFT                  |
| OF3D 8538                     | STA \$38                  |
| OF3F A523                     | LDA \$23                  |
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| 0F4D A524                     | LDA \$24                  |
| OF4F 205COF                   | JSR RIGHT                 |
| 0F52 853B<br>0F54 9014        | STA \$3B                  |
| 0F56 29F0                     | BCC UT7<br>LEFT AND #\$FO |
| OF58 6A                       | ROR                       |
| OF59 6A                       | ROR                       |
| OF5A 6A                       | ROR                       |
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| OF5E 18                       | RIGHT AND #\$0F<br>CLC    |
| OF5F 6930                     | ADC 'O                    |
| 0F61 C93A                     | CMP #\$3A                 |
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| OF69 60                       | RTS                       |
| OF6A                          | ,,,,,                     |
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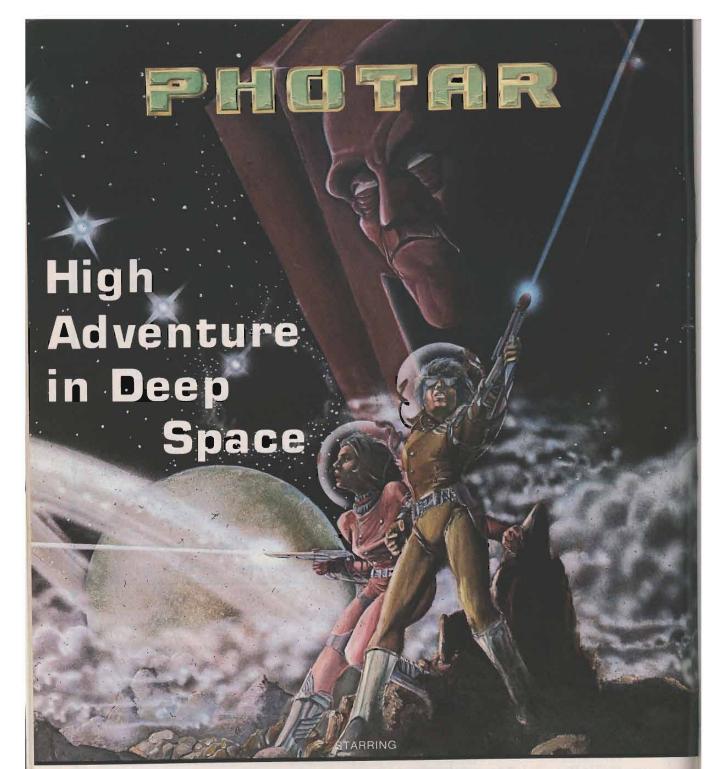
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# Memory Moves with the 6502 and 6809

#### by Gregory Walker and Tom Whiteside

The authors demonstrate the advantages of the 6809's direct page addressing and 16-bit index registers with a comparison of 6502 and 6809 memory moves.

In a previous article (MICRO 47:57) we illustrated the advantages of programming the 6809 over the 6502 with a comparison of multiprecision arithmetic routines. We continue in this article with a comparison of the two processors' capabilities in solving memory move problems.

With these two articles, we hope to demonstrate that the MC6809 is not only faster and more byte-efficient than the 6502, but also more straightforward to program. Because the most useful kinds of 6502 indirect addressing must be done through page zero, it is important, particularly with larger operating systems, that page-zero RAM be used wisely. In addition, the 6502 index registers are only eight bits long, limiting indexing to a 256-byte range. These limitations will show themselves especially well in these memory move examples.

Memory moves have a number of practical applications, including word processing, EPROM programming, and program relocation. Similar techniques are involved with string manipulation and table searches.

Figure 1 is a 6502 memory move for fewer than 256 bytes from a fixed absolute address. This routine is not all that useful, since it can only work on two fixed pages due to the limited range of the 6502 index registers. However, it illustrates the real power of the 6502 in terms of byte efficiency and speed over small ranges of memory.

The program uses the fastest form of 6502 indexed addressing — absolute indexed. The Y register will be used

both as a loop index for the move and as a counter for the number of bytes to be moved. The Y register is initialized to the number of bytes to be moved and is decremented each time through the loop. When the Y register decrements to zero, the branch conditions are not met and the loop terminates. This use of the Y register eliminates the need for a CPY immediate instruction in the loop and speeds up the code. A "CNT" value of zero will move 256 bytes.

In these examples, the "LNG" column in figure 1 represents the number of bytes required per instruction. The "TIM" column is the number of machine cycles per instruction. The 6502 memory move for fewer than 256 bytes of memory required only 11 bytes of code and approximately 14 machine cycles per byte moved.

Figure 2 shows the same memory move written in MC6809 code. In this example, the 16-bit X register points to the "FROM" address and the U register points at the "TO" address. The MC6809 addressing mode used is indexed with accumulator offset. The effective address is formed by summing the two's complement contents of the B accumulator with the contents of the index register used. You will notice that the B accumulator is being used in the same manner as the 6502 Y register was in figure 3. Because the offset is two's complement, the MC6809 example is limited to 127 bytes. We included this example to show how similarly the two processors can be used to solve the same problem. The MC6809 took 15 bytes and 15 machine cycles per byte moved.

While the 6502 wins this round by four bytes and one machine cycle per

## Figure 1: 6502 program to move fewer than 256 bytes of memory. Timing = 2 + 14 \* N where N is the number of bytes to move.

|      | LDY #CNT  | LNG<br>2               | TIMJ<br>2        | INITIALIZE THE BYTES TO MOVE COUNT   |
|------|---|------------------------|------------------|--|
| LOOP | LDA FROM - 1, Y<br>STA TO - 1, Y<br>DEY<br>BNE LOOP | 3<br>3<br>1<br>2<br>11 | 4<br>5<br>2<br>3 | LOOP: GET BYTE TO MOVE<br>Move byte<br>Decrement loop counter<br>Loop Until Zero Count |

## Figure 2: MC6809 program to move fewer than 128 bytes of memory. Timing = 8 + 15 \* N.

|      | LDX #FROM – 1                            | 3                | 3                | INITIALIZE "FROM" POINTER   |
|------|--|------------------|------------------|---|
|      | LDU #TO – 1                              | 3                | 3                | INITIALIZE "TO" POINTER   |
|      | LDB #CNT                                 | 2                | 2                | INITIALIZE BYTES TO MOVE  |
| LOOP | LDA B, X<br>STA B, U<br>DECB<br>BNE LOOP | 2<br>2<br>1<br>2 | 5<br>5<br>2<br>3 | COUNT  LOOP: GET BYTE AND MOVE IT DECREMENT LOOP COUNT LOOP UNTIL COUNT IS ZERO |

byte over the MC6809, the MC6809 code is more versatile. If this were a subroutine, "LOOP" could be called with X and U pointing anywhere in memory, while the 6502 example would be limited to the 256-byte range of its index registers. Because the MC6809 code holds the pointers in registers instead of memory locations, it is re-entrant and could be used in a real-time operating system.

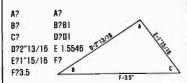
Since it appears that the 6502 can keep up with the MC6809 on a short memory move, let's try another memory move. This time the code must be able to move any number of bytes. A real measure of a processor's power is how much its performance degrades as the complexity of its task increases. In this example, complexity is measured in terms of address range.

Figure 3 shows a 6502 program to move any size block of memory. "CNT" bytes will be moved from address "FROM" to address "TO". The bytes will be moved starting at address "FROM" plus "CNT," with "CNT" decremented each time through the loop. Since the 6502 index registers are only eight bits wide, it is necessary to use indirect indexed addressing to move more than 256 bytes. [We do not count self-modifying code as an option, but as an abomination!]

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The first part of the program sets up the two 16-bit zero-page pointers "FROM" and "TO". "CNT" is a 16-bit number stored in the X register (least significant byte) and "COUNT" (most significant byte). The X register is used to store the least significant byte of "CNT" to save three machine cycles per byte moved over using a zero-page variable. The "CNT" most significant byte is initialized to one count higher than desired to eliminate the need for a load/compare step that would have used time and bytes. The pointer least significant bytes are incremented rather than the Y register, since the "FROM" and "TO" least significant bytes might not be the same.

If the above "tricks" seem confusing to you, you are not alone. Tricks cost money in terms of debug time and the time required to recode the routine when some performance requirement is changed. However, we tried to write the best 6502 code possible. The result is typical of commercial practice. Even with all these tricks, the 6502 code was 47 bytes long and approximately 32 machine cycles per byte. This is more than four times the size, and twice the cycles per byte over the short memory move. Now you see what we meant about performance degradation with increased task complexity!

Figures 4 and 5 show two versions of MC6809 memory moves which can handle memory ranges of more than 256 bytes. Both examples are identical except that one (figure 4) moves memory one byte at a time while the other (figure 5) moves two bytes at once. Both require 18 bytes of code, but the second program is eight machine cycles per byte (40%!) faster than the first.

In both these programs, the X register acts as a pointer to the "FROM" address and the U register acts as a pointer to the "TO" address, just like the program in figure 2. In these routines, however, the index registers are incremented each time through the loop as indicated by the "+" beside the indexed loads and stores. Since the second program moves two bytes at a time, the MC6809 double increment ("++") mode is used to advance to the next word. In both figures, the Y register is a counter to the number of bytes remaining to be counted. The "LEAY" instruction has no 6502 equivalent and indicates that the Y register is to be loaded with the "effective" address indicated in the operand field. In figure 4, the operand field of the LEAY instruction means to load Y with the contents of Y minus 1 like a 16-bit 6502 "DEY".

Figure 3: 6502 program to move any number of bytes of memory. Timing = 31 + (35 + 28/256) \* N.

|        |               | (LNG | TIMI |  |
|--------|---------------|------|------|--|
|        | LDA #FROML    | 2    | 2    | INITIALIZE INDIRECT "FROM" PTR           |
|        | STA FROM      | 2    | 4    | n in |
|        | LDA #FROMH    | 2    | 2    |  |
|        | STA FROM + 1  | 2    | 4    |  |
|        | LDA #TOL      | 2    | 2    | INITIALIZE INDIRECT "TO" PTR             |
|        | STA TO        | 2    | 3    |  |
|        | LDA #TOH      | 2    |      |  |
|        | STA TO + 1    | 2    | 2    |  |
|        | LDA #CNTH+1   | 2    |      | INIT BYTES TO MOVE COUNT MSB             |
|        | STA COUNT     | 2    | 2 3  | TO (COUNT / 256) + 1                     |
|        | LDX #CNTL+1   | 2    | 2 2  | INIT X TO THE COUNT LSB                  |
|        | LDY #0        | 2    | 2    | INITIALIZE INDIRECT POINTER              |
| LOOP   | LDA (FROM), Y | 2    | 5    | LOOP: GET A BYTE                         |
| DOOL   | STA (TO), Y   | 2    | 6    | AND MOVE IT                              |
|        | INC TO        | 2    | 5    | INCREMENT 16-BIT "TO"                    |
|        | BNE NOINC1    | 2    | 4    | POINTER                                  |
|        | INC TO +1     | 2    | 5    |  |
| NOINC  | I INC FROM    | 2 2  | 5    | INCREMENT 16-BIT "FROM"                  |
|        | BNE NOINC2    | 2    | 4    | POINTER                                  |
|        | INC FROM + 1  | 2    | 5    |  |
| NIINC2 | DEX           | 1    | 2    | DECREMENT 16-BIT "CNT"                   |
|        | BNE LOOP      | 2    | 4    |  |
|        | DEC COUNT     | 2    | 5    |  |
|        | BNE LOOP      | 2    | 4    | LOOP UNTIL "CNT" IS ZERO                 |
|        |               | 47   |      |  |

Figure 4: MC6809 program to move any length of memory. Timing = 10 + 20 \* N.

|      | LDX #FROM<br>LDU #TO<br>LDY #CNT                 | (LNG<br>3<br>3<br>4    | TIM)<br>3<br>3<br>4 | INITIALIZE 16-BIT "FROM" POINTER<br>INITIALIZE 16-BIT "TO" POINTER<br>INITIALIZE BYTES TO MOVE<br>COUNT            |
|------|--|------------------------|---------------------|--|
| LOOP | LDA , X +<br>STA , U +<br>LEAY -1, Y<br>BNE LOOP | 2<br>2<br>2<br>2<br>18 | 6<br>6<br>5<br>3    | LOOP: GET BYTE TO MOVE; BUMP<br>POINTER; MOVE WORD; BUMP<br>POINTER; DECREMENT COUNT<br>BY ONE UNTIL COUNT IS ZERO |

Figure 5: MC6809 program to move any length of memory. Timing = 10 + 12 \* N.

|      | LDX #FROM<br>LDU #TO<br>LDY #CNT                      | (LNG<br>3<br>3<br>4 | TIM)<br>3<br>3<br>4 | INITIALIZE 16-BIT "FROM" POINTER<br>INITIALIZE 16-BIT "TO" POINTER<br>INITIALIZE BYTES TO MOVE<br>COUNT        |
|------|---|---------------------|---------------------|--|
| LOOP | LDD , X + +<br>STD , U + +<br>LEAY - 2, Y<br>BNE LOOP | 2<br>2<br>2         | 8<br>8<br>5<br>3    | LOOP: GET WORD TO MOVE; BUMP<br>POINTER; MOVE WORD; BUMP<br>POINTER + 2; DECREMENT<br>COUNT BY TWO UNTIL COUNT |
|      | DITE 2001   | 10                  | 9                   | IS ZERO  |

Since the second program moves words, Y gets decremented with the contents of Y minus 2.

The program in figure 6 combines the code from figures 4 and 5 to produce a fast, general-purpose memory move for the MC6809 which moves any number of bytes, a word (two bytes) at a time. This routine uses the powerful double-byte move code of figure 5, only without the even-byte restriction. The way this is achieved is straightforward. The "CNT" word is tested for odd length by first using the "TFR" instruction to move the "CNT" to the D register. This is followed by a "LSRB" (logical shift right B) which sets the carry bit if "CNT" is odd. If the length is even, the routine branches directly to the double-byte move routine. Otherwise, the "odd" byte is moved first using the figure 2 code. This routine is 29 bytes long and takes approximately 12 machine cycles per byte moved. The general purpose routine takes almost twice the bytes of the MC6809 short move but requires 20% less time per byte!

Figure 7 summarizes the results for the memory moves discussed in figures 1 through 6. The byte ratio column is the number of 6502 bytes divided by the MC6809 bytes for a given comparison. The cycles per byte ratio column is the 6502 cycles required, per byte moved, divided by the MC6809 cycles per byte. For example, the row labeled "<= 256 bytes" shows that the 6502 program from figure 1 used 11 bytes and needed about 14 cycles per byte moved. The MC6809 program in figure 2 needed 15 bytes and used 15 cycles per byte moved. The "byte ratio" is then 11/15 or 0.73. The "cycles per byte ratio" is 14/15 or 0.93.

As the table in figure 7 shows, the 6502 is good at moving small blocks of memory with fixed addressing. The MC6809 code for a move of fewer than 256 bytes comes close to keeping up with the 6502, but requires over a third more bytes. Our general-purpose double-byte move routine is slightly faster than the 6502 but is much more costly in terms of bytes. Since the MC6809 general purpose routine is

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Figure 6: General MC6809 program to move any length of memory. Timing = 41 + 12 \* N.

|      |                              | (LNG             | TIM)             |   |
|------|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---|
|      | LDX #FROM                    | 3                | .3               | INITIALIZE "FROM" POINTER   |
|      | LDU #TO                      | 3                | 3                | INITIALIZE "TO" POINTER   |
|      | LDY #CNT                     | 4                | 4                | INITIALIZE BYTES TO MOVE<br>COUNT   |
|      | TFR Y, D<br>LSRB<br>BCC LOOP | 2<br>I<br>2      | 6<br>2<br>3      | CHECK FOR ODD COUNT MOVE COUNT LSB TO B REGISTER; SET CARRY IF COUNT IS ODD; TO LOOP IF COUNT IS EVEN |
|      | LDA,X+                       | 2                | 6                | ELSE GET ODD BYTE; BUMP   |
|      | STA ,U+                      | 2<br>2<br>2<br>2 | 6<br>6<br>5<br>3 | POINTER; MOVE IT; BUMP  |
|      | LEAY - I, Y                  | 2                | 5                | POINTER, DECREMENT LOOP   |
|      | BEQ DONE                     | 2                | 3                | COUNT; QUIT COUNT IS ZERO   |
| LOOP | LDD , X + +                  | 2                | 8                | LOOP: GET NEXT WORD; BUMP   |
|      | STD, U++                     | 2<br>2<br>2      | 8<br>8<br>5<br>3 | POINTER + 2; MOVE IT; BUMP  |
|      | LEAY - 2, Y                  | 2                | 5                | POINTER + 2; DECREMENT LOOP   |
|      | BNE LOOP                     | 2                | 3                | COUNT BY TWO UNTIL COUNT IS ZERO  |
| DONE | EQU *                        |                  |                  |   |
|      |                              | 29               |                  |   |

Figure 7: 6502/MC6809 byte and cycles per byte ratios for figures 1 through 6.

| Class of Move < = 256 bytes |  | Byte Ratio   | Cycles/Byte Ratio                                  |  |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|                             | 6502-Fig 1 / MC6809-Fig 2<br>6502-Fig 1 / MC6809-Fig 6   | 11 / 15 = 0.73<br>11 / 29 = 0.38                   | 14 / 15 = 0.93<br>14 / 12 = 1.17                   |  |
| >                           | 256 bytes<br>6502-Fig 3 / MC6809-Fig 4<br>6502-Fig 3 / MC6809-Fig 5<br>6502-Fig 3 / MC6809-Fig 6 | 47 / 18 = 2.61<br>47 / 18 = 2.61<br>47 / 29 = 1.62 | 35 / 20 = 1.75<br>35 / 12 = 2.92<br>35 / 12 = 2.92 |  |

easily made into a subroutine, the extra byte cost might be lessened by sharing the code with other parts of a program. The 6502 code example lacks this versatility since it is limited to fixed 256 byte ranges.

The more complex memory move of more than 256 bytes is where the MC6809 really asserts itself. MC6809 versions were presented for a single byte move, an even-length-only double-byte move, and a general-purpose "any length" move. For "byte tight" applications, the MC6809 byte mover runs 1.75 times faster than the 6502, while the 6502 uses 2.6 times the bytes of the MC6809. While the MC6809 double-byte mover from figure 5 is restricted to even-byte moves only, it rips along at almost three times the rate of the 6502 with no more code than the single-byte version.

The MC6809 general-purpose doublebyte mover (figure 6) maintains the blazing speed of figure 5 without being restricted to even-byte moves. The 6502 move uses 1.6 times the bytes of the MC6809 general purpose mover.

These results show clearly the degradation of speed and code size of the 6502 for memory moves across page boundaries. We feel that the MC6809 has also been easier to program. There has been no need to set up and manipulate indirect pointers with registers of only eight bits, as was necessary on the long 6502 memory move.

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#### **PET Vet**

By Loren Wright

# PET's Powerful Screen Editing — Are you getting the most from it?

When it comes to BASIC programming, most computers employ what I call a 'teletype' mentality. You type in the line number, followed by the line contents. Then you send all the characters you typed to the computer by pressing the RETURN key. Before you hit RETURN, you can correct errors by deleting back to the error, making the correction, and then retyping the rest of the line. If you have made the mistake of hitting RETURN before you notice the error, the only way to correct it is to start over. The characters you just typed in are still sitting there on the screen, but you can't do anything with them. The computer has forgotten all about what you typed. Sure, there's a copy in your BASIC program, and you can list the line to the screen, but you can't do anything with that either. Some of these computers allow some primitive editing - if you can remember the obscure control codes and are willing to copy characters back into memory. It is usually faster to retype your BASIC line.

The PET BASIC input works quite differently. Instead of keeping track of the stream of characters you're typing, the PET just puts them up on the screen. You can move the cursor anywhere you want, draw pictures, check your disk directory, or list another line. All that counts is where the cursor is when you hit RETURN. If it's on a line that begins with a number, then the system reads the line as a BASIC statement. If the line doesn't begin with a number and the line isn't a valid direct command, then the PET will respond with a ?SYNTAX ERROR.

This system offers a lot of advantages to the PET BASIC programmer. To correct an error in the line you're typing, all you have to do is move the cursor, make the correction, move the cursor back to the end of the line, and continue typing. If you want to correct a line you've already entered into the program, just list it to the screen (if it isn't already there), make the correction, and hit RETURN with the cursor anywhere on the line to enter the new version.

#### Tricks of the Trade

It seems simple enough, doesn't it? If you have never tried to write a BASIC program on another computer, you probably take it all for granted. There are, however, a few traps you can fall into, and there are a few little tricks you can use to make the system work even better.

- Clear the screen before you list lines you're going to edit. If you don't, garbage left over from your program run will appear on the same lines as your BASIC lines and those characters will be put into memory when you hit RETURN.
- The cursor does not have to be at the end of the line when you hit RETURN. As soon as you have completed your change, you can hit RETURN.
- 3. If you're at the left end of a line and you want to be at the right end, the fastest way to get there is not to go forward, but rather to back up to the end of the previous line and move down one line. If you're at the right end and you want to be at the left, then the opposite holds true.
- 4. Don't forget the HOME key! If you're at the bottom of the screen, it's much faster to hit HOME than to move the cursor up all those lines.
- Shifted RETURN is not the same as RETURN! It will move the cursor to the beginning of the next line, but it will not send the line to the PET for processing.
- 6. If you need to move a line to make room for others, just list it, change the number and hit RETURN. Remember, though, that the old copy is still there at the old number until you delete it or replace it. This technique is also particularly handy when you are writing a program that is very repetitive (e.g., a series of subroutines, where several lines are identical in each routine). Just type the line once, and for each copy, change the line number and hit RETURN.

- 7. If a listed line exceeds two lines, the overflow is not considered as part of the line when you try to re-enter it. This happens because you used abbreviations for BASIC keywords [like '?' for PRINT] when you originally entered the line. Using the keyword abbreviations is fine, but try to avoid using such long lines.
- 8. Be careful with BASIC lines that occupy only one screen line. Under some circumstances it is possible to get the next line listed on the screen entered as part of your current line. The cure is to list only one such line at a time.
- 9. Use the screen as a temporary storage device! This one takes some care. Let's say you have just typed in 30 lines, and you suddenly decide that only eight of them are good. You could delete each unwanted line by typing its number, but it is faster to list the lines you want to save, type NEW and RETURN. Then position the cursor on the first line, hit RETURN, and keep hitting RETURN until all the lines are restored. If any of them scroll off the screen before you re-enter them, they will have to be retyped.

Most of these tricks work fine for direct commands, too. For instance, if you misspell the file name in a LOAD command, just stop the search, move the cursor to the command line, make the change, and hit RETURN.

#### **Programmed Cursor Mode**

Another powerful feature of the PET is its character-programmable cursor commands. Cursor moves can be included as special characters in a BASIC string so that when the string is printed, the cursor moves are executed. To get these characters into the string, the PET has something called "programmed cursor mode," where pressing a cursor key causes the appropriate special character to appear on the screen instead of the cursor move itself. The programmer loses control of the cursor while in programmed cursor mode (PCM), and if you don't know what's going on, it's easy to get

#### PET VET (Continued)

frustrated. PCM is entered under only two circumstances:

- 1. When you type a double quote, you enter PCM; when you type another, you exit. The PET keeps track of the number of quotes in a line, but it can be fooled.
- 2. When you use the INSERT key, the PET counts the number of times you press it, and for that number of characters it is in PCM. The assumption is that most insertions will be within strings.

Quite often you want to be in PCM when the PET isn't, and vice versa. To get in or out, just type a quote and then delete it if you don't need it. The PET only recognizes when you type quotes, not when you delete them! If you've done an insertion, just type spaces for the number of characters you inserted and you will regain control of the cursor. The spaces can then be deleted.

In other instances, things get completely out of hand and you just want to start over. The answer is shiftRETURN! It will bail you out of PCM and it will preserve the original version of the line you're editing.

It also helps to know what the cursor control characters look like when they're included in strings. This depends both on which model PET you have and on which character set you're in. A few experiments, and perhaps a little crib sheet taped to your PET will

#### **Editing Improvements**

If you do a lot of BASIC programming even these powerful features may not be enough. Autonumber, renumber, delete functions, and repeating keys are probably the most useful enhancements. List scrolling and programmable function key capability are also useful. These functions are available in a number of commercial ROMs, such as Programmer's Toolkit, Disk-O-Pro, Command-O, POWER, EZAID, and others. Not all offer all of these editing features, but all include other capabilities.

#### Fat 40, 8000 Series, and VIC

These recent Commodore machines incorporate repeating keys and an ES-

CAPE key to get out of programmed cursor mode. The 8000 series computers have additional special characters for window, delete line, insert line, scrolling and other commands. The VIC has special characters for color commands and its eight programmable function keys.

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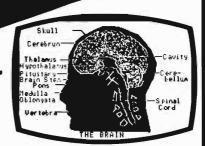
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## From Here to Atari

By James Capparell

Editor's Note: This is the last "From Here to Atari" that will appear in MICRO. We thank Jim Capparell for his efforts and wish him success with his new Atari magazine, ANTIC. And we say to the Atari Community: send us your work! We are very interested in publishing Atari material.

The "front jacks" on the Atari 400 and 800 are used for everything from game controller ports to printer and graphics ports. To get the most out of them it is necessary to understand something about the hardware. This month, I'll provide a description of the pin configuration of these jacks, the memory locations assigned to the jacks, and an example of how each pin may be individually configured as input or output.

The hardware controlling these jacks is a 6820 PIA (Peripheral Interface Adapter). This chip consists of two ports labeled "A" and "B". Port A controls Jacks 1 and 2. Jacks 3 and 4 (on your right) are controlled by Port B. The jacks are numbered left to right as you face the console. There is a numbering discrepancy: BASIC numbers them 0 to 3. The BASIC statement,

10?STICK(0),STICK(1),STICK(2),STICK(3)

will print the values read at Jack 1, Jack 2, Jack 3, and Jack 4.

Each port consists of three registers—the Control Register, the Data Direction Register (DDR), and the Data [buffer] Register [DR]. The PIA is a 40-pin chip. Due to a limitation on available pins, the DDR and the DR share the same address. (See table 1.)

Bit 2 of the control registers determines whether the DDR or the DR is addressed. When set to 0, bit Z addresses the DDR, but when set to 1 the DR is addressed. The data register simply holds data. When the jacks are configured as inport ports, the DR holds the data for the Atari to read.

When the jacks are configured as output ports, the DR holds data to be written to an external device. The DDR determines for the PIA which lines are input and which are output.

To configure Jack 1 as input and Jack 2 as output, it is necessary to tell the PIA the direction for each of the eight bits in Port A. To accomplish this, perform the following steps:

- 1. Set bit 2 of PACTL(\$D302) to 0. This allows us to address the DDR.
- 2. Write 00001111=15 to address \$D300 (note a 1 bit indicates the associated line is output).
- 3. Set bit 2 of PACTL to 1. This restores address \$D300 to the data register.

At this point, Jack 1 can be read normally with a STICK[0] statement. Jack 2 can't be read since it is configured as an output jack. Try the following:

- 10 POKE 54018,0 :REM Go talk to Data Direction Register
- 20 POKE 54016,15 :REM Jack 1 is input, Jack 2 is output
- 30 POKE 54018,4 :REM Reset to data register
- 40 REM connect joystick to Jacks 1 and 2
- 50 ?STICK(0),STICK(1) :REM Print out values from Jacks 1 and 2
- 60 GOTO 50 :REM Loop forever
- 70 REM Move Joysticks 1 and 2, only Joystick 1 will register a change.

Whenever your system is turned on all jacks are configured as input. That is, the operating system writes a 0 to the Data Direction Reigsters in Ports A and B. The values returned at these jacks are always a 1 when there is no input—logical 1 is false. This helps explain why a 15 is read even when there is no

#### Table 1

I/O Address

O.S. Shadow Address

\$D300 (54016)

\$278 (632)

Port A data register or data direction register when bit 2 of PACTL is 0. This address corresponds with Jack 1 and Jack 2. BASIC statements STICK(0) and STICK(1) read this port.

\$D301 (54017)

\$279 (633)

Port B data register or data direction register when bit 2 of PBCTL is 0. This address corresponds with Jack 3 and Jack 4. BASIC statements STICK[2] and STICK[3] read this port.

\$D302 [54018]

\$27A (634)

Port A control register. Insert a value of 4 (bit 2=1) and \$D300 becomes the Data Register.

\$D303 (54019)

\$27B (635)

Port B control register. Insert a value of 4 (bit 2 = 1) and \$D301 becomes the Data Register.

The shadow registers are updated at Stage 2 of Vertical blank processing — no more frequently than every 1/60 second. If your program requires more accurate data, read the associated hardware registers at addresses \$D300 and \$D301.

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input from a joystick. Look at the diagram in figure 1 for correspondences between bits in DDR and bits in data buffer.

When a jack is configured to input and the following BASIC statement is executed:

#### 10 ?STICK(0):GOTO 10

the following values will be printed as the joystick is manipulated:

1111 (15) = stick neutral

1110 (14) = forward

1101 (13) = backward

1011(12) = left

0111(11) = right

#### Combinations (diagonal)

1010(10) = forward/left

1001 (9) = backward/left

0101 (7) = backward/right

0110(6) = forward/right

The pin configuration for each jack is as follows:

> 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

#### Console (male)

Pin 1 = forward

Pin 2 = backward

Pin 3 = left

Pin 4 = right

Pin 5 = pot (paddle control)

Pin 6 = joystick trigger at \$D010-\$D013

(CTIA) Pin 7 = +5V

Pin 8 = gnd

Pin 9 = pot (paddle control)

These front jacks are versatile and easy to use. I've connected a Hewlett Packard Bar code reader to my 800. Others have used them for graphics printer interface and 10-key pad for business use as well.

#### Joystick Data

7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

When bit = 0 then switch pressed

bit = 1 then switch not pressed

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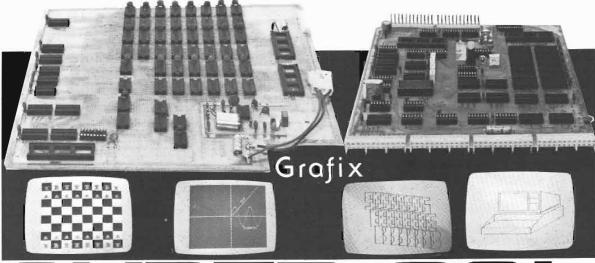
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Product Name: Mittendorf High-Resolution

**Graphics Board** 

Equip. req'd: OSI

Price: \$40 bare board; \$185 kit Mittendorf Engineering Manufacturer: 905 Villa Nueva Dr.

Litchfield Park, AZ 85340

**Description:** A 6" × 6" circuit board which adds 256 × 256 black and white high-resolution graphics to OSI systems. The same kit works with the superboard or 540 video board. The Mittendorf board contains 8K of 2114 memory which can be used for program storage when not using graphics.

Pluses: Combines with the present video signal to give hires graphics and the OSI character set on the same monitor. The graphics memory can be wired at one of several addresses.

Minuses: The Mittendorf board requires 16 connections into the OSI video circuits. The 540 version requires additional jumpers to all the bus lines. The superboard version requires removal of the data buffers which prevents further use of the 40-pin expansion port. All 256 × 256 dots are not visible. Dots are lost to overscan in the same ratio that are lost from OSI's nominal "32 × 32" characters.

Documentation: Several sets of construction plans dependent on system, software to add graphics commands to BASIC, demonstration examples.

Skill level required: Experienced builder; modification of present video circuits required.

Reviewer: Earl D. Morris

Product Name: Visiterm

Equip. req'd: Apple II or Apple II Plus and

> communications device: Apple Communications card, CCS card plus

modem or D.C. Hayes Micromodem

Price:

Manufacturer: Personal Software Inc.

1330 Bordeaux Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94086 (408) 745-7841

Author: Tom Keith

Copy Protection: Yes

6502 Machine Language Language:

Description: A communication package for interfacing the Apple with other computers, permitting the transfer and receipt of sequential text files.

Pluses: Visiterm uses one of two high-resolution character sets and the hi-res screen to provide the Apple user with a seventy-column display when communicating with other systems. This feature is particularly valuable when accessing a mainframe computer since up to eighty columns are often transmitted to the user. The character sets are programmable, permitting the user the valuable resource of redefining keys to permit the generation of mainframedependent control characters. One of the most technically

challenging aspects of using a micro as an intelligent terminal is the problem of required control keys such as the Break and X-on and X-off signals. The very extensive manual contains a thorough discussion of data com-munications. The main part of the manual contains almost 100 pages. The appendices, glossary, and detailed index contain almost as many pages. A print utility is provided that allows the user to obtain a hard copy of received data. The utility has many useful options which permit printer control and output formatting. A very powerful package with features useful for more than just communications.

Minuses: One limitation is that only sequential text files can be exchanged. However, stand-alone utility programs, outside of Visiterm, are provided to convert BASIC and binary files to and from text files. Visiterm does not provide the user with the ability to edit the data buffer exchanged. A separate text file editor may be needed by the user. (This is mentioned because at least one competing package does provide this feature. | An abbreviated summary of the Visiterm options would be helpful. For those familiar with VisiCalc II, also manufactured by Personal Software, a flow chart of commands is included which provides the user an excellent reference. It is sometimes difficult to locate the discussion of a particular topic. For example, it is possible to obtain a CATALOG of text files on a disk from within Visiterm. However, the section describing this is found under lesson Three, "File Transfer Mode." You may find it necessary to read most of the three lessons provided before you are comfortable using the package.

Skill level required: For the moderately sophisticated user, preferably with some understanding of communications problems.

Reviewer: David R. Morganstein

Product Name: A2-3D1, A2-3D2 and A2-GE1

**Graphics Package** Equip. req'd: 48K Apple II or Apple II

with disk drive

Price: \$119.85 Manufacturer: SubLogic Communications Corp.

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Champaign, IL

Description: Programs to help the user produce, project, and maneuver three-dimensional shapes on the twodimensional screen medium. Contains impressive features for recording motion sequences and replaying them. Individual snapshots or slides of a motion sequence can also be recorded for later display. Provision is made for interfacing routines to Applesoft programs.

Pluses: Either eye or object movement can be commanded. thereby adding flexibility to sequence definition. Exceptional ease in interfacing to BASIC programs.

Minuses: Extensive memory and disk space is required. The included demo disk inadequately demonstrates the

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#### Reviews in Brief (Continued)

package's considerable capabilities. The potential buyer should be aware of this and not underjudge the product.

Documentation: Superb documentation leads the user through a continuing example that eventually opens a 3-D garage door. Along the way, all capabilities are presented and an example of each is given. Surprisingly well-written in a style that lends itself to use as a tutorial or a reference.

Skill level required: Competent BASIC programmer with some exposure to assembly language.

Reviewer: Chris Williams

56K CMOS Static Memory Board Product Name:

Equip. req'd:

OSI 48-pin bus

Price: Manufacturer: 4K \$200; 24K \$450; 56K \$850

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Pluses: Very low power RAM rated for 2 MHz operation. Combines functions of several boards into one bus slot. Provision is made for multi-user or memory banking. The parallel port supports either a 6821 PIA or 6522 VIA. The board is available assembled with any amount of memory between 4K and 56K. Additional memory chips are easily installed

Minuses: For 8/16/24K the Micro-Interface board is more expensive than the same memory assembled from D&N.

Documentation: Instructions for installing jumpers, memory addresses, chip types, jumper locations, and functions are printed on the circuit board.

Reviewer: Earl Morris

Product Name:

Cer-Comp Color Computer Editor

TRS-80C Color Computer Equip. req'd:

with 16K memory \$19.95

Manufacturer:

Cer-Comp

5566 Ricochet Ave.

Las Vegas, Nevada

Description: A screen editor based on line numbers; resides in R/W memory, distributed on cassette tape using the Color Computer format. The editor has 21 commands that modify text produced in a BASIC-like format. Two edit modes allow spaces or characters to be inserted or deleted from existing lines, and allow forward and reverse scrolling through existing text. Cursor control is either single space per keystroke (forward or back) or single keystroke to reach either end of a line. Block move and copy, search and replace, list to screen or printer with or without line numbers, load and save tapes, append a second tape to existing text, and some special commands for BASIC files are available. In addition, line numbers can be removed from a file to save space, or added to files from other editors to allow editing.

Pluses: Low price, good versatility, easy to learn, does not require Extended BASIC. Works with machine-language

Minuses: Instructions and documentation lacking, no listing supplied. Although cursor control is adequate, a repeat key function for continuous cursor scroll would be advantageous.

Skill level required: Normal typing skills, ability to visualize final page format.

Reviewer: Ralph Tenny

Product Name: Equip. req'd:

Color Computer Disk System

TRS-80 Color Computer, 16K w/Extended BASIC

\$600 Price:

Tandy Radio Shack Manufacturer: P.O. Box 2625

Fort Worth, TX 76113

Description: A 35-track, double-density disk operating system for the Color Computer. Capacity is 156,672 useravailable bytes, and 68 maximum files, on a standard 51/4 inch soft-sectored diskette. The system includes a single drive, a disk controller ROM pak, and a connecting cable that allows two drives at a time on line. A four drive cable is optional. System utilities include BACKUP, COPY, and FORMAT. The operating system requires 2K of RAM and no disk space (except for directory tracks). Files are

cataloged with an eight-character file name, and threeletter extension. VERIFY, LSET, RSET, MKN\$, and CVN\$ are typical commands available to the system which are used in other DOS systems. Pluses: Because the operating system is on ROM, it re-

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Minuses: Utilities are lacking in sophistication, compared to TRSDOS. Backups require pre-formatted destination disks, and there are no file protection capabilities (other than the write protect tab). BACKUP also copies all bytes on a disk, whether there is one small file, or a full disk. Auto start is not supported, and there are no DO files to provide a turn-key system. This could be partially offset by running a standard file upon power-up. This file could load any machine-language routines, and finally load the desired program from a MENU. The CHAIN command is not supported, although it is possible to load and run a program from inside another program. Another useful command that is missing is the ON ERROR GOTO statement.

Documentation: The owner's manual is written to the same high standards of the other two Color Computer manuals. Instructions pre-suppose no previous experience with disk systems or programming. The style is very readable, and some fine demonstration file programs are included. Missing is the usual TRS-80 programmers card.

Skill level required: Novice.

Reviewer: John Steiner

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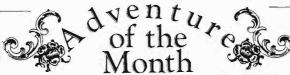
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# LISZT with Strings

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LISZT turns your Applesoft program listing into an easy-to-understand structured format. The program is designed to be flexible and works with a variety of printers.

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Can you understand a program you wrote six months ago? Do you remember some of those special tricks imbedded in a concatenated line of code? The "LISZT" (Logical Interpreter Statement Zeugmatic Tabulator) can help you understand BASIC source code listings by structuring printouts in a clear, orderly form with a minimum of extra characters. Written for the Apple II Plus, it can be modified for other BASIC dialects.

Credit is due Mark Capella for the first listing program. Since then, two others have been published. Not completely satisfied, we decided to start fresh with the following rules:

- 1. Print results so they are easy to read.
- 2. Make the program adaptable to various printers.
- 3. Gather statements in strings for flexibility.
- 4. Separate REMs from printed code.
- 5. Omit the concatenation colon and "LET."
- 6. Split over-long print lines at a logical character.
- 7. Indent FOR-NEXT loops globally.
- 8. Indent IF-THEN statements locally.
- 9. Minimize disk operations.

The main program, LISZTER, was written in linear form to accommodate different printers and to allow easy deletion or addition of special features. This article is both a program description and a partial history of program development.

#### Applesoft Source Code Structure

Source code structure rules the program. One line of Applesoft BASIC is shown in figure 1. Each line contains five overhead bytes: two for a pointer to the next line, two more for the number, and an end-of-line null (binary zero) byte. The last line number source code ends in three null bytes to indicate end-of-program.

All variable names, strings, and punctuation not a function are expressed as 7-bit ASCII with most-significant-bit [MSB] set false or zero. All function words [IF, NEXT, REM, etc.] are stored as one-byte "tokens" with MSB set true or high. There are 107 Applesoft tokens.4

#### Starting the Program Organization

Figure 2 is the initial flow chart. Each program byte is examined, beginning with decimal memory location 2049. ("Standard" ROM Applesoft code begins here. It can be changed and

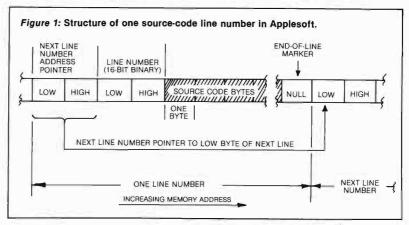
will vary for other BASICs. String variables hold the line number in N\$, statement text in a "gather" string, G\$, and the "combination" printout string, C\$.

A remarks flag is set if a REM token is encountered. The first decision separates remarks by blank print lines but groups successive remarks without blank lines. Remarks are highlighted without appearing to be part of the main coding.

ASCII characters and token bytes are parsed next with tokens reconverted to the original function word. This section and the print line formatting section receive the most attention. A prime example is separating concatenated statements and allowing indication of over-long text lines.

#### Holding Two BASIC Programs in Memory

Applesoft reserves two bytes in page zero (first 256 bytes) for the starting address. Start location is normally decimal 2049 for ROM BASIC, stored in locations 103 (low byte) and 104 (high byte). End-of-program in memory is in locations 175 (low) and 176 (high). Either can be changed from the keyboard or program in memory.



Apple's DOS allows the simulation of keyboard commands with an EXEC Text File. An EXEC file loads statements into the keyboard buffer. Each statement is then executed as if it were a keyboard command.

The program to be listed is loaded first. The EXEC file is called next by typing "EXEC LISZT." LISZT then changes normal program start address to the end of program plus two, loads and runs the LISZTER working program. Loading LISZTER will automatically set the new end-of-program address.

Although two programs are now in memory, Applesoft will only execute LISZTER as indicated by the starting address changed by EXEC file LISZT. Original start and end addresses are held in page zero scratchpad locations, LISZTER resets start and end from these scratch locations on completion of printout.

EXEC file LISZT is generated by the short program in listing l. MAKE LISZT may be deleted after generating LISZT. LISZT EXECution commands are those indicated within quotes in MAKE LISZT line numbers 225 through 265.

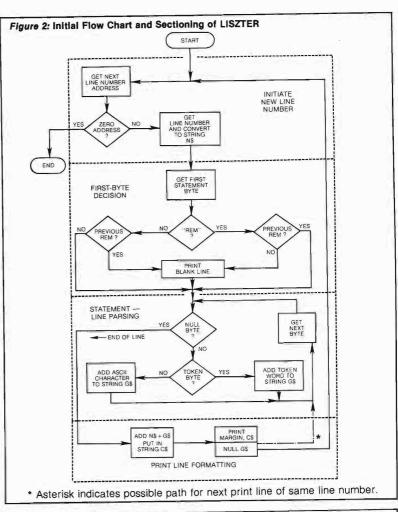
LISZTER start location is set slightly higher than normally expected. This and the extra nulls will insure that the listed program can be RUN normally after LISZTER resets start and end addresses on printout completion. Normal source code ending must be three successive null bytes.

#### Setting Up LISZTER

LISZTER begins execution at line number 82 by initializing the variables. Initializing will speed up execution, especially with string variables in Applesoft. Token array T\$ contains the 107 function words expressed as literal strings in the DATA statements. Direct expression as strings allows spaces to be added for clarity in gathering and converting the tokens.

The REM token word was changed to an asterisk. It is left as an isolated DATA declaration for those desiring another symbol or word. LET appears as a null string in line 88 to permit completion of the array; token parsing will skip over a LET.

Screen prompts in lines 94 to 100 are optional. Printed page length is normally 60 lines per page including the header. Indent spacing is normally four column spaces, fitting the REM asterisk with three following blanks.



```
Listing 1: MAKE LISZT "EXEC" file generator printed with the LISZTER program
in listing 2.
                                                 MAKE LISZT
                                          LEONARD H. ANDERSON
                                     PRINTOUT ON 20 AUGUST 1981
                                                    Page 1
                             "MAKE LISZT" GENERATOR FOR "LISZT" EXEC FILE
LEONARD H. ANDERSON 7/5/81
    200
          D$ = Chr$(4)
C$ = Chr$(13)+D$
    210
           Print C$"OPEN LISZT'
    215
           Print C4"WRITE LISZT"
Print "POKE208, PEEK(103)"
Print "POKE209, PEEK(104)"
    220
           Print "POKE210, PEEK (175)"
Print "POKE211, PEEK (176)"
Print "POKE104, PEEK (211)"
           Print "IF PEEK(210)(254 THEN POKE103, (PEEK(210)+1)"
Print "IF PEEK(210)>253 THEN_
    240
           POKE(03, (PEEK (210) - 254); POKE104, (PEEK (211) + 1) "
Print "POKE (PEEK (210) + PEEK (211) * 256-2), 0"
Print "POKE (PEEK (210) + PEEK (211) * 256-1), 0"
    250
                     "POKE (PEEK (210) +PEEK (211) *256),0"
"POKE (PEEK (210) +PEEK (211) *256+1),0"
    255
            Print
            Print
                     "POKE (PEEK (210) +PEEK (211) *256+2),0"
    265
            Print
                     "RUN LISZTER"
            Print D$"CLOSE"
    275
    280
            End
                               End of Listing
Program Length = 642 Bytes, Total of 17 Line Numbers
19 Total Non-Rem Statements, 2 Total Remarks
```

statement. 100 is the main printer control tor certain Apple I/O interfaces. Line width to 30 columns, necessary only face located in peripheral slot I. The Line 104 assumes the printer inter-

#### Subroutines

737 printers, most other printers will accept a single PRINT without a blank space and required by Centronics in REM separation. String 5\$ is a single "BLANK LINE PRINT" is used mainly gram byte pointer P and fetches a decimal value of the byte in B. "CET BYTE" simply advances pro-

CIBILLY. and print that on the following page for place brackets around the line number the following page, Lines 13 and 14 are separated, some may be printed on printed. Since concerenated statements rent page if another page is to be "continued" indicator print on the curvance and test, header printing and a does several things: line count [LC] ad-"TEST PACE" (lines 6 through 14)

#### Upper and Lower Case

ments in normal upper-case only. The words in a mixture, non-token stateappear better with the familiar function cided that program statements would T\$ array DATA declarations. We decase characters is due primarily to the The mixture of upper and lower

cidently changed! strange results occur if a token is ac-

#### First-Byte Decision

tion intent. voids the original source code separa-REMs since the asterisk-equivalent a REM; first-byte colons are changed to byte colon in Applesoit is equivalent to through 33 on listing 2 remarks are separated and grouped. A single, litst-In the section occupying lines 29

#### Statement Line Parsing

the print line formatting routine at line sions. A null program byre indicates end-of-line in Applesoft and jumps to

> EOR (K) = "Page "+8tre(PC) For (K = 1 TO 4 For (K = 1 TO 4 Print (H) = "Page "+8tre(PC) 77 PRINT THE NEADER, BRACKET LINE HUMBER FOR STATEMENTS PE JULY BE & EOL K = Th 10 92 P FORM-FEED TO BET TOP OF MEXT PAGE AFTER CONTINUED THE STHOLE-SPACE "PRINT LOOP, THE STHOLE-SPACE" PAINT STATES WITH F-F COMMOND CON USE "PRINT STATES". 8 LC = 6 Print Beel-Lee!" (continued)" Print Beel-Lee!" (continued)" III QUEOR 4 3004 N3H & LON # # 14 TC = < Tb 1 100 9 "TEST PROE" SUBROUTINE, NOTE! SINGLE CHRARCTER SET PRINTERS SHOULD DELETE "BOSUB !!!" & "BOSUB !!!" THROUGHOUT, LINES IIO THRU !!!. 9 u\_nzeH B JULY 9 gnaop 0 - 0 b "BLANK LINE PRINT" SUBROUTHE 2 GTU 74A (d) N== d = 8 Z SHILLOHUNS "31YA 138" ſ SB 0700 0 T GOTA Z4 JULY 1981 Listing 2 LIBITER 'UNIVERSAL' VERSION

sponld do this on a copy file in disk; characters directly on the disk.6 You Rigm was need to "zap" the desured case control, an available utility pro-Since none of us has direct lowerchoice is up to the user.

Line 34 begins a number of deci-

PUT LINE HUNBER IN BRACKETS AS A STRIEMENT Kezurn

IDENTIFICATION ON NEXT PAGE

K = Len (NB)

NS 15 NON NITHOUT SPACES, BRACKET HS AND ATTACK TO
STREMENT CHARACTERS

K = Fre(0) Ca = Bighte ((Lefte (LBe, (6-K))+Chre (91) +N8+Chre (93) +Be), 8)+

CI Meturn

DEI THE THO-BYTE POINTER TO HEXT LINE HUNBER, HULL

14 DNO 8040 SY 329 8B+D Gomup Z B = B

EHB OF PROBRM, PRINT NOTICE 41

9 qnaog - ansos BI

IN NOT D THEN Print Be K = Pre(0) Next

Print MelLBer "End of Listing"

(Penu 12 uos)

54. A decimal value between 1 and 127 is an ASCII character byte; any value above 127 is a token.

The double quote test at line 36 allows colons within quotes or remarks. Any other colons are treated as delimiter characters and tested at line 37. A delimiter forces a new print line but not a new line number as in the case of a null value byte.

Control characters are converted to upper case equivalents. Besides making control characters visible, conversion allows a printer to continue without suddenly switching to a new mode! We enclosed control characters in vertical bars because that print character has little use in normal printing.

Token byte values are changed to allow you to gather them from the T\$ array. A token value out of normal range is made into a distinctive word at line 40. A test-true here would indicate an error.

The REM flag set at line 43 is primarily for concatenated remarks. The remarks counter is optional and used only for end-of-listing statistics. REM spacing variable RS is set to one for indenting remarks. While remarks are highlighted, we also wanted their appearance out of the normal program flow.

The FOR flag sets up the start of global FOR-NEXT indenting. The FOR spacing counter is advanced in print line formatting to allow completion of the entire FOR statement. The NEXT test at line 48 removes one FOR indent space. This space is held at zero in case an intermediate (but legal) NEXT is used with the loop.

Conditional tests add an indent space on completion of a THEN. Anything following a THEN, even if only a line number, is considered a separate statement. An IF-GOTO is considered a single statement. The choice was arbitrary to reduce total code.

A LET token is ignored by choice. Omitting line 47 allows you to print a LET.

DATA flag (DF) is used solely in print formatting. When set, it allows splitting an over-long print line only on commas. This is useful when DATA declarations contain strings with spaces as in LISZTER itself.

```
Listing 2 (Continued)
            OPTIONAL STATISTICS
19
20
     Gosub 4
     Gosub 4
     Gosub 6
    Print M9: "Program Length =
         "; (Peek (211) -Peek (209)) $256+Peek (210) -Peek (208); " Bytes, _
             Total of "; TN; " Line Numbers'
     Gosub 4
     Gosub 6
    Print Me; (TS-TR); " Total Non-Rem Statements, "; TR; " Total_
        Remarks
     Gosub 4
     Gosub 6
    Print Ms; "END"
            TURN OFF PRINTER, DISPLAY END PROMPT ON SCREEN
    Pr# 0
23
    Poke 33,40
    Home
    HTab 11
    Inverse
Print " END OF LISTING "
    Normal
             RESET PAGE O POINTERS FOR THE LISTED PROGRAM
24
25
    Poke 105, Peek (210)
Poke 106, Peek (211)
     Poke 107, Peek (210)
     Poke 108, Peek (211)
     Poke 109, Peek (210)
     Poke 110, Peek (211)
Poke 111, Peek (115)
     Poke 112, Peek (116)
     Poke 103, Peek (208)
     Poke 104, Peek (209)
     Poke 175, Peek (210)
     Poke 176, Peek (211)
             MAKE THE LINE NUMBER STRING
 26
    TN = TN+1
 27
      Gosub 2
     D = B
      Gosub 2
     K = B*256+D
     D = Len (Strs (K))
     N$ = Right$((Left$(LB$, (7-D))+Str$(K)+" "),8)
              REGIN LINE PARSING WITH FIRST-BYTE DECISION
 28
 29
     TS = TS+1
      Gosub 2
     If B = 58 Then
         B = 178
                  CONVERT "SIMPLE REM" (A "1" FIRST-BYTE) TO ORDINARY
                   "REN"
 30
    If B = 178 And Not RF Then
           Gosub 4
           Goto 34

"REM" FLAGS ARE SET AFTER SEPARATION OF TOKENS;
                   REM-GROUPS SEPARATED BY BLANK PRINT LINES.
 31 If B = 178 And RF Goto 34
              BYPASS RF RESET
    If RF Then
 32
           Gosub 4
              RE-ENTRY POINT FOR NEXT BYTE IN STATEMENT DECISION FLOW
 33
              FORCE A NEW LINE ON THE END-OF-LINE NULL MARKER
     If B>127 Then
      B = B-127
              BYTE IS A TOKEN; REMAINDER ARE CHARACTERS
                                                                 (continued)
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```
Listing (Continued)
 36 If B = 34 Then
         QF = -QF
                 TOBBLE QUOTE FLAB FOR COLON-PRINT TEST IN NEXT LINE
 37 If B = 58 And Not RF And QF<1 Then
         TS = TS+1
          Goto 54
                  ONIT THE CONCATENATION "" AND FORCE A NEW LINE, ELSE
                  PRINT THE COLON AS A CHARACTER
    If B<32 Then
         B = B + 64
         G$ = G$+Chr$(124)+Chr$(B)
         B = 124
                  PRINT CONTROL CHARACTERS AS UPPER-CASE BETMEEN VERTICAL BARS; INDICATOR OF CONTROL CHARACTER
                  OPTIONAL.
39 G$ = G$+Chr$(B)
      Gosub 2
      Goto 34
             INDICATE UNUSED TOKENS AND CONTINUE
 40
    If B>107 Then
         G$ = G$+" ?! "
          Gosub 2
           Goto 34
             ACCEPTABLE TOKENS...
 42
 43 If B = 51 Then
         TR = TR+1
                  SET BOTH FLAGS AND TOTAL-COUNT ON "REM"
44 If B = 2 Then
FF = 1
                 A "FOR" IS STARTED
45 If B = 69 Then
CF = 1
G$ = G$+T$(B)
          Goto 54
                 FORCE A NEW LINE AFTER PRINTING A "THEN"
   If B = 4 Then
46
         DF = 1
                "DATA" STATEMENT BEGUN; WILL AFFECT INDENTING LATER
   If B = 43 Then
          Gosub 2
          Goto 34
# IGNORE A "LET" (IT IS A MULL STRING IN DATA STATEMENT
                 LINE #88)
   If B = 3 Then
        FS = FS-1
         If FSKO Then
             FS = 0
                     "NEXT" TOKEN REMOVES A "FOR" LOOP INDENT
    G$ = G$+T$(B)
     Gosub 2
             ADD EXTRA INDENT FOR EACH SPLIT LINE, LIMITING FOR LINE-UP OF "REM" AND "DATA" PRINT-OUTS
50
    SF = 0
RS = RS+1
    If RS>2 Then
        RS = 2
52
   If DF And RS>1 Then
        RS = 1
             BET TOTAL INDENT SPACES FOR PRINT LINE PLUS LON-LIMIT FOR
53
             SPLIT-POINT ("E")
54 K = IM# (F8+C8+R8)
    E = K+13
    If K>0 Then
        G$ = Left$(BB$,K)+G$
                                                                (continued)
```

#### **Print Line Formatting**

The next part of the program sets up indent spaces and splits over-long print lines on a selected character. Splitting is done on ASCII characters since gather string G\$ contains only ASCII values on entrance at line 54.

FOR, REM, and IF spacing counters are added at line 54, multiplied by IM (default value of four), and inserted ahead of G\$. Temporary variable D is an indicator to insert the line number on the first statement. G\$ is set into C\$, then tested for length at line 59. If the C\$ string length is too long, it is split with the right side remainder replacing the former contents of G\$.

Splitting has two priorities. The first priority split occurs at the rightmost available space, if it is not a DATA statement. The second priority is an arithmetic operator character (ASCII, not token) or comma; DATA statements split only on commas. While the second priority choice seems arbitrary, it is convenient in terms of ASCII values.

Splitting character search is right to left, beginning with the last available print line column determined by LL. Left limit is determined by temporary variable E (line 54). The original program had an undesired zero left limit; a few print lines were endless blanks!

Another undesired condition occurred with spaces in long strings or PRINTs going beyond the right limit. There was no way to determine if a space existed in the printout. This is solved by lines 74 and 75 adding an underline at the right-most space of the first line, or left-most space of the next line.

#### Final Print and Cleanup

Every new line calls the TEST PAGE subroutine. This determines if a new page is called for and, if so, prints the "continued" reminder at the bottom, form-feeds, then prints a header on the next page.

Deciding on a one-statement-perline format gave us the possibility of one or more unnumbered statements on the next page. Holding the readability rule, we decided on placing the nextpage line number in brackets (seldom used in Applesoft) while holding the number print justification. Lines 13 and 14 take care of this. An early version used two colons between the number and statement but conflicted with Backus-Naur notation.

Uncompleted split lines jump to line 51 for extra indents. A remark allows one extra indent count to line up the remark second line with first line text. The REM symbol used here takes four columns or one default indent space. The DATA declaration single indent (line 52) seemed to be most readable.

Separate flag and counter variables on FOR and IF statements allow for concatenation in one line number of source code and the global or local indenting in printout. Local indenting of conditionals is reset on a new line number but global indenting of FOR loops is decremented only on a NEXT token at line 45.

A new source code line number is begun only when the program byte contains the end-of-line null.

#### **Ending it All**

Applesoft indicates the end of a listing by three successive nulls. This would appear as a zero line number — a second zero line number, since LISZTER begins with line number zero. This second zero line number falls through the IF in line 16 to begin optional statistical printouts at lines 18, 20, and 21.

Line 23 disables all Apple peripherals by "PR#0", resets screen width to normal by "POKE 33,40", and indicates a finish on the screen. The print command at line 106 allowed the screen to be active at all times even though lower case characters appear as nonsense on a standard Apple.

The POKEs in line 25 reset the start and end pointers to their original values prior to the EXEC file command. Variable and array space pointers are also reset permitting the user to RUN the program after LISZTing.

#### **Optional Starting Prompts**

The "RUN 23" notice in line 94 should remain until the user is very familiar with LISZT. It is the only way to restore start and end pointers after a RESET. Address locations in line 95 are optional, useful only with very long programs.

Page length, left margin, and indent spacing are useful only if different paper is used. If available, different vertical printer spacing could be added to

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Listing 2 (Continued)
              ADD LINE NUMBER OR EQUIVALENT-SPACE BLANK
55
     If Not D Then
56
          C$ = N$+B$
     If D Then
          C$ = LB$+B$
               TEST FOR LONG LINE, SPLIT IF NECESSARY
58
     K = Len(C$)-LL
     If K<1 Goto 73
# NOT A SPLIT LINE
     B$ = Rights (C$, K)
     C$ = Left$(C$,LL)
      If DF Goto 65
               START SPLIT MITH A SPACE FIRST IF NOT "DATA"
61
62 D = LL
     If Mid*(C*,D,1) = S* Goto 71
     D = D-1
      If D>E Goto 63
65
                SPLIT HEXT AT ARITHMETIC OPERATOR OR COMMA
     K = Asc(Mid$(C$,D.1))
66
     If K<42 Or K>47 Boto 69
If DF And K = 44 Goto 71
# "DATA" STATEMENTS SPLIT ONLY ON COMMAS
     If Not DF And K<>46 Boto 71
68
               OTHER STATEMENTS SPLIT BY ALL BUT PERIOD
     D = D-1
69
      If D>E Goto 66
      Boto 73
* FALL-THROUGH INDICATES END-OF-PRINT-LINE SPLIT
70
     K = LL-D
     K = LL-2
If K>O Then
G$ = Right$(C$,K)+G$
           C$ = Left$(C$,D)
                TEST PAGE LINE-COUNT, INSERT SPACES AS ALLONED, THEN PRINT AT LINE $76. NOTE: SINGLE CHARACTER SET PRINTERS SHOULD USE ONLY "PRINT M$,C$" BEFORE "K = FRE(0)" IN LINE
72
                #76.
       Gosub 6
      K = Len (C$)
      If SF = 0 Or K<2 Or RF Then
           76
    If Mids(C$,K,1) = 8$ Then
           C$ = Left$(C$,(K-1))+Chr$(95)

* PUT A TRAILING UNDERLINE IN PLACE OF THE LAST SPACE
AS A MARKER FOR THE LEFT-HAND STRING
75 If Len(8$)>2 And Left$(8$,1) = 8$ Then
6$ = Chr$(95)+Right$(8$,(Len(8$)-1))
                     PUT A LEADING UNDERLINE IN PLACE OF THE FIRST SPACE
OF RIGHT-HAND STRING AS A MARKER
       Gosub 111
      K = Len(C$)
      Print M&; Lefts (C$,8);
       Gosub 112
      Print Right*(C*, (K-8))
      K = Fre(0)
      If SF Then
           D = 1
             Goto 51
                     PRINT REST OF A SPLIT LINE
 77 QF = -1
      RS = 0
      DF = 0
      If FF Then
FS = FS+1
FF = 0
      D = 0
       If CF Then
            CS = CS+1
CF = 0
                                                                               (continued)
```

the page length prompt at line 98. A variable left margin requires the BB\$ string to be slightly longer than one-half print line width.

We recommend that you retain the inverse video reminder at line 102. Concentration on program development makes us forget the right buttons to push at crucial moments!

#### **Final Thoughts**

A "REM-less" version of LISZTER is about 3.9K long and will run in 5.5K of free memory. Disk operations are not required after the intitial EXEC LISZT command.

Hesitation in execution occurs only in parsing long character lines. LISZTER's line 76 takes about 20 seconds to gather, split, and begin printing. The 256-byte string maximum has not yet been reached, including one LISZTing over 30 print pages.

Lack of concatenation character does not seem to hamper reading. Those familiar with the interpreter syntax will know it is always there. Statement separation is easier to understand and is improved further with indenting.

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Listing 2 (Continued)
       SF = 0
       G$ =
        If B = 0 Then
CS = 0
                Goto 16
                            GET ANOTHER PRINT LINE IF NOT E-O-L NULL, ELSE FALL
                            THROUGH AND GET ANOTHER LINE NUMBER
 80
         Gosub 2
         Goto 34
81
                     INITIALIZATION OF VARIABLES
82
      Dim T$ (107), H$ (4)
                     INITIAL VARIABLE SETTING HAS AN 80-CHARACTER WIDE PRINT
LINE AND 60-LINE PAGE LENGTH (INCLUDING HEADER, EXCLUDING
'CONTINUED' INDICATOR); CHANGE LL AND LP AS DESIRED FOR
OTHER FORMAT SIZE.
THE "P=2048" IN LINE #85 ASSUMES A NORMAL APPLESOFT ROM
START AT DECIMAL APPLESS.
83
84
                     START AT DECIMAL ADDRESS 2049. CHANGE FOR APPLESOFT IN
      P = 2048
       B = 0
RS = 0
      FS = 0
RF = 0
CF = 0
FF = 0
       DF = 0
SF = 0
       QF = -1
       LL = 80
LP = 60
       IM = 4
       E = 0
       TN = 0
       TS = 0
       TR = 0
S$ = "
      C$ = ""
86
      N$ = ""
G$ = ""
M$ = ""
       H$ (0) = ""
      LB$ =
BB$ =
      Data "End", "For ", "Next ", "Data ", "Input ", "Del ", "Dim ", "Read ",
"Gr", "Text", "Pr# ", "In# ", "Call ", "Plot ", "HLin ", "Vlin ",
"HGr2", "HGr", "HColor = ", "HPlot ", "Draw ", "XDraw ", "HTab ",
"Home", "Rot = "
87
      "Home", "Rot = "
Data "Scale = ","ShLoad", "Trace", "NoTrace", "Normal", "Inverse",
    "Flash", "Color = ","Pop", "VTab ", "Himem : ","Lomem : ",
    "OnErr ","Resume", "Recall ", "Store ", "Speed = ","", " Goto ",
    "Run", "If ","Restore", "& "," Gosub ","Return"
Data "* "
      Data "# "

* ^ CHANGE "REM" TOKEN HORD INDICATOR AS DESIRED
89
      92
    For K = 1 To 107
             Read T$(K)
      Next
93
                    SCREEN PROMPTS AND ALTERNATE LISTING CONSTANTS
      Home
      VTab 3
      Flash
      Print " RUN 23 ";
      Normal
                 " RESTORES ORIGINAL AFTER RESET"
                    'RUN 23' RESTORES POINTERS FOR PROGRAM START AND END TO
ORIGINAL VALUES AND RESETS SCREEN
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(continued)

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Listing 2 (Continued)
     Print "START OF PROGRAM LISTED: ";Peek(209)*256+Peek(208)
Print " END OF PROGRAM LISTED: ";Peek(211)*256+Peek(210)
Print " END OF 'LISZTER': ";Peek(176)*256+Peek(175)
     Print "
                ABOVE IS OPTIONAL, CHECKS TO SEE IF THE 'LISIT' EXEC-FILE
96
                IS OPERATING PROPERLY
97 Print
     Input "PROGRAM NAME: ";H$(1)
Input "PROGRAMMER: ";H$(2)
Input "DATE: ";H$(3)
      Print
     Print
      Print "PAGE LENGTH IS 60 LINES, WANT OTHER?"
      Get H$(0)
If H$(0) = "Y" Then
           Input " PAGE LENGTH: ";LP
           If LP>62 Goto 98

* LIMIT TO 11" LENGTH AND HEADER START-POSITION; CAN CHANGE WITH SMALLER-SPACING PRINTERS.
     Print
      Print "NO LEFT MARGIN, WANT ONE ?"
      Get H$(0)
      If H$(0) = "Y" Then
           Input " MARGIN SPACES: ";K
           If K>O And K<49 Then
                M$ = Left*(BB*,K)
                LL = LL-K
                           MARGIN & LINE-LENGTH UNTOUCHED ON MRONG INPUT, REMAINS AT DEFAULT VALUE
100
     Print
      Print "INDENT SPACING = 4, WANT OTHER ?"
      Get H$(0)
      If H$(0) = "Y" Then
Input " SPACING: "; IM
           If IM<0 Or IM>12 Boto 100
                REMINDER FOR PRINTER SET-UP
101
     Home
102
      Inverse
Print " SET PAPER TO TOP OF FORM "
      Print "
                               THEN
      Print "
                       TURN ON PRINTER
      Normal
      Print
      Get H$(0)
                SET SCREEN MIDTH, TURN ON PROPER PORT
103
104
      Home
Poke 33,30
                 SET-UP FOR EPSON MX-80 PRINTER MITH ORANGE MICRO
105
                 'GRAPPLER' OR CENTRONICS-COMPATIBLE PARALLEL INTERFACE
CARD. CCS CARD MUST ADD 'CHR#(9)"K"' TO REMOVE EXTRA
                 CARD.
                 LINE FEED.
106 Print Chr$(9)"82N"Chr$(9)"I"
                 RESERVED LINE FOR OPTIONAL PRINTER CONTROL
107
                 CHR$(9) = "CONTROL-I"
108
109
      LC = 6
       PC = 1
        Gosub 11
        Goto 16
                 MX-80 ITALICS/STANDARD CHARACTER SET SMITCHING
SUBROUTINES (APPLIES ONLY TO "GRAFTRAX"-AUGMENTED
110
                 PRINTERS)
111 Print Chr$(27)"5";
      Return
                ESC-5 IS STANDARD SET
112
       Gosub 111
       If RF Then
           Print Chr*(27)"4";

* ESC-4 IS ITALICS SET USED FOR "REM"S
                                                                              (continued)
113 Return
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### Problems You May Encounter with LISZT with Strings

- A colon ending a line causes a stop and 'error at line 76' display. The best solution is to use a line editor program or keyboard to correct the program line to remove the extraneous byte. Usually appears to be a 'forgotten' removal during program editing.
- 2. A double colon starting a line causes LISZTER to think the first colon is a REM, but the second colon causes reversion to gathering tokens and characters in the usual manner. Using an italics set on the printer will make this line look like a REM splat, but has both upper and lower case contents. Best solution is to edit out the extra colons.
- 3. A statement ending nested FOR loops such as "NEXT J,K,L" executes in Applesoft as if they were three separate NEXT statements. Since LISZTER will only recognize one NEXT token, all following lines will retain the FOR-NEXT indent(s) for the remainder of printout.

We don't have a simple solution for this — yet. Changing the program to "NEXT J:NEXT K:NEXT L" will add only two bytes and bring the left margin back to normal. The two added bytes are the NEXT tokens; concatenation colons take the place of the commas.

4. On any mid-printout deliberate stop, such as RESET, you must key in RUN 23 to restore the program start and end pointers. Failure to do so may attach LISZTER to the program being listed.

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Listing 2 (Continued)
                                    "LISZTER"
      115
                              Morking Program to
                                    re-format
     116
                          APPLESOFT Programs for
     118
                                      Printing
     120
                             LEONARD H. ANDERSON
     121
      122
                            Version 4.1.3. 7/24/81
     123
                              (Iower-case version)
MX-80 & "GRAFTRAX"
     125
      126
                                (ITALICS ON REMS)
     127
                          DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES:
     128
     129
                                   PROGRAM BYTE DECIMAL VALUE
                                   "BIG BLANK' STRING OF 48 SPACES
"IF" FLAG: 1 = "IF" STARTED; 0 = NO "IF"
"IF" (CONDITIONAL) INDENT SPACE COUNTER
     131
                          BB$
     132
                          CF
                          CS
     133
                                  "IF" (CONDITIONAL) INDENT SPACE COUNTER CHARACTER AND TOKEN STRING TO BE PRINTED 'DIRECTION', A TEMPORARY "DATA" FLAG (ALLOMS SPLIT ON COMMA ONLY) I = "DATA" EXISTS ON LINE; O = NO "DATA" TEMPORARY, PARTLY FOR SPLIT-LINE LINITS "FOR" FLAG: I = "FOR" STARTED; O = NO "FOR" "FOR" INDENT SPACING COUNTER
     134
     135
                          n
                          DF
     137
                          E
     138
      139
     140
                          FS
                                  'GATHER' STRING TO BUILD STATEMENT LINE
HEADER ARRAY FOR PAGE TITLE
INDENT SPACE MULTIPLIER
     141
142
                          6$
                          HS
     143
                          IN
     144
145
                                   TEMPORARY
                          LBS
                                   'LITTLE BLANK' STRING OF 8 SPACES
     146
                                  LINE COUNTER FOR PAGINATION TEST
LINE-LENGTH (NIDTH) CONSTANT
                          LL
     148
                                   LINES-PER-PAGE CONSTANT
     149
                          MS
                                  LEFT MARGIN SPACING STRING
LINE NUMBER STRING
     150
                          N#
                                  POINTER TO PROGRAM BYTE (DECIMAL VALUE)
PAGE COUNTER FOR HEADER ON EACH PAGE
     151
     152
                          PC
     153
                          QF
                                  QUOTE FLAG TO ALLOW/DISALLOW COLON PRINTING
     154
                                      -1 = NO QUOTE OR SECOND QUOTE OF PAIR EXISTS
                                  +1 = FIRST QUOTE OF PAIR EXISTS, ALLON COLONS
"REN" FLAG: 1 = "REN" STARTED; 0 = NO "REN"
"REN" INDENT SPACING COUNTER
SPLIT-LINE FLAG; SET IF PRINT LINE MUST BE SPLIT
SINGLE SPACE STRING
TOTAL THE MUMBER COUNTER
     155
    156
                          RS
SF
    158
                          S#
                                  TOTAL LINE HUMBER COUNTER
TOTAL REMARK-STATEMENT COUNTER
    160
     161
                                  TOTAL STATEMENT COUNTER
    163
    164
                          AN EXAMPLE OF INDENTS ON NESTED "FOR" LOOPS:
            For J = 1 To 25
                   166
    167
                                       MT(K,L) = MT(K,L)-(MT(J,K)*MT(J,L))

* BEGINS NITH "LET NT(..."
                          Next L
    170
                   Next K
    171
            Next J
    172
                          /1/ /6/ /1/ THE PRECEDING LINE CONTAINED TWO CONTROL-I CHARACTERS SEPARATED BY A CONTROL-6 (BELL).
 18000
             End of Listing
Program Length = 10061 Bytes, Total of 175 Line Numbers
271 Total Non-Rem Statements, 119 Total Remarks
END
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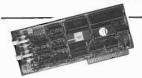
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# Apple Graphics for Okidata Microline 80

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Programs are given, in Apple/UCSD Pascal and 6502 assembly language, to dump the Apple high-resolution graphics screen(s) to an Okidata Microline 80 printer. This article should also be of interest to owners of the Epson MX-80 printer because graphics on the two printers are implemented similarly.

These Apple Graphics routines require:

Apple Okidata Microline 80, 82A, or 83A Epson MX-80

Pascal version requires: Apple Pascal system

When I purchased my Okidata Microline 80 dot matrix impact printer, I was attracted to its relatively low price, the 200,000,000-character print head warranty, and the flexible form handling (friction and pin feed). I really didn't consider its graphics, which were advertised as "TRS-80-compatible."

After I'd had the printer for a while, I decided to take another look at its graphics capabilities. The basic graphical unit for the Microline 80 is the graphics character. Each graphics character may be thought of as a 3-row by 2-column matrix, as depicted in figure 1.

The individual elements of the graphics character are numbered 1-6 as in figure 1. Each element of the character may be "on" (black) or "off" (white), which means that there are 2 to the 6th power, or 64, possible distinct graphics characters. An element that is "on" is represented by what appears (under magnification) to be a 3 by 3 matrix of dots. The total graphics character, then, is a 9-row by

6-column matrix. This is achieved with a 7-pin print head by making two passes for every line which contains a graphics character, advancing the paper slightly between passes.

With the printer set for 16.5 characters per inch on an 8-inch line, the horizontal resolution is 0.030 inches [0.77 millimeters]. At eight lines per inch, the vertical resolution is 0.042 inches [1.06 millimeters]. In other words, the smallest "dot" that can be printed is an element of a graphics character which is a rectangle 0.030 inches wide by 0.042 inches high.

Each graphics character is sent to the printer as a single byte with the high-order bit (bit 8] set (1). Bit 7 may be either 0 or 1. Bits 1 through 6 are set [1] or clear (0) as the correspondingly numbered element of the graphics character is "on" or "off." (See figure 1 again.)

Software could be written to utilize these graphics characters directly. This would include, as a minimum, routines to set and clear individual elements of graphics characters and to draw straight lines between any two points. Because Applesoft BASIC and Apple/UCSD Pascal each provide these graphics primitives for use with the Apple highresolution screen, a better approach is to develop a utility program to dump, point by point, the contents of the hires screen to the printer. This was the approach I took, first in Pascal, then in 6502 assembly language. (The latter version can be called from BASIC programs.)

The basic unit of Apple hi-res graphics is of course the "pixel" or dot. The hi-res screen is organized as a 192-row by 280-column matrix of individually addressable pixels. The display is bit-mapped; that is, there exists a mapping between each pixel on the screen and a bit somewhere in memory.

There were three principal problems to be resolved in designing the program: the first problem was how to address the bit representation of each pixel in order to determine whether it is on or off. The second problem was to decide whether to print the screen image horizontally or vertically on the printer. Finally, a means had to be found to map six pixels to each graphics character.

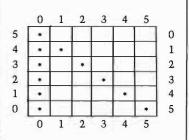
#### **Pascal Solution**

The solution in Pascal is presented first because it is simpler. This is because of the existence of the SCREEN-BIT function, which is provided as part of the TURTLEGRAPHICS unit. SCREENBIT(x,y) is a Boolean function which returns the value TRUE if pixel

Figure 1: Microline 80 Graphics Character

| 1 | 2 |
|---|---|
| 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 |

Figure 2: Model of High Resolution Screen  $(6 \times 6)$ 



(x,y) is on (not black), and FALSE if it is off (black). This makes the first problem cited above almost trivial.

Since only a maximum of 132 characters can be printed on a line (16.5 characters per inch times 8 inches), and each character is two elements wide, the maximum number of pixels which can be presented on a printed line is 264. Because the Apple hi-res screen is 280 pixels wide, two choices are possible: (1) print the screen image vertically on the printer, 192 elements across and 280 down; or, (2) print the screen image horizontally, but print only 264 of the 280 columns. The former choice was made for the Pascal version and the latter for the 6502 assembly language version.

The Pascal program is shown in listing 1. The main program queries the user as to whether to print all or a specified portion of the screen. Procedure SETUP handles the details of turning on the printer and selecting the

proper print size and vertical spacing. Procedure TURNOFF turns the printer off again. The real work is done in the procedure called SCREENDUMP.

How the algorithm works can best be illustrated by example. Assume that the Apple hi-res screen consists of a 6-row by 6-column grid as shown in figure 2, and that an arbitrary pattern has been plotted on it. An "\*" is used to indicate which grid elements are "on." In Pascal (as opposed to BASIC) the origin is at the lower left corner of the grid, so the numbers along the left side refer to the row of y-coordinates. The numbers along the right side will not be needed until later.

The Pascal program will reduce this grid to two lines of three graphics characters each. The first line will represent columns (x-coordinates) 0, 1, and 2 of the grid and the second line columns 3, 4, and 5. Remember that the image on the printer will be rotated

| Table                  | 1               |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| Graphics<br>Characters | Screen<br>Grids |
| Bit                    | Position        |
| 1                      | (0,0)           |
| 2                      | (0,1)           |
| 3                      | (1,0)           |
| 4                      | (1,1)           |
| 5                      | (2,0)           |
| 6                      | (2,1)           |

90 degrees, so that columns on the screen correspond to rows on the printer and vice versa.

The first graphics character of the first line will represent rows (y-coordinates) 0 and 1 of the columns 0, 1, and 2. We may imagine the grid of figure 1 superimposed on the grid of

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Listing 1
   PROGRAM PRINTSCREEN:
      (* DUMPS ENTIRE PASCAL SCREEN *)
(* TO OKIDATA MICROLINE 80 *)
USES TURTLEGRAPHICS;
   VAR XMIN, XMAX, YMIN, YMAX : INTEGER;
   PROCEDURE SCREENDUMP (XMIN, XMAX, YMIN, YMAX : INTEGER);
          DUMPS PASCAL GRAPHICS TO *>
      (* OKIDATA MICROLINE 80
      VAR H, I, J, K : INTEGER;
                      : ARRAY [1..96] OF CHAR;
: ARRAY [1..6] OF 0..1;
           LINE
BIT
                       : TEXT:
      PROCEDURE SETUP;
            (* OPEN PRINTER FILE *)
           REWRITE (OKI, 'PRINTER:');
(* SET CENTRONICS CARD FOR 132 COLS *)
           WRITELN (OKI,CHR(9),'132N');
(* SET PRINTER FOR 16.5 CPI & E LPI *)
WRITELN (OKI,CHR(29),CHR(27),'8',CHR(27),'B');
                (*: SETUP *:)
      PROCEDURE TURNOFF:
         (* RESETS OKIDATA *)
           WRITELN (OKI, CHR(30), CHR(27), '6', CHR(27), 'A');
                 (* TURNOFF
      FUNCTION GCHAR : CHAR;
         (* RETURNS GRAPHICS CHARACTER *)
         (* DEFINED BY BIT HRRAY
        VAR NR : Ø..255;
POWER, I : INTEGER;
         BEGIN
           POWER #= 1;
           NR := 128;
FOR I := 1 TO 6 DG
BEGIN
                 NR := NR + POWER* BIT[I];
POWER := 2*POWER;
              END;
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Listing 1 (Continued)
            GCHAR := CHR(NR)
         END;
                  (* GCHAR *)
                    (* PROCEDURE SCREENDUMP *)
            SETUP:
            FOR K := 1 TG 96 1)0

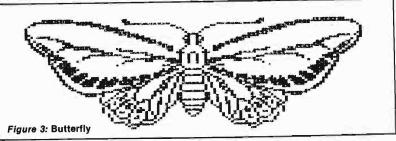
LINE [K] := (HR(128);

I := XMIN;
             REPEAT
               J := YMIN;
               K := 1 + YMIN DIV 2;
REPEAT
                  FOR H := 1 TO 6 DO BIT[H]
                                                          = 0;
                  IF SCREENBIT(I, J)
IF SCREENBIT(I, J+1)
                                                    THEN BIT[1] := 1;
                                                            BIT[1] := 1.
BIT[2] := 1;
BIT[4] := 1;
                                                   THEN
                  IF SCREENBIT(I+1, J) THEN
IF SCREENBIT(I+1, J+1) THEN
                                                    THEN
                  IF SCREENBIT(I+2, J) THEN
IF SCREENBIT(I+2, J+1) THEN
                  LINE KH := GCHAR;
K := K + 1;
J := J + 2
               UNTIL J+1 > YMAX;
FOR K := 1 TO 96 DO
BEGIN
                     WRITE (OKI, LINE [K]);
LINE [K] := CHR(128)
                  FND:
               WRITELN(OKI);
         I := I + 3
UNTIL I+2 ) XMAX;
TURNOFF;
END; (* SCREENDUMP *)
         BEGIN (* MAIN PROGRAM *)
            REPEAT
               WRITE ('FIRST COLUMN TO PRINT (0..279):');
            READLN(XMIN)
UNTIL (XMIN) = Ø) AND (XMIN (= 279);
REPEAT
               WRITE ('LAST COLUMN TO PRINT (XMIN. . 279);');
               READLN(XMAX)
            UNTIL (XMAX )= XMIN) AND (XMAX (= 279);
REPEAT
               WRITE ('FIRST ROW TO PRINT (0..191):');
            READLN(YMIN)
UNTIL (YMIN >= 0) AND (YMIN (= 191);
REPEAT
            WRITE ('LAST ROW TO PRINT (YMIN..191):');
READLN (YMAX)
UNTIL (YMAX) = YMIN) AND (YMAX (= 191);
             SCREENDUMP (XMIN, XMAX, YMIN, YMAX);
         FND.
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figure 2, with figure 1 rotated 90 degrees (counter-clockwise). Thus bits of the graphics characters correspond to screen grids as shown in table 1. In this case bits 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be 0 and bits 1 and 2 will be 1. Bit 7 will (arbitrarily) be 0, and bit 8 will be 1, as discussed earlier. The resulting graphics character is, therefore, binary 10000011 [\$83 or decimal 131].

The next graphics character of the line will be constructed from grid elements [0.2], [1,2], [2,2], [0,3], [1,3], and (2,3], which correspond to, respectively, bits 1, 3, 5, 2, 4, and 6. In this case bits 1, 2, and 6 will be 1 and bits 3, 4, and 5 will be 0. The resulting graphics character is binary 10100011 (\$A3, or decimal 163). The third and final graphics character of the line will be binary 10000111, [\$87, or decimal 135].

At this point the program has constructed the first full line of graphics characters. Using the CHR function, the computed decimal values have been converted to their character equivalents and are stored in the array LINE. Now that LINE is full, it is sent to the printer, one character at a time, and is followed by the usual carriage return and line feed (WRITELN).



The program then constructs the next line of graphics characters from columns 3, 4, and 5 of the screen grid. These characters will be, in decimal notation, 152, 129, and 128, respectively.

The procedure described above is carried out by the procedure SCREEN-DUMP. The function GCHAR uses simple arithmetic to convert the binary representation of the character to decimal. Then it uses CHR to convert the decimal value to a character. Experienced Pascal programmers may notice that I could have accomplished the binary-to-character conversion directly using a free-union variant record. That technique would have been faster and more efficient, but less clear. Readers who wish to pursue this topic should refer to an article by David

Casseres of Apple Computer Inc., which appeared in the October 1981 issue of BYTE magazine.

Figure 3 is an example of output produced by this program. The butterfly image was created on the screen by a demonstration program furnished with the Apple Pascal system and then printed on the Microline 80 by this program.

#### **Assembly Language Solution**

The most difficult part of the 6502 assembly language solution was to develop an algorithm to step through memory, addressing of each pixel's bit representation in the proper sequence. (Recall that this was doen for us in Pascal by SCREENBIT.) The task is complicated by the fact that, for various reasons, Apple chose to represent the hi-res screen in memory in what appears to be a rather peculiar sequence. The mapping used is documented in the Apple II Reference Manual and was the subject of a 1978 article in MICRO [7:43] by Andrew H. Eliason. Rather than reiterate the details here, I have chosen to present a short Applesoft BASIC program (listing 2) which prints out the beginning address (in decimal and in hex) of each of the 192 rows of hi-res screen 1. (To get the corresponding values for screen 2, change line 100.) The 280 pixels of each row are represented by seven bits of each of the 40 bytes beginning at the location given. The program prints a screen, then prompts the user to press the space bar before running another screen.

As mentioned above, I decided to represent the screen horizontally on the printer in this version (which considerably simplifies the arithmetic). This means that only 264 columns of the hi-res screen could be printed. The first 264 were arbitrarily selected.

The 6502 assembly language program is shown as listing 3. Instructions for its use are contained in the program's introductory comments. The printer interface I used was the Apple

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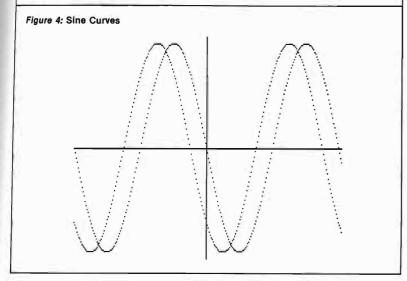
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Listing 2
                                           PROGRAM TO DEMONSTRATE
                            REM
                 2Ø
3Ø
                            REM
REM
                                           THE SEQUENCE OF STORAGE LOCATIONS USED BY THE
                            REM
REM
                                           APPLE HI-RES SCREEN
                 40
                 50
                                          BY C.F. TAYLOR, JR. JULY 24, 1981
                 70
                            REM
              90 HOME
95 DIGIT$ = "01234567899BCDEF"
100 B0 = 8192: HEM FOR SCREEN 1
110 SLIN = 0: REM SCREEN LINE NR
120 FOR I = 1 TO 3
130 B1 = H0
140 FOR J = 1 TO 8
150 CLIN = B1
160 FOR B = 1 TO 8
170 GOSUB 500: REM CONVERT TO HEX
180 PRINT SLIN. CLIN, HL$
190 SLIN = SLIN + 1
200 CLIN = CLIN + 1024
210 IF SLIN - INT (SLIN / 23) * 23 ( ) 0 THEN GOTO 240
220 PRINT "PRESS (SPACE) TO CONTINUE";
230 GET A$: PRINT
240 NEXT K
250 B1 = B1 + 128
                 90
                            HOME
               250 B1 = B1 + 128
260 NEXT J
               270 BØ = BØ + 4Ø
280 NEXT I
                           END
              290 END
500 X = CLIN: REM SUBROUTINE CONVERT TO HEX
510 HL$ = ""
520 HL$ = MID$ (DIGIT$, X - 1NT (X / 15) * 15 + 1,1) + HL$
530 X = 1NT (X / 15)
540 IF X > 0 THEN GOTO 520
550 HL$ = "$" + HL$
550 DETURN
                             RETURN
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Centronics Parallel Interface; some modifications will likely be required for use with other interface cards. What is critical is that bit 8 must be controllable (high for graphics, low for text). Some interfaces may not use bit 8 at all, or may force it low. The Epson interface board has bit 8 wired to ground, but a jumper is provided for changing this. If you do modify the setting of this jumper, however, you will have to make some other provision for forcing bit 8 low for text. My recommendation is to replace the jumper

with a single-pole, double-throw switch. This is, in effect, what I have done to my Apple Centronics Interface card.

How the assembly language program works can also be illustrated by example. Refer again to figure 2. This time we will use the row numbers (y-coordinates) along the right edge, recalling that BASIC refers to the upper left corner as [0,0]. This time rows 0, 1, and 2 will be used to construct the first line of graphics characters and rows 3, 4, and 5 the second line.

The first graphics character will therefore represent columns 0 and 1 of rows 0, 1, and 2. We may imagine the grid of figure 1 superimposed on the grid of figure 2, but this time without rotation. Thus bits 1-6 of the graphics character will represent, respectively, the screen grid positions (0,0), (1,0), (0,1), (1,1), (0,2), and (1,2). Bits 1, 3, 4, and 5 will be 1 and bits 2 and 6 will be 0. As before, bit 7 will be 0 and bit 8 will be 1. Therefore, the first graphics character is binary 10011101 (\$9D, or decimal 157).

For the second graphics character, bits 1-6 correspond, respectively, to coordinates (2,0), [3,0], (2,1], [3,1], (2,2], and [3,2]. Bit 5 is 1 and bits 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 are 0. This translates to binary 10010000 (\$90, or decimal 144). The third and last graphics character of the first line is binary 10000000 (\$80, or decimal 128). The decimal values of the three graphics characters of the second line are 149, 130, and 164.

The algorithm illustrated in the BASIC program of listing 2 is used to find the beginning of each of three consecutive rows of the screen in memory. The bytes representing the pixels of these lines are then transferred to working buffers. (Only 38 bytes out of 40 are used because only 264 out of 280 columns are plotted.) The subroutines DUMP and DUMPY then extract the appropriate bits from the buffers and rotate them into a page zero location called CHAR. From there each is sent to the printer.

Figure 4 shows a typical plot of two out-of-phase sine curves. More sophisticated plots (3-D, etc.) are of course possible; anything you can put on the screen, you can print! The one limitation is color since the printer only prints black and white!

Execution time for the assembly language version is typically about six minutes. The Pascal version takes about 2.5 times as long to print a full screen.

Although the programs presented here were reasonably involved to write, they are simple to use. Best of all, they transform a fairly unsophisticated graphics capability on an inexpensive printer into a powerful graphics tool, rivaling printers costing several times as much.

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| Listing 3                     |                          |   | Listing 3 (Continued)                      |   |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|
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|                               | 0020                     | APPLE 11 PLUS 10  | 9459- 69 04 0700                           | ADC #\$4 ; INCREMENT MEMORY LOCATIO                   |
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|                               | 8858                     | WRITTEN BY C. F. TAYLOR, JR.                              | 9460- 90 DB 0730                           | BCC LOOPB :NO   |
|                               | 0070                     | ;24 JULY 1981   | 9462- AD 9B 95 10740<br>9465- C9 40 10750  | LDA SLIN ;SCREEN LINE NR<br>CMP #64 ;READY TO SHIFT?  |
|                               | 0080                     | ;   | 9467- FØ Ø6 Ø76Ø                           | BEQ SCO TYES  |
|                               | 0090                     | : INSTRUCTIONS:   | 9469- C9 80 0770                           | CMP #128  |
|                               | 0100                     | ;   | 9468- FØ Ø2 Ø78Ø                           | BEQ SCØ ;YES  |
|                               | 0110                     | ; SET HIMEM: 37760 BEFORE LOADING                         | 946D- DØ 15 Ø790                           | BNE SC1 ;NO   |
|                               | 0120                     | ; CALL 37888 FOR HI-RES PAGE 1                            | 946F- AD 98 95 0800 SC0                    | LDA SAVBAS  |
|                               | 0130                     | ; CALL 37904 FOR HI-RES PAGE 2                            | 9472- 18 0810                              | CLC   |
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|                               | 0210 CLIN                | . DE \$06 ; PAGE 0 LOCATIONS                              | 9486- FØ 14 Ø890                           | BEQ EXIT YES  |
|                               | 0220 BUFF                | .DE \$08  | 9488 18 0988                               | CLC ; ADJUST BASE                                     |
|                               | 0230 CHAR                | .DE \$E3  | 9489- AD 96 95 0910                        | LDA BASE  |
|                               | 0240 DRIVER              | .DE \$C102 ;PRINTER DRIVER                                | 9480- 69 80 0920                           | ADC #\$80   |
|                               | 0.250                    | ;   | 948E- 8D 96 95 0930                        | STA BASE  |
|                               | 0250                     | SENTRY POINT FOR HI-RES PAGE 1                            | 9491- AD 97 95 0940                        | LDA BASE+1  |
| 9409- A9 20                   | 0270<br>0280 PAGE1       | ;<br>LDA #\$20 ;INITIALIZE POINTERS                       | 9494- 69 00 0958                           | ADC #8 ;ADD IN CARRY                                  |
| 94002- 8D 97 95               |                          | STA BASE+1  | 9496- 8D 97 95 0960<br>9499- 4C 33 94 0970 | STA BASE+1  |
|                               | 0300                     | STA SAVBAS+1  | 949C- 60 0980 EXIT                         | JMP LOOPA<br>RTS ; DONE                               |
| 3408- A9 40                   | 0310                     | LDA #\$48   | 8998                                       | ;   |
|                               | 0320                     | STA CURLIM+1  | 1000                                       | SUBROUTINES FOLLOW                                    |
| 940D- 4C 1D 94                | 0330                     | JMP START   | 1010                                       | i   |
|                               | 0340                     | ;   | 1020 SETUP                                 | FIRST SETUP DRIVER                                    |
|                               | 0350                     | ENTRY POINT FOR HI-RES PAGE 2                             | 949D- A2 C1 1030                           | LDX #\$C1 FOR SLOT 1                                  |
|                               | 0360                     | ;   | 949F- A9 Ø9 1040                           | LDA #\$09 ;INITIALIZE DRIVER                          |
| 9410- A9 40                   | 0370 PAGE2               | LDA #\$40 ;INITIALIZE POINTERS                            | 94A1- 9D B8 06 1250                        | STA FLAGS, X : VIDEO DFF                              |
| 9412- 8D 97 95                |                          | STA BASE+1  | 94A4- A9 FF 1060                           | LDA #\$FF   |
| 9415- 8D 99 95<br>9418- A9 50 | 0480                     | STA SAVBAS+1  | 94A6- 9D 88 04 1070<br>94A9- 9D 38 06 1080 | STA PNOTH, X :PRINT WIDTH STA ESCHR, X :ESCAPE CHAR   |
| 941A- 8D 9D 95                |                          | STA CURLIM+1  | 94AC- A9 800 1898                          | LDA #8  |
| 34111 00 30 30                | 0420                     | 7   | 94AE- 9D 88 85 1188                        | STA MODE, X ; CLEAR 'AFTER ESC' MODE                  |
| 9410- 89 90                   | 0430 START               | LDA #\$00 ;COMMON POINTER VALUES                          | 94B1- 20 EA 03 1110                        | JSR DOS REPLACE WITH 3 NOP'S                          |
| 941F- 8D 96 95                | 8448                     | STA BASE  | 1120                                       | FOR CASSETTE SYSTEM                                   |
| 9422- 8D 98 95                | 0450                     | STA SAVBAS  | 1148                                       | NOW SETUP PRINTER                                     |
| 9425- 8D 9B 95                |                          | STA SLIN  | 94B4- A9 1D 1150                           | LDA #\$1D SET 16.5 CPI ON PRINTER                     |
| 9428- 8D 9C 95                |                          | STA CURLIM  | 94B6- 20 02 C1 1150                        | JSR DRIVER  |
| 942B- 20 9D 94                |                          | JSR SETUP :INITIALIZE PRINTER                             | 9489~ A9 1B 1170                           | LDA #\$1B ;SET B LINES                                |
| 942E- A9 82<br>9438- 8D 9A 95 | 0490                     | LDA #2 ; INITIALIZE BUFFER LINE<br>STA LINE               |  | JSR DRIVER 1PER INCH                                  |
| 3436- 80 3H 33                | 0510                     | ;   | 948E- A9 38 1190<br>94C0- 20 02 C1 1200    | LDA #\$38 ;VERTICAL SPACING<br>JSR DRIVER ;ON PRINTER |
| 9433- AD 96 95                |                          | LDA BASE ;CLIN := BASE                                    | 9403- 60 1210                              | RTS   |
| 9436- 85 06                   | Ø53Ø                     | STA *CLIN   | 1220                                       | ;   |
| 9438- AD 97 95                |                          | LDA BASE+1  | 9404- EE 9A 95 1230 BUFLIN                 | INC LINE  |
| 943B- 85 07                   | 0550                     | STA *CLIN+1   | 94C7- AD 9A 95 1240                        | LDA LINE  |
|                               | 0560                     | ;   | 94CA- C9 W3 125W                           | CMP #3  |
| 9430- 20 64 94                | 0570 LOOPB               | JSR BUFLIN ; INCREMENT BUFFER LINE I                      |  | BNE BL1   |
| 9440- EE 9B 95                | 0580                     | INC SLIN FAND SCREEN LINE NR                              | 94CE- A9 81 1270                           | LDA #L, LINEO ; SET BUFFER LINE @                     |
| 9443- AØ 25                   | 0590                     | LDY #37 ;TRANSFER LINE TO BUFFE                           |  | STA *BUFF   |
| 9445- B1 06                   | 0600 B1                  | LDA (CLIN),Y  | 9402- A9 93 1290                           | LDA #H, LINEO   |
| 9447- 91 08                   | 8618<br>8600             | STA (BUFF), Y   | 94D4- 85 09 1300                           | STA *BUFF+1   |
| 9449- 88                      | 0620<br>0670             | DEY   | 9406- 49 00 1310<br>9408- 80 9A 95 1320    | LDA #0<br>STA LINE                                    |
| 944A- 10 F9<br>944C- AD 9A 95 | 0630<br>06/0             | BPL B1 LDA LINE TIME TO DUMP BUFFER?                      | 94DB~ 600 13300                            | RTS   |
| 944F- C9 02                   | 0650                     | CMP #2  | 94DC- C9 W1 1340 BL1                       | CMP #1 ;SET BUFFER LINE 1                             |
| 9451- DØ Ø3                   | 0660                     | BNE CONT  | 94DE- DØ Ø9 1350                           | BNE BL2   |
| 9453- 20 0A 95                |                          | JSR DUMP  | 94ED- A9 A7 1360                           | LDA #L,LINE1  |
|                               |                          | LDA *CLIN+1   | 9462- 85 88 1370                           | STA *BUFF   |

| Listing 3 (C  | ontinued)  |                               | E1<br>1<br>E2 :SET BUFFER LINE 2<br>E2<br>1<br>:CHECK FOR SHIFT OF BASE |
|---|--|-------------------------------|---|
| 94E4- A9 93   | 1380   | LDA #H.LIN                    | F1  |
| 94E6- 85 99   | 1398   | STA *BUFF+                    | 1   |
| 94E8- 6Ø  | 1400   | RTS                           | 7   |
| 94E9- A9 CD   | 1410 BL2   | LDA #L, LIN                   | E2 :SET BUFFER LINE 2   |
| 94EB- 35 08   | 1429   | STA *BUFF                     |   |
| 94ED- A9 93   | 1430   | LDA #H,LINE                   | £2  |
| 94EF~ 85 09   | 1440   | STA *BUFF+:                   | 1   |
| 94F1- 60  | 1 450  | RTS                           |   |
| 0/52 40 00 05   | 1450   | i. a vector                   |   |
| DICE 00 10  | 4.400  |                               | CHECK FOR SHIFT OF BASE   |
| 94F5- C9 40   | 1459<br>1450<br>1500<br>1510<br>1520<br>1530<br>1540<br>1558<br>1568 | CMP #64                       |   |
| 045.4- NO 10  | 1430   | BNE NX1                       |   |
| GAER- ING OF  | 1510   | CMP #128<br>BNE NX1           |   |
| 9AFT- OT 98 95  | 1520   | THE NAT                       |   |
| 9500- 18  | 1539   | LDA SAVBAS<br>CLC             |   |
| 9501 - 69 28  | 1549   | ADC #\$28                     |   |
| 9503- 8D 98 95  | 1558   | STA SAVBAS<br>STA BASE<br>RTS |   |
| 9506- 8D 96 95  | 1568   | STA BASE                      |   |
|   |  |                               |   |
|   | 1580   | ;                             |   |
| 950A- A2 00   | 1590 DUMP  | LDX #Ø                        | DUMP BUFFERS TO PRINTER   |
| 950C- A9 00   | 1600 DUMP1   | LDA #0                        |   |
| 950€- 85 E3   | 1518   | STA *CHAR                     |   |
| 9510- AØ 02   | 1529   | LDY #2                        |   |
| 9512- 20 37 95  | 1630   | JSR DUMPY                     | :Y+1 CHARS TO PRINTER   |
| 9010- 20 68 90  | 1640   | JSR TRANS                     | TRANSITION TO NEXT BYTE   |
| 0510 00 00<br>0510 00 00  | 1650   | INX                           |   |
| 0510_ 20 77 OF  | 1000   | LDY #2                        | PEGT OF MARK  |
| 951F- FR  | 10/0   | JSK DURPY                     | REST OF BYTE  |
| 951E- FR 26   | 1590   | CPX #36                       | • DONE 2  |
| 9521 - 30 F9  | 1790   | BMI DUMP1                     | DUNE?   |
| 9523- AØ Ø2   | 1710   | LDY #2                        | FINISH COLS 127-132   |
| 9525- 20 37 95  | 1728   | JSR DUMPY                     |   |
| 9528- 20 68 95  | 1730   | JSR TRANS                     |   |
| 9504- A2 40 9506- 85 E3 9510- A0 62 9515- 20 58 9515- A0 62 9516- E8 9516- E0 24 9521- 30 E9 9523- A0 62 9528- E8 9526- E8 9526- E0 9526- | 1740   | INX                           |   |
| 952C- AØ @1   | 1759   | I DV #1                       |   |
| 952E- 20 37 95  | 1750   | JSR DUMPY                     |   |
| 9531- A9 WD   | 1772   | LDA #\$ØD                     | CARRIAGE RETURN   |
| 9533- 20 02 C1  | 1788   | JSR DRIVER                    | CARRIAGE RETURN   |
| 9536- 60  | 1749   | RTS                           |   |
|   | 13-3/MA  |                               |   |
| 9537- 7E 81 93  | 1810 DUMPY   | ROR LINEO, X                  | :Y+1 BYTES TO PRINTER<br>:BIT 1<br>:BIT 2<br>:BIT 3                     |
| 953A- 66 E3   | 1820   | ROR *CHAR                     | FBIT 1  |
| 953C- 7E 81 93  | 1830   | ROR LINED, X                  |   |
| 9534- 66 E3   | 1840   | RUR *CHAR                     | 1811 Z  |
| 9541- 7E A7 93<br>9544- 66 E3<br>9546- 7E A7 93<br>9549- 66 E3  | 1826   | KOK LINEI 1                   | ·DIT 7  |
| 9544- 05 E3   | 1000   | DOD LINES V                   | 1011 3  |
| 9540- 1E H1 30  | 1000   | ROR LINE1, X<br>ROR *CHAR     | DIT /   |
| 9548- 7E CD 93  | 1992   | ROR LINE2, X                  | 1011 4  |
|   | 1980   | ROR *CHAR                     | :RIT 5  |
| 9550- 7E CD 93  |  | ROR LINE2, X                  |   |
|   | 1920   | ROR *CHAR                     |   |
| 9555- 18  | 1930   | CLC                           |   |
| 9556- 66 E3   | 1940   | ROR *CHAR                     | BIT 7 = 0   |
| 9558- 38  | 1958   | SEC                           | -171  |
| 9559- 66 E3   | 1960   |                               | ;BIT 8 = 1  |
| 955B- A5 E3   | 1970   | LDA *CHAR                     |   |
| 955D- 20 92 C1  | 1980   | JSR DRIVER                    | ;PRINT  |
| 9560- A9 00   | 1990   | LDA #2                        |   |
| 9562- 85 E3   | 2000   | STA *CHAR                     |   |
| 9564-88   | 2010   | DEY                           |   |
| 9565- 10 D0   | 20/20  | BPL DUMPY                     |   |
| 9567- 640   | 2030   | RTS                           | ACTIVITATE TATE   |
| 9568- 7E 81 93  |  | HUK LINEW, X                  | FINISH BYTE   |
|   | 2050   |                               | AND START NEXT  |
|   |  |                               |   |

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|----|-------|----|----|-----|-------------|----------------------------|---|
| 9  | 956B- | 66 | E3 |     | 2060        | ROR *CHAR                  |   |
| 9  | 956D- | 7E | 82 | 93  | 2070        | ROR LINED+1, X             |   |
| 9  | 570-  | 66 | E3 |     | 2080        | ROR *CHAR                  |   |
| 9  | 572-  | 7E | A7 | 93  | 2099        | ROR LINE1, X               |   |
| 9  | 575-  | 66 | E3 |     | 2100        | ROR *CHAR                  |   |
| 9  | 577-  | 7E | A8 | 93  | 2118        | ROR LINE1+1, X             |   |
| 9  | 57A-  | 66 | E3 |     | 2120        | ROR *CHAR                  |   |
| 9  | 357C- | 7E | CD | 93  | 2130        | ROR LINE2, X               |   |
| 9  | 57F-  | 66 | E3 |     | 2140        | ror *Char                  |   |
| 9  | 581-  | 7E | Œ  | 93  | 2150        | ROR LINE2+1, X             |   |
| 9  | 584-  | 66 | £3 |     | 2150        | ROR *CHAR                  |   |
| 9  | 586-  | 18 |    |     | 2170        | CLC                        |   |
| 9  | 587-  | 66 | E3 |     | 2188        | ROR *CHAR ;BIT 7 = 0       |   |
| 9  | 589-  | 38 |    |     | 2199        | SEC                        |   |
| 9  | 158A- | 66 | E3 |     | 2298        | ROR *CHAR ;BIT 8 = 1       |   |
| 9  | 58C-  | A5 | E3 |     | 2218        | LDA *CHAR                  |   |
|    | 58E-  | _  | _  | C1  | 2228        | JSR DRIVER SEND TO PRINTER |   |
| 9  | 591-  | A9 | 92 |     | 2230        | LDA #Ø                     | ì |
| -  | 593-  |    |    |     | 2248        | STA *CHAR                  | ľ |
|    | 595-  | 60 |    |     | 2250        | RTS                        |   |
|    | 596~  |    |    |     | 2250 BASE   | .DS 2                      | ł |
|    | 598-  |    |    |     | 2270 SAVBAS | .DS 2                      | 1 |
|    | 59A-  |    |    |     | 2280 LINE   | .DS 1                      |   |
|    | 59B-  |    |    |     | 2290 SLIN   | .DS 1                      | ı |
| 3  | 59C-  |    |    |     | 2300 CURLIM | .DS 2                      |   |
|    |       |    |    |     | 2310        | .BA \$9381                 | ١ |
| 93 | 381-  |    |    |     | 2320 LINE®  | .DS 38                     |   |
| 9  | 3A7-  |    |    |     | 2330 LINE1  | .DS 38                     |   |
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#### **Microbes** and Updates

Jim Sherman of Huntsville, AL, called in with these corrections to "Saucer Launch" by Mike Dougherty (42:53):

On page 59 the listing is out of order. Lines 108E through 1092 belong at the bottom of the page (after line 108C). On page 60, line 10D2 should read: FO 06 BEQ NOXP.

Here are a few corrections to the RUNZMENU article by Frank Shyjka (45:67):

On page 68 in the far right column, the third line of BCDF should read:

85 39 20 51 A8 A9 8C 8D 6D BA8D should read:

D2 D5 CE DA CD C5 CE D5 BF

Erken Heinzjosef from West Germany wrote in with this update:

In MICRO 43 you published a Call Routine for the Superboard. Although it is very good, I have found a simpler way. My routine is only nine bytes long but it has a disadvantage: you cannot use hex addresses. But you can use

labels! See listing 1 for the machinelanguage routine and listing 2 for the equivalent BASIC load. The syntax must be

> Z (or any alpha) = USR (any argument) 65030

or

Z (or any alpha = USR (any argument) SC

The label "SCREEN CLEAR" gives syntax error as BASIC thinks it should be SOR.

65030 = hex FE06 = Screen clear in the C1 S Monitor ROM from Aardvark. If you use labels, don't forget to define the label:

> 10 SC = 6503020 WARMSTART = 0 30 X = USR(X) SC

40 X = USR(X) WARMSTART You have to set the USR Vector at first by POKE 11,64: POKE 12,2. My BASIC load does it, but after a BREAK you have to reset the vector.

#### Listing 1 10 0000 20 0000 ; CALL-ROUTINE FOR SUPERBOARD 30 0000 :H. J. Erken, West Germany 40 0000 50 0000 60 0000 70 0000 Addresses can be decimal values or labels ;To use, first set up the USR Vector by ;POKE 11,54:POKE12,2 80 0000 90 0000 100 0000 110 00000 120 0240 130 0240 Evalute any expression Convert floating to fix Hex value of expression is stored in \$11/\$12 140 0240 20ADAA 150 0243 2008B4 JSR \$AAAD JSR \$B408 160 0246 601100 JMP (\$11)

#### Listing 2

10 REM CALL FOR SUPERBUARD 20 REM H.J. ERKEN, WEST GERMANY 30 REM

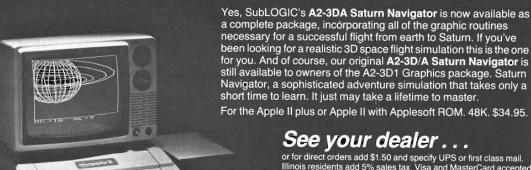
40 FOR X = 576 TO 584

O READ A: POKE X,A: NEXT 60 POKE 11,64: POKE 12,2: REM INIT OF USR FUNCTION 70 NEW

80 DATA 32, 173, 170, 32, 8, 180, 108, 17, 0

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## The Single Life

By Brad Rinehart

In my previous columns I have explained various HDE Disk BASIC features. This month I will cover some of the most unusual commands, as well as file handling techniques.

HDE Disk BASIC's more powerful commands include INSTR (in string), VARPTR (variable pointer), EXEC, MERGE, GET!, PUT!, PRINT USING, MKI\$, MKS\$, CVI, and CVS.

The INSTR command returns the position of a search string within a target string. The syntax for the command is

VAR1 = INSTR ( VAR2, "STRING1", "STRING2")

VAR2 is the character position within the target string where you begin searching. STRING1 is the target string and STRING2 is the key. VAR2, or the starting character position, is optional. If you omit it the search starts at the beginning of the target string. After you evaluate the function, VAR1 will contain the character position within the target string where the key was found. For example, if you have the string "THIS IS A TEST", and the key "IS", the statement

X = INSTR ("THIS IS A TEST", "IS")

will return the variable X with the value 3. You may have expected X to equal 6. However, the word 'THIS' contains an 'IS' in it. The statement

X = INSTR (4, "THIS IS A TEST", "IS")

will return X with the value 6. This time, we specified the fourth character as the starting point for the search.

The INSTR command also acts as the argument for an IF-THEN-ELSE statement.

IF INSTR("THIS IS A TEST", "IS")
THEN GOSUB 1000 : ELSE PRINT "NO"

will cause a GOSUB to line 1000. The statement following the ELSE will not

be executed. However, if you change this statement to

IF INSTR(7,"THIS IS A TEST","IS")
THEN GOSUB 1000 : ELSE PRINT "NO"

control will pass to the ELSE statement and the word 'NO' will be printed to the screen.

The VARPTR command returns the memory address (in decimal) of:

- 1. The exponent of the variable A,
- 2. The least significant byte of the twobyte integer A%,
- 3. The byte defining the length of the string A\$.

To use this information, you must understand how BASIC stores variable data in memory. Numeric variables such as A and A% are stored in five-byte and two-byte locations, respectively. VARPTR will return the address of the beginning of this memory location sequence. In the case of string variables, a three-byte descriptor defines the string. The first byte is the length of the string in memory, and the second and third bytes are the address pointer to the string.

VARPTR may also be used to determine whether or not a variable exists. For example, if you study the statement

X = VARPTR (A\$(1))

you will see that X will be returned with the value zero if the variable does not exist. Frequently, I need to know if an array has already been dimensioned. Without VARPTR, the only recourse is to redefine it and trap the error with an ON ERROR GOTO statement. I avoid ON ERROR GOTO statements; they make it too easy to build hidden 'BUGS' into a program.

The EXEC and MERGE commands each accept input from the disk as though it were entered from the keyboard. Either command accepts input from a SEQUENTIAL DATA file or a LIST# (ASCII) file.

The MERGE command enters program lines from the disk file as opposed to entering them from the keyboard.

This feature is useful when standard subroutines are to be used in several programs. For example, you may have a particular subroutine that is used to address the cursor on your terminal. Rather than manually entering the program lines each time you want to build a new program, the subroutine may first be entered from the keyboard, then LIST#ed out to a file called CURSR. Then whenever you want to use the subroutine within a program you simply enter MERGE "CURSR". This command, entered from the keyboard, will open the CURSR file and insert the lines into the program. You can save quite a bit of development time here!

The EXEC command will EXECute the command lines as they are read from the file. But with an EXEC file, the commands must be legal direct commands, such as PRINT, A=1, OPEN, CLOSE, PUT, and GET. Examples of commands that are not legal direct commands are INPUT and PRINT USING. Therefore, they may be used in files that are to be MERGEd, but not in files that are to be EXECed.

The EXEC command is useful for repetitive tasks. For example, when you have several programs you want to list to the printer, you can create an EXEC file that will initialize the output device, load the first file, list it, load the next file, list it, and so on. This can all be done without any human intervention. Remember, any sequence of commands you enter repetitively from the keyboard may be put into an EXEC file and reused.

The EXEC command also accepts input from a string variable. This feature lets you build a command in the variable A\$, and then execute and EXEC A\$ command. Any string variable may be used. However, your commands may be no longer than 250 bytes. Of course, if several commands are to be EXECed, they could be constructed in a string array and executed in a FOR-NEXT loop as in:

FOR X = 1 TO 5 EXEC A\$(X) NEXT

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#### The Single Life (continued)

You might use this feature when you execute routines that are to be invisible to the user.

#### **Some Printing Conventions**

HDE has implemented a command, 'CALL', for directing output to peripherals such as printers and modems. The syntax for the command is CALL ''DEVICE NAME'', where the DEVICE NAME is a three character name associated with a binary or machine-language program stored on the system disk.

To use the CALL command you must either write or purchase the device driver program. This device driver is then SAVed to the system disk (drive 0 to 1). The CALL command will load and initialize the driver. With the driver initialized, output may be directed to the screen, the device, or both. To output to the device, commands such as PRINT, LIST, FIND, and LIB are followed by an exclamation point (!), as in PRINT!, LIST!, FIND!, and LIB!. To output to the screen, even while the device is enabled, eliminate the exclamation point. To disable the device, use the command CALLO (call zero). Once the device is disabled, output from statements such as PRINT! will be directed to the screen. To change the output device from a printer to a modem, just execute another CALL with the proper device name as the argument, as in CALL "MOD".

You may want to write a driver that accepts input from a modem or another terminal. Then when you want to pass control to that device, just initialize it with the CALL command.

PRINT USING may be used to manipulate string data. If you consider that A\$=''FRED'', B\$=''SMITH'', then the statement

PRINT USING "PAY TO !! % %''; A\$".";B\$

will print PAY TO F. SMITH to the terminal. To dispatch this to an output device, use the statement:

PRINT! USING "PAY TO!! % %"; A\$"."; B\$

The exclamation point after the PRINT command directs the output to the external device that was initialized with the CALL command.

PRINT USING allows seven different types of format identifiers for dealing with numbers. The pound sign is used exclusively for defining the field width of a number. The PRINT USING command in conjunction with the pound sign causes number fields to be right-justified. For example, if you wish to print a column of numbers beginning at position 50 on the page, you could use the command:

PRINT TAB(50); USING "######, #"; N

The use of the comma in the field specifier will cause a comma to be output every three places in the number. Your printout might look like:

123,456 232 1,508

If decimal positions are to be defined, simply use the command

PRINT TAB(50); USING "#####, #. ##"; N

and the column will be right-justified, rounded to two decimal places, and zero-filled on the right.

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#### File-Handling Techniques

Along with these unique commands, I want to introduce some of HDE Disk BASIC's file-handling techniques. There are three types of data files: SNAPSHOT, SEQUENTIAL, and RANDOM access. In addition, you have the ability to create an ASCII file of the program listing using the LIST# (list pound sign) command.

The main difference between the different types of data files is the way the data is stored on the disk and the techniques used to access it. First of all, the snapshot data file is, as its name implies, a snapshot of all the data in memory. If you can picture being able to grab the data in memory, compress it into one block, and then write it to the disk, you can understand the operation of this file. It is most useful when saving analytical data. For example, if

you are accumulating data and monitoring the results of laboratory tests, but need something recorded quickly, the command SAVED "TEST1" [meaning "save data"] will, in a matter of seconds, write the contents of every variable to the disk file TEST1. To reload the information for later analysis, simply execute the command LOAD "TEST1" and memory will be restored to its previous contents.

With the RANDOM access file you can randomly access records within the file without reading or writing any other part of the file. This provides quick access to any record in the file.

The SEQUENTIAL data files are useful for data such as tax tables, rate tables, etc. Sequential files are best used when data fields or records are of varying lengths. Normally this type of data is manipulated in memory then written to the disk file when the user has completed working with it. The disadvantage of sequential file use is that to read the last record in the file, you must read the entire file. The same is true when changing one record in the file: you must read the file, make the change, and rewrite the entire file. But sequential files are usually more compact than RANDOM files.

To use sequential files properly, you must understand the structure of the file. First, records within the file may be terminated by a carriage return character (\$0D), a comma, or, when dealing with numerical fields, a space. The end of the file is signified by an end-of-file, or EOF mark. If you could look into the disk, you might find any of the following structures in a sequential file:

THIS IS RECORD 1\$0D THIS IS RECORD 2\$0DEOF 22 33 44 \$0D 11 66 55 \$0D 13 \$0D 99 21 \$0DEOF 22, 33, -44\$0D 11, 66, 55\$0D 13\$0D 99, -21\$0DEOF "THIS IS RECORD 1"\$0D"THIS IS RECORD 2","THIS IS RECORD 3"\$0DEOF

The first two files were created using the PRINT# command, the second two using the WRITE# commands.

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# Commodore and MICRO

by Loren Wright

Commodore has been a dominant force in the microcomputer world since the Personal Electronic Transactor (or PET) was introduced in 1977. The first PETs admittedly had their problems. The small keyboard, a holdover from Commodore's calculator background, gave the PET a toy-like appearance. There was no resident machine language monitor - a tape version had to be loaded into RAM each time. There were also a few problems, of varying annoyance, in the operating system. Documentation had to be obtained from users' groups, since Commodore would not, and perhaps could not, provide very much.

In the U.S., the PET came out in the face of stiff competition from Apple and Radio Shack. The Apple attracted many people with its high-resolution color and full-size keyboard, while Radio Shack, with its nationwide network of stores and well-organized marketing effort, drew even more attention. To compound their problems, Commodore attempted to sell the PET only directly or through its Mr. Calculator stores, and there were delivery delays of many months.

The PET, as many other computer shoppers recognized, offered a system complete with CRT display, cassette mass-storage, and fully implemented BASIC for a price less than comparable systems from either Apple or Radio Shack. In the rest of the world, where Commodore was organizationally better equipped to compete, the PET became (and still is) the number one microcomputer.

The company corrected most of the problems with a new operating system. Unfortunately, this was done without much consideration for those who had already invested a lot of time and money developing commercial software for the old operating system. Many people abandoned ship at this point, but most adjusted and are still loyal PET owners. Since then, there has

been yet another operating system introduced, but this time the changes were far less radical, and Commodore cooperated considerably more in the transition.

To understate the situation, Commodore has been unpredictable in its approach to the market. When the 80-column business machine and the VIC were announced, there were widespread fears that the company would abandon PET owners in favor of the more lucrative entertainment and business markets. So far, those fears have not been justified. It is clear now, particularly with the announcement of several new computers, that Commodore wants to compete in all microcomputer markets. The new line-up will apparently include the Ultimax, the VIC, the SuperVIC, the PET, the 8016/8032, the color 8032, the Commodore-64, the SuperPET, and the 8096. Each of these is aimed at a particular segment of the market.

If its new advertising campaign is any indication, Commodore intends to provide the best value for any microcomputing need. The company plans to accomplish this not by inventing radically new computers, but rather by producing variations on its PET and VIC themes to compete over the full range of the market. To quote Jack Tramiel, the man behind Commodore, "We will become the Japanese!" — meaning that they will offer a lower-priced alternative. Whether Commodore can actually accomplish its goals is still uncertain.

MICRO has been covering the PET since its inception. Much of our job in the early days was to provide the information not provided by Commodore, and to help PET owners get around the bugs in their systems. Things have progressed much further than that now. The PET system is virtually bug-free and good documentation is available not only from Commodore, but from a

number of other sources. We will continue to publish articles of special interest to PET users, but you will find many of our other articles valuable as well. More articles written for other computers will be accessible to PET users, and we will continue to expand your horizons with material on new programming techniques, languages, and applications.

This issue's feature article "Growing Knowledge Trees," by David Heise, introduces artificial intelligence to MICRO readers. While it is written especially for the PET, I recommend that all MICRO readers try to see this program in operation. It should provide some ideas for your own artificial intelligence programs.

"Menu and Tape Timer," by Dale DePriest is a sequel to last month's "A Real Tape Operating System." In that article he discussed the good and bad features of the PET's tape system and presented some techniques to get the most from that system. This month's programs will help you turn your cassette collection into a well-organized file retrieval system. Although a disk drive is faster and more convenient, the PET's cassette system, with a few refinements, can offer a considerably less expensive alternative, which is still very satisfactory.

Louis Sander's "PET Memory Protector" is a simple circuit that is inserted between one of your PET's static RAM chips and its socket. Depending on where it is installed, PMP protects 1K or more of RAM from BASIC, LOADs and resets. The reset button, which is part of the circuit, can be used for either a cold or a warm reset.

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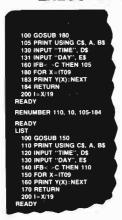
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# **PET Memory Protector**

by Louis F. Sander

This easy-to-build add-on for 8K PETs selectively isolates 1K or more of memory from BASIC and from resets. The protected area is an ideal repository for monitors or other machine—language programs.

#### **PMP**

requires:

PET with socketed 6550 or 2114 RAM chips (all smallkeyboard PETs, except the most recent release) and a number of electronic parts.

PET users have a shortage of protected memory for machine-language programs. The PET Memory Protector is a simple add-on device that eliminates this shortage. In a typical PET, only the second cassette buffer, with its meager 192 bytes, is out of reach of BASIC, resets, and LOADs. The only way to protect an area in high memory is to do several zero-page POKEs, an annoying task. The PET Memory Protector, or PMP, provides a simpler and more reliable way to reserve 1K blocks of high memory for machine-language programs or any other use.

PMP is activated by momentarily depressing one switch, eliminating the need for memory-reserving POKEs. BASIC cannot write into the PMP-protected area unless specifically directed, and LOADing a tape from either cassette does not affect it. The PMP includes a reset function that allows selection or deselection of memory protection while the reset is performed, all with one simple control.

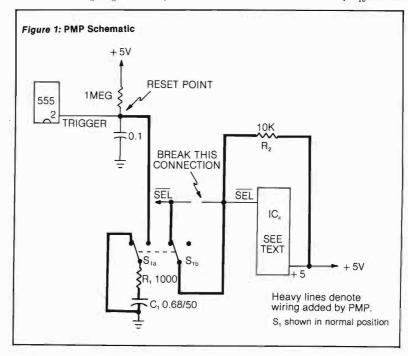
Installation of the PMP requires no drilling or cutting of the PET, and no soldering to any PET component. You simply insert the PMP connector between one memory chip and its socket, and mount the PMP switch in existing holes in the PET. The typical installation protects 1K of memory, but larger 1K multiples can be protected simply by moving the PMP connector. The present version of the PMP will work only with PETs using the type 6550 or 2114 RAMs in plug-in sockets (basically, all the small-keyboard machines). Work is in progress on a version for the large-keyboard machines. Construction of a PMP is not difficult for an experienced electronic builder; non-builders can purchase a fully assembled and tested version from the authors.

#### Theory of Operation

Figure 1 is the schematic diagram of the PMP. When  $S_1$  is closed, it connects  $R_1$  and  $C_1$  to the trigger pin of PET's power-up timer, and opens the chipselect line to  $IC_x$ .  $IC_x$  can be any one of

PET's RAM chips; typically it will be one of the two that constitute the top 1K of user RAM. The charging effect of C1 momentarily lowers the voltage on the timer trigger pin, which activates the timer and a power-on reset. At the end of the timer's one-second cycle, PET writes a character into the lowest memory location of the user program area, then reads the contents of that location. If the read and write are identical, PET repeats the process at the next higher memory location. The first time the read and write do not match, PET concludes that it has passed the top of available RAM. It then sets its zero-page BASIC pointers accordingly, and puts the appropriate BYTES FREE message onto the CRT.

If  $S_1$  is still actuated when the reset routine tries to write into  $IC_x$ , the  $\overline{SEL}$  line will still be broken by  $S_{1b}$  and the



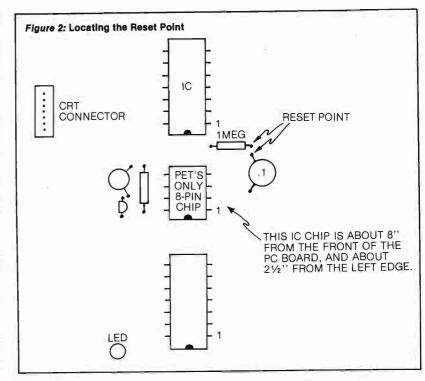
SEL pin will be held high by the voltage from R2. So the read/write process into ICx will fail, and PET will conclude that IC, and all memory above it does not exist. Because ICx is paired with another chip that is not disabled by S1, the reset will have modified the lowest single byte in ICx, but will not have affected any higher memory locations. The BYTES FREE message will include only those memory locations below IC<sub>x</sub>. S<sub>1</sub> can be released as soon as the BYTES FREE message appears, and at that time ICx will be fully functional, but BASIC will not know that it is there. In other words, ICx and above will constitute a fully protected area of memory.

If  $S_1$  is released before the timer finishes its cycle,  $IC_x$  will be properly connected when PET attempts to access it. The reset process will proceed normally, writing over any information in  $IC_x$  and above, and including those locations in the BYTES FREE message.  $IC_x$  and above will not be protected memory. In either case, as soon as  $S_1$  is released,  $C_1$  will discharge through  $R_1$ , to be ready for the next reset.

#### Construction

If you are not an experienced electronics builder, you shouldn't try this project on your own, since a miswired PMP could mean disaster to your PET. For the builder with any experience, PMP construction is straightforward, except for breaking the SEL line to ICx. For the 6550,  $\overline{SEL}$  is pin 18, and +5 is pin 17. For the 2114, SEL is pin 8 and +5 is pin 18. Make up a "PMP connector" from two wire-wrap IC sockets. Plug the sockets together, piggybackstyle, and cut the pin carrying the SEL lead from one socket to the other. If you want to do a more professional job, use one wire-wrap socket and the plastic base from another, cutting one of the pins. Either way, solder your S<sub>1b</sub> leads to the severed ends, and glue everything together so it can't move. Solder R2 to the appropriate pins of the upper socket, and you're in business. (You need wire-wrap-type sockets for this work, because the solder-tab-type pins are too short to work with, unless you're used to microsurgery.)

We advise the prospective builder to be persistent in his search for parts, since  $S_1$  and the IC sockets are not common items. They are manufactured by the thousands for industrial use, but your local Radio Shack doesn't carry them.



#### Installation

The first step in installation is to unplug your PET. Then find a way to mount  $S_1$  permanently. You can either drill a hole in your PET, or drill a  $\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$  3" strip of heavy sheet metal to accept  $S_1$ . Then mount it to the cover hold-down bracket on PET's right side, using two additional holes drilled through your piece of sheet metal. If  $S_1$  is properly chosen, it will easily fit in the  $\frac{1}{2}$ " space between PET's cover and base, making a very attractive and unobtrusive installation.

Next, connect the wire from S<sub>1a</sub> to the reset point. Here you can solder a wire directly to PET's circuit board, or you can use a tiny test clip to connect it to a component lead. The reset point is easy to find by locating the 555 timer chip, which is the only eight-pin IC in the PET. It's on the far left side of the printed circuit board, about eight inches from the front edge. The reset point is accessible either at pin 2 of the 555, or at the resistor or capacitor lead wire shown in figure 2. (By the way, this is the same point used by the reset buttons on old ROM PETs.)

Finally, locate IC<sub>x</sub> and put the PMP connector between it and its socket. At the very front of the main printed circuit board are two identical rows of eight IC chips in sockets; this is PET's RAM. Each 1K of memory is made up

of one IC in the front row, plus its partner in the second row. Half a byte is stored in each chip, for 1024 memory locations in each pair.

If your memory chips have 18 pins each, they are 2114's, and the IC's making up the lowest memory locations are to the far left. The highest memory locations are to the right. To protect 1K of memory, the PMP plugs into either one of the rightmost chips. With 2114's the PMP can be plugged into any RAM socket, protecting any number of 1K memory blocks.

If your memory chips have 22 pins, they are 6550's, and things work differently. The low memory locations are to the *right* in this case, and the high ones are to the left. Your PMP will only work properly in the highest 1K (the leftmost socket), or the highest 4K (number 4 from the left).

To locate  $IC_x$ , first determine how much memory you want PMP to protect. If it's 1K, then  $IC_x$  is the rightmost or leftmost IC in the front row. If you want to protect 2K of memory,  $IC_x$  is the chip just next to that one, and so on, at the rate of 1K per chip. For test purposes, you will need to protect 1K, so initially use the end chip in the front row. Use the left chip for 6550's, or the right chip for 2114's. (In every case, the corresponding chip in the second row could be used, with identical effect.

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We've arbitrarily chosen the front row chips because they're easier to get to.]

Before removing  $IC_x$ , note the U-shaped depression on its top at one end. That is an orientation mark, and when it faces you, with the IC pins pointed downward, pin 1 is the closest pin to you on the right. See figure 2 for examples. Take careful note of  $IC_x$ 's orientation, so that you'll be able to insert the PMP connector and  $IC_x$  in the proper direction.

When you've done this, gently pry  $IC_x$  from its socket, using a small screwdriver inserted from the front. Use standard static protection techniques: keep yourself grounded, and lay the naked IC, pins downward, on a piece of foil or conductive foam. Now insert the PMP connector into the vacant socket, being extremely careful to preserve proper orientation. Using static protection techniques, and once again paying careful attention to orientation, insert  $IC_x$  into the PMP connector, and you're ready to test your PMP.

#### Test and Operation

Visually inspect the installation to make sure there are no broken wires or short circuits. Make sure that the PMP is plugged into the correct socket, and that all its pins are making contact. [Look closely, as bent pins are common, and easy to miss.] Make the same check on the IC chip, where it plugs into the PMP. Finally, double check the orientation of the IC and the PMP; if either one is in backwards, correct it immediately.

When you're certain that everything is as it should be, turn on the power to your PET. You should get the normal BYTES FREE message (7167 bytes on the 8K PET). Now load a machine-language program (MLP) of some sort into the top part of the top 1K of memory. Ideally, it should extend to the very last free byte. Be sure your program doesn't use the very first byte of the top 1K, since that byte will be modified by the reset routine. Run your MLP to make sure that it works.

Now activate S<sub>1</sub>, and keep it activated until the BYTES FREE message appears once again. If all has gone well, that message will have appeared about one second after you first activated S<sub>1</sub>, and will indicate 1024 fewer bytes than normal. Next, LOAD and RUN a BASIC program that uses several string variables. Run your MLP once again. If both programs work properly, PMP has protected upper memory from being written into by BASIC.

#### Parts List

 $C_1 - 0.68$  F, 50 wv

R<sub>1</sub> - 1000 ohm, ¼ watt

R<sub>2</sub> - 10K ohm, ¼ watt

S<sub>1</sub> — DPDT momentary toggle or pushbutton switch

Two 18-pin or 22-pin wire-wraptype IC sockets (pin configuration depends on your RAM type)

Hookup wire

Glue (Devcon clear epoxy or similar)

Optional ½" × 3" piece of heavy sheet metal (for switch mounting bracket)

Total parts cost should be \$10-\$12 for top-quality, name-brand parts.

For the final test, momentarily activate S<sub>1</sub>, this time being sure to release it before the BYTES FREE message appears. If you get a normal BYTES FREE message, and if both programs are gone from memory, your PMP is working correctly. Congratulations on a job well done!

Now here's the full story on clearing and protecting memory in your PMP-equipped machine.

- POWER ON clears all memory, overwriting it with characters dictated by your ROM set.
- Using either cassette drive to LOAD, SAVE, or VERIFY clears the associated cassette buffer, replacing what was there with data from the tape header. The unused cassette buffer is not affected.
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- 4. Holding S<sub>1</sub> until the reduced BYTES FREE message appears clears all memory except the two cassette buffers and the memory above the first protected byte. That first byte will be altered by the reset process, but is protected afterward. Anything previously existing above that byte will be unaffected by the reset, and will

be protected from being written into by BASIC. It can be PEEKed and POKEd, but that is all.

That's the full story on the PET Memory Protector. We've found it to be a very handy device for protecting high memory, and we hope that you will, too. If you'd like to have a fully assembled and tested PMP, we've made some up that we'll send you for \$20 each. Just send your name, address, and RAM type to: Louis F. Sander at 153 Mayer Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15237.

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# **Growing Knowledge Trees**

by David R. Heise

Knowledge can be represented in tree diagrams that are stored and analyzed by computers. This PET program finds out what people know about a topic, analyzes answers, and shows users the organized results.

"Knowledge Trees" requires:

16K or 32K PET 3.0 Operating System Printer and disk drive are supported, but optional. Notes are provided for 1.0 and 4.0 conversion.

A computer needs to be knowledgeable if it is to help you classify plants, diagnose illnesses, or identify beliefs that hold down productivity. But how do you make a computer knowledgeable? How do you teach a computer what an expert knows? How do you represent knowledge?

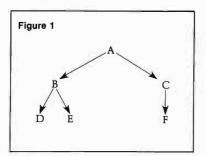
Research on these questions has been performed in computer science specialties like data base management and artificial intelligence, and also in social sciences like anthropology, sociology, and cognitive psychology. Data base management systems and psychological research demonstrate that some kinds of knowledge can be stored as associative networks with pointers linking items to related items. As a sociologist, I've shown that measurements about actors and behaviors can be used mathematically to generate information about social events. Artificial intelligence research and contemporary anthropology often represent knowledge as hierarchical trees of relationships.

This article discusses the tree concept for knowledge representation and presents a program that turns a Commodore microcomputer into a machine

for gathering hierarchical knowledge from people and reducing it to its simplest form. The program illustrates how to pass multiple parameters to an assembly-language subroutine via the USR function in BASIC. It shows you how to create a BASIC subroutine that can call itself recursively, and demonstrates a method for automatically loading and protecting assembled code, along with a BASIC program. Assembled routines are provided for carrying out operations on trees.

#### **Data Structures**

Hierarchical knowledge can be represented in a tree diagram, which is a type of directed graph. See figure 1.



Letters A through F represent nodes in the graph. These are the entities involved in hierarchical relationships. For example, the nodes could be A = living creature, B = mammal, C = bird, D = dog, E = cat, and F = robin.

The arrows are called the *edges* of the graph. All of the arrows on a graph represent a certain relationship. For example, in figure 1, each arrow could represent the relation "is a kind of." Thus, reading backward along an arrow, we see that B is a kind of A. Different arrows show which entities are related to other entities. In general, the node at the top of an arrow is a *superordinate* of the node at the bottom of the arrow. The node at the bottom of an arrow is a *subordinate* of the node at the top.

Relations in a tree diagram are transitive. This means that a relationship between two entitites can be inferred when they are connected by a chain of arrows rather than by a direct arrow. For example, in figure 1, D (a dog), is a kind of B (mammal), and B (a mammal) is a kind of A (living creature). Therefore we can infer "a dog is a kind of living creature" even though there is no direct arrow from A to D. Many kinds of relationships are transitive. For example, time ordering is transitive: if event B occurs after A, and C occurs after B, then C occurs after A. "Is part of" also is transitive: if B is part of A, and C is part of B, then C is part of A. Some relations seem transitive but are not, like the relation "has." Jane may have a husband, and her husband may have a bald head. We would not want to conclude that Jane has a bald head.

Tree diagrams can be represented in matrix form. Figure 2 shows the matrix for the diagram in figure 1. Letters along the top of the matrix show nodes as originating sources for arrows. Letters along the side of the matrix show nodes as destination points for arrows. A zero in a cell indicates that no arrow connects the column node to the row node. A one indicates that an arrow goes from the originating node (column label) to the destination node [row label].

|   | Figure 2 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   |          | Α | В | C | D | E | F |
|   | Α        | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | В        | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|   | С        | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|   | D        | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|   | E        | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|   | F        | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

The major diagonal is emphasized with underlining in figure 2. In a matrix that represents a hierarchical

tree, the major diagonal is always filled with zeros, and nodes can be ordered such that all entries above the major diagonal are zero. A topographical ordering of nodes has the node at the top of the graph first (A). Nodes that are directly connected to this node come next (e.g., C and B), then nodes directly connected to these follow (e.g., F, E, Dl, and so on, until all nodes are listed. A topographical ordering orders the nodes as they are encountered when going from the top of the tree diagram to the bottom. If nodes are listed in topographical order for the matrix representation, then all cells above the major diagonal contain zeros.

A tree diagram can be stored inside a computer in various ways. We could store the matrix representation, but this wastes space on zeros above the main diagonal. Instead we will use the edge list representation. This approach stores a tree, including verbal labels for the nodes, in two lists — name and edge — as shown in figure 3.

# Figure 3 Name List (1) a living creature (2) a mammal (3) a bird (4) a dog (5) a cat (6) a robin Edge List 1,2 1,3 2,4 2,5 3,6

The name list is simply a list of node labels with index numbers implied. Each entry in the edge list corresponds to an arrow on the tree diagram, and the entry consists of two numbers. The first is the index number for the arrow's originating node. The second is the index number for the destination node. The edge list has as many entries as there are arrows on the diagram. Their order is not important.

In the program presented here, index numbers are interpreted as ASCII values and converted to characters. Thereby the edge list can be maintained as a character string, taking advantage of dynamic string allocation in CBM BASIC; we do not have to set aside space for the edge list, whose size is unpredictable beforehand. By adding

64 to each index number before converting to a character, we get ASCII values for letters of the alphabet. For example, the edge list in figure 3 could be represented as the following string:

#### 'ABACBDBECF'

This string contains all the information represented in figures 1 and 2. Marking the string off into pairs of letters precisely defines each arrow in the tree diagram.

We now have a neat, concise way of representing hierarchical knowledge in a CBM microcomputer. Artificial intelligence research usually employs a list representation that calls for a LISP language interpreter, but that would not be as convenient as this approach that works in BASIC.

#### Elicitation

The next step is to input knowledge from humans into computers. Storing knowledge within programs is not an efficient approach because too many people do not know how to program. Rather, the computer should elicit and store people's knowledge:

- accommodating to a user's interest in a certain kind of relation,
- talking with the user about a given topic.
- helping the user recall topical elements (nodes),
- helping the user to define relations among elements (edges).

Ideally the computer would deal with any kind of relation for making trees and would talk in accordance with rules of grammar and discourse. These kinds of flexibilities are costly in terms of program space, so we compromise. The program here offers three kinds of relationships for analyses, and presents only a limited number of queries.

Requirements for eliciting nodes and edges are more critical. To represent a person's knowledge about a topic, we must get as close as possible to an exhaustive listing of concepts [nodes]. Furthermore, we must meticulously examine every possible relationship to assure that all real ones are included.

This program uses several tactics to help a person recall entitites in the domain being considered. At the begin-

ning of a session, and periodically thereafter, a general elicitation question is presented, in the form: "What is an entity in the domain being considered?" The user is reminded of all the entities that have been entered already. Once some entities have been specified, these are used to stimulate recall of more entities, using questions like: "What other entities are related to entity X in the domain being considered?" Ultimately, every recorded entity is used as a stimulus for obtaining more entities. Additionally, the user occasionally is asked to name an entity that differentiates some entities from others, in a query like: "X, Y, and Z are entities in the domain of interest; what entity might be implied by two of these?" While no methodology guarantees exhaustive recall of all entities, these techniques do promote extensive recall.

Definition of a new entity's relations is complex because a number of conditions have to be fulfilled in building a tree. These conditions are:

- 1. As we consider a new entity, we have to allow that it could be subordinate to any existing entity, and/ or superordinate to any entity except the top one [which defines the domain of interest]. That is, a new node might be positioned anywhere in the tree diagram except above the top node. In principle, this means that for every existing entity except the topmost one, the computer has to ask the user whether the new entity is a superordinate and/or subordinate. Fortunately, principles of logic and transitivity permit economies.
- 2. The complexity of hierarchical knowledge requires allowing any entity to have multiple subordinates or multiple superordinates.
- Finally, proper tree structure calls for deleting any relations that can be inferred from transitivity.

The program assumes that a new entity is subordinate to the top node—it is in the domain of interest. Then a series of yes-no questions is asked to determine which existing entities are superordinates or subordinates of the new entity. Each query is of the form: "Does X [an existing entity] imply Y [the new entity]?" "Does Y imply X?"

The entities that are superordinate to the new entity are determined first. Querying works from the top of the tree downward, the procedure considers existing entities in topological order.

Let's say an existing entity is not superordinate to the new entity. Then subordinates of that existing entity are not superordinate to the new entity because of the transitivity principle.

Once a new entity's superordinates are known, more questions are asked to find its subordinates. The procedure employs two logical principles that follow from transitivity. First, if a new entity, Y, is not subordinate to an existing entity, X, then the new entity cannot be superordinate to any of X's subordinates. For example, since a sparrow is not a kind of mammal, various kinds of mammals cannot possibly be kinds of sparrows. Thus, no queries need to be presented regarding subordinates of entities which are not superordinate to the new entity. To find all of a new entity's subordinates, we only need to ask about the subordinates of entities for which the new entity is itself a subordinate.

Second, once we discover that the new entity is superordinate to an existing entity, we know that it is superordinate to all of that entity's subordinates. We do not want to represent those relations directly since they are derivable.

"Knowledge Trees" is written for the PET's 'upgrade' or 3.0 operating system. Notes have been provided to modify it to run on 1.0 and 4.0 systems. With the changes indicated, the program should work on 1.0 PETs. However, to run properly on 4.0 PETs, changes to the machine language portion of the program, beyond those indicated for PET ROM routines, will be necessary.

The problem is in the infamous 'garbage collection' routine. To speed up garbage collection (the process of removing old copies of dynamic strings), the 4.0 ROMs store a back pointer after the actual string characters in high memory. The garbage collection routine checks these back pointers to be sure they point to valid string descriptors in low memory. Bad strings are wiped out. The ''Knowledge Trees'' machine language routines do not accommodate these back pointers, and as a result, the system is likely to crash when a garbage collection takes place. MICRO will publish a fix for this problem in a future issue.

The transitivity principle eliminates queries about many possible relations, thereby substantially reducing the labor in establishing a new entity's position in the tree diagram. However, the potential for multiple subordinates and multiple superordinates requires that we ask many questions that might seem unnecessary.

To illustrate, suppose that "house pet" is added to the tree represented in figure 3 (abbreviated in figure 1). A house pet is a living creature, but

queries establish that a house pet is not necessarily either a mammal or a bird. We then search for subordinates of house pet among the subordinates of living creature. Mammals are not all house pets, so mammal is not subordinate to house pet. Nevertheless, to avoid error, we must continue searching among the subordinates of mammal. It happens that dogs are a kind of house pet. Thus, in the new tree diagram, dog will be subordinate to both mammal and house pet; dog has two superordinates. Similarly, cat also

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is a subordinate of house pet. Having found these subordinates of house pet, we still must continue searching for other subordinates among the other subordinates of living creature. Searching through the bird subgraph yields no more subordinates in this example, but it would if we had canary as an entity.

Once all required queries have been answered, the program positions the new node by linking it to all of its immediate superordinates and all of its immediate subordinates. This is done by adding appropriate entries to the edge-list. If a superordinate and a subordinate of the new entity were originally connected by an arrow in the tree diagram, that relationship is deleted since it now can be derived using the transitivity principle.

#### Illustrative Analyses

One program option permits the analysis of the kinds of people at a scene. This elicitation provides a way to study people's subjective notions of social structure. The results can be related to issues of role identification, role conflict, and definitions of situations.

When the program has been loaded, the user is instructed on how to use the computer's keyboard. The user is given the instructions in exhibit 1 to read, and a sheet like exhibit 2 showing available commands.

The progression of questions and answers during the first part of a session might be as shown in exhibit 3. You might find a different structure if you did it yourself.

Choosing option 2 in answer to the first question would lead to the elicitation of happenings in an event. For example, analyzing what happens when we dine out might give the final results shown in exhibit 4. This elicitation could precede critical path analyses in order to define all the events that have to be considered. It also is an empirical approach to constructing "frames" for artificial intelligence research.

#### The BASIC Program

#### Input

The STOP key is disabled while the program is running (lines 340-350). A special input routine (lines 640-780) uses a shaded cursor to keep the program from ending if the user hits RETURN without making an entry. However, you can still break from a run

by typing SPACE, then RETURN. The STOP key's function is turned on and off again during the input routine, so STOP is available if you break out of the program for programming purposes.

In the introductory part of the program (lines 370-510), a menu allows the user to choose one of three kinds of analysis.

- 1. Analysis of a social scene. This option elicits social roles and orders them by the "kind of" relation.
- Specifically, relations among roles are defined by asking "Is an X always a Y?" The name of the scene [the top node] and one role are elicited as part of the opening procedure (lines 880-1010).
- 2. Analysis of an event. Particular happenings are elicited, and then ordered in terms of their temporal priority: "Is X over before Y?" The definitional subroutine (lines 1030-1160) also gets the name of the general event [top node] and one specific happening.

#### Exhibit 1: Instructions

You can look at people in different ways. For example, the President of the United States is the President, a politician, a man, an adult, a husband, a father, and other things, too. Everyone can be seen in several ways.

How you see people depends a lot on where you see them. You might think of someone on the street as a pedestrian. The same person inside a store would be a customer or a browser or an employee. One idea about a person can lead to another. For example, teachers always are adults, so if people are talking about a teacher, you automatically know they are talking about an adult.

In this session with the microcomputer, you will name the scene you want to analyze. Thereafter the computer will ask you what kinds of people are found there, and how one type relates to another.

The machine begins by asking questions like, "Is a child always an adult?" But the computer learns what you tell it, so later questions are more interesting. In fact, you have to think carefully to answer some of them.

After you've named different types of people, the computer will analyze your answers and present the results in a chart. The chart has a row and a column for each type. Dots show which types are special cases of other types. For example, if professor and teacher were on the chart, a dot might appear in the professor row and the teacher column indicating that a professor is a kind of teacher.

Two dots in one column show what people have in common. For example, teacher and secretary might both have dots in an adult column, indicating that teachers and secretaries have adulthood as a bond between them. Two dots on one row suggest how a person might get confused in the situation. For example, professor might have a dot under teacher and another under researcher, indicating that sometimes a professor might feel torn between acting as a teacher and acting as a researcher.

Answer the first question by typing number 1 and pressing the RETURN key to analyze types of people

The second question asks what kind of scene you want to analyze. Answer by typing a singular noun, like FAMILY, SCHOOL, or PARTY. Then press RETURN.

The next questions ask for types of persons you might find at the scene. Use just one or two words to name each type. Use nouns rather than adjectives — e.g., DUMMY rather than DUMB. Use singular rather than plural — e.g., TEACHER rather than TEACHERS. Type each name and press RETURN. If you misspell a word, you can correct it with the change command the next time you are asked to enter something.

Pretty soon the computer starts asking yes-no questions like, "Is a teacher always an adult?" Answer by typing Y or N. Answer yes-no questions for the ideal or general case. If you make a mistake while answering a yes-no question, continue answering Y until the yes-no questions are over. Then delete the entry with the change command so you can re-enter it correctly.

After the first few questions, the chart may appear automatically just before you name another type. When you are through looking at the chart, press the RETURN key, and the questions will start again. You also can get the chart by entering # instead of a name.

Enter \$ to skip a question, if you cannot think of a good answer. (The \$ option does not apply when answering yes-no questions.)

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3. Analysis of an entity. Components of an entity and their incorporation relationships are elicited, using the relational question "Does X definitely have Y?" The name of the entity and of one of its parts are acquired while defining this option (lines 1180-1310).

Wordings of the various elicitation questions are adjusted for each option. You can change the wordings by changing the definitions of the string variables W3\$, W4\$, and W5\$ [e.g., in lines 980-10001.

After these preliminaries, the program drops into a loop which continually cycles through all of the existing nodes in the graph (lines 530-620). The loop has no termination: the program ends when you press SPACE RETURN or turn off the machine.

The subroutine eliciting new entries [lines 1430-1840] ordinarily presents one of the existing entries as a stimulus, asking a question like: "What else might X relate to in the entity?" Existing entries that relate are listed as a reminder: "Aside from Y, Z?" The new entry is accepted, preceded by "a" or "an" [if that is appropriate), added to the name list, and another subroutine is called to place the new node in the tree.

Instead of entering a word in response to the elicitation question, the user can enter any of the program commands to correct, display, analyze, or save the data.

The main program loop calls a second elicitation subroutine (lines 2730-3010) that checks whether a node has more than two immediate subordinates. If so, another elicitation question is presented, such as: "Here are some parts of a W: X, Y, Z. What is a more general term for some of these?" The user may skip the question. If an answer is provided, it is treated in the same way that new entries ordinarily are handled.

The subroutine to establish a new node's position in the tree structure is the longest in the program (lines 1860-2710). First it clears some short-term memory for storing yes-no answers. Next it determines which existing nodes are superordinate to the new node. Then, working among the subordinates of these superordinates, it searches for existing nodes that are subordinate to the new node. The edge list is modified to reflect the new node's position.

An error-correction subroutine (lines 3680-4570) allows two kinds of changes to be made in the data. An entry in the name list can be changed to a different spelling (lines 3800-3850). Or a node can be deleted entirely from the graph (lines 3870-4570). In the latter case, the program checks whether subordinates are also to be deleted and, if so, deletes them first using the subroutine recursively. Recursion is achieved by defining a push-down 'stack' containing the nodes to be deleted, and letting the procedure work until the stack is empty. Deletion involves removing edges from the edge list and changing other edges in order to close up the graph over the deleted node. Deletion also involves removing the node from the name list and adjusting index numbers.

#### Output

A subroutine to display the matrix representation of the tree (lines 3130-3660) writes to screen or to printer. The lower triangle of the matrix is presented. Entry names, truncated to 13 characters, are listed in topological

#### Exhibit 2: Commands

S

|           | Skip to next question without answering this |
|-----------|--|
|           | one.   |
|           | Look at the chart.                           |
| I Comment | Datas also also as                           |

Print the chart on paper (requires a printer hooked up to the computer). !NAME

Change an entry that was entered as NAME. The program will instruct you on how to change the name, or delete the entry entirely. Analyze commonalities of two or more entries. The program will tell you what more general term covers all of the chosen entries, and in what way each chosen entry is a special case

of the more general term. ".FILE NAME Save all of the data on tape so that they can be read in again later.

"\FILE NAME Save all data on disk As an answer to program's first question, this causes the program to read data from tape. D As an answer to program's first question, this causes the program to read data from disk.

#### Exhibit 3: Sample Run

This program allows you to analyze the

organization of:

1. people at a scene
2. actions in an event 3. the parts of an entity Which analysis do you want to do? 1

What's a word naming the scene you're going to analyze? FAMILY What's one kind of actor you might find at a family scene? FATHER Who is an actor at a family scene — aside from a father? MOTHER

Is a mother always a father? N Is a father always a mother? N Answer \$ to skip:

What else might a father be at a family scene? HUSBAND

#### Exhibit 3 (continued)

Is a husband always a father? N Is a husband always a mother? N Is a father always a husband? Y Is a mother always a husband? N The final results of this analysis might look as follows when the matrix representation is printed.

#### AT A FAMILY SCENE

| ADULT X<        |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| CHILD X+<       |          |
| MALE X++<       |          |
| FEMALE X+++     |          |
| HUSBAND + X + X | +<       |
| WIFE +X++       | X+<      |
|                 | +++      |
| DAUGHTER ++X+   | X+++<    |
|                 | +X+++<   |
|                 | ++X+++<  |
| BROTHER ++++    | +++X+++< |
| SISTER ++++     | 444Y444  |

#### Exhibit 4: Sample Printout

#### WHILE DINING OUT

LEAVING RESTA X<

| PAYING BILL   | + X <        |
|---------------|--------------|
| LEAVING TABLE | + + X <      |
| LEAVING TIP   | +++X<        |
| WAITING FOR B | ++++X<       |
| EATING FOOD   | ++++X<       |
| GETTING FOOD  | ++++X<       |
| SITTING AT TA | +++++X<      |
| WAITING FOR F | ++++++X+<    |
| GIVING ORDER  | ++++++X<     |
| READING MENU  | +++++++X<    |
|               | ++++++++X<   |
| FINDING TABLE | ++++++X++X++ |
| ENTERING REST | +++++++++XX< |
|               |              |

WHILE DINING OUT LEAVING RESTAURANT PAYING BILL LEAVING TABLE LEAVING TIP WAITING FOR BILL EATING FOOD GETTING FOOD SITTING AT TABLE WAITING FOR FOOD GIVING ORDER READING MENU WAITING FOR MENU FINDING TABLE ENTERING RESTAURANT order along the lefthand border (the full names are listed separately at the bottom when a hard copy is printed). Cells with zeros are left blank; cells with ones are marked graphically. Screen displays are limited to trees with less than 23 nodes; printed output covers the maximum size tree that the program handles — 63 nodes. The screen display is invoked randomly about onethird of the time after new entries are made (line 1830).

Common superordinates of two or more entries are found by another subroutine (lines 5070-5600). This procedure also indicates the immediate subordinates of the common superordinate. These subordinates lead down to each of the originally specified nodes — an analysis not easily done by inspection of the matrix. The algorithm involves concatenating all the up-graphs of the focus nodes, creating a dummy subordinate node of the focus nodes, and subtracting the up-graph of the dummy from the concatenated graphs (repeatedly if there are more than two focus nodes). The topologically lowest node of the remainder represents a commonality of the focus nodes. A search is made to find the immediate subordinates of the common node that are linked to focus nodes. When multiple common nodes exist, they all are presented in turn. The dummy node is deleted before the subroutine ends.

The routine to save a knowledge base on tape or disk (lines 4590-4810) creates a file name from the label given as part of the save command, plus the name of the top node in the graph, as follows: LABEL.NODE1. The file contains the type of analysis as specified for the program's first question, the number of nodes, the node names, the number of edges, and the list of edges. The file can be read later by another routine (lines 4830-5050), called by typing T or D in answer to the first program question (data are listed as they are read into the program]. Writing and reading are done with tape unit #1 or disk unit #0. A disk must be properly initialized before the program is run.

#### Utilities

Articles are appended to the front of entries for readability (lines 1330-1410). This routine inserts a nonprinting character with 'a' to make the appendage uniform in length, simplifying removal whenever necessary. Articles are not added to event entries (option 2 in the program).

A subroutine (lines 800-860) presents the frequent query about relationships (e.g., "Is an X always a Y?"). The routine gets the answer and returns. A separate routine (lines 3030-3110) is used to add a name to the name list.

#### Loader Program

A separate loading program is shown in listing 2. This should be saved as the first program on a tape or disk. When it is loaded and RUN, it automatically loads the assembly language subroutines, guards the memory allocated to them, and then loads the main BASIC program and starts it running. On tape, the programs must be saved in the following order: loader (named anything); the file of assembly language subroutines, named CODE; main BASIC program, named TREES. These same file names must be implemented in order to use the loader program with a disk.

#### Entering the BASIC Code

A Glossary of special symbols used in the program listings is given at the (Continued on page 74)

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(Continued from page 72) end of the main program (lines 5620-

REMarks must be ignored when entering the main BASIC program into a 16K PET because all of the lines in listing 1 take up 18K. REMarks could be included when using a 32K PET, but then the assembly language subroutine would have to be relocated.

#### 6502 Assembly-Language Routine

A number of analytic functions are coded in 6502 assembly language for the sake of speed. The code is presented in listing 3, which begins with definitions of zero-page cells and the ROM subroutines used. These locations refer to Operating System 3.0 on the PET. Notes are included, where appropriate, for conversion to O.S. 1.0 and 4.0.

The short routine at lines 370-460 (called before the BASIC program is loaded) points the USR function to the code and protects the code from BASIC. The overall logic of the procedure can be seen in the executive program (lines 510-560).

A number of parameters have to be established every time the routine is called (lines 610-1630). The number of nodes is determined by finding the name list and counting the number of entries in it. The routine looks for a specific array, so the name list must be NM\$(). Next the routine finds the location and the length of the edge list, which must be named L\$(0). The name list and the edge list - and later two graphs named GR\$[0] and BR\$[0] - are found using a separate subroutine (lines 1100-1630]. If an array is not found, a pointer is set to the word "array" among the PET's canned messages, and control is transfered to the standard error routine in ROM.

Three parameters are passed from BASIC when the USR function is invoked: the starting node from which to begin tracing a subgraph, a code indicating whether to trace upwards (0) or downwards [2], and a code indicating whether the list of encountered nodes should (1) or should not [0] contain the same element if the trace goes through it repeatedly. The no-repeat option usually is used in this application. The three numbers are combined into a single argument for USR; the starting node is added to the two code values, each multiplied by 256. The USR function transfers this number to FACC the BASIC accumulator - in five-byte floating point format. After the number has been converted to two-byte integer format (using the ROM routine, FLPINT), the parameters are recovered. The low byte of the argument equals the specified starting node. The high byte of the argument is ANDed with one to recover the Repeat code. The low byte is ANDed with two to recover the Up-Down code.

Lines 1670-2280 create a topological list of node index numbers, using the second tape cassette buffer as a work space. The list is not returned directly; it is used to order nodes encountered while tracing a subgraph. The procedure follows an algorithm presented by Gotlieb and Gotlieb (1978). If a loop is encountered in the graph, then the routine aborts and prints "complex error."

The routine in lines 2330-3050 makes a list of all the nodes in a graph that are reachable, either in an upward direction or a downward direction, from the specified starting node. The index numbers are converted to characters and stored in a string named GR\$(0), which must be dimensioned in the BASIC program. The length of GR\$(0) is returned as the value of the USR function.

The GR\$(0) list is put into topological order by lines 3090-3350. If the starting node is specified as one, with direction down, then GR\$[0] will return with a topological listing of all nodes in the graph.

The final part of the procedure, lines 3390-3760, removes elements in the GR\$(0) list from another list of elements, BR\$(0). This array must be dimensioned in the BASIC program. If none of the members of GR\$[0] is in BR\$[0], then BR\$[0] remains unchanged. If elements of GR\$(0) are in BR\$(0). then they are removed, making BR\$(0) shorter. BR\$(0) must always be defined with a space following it (e.g., see line 2070 of the BASIC program).

Every USR call performs all of these functions, even if some of them are not used.

#### Entering the Code

The procedure has been assembled for placement at the top of RAM in a 16K computer, and the same positioning can be used with a 32K machine. The positioning can be changed to the top of 32K RAM by changing every hex memory address in the \$3000 range so that it begins with seven instead of three. Enter the code with the CBM monitor, display the relevant cells with the M command, and overwrite the contents following listing 3. Use the following monitor command to save to disk.

.S ''0:CODE'',08,3DA8,3FF0

Use the following command to save on tape.

S "CODE".01.3DA8,3FF0

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#### Listing 2: Loader Program

- 100 : REM: LOADER PROGRAM
- : REM: ROUTINE TO LOAD THE ASSEMBLED CODE, THEN THE MAIN PROGRAM.
- 130 DV\$=",8":CU\$="%0000" 140 REM DV\$="":CU\$=CU\$+"%" :RÉM ADD THIS LINE TO LOAD FROM TAPE. 150 : REM: SET GRAPHICS MODE.
- 160 POKE 59468,12
- 170 : REM: STORE 4 CARR. RETURNS IN INPUT BUFFER, (USE 525 AND 527-530 FOR 1.0)

- (USE 525 HNU 527-538 FUR 1.0)
  180 POKE 158,4:POKE 626,13:POKE 624,13:POKE 625,13:POKE 626,13
  190 : REM: SET UP SCREEN TO INVOKE THE SUBROUTINE FILE -- 'CODE',
  200 PRINT "200.0AD" CHR\$(34) "CODE" CHR\$(34)DV\$:PRINTCU\$"SYS 15784"
  210 : REM: THEN LOAD PROGRAM 'MAIN'.
  220 PRINT "300.0AD" CHR\$(34) "MAIN" CHR\$(34)DV\$
  230 PRINT CU\$ "RUNG";:END

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| * REM: ***TREE ANALYSIS***   | 1 01/   |
|--|---|
|  | 800 REM SUBROUTINE TO PRINT LINKAGE QUESTION AND GET ANSWER.  |
| REM: THE ASSEMBLER ROUTINES ARE CALLED BY THE USR FUNCTION, AS FOLLOWS:  | 810 IF TA-4 THEN PRINT "DOES"KRANSKIA"? ";:GOTO 830<br>820 PRINT "IS"KISKISKIA", ";                                   |
| : REM: LL=USR(START+ DIRECTION + REPEATS)<br>: REM: WHERE: 'START' IS THE INDEX NUMBER OF THE REFERENCE NODE;  | 836 GET A\$ 1F A\$ = " THEN 836   |
| REM: 'DIRECTION' INDICATES DIRECTION OF SEARCH;  |   |
| REM: REPEATS=256 ALLOWS REPETITION OF NODES.   | 860 RETURN<br>870 1   |
| _  |   |
| _  |   |
| . REM:   |   |
| 240 ; REM: DEFINE WORK ARRAYS.   |   |
| 250 DIM OD%(65), BR¢(0):BR¢(0)=" "<br>240 : RFM: DEFINE A SPACING STRING WITH 16 BLANKS.   | 950 PRINT, PRINT "WHAT'S ONE KIND OF ACTOR YOU MIGHT"; PRINT "FIND" NM*(1);   |
|  | 970 : REM: SET UP ELICITATION QUESTIONS.  |
|  | 980 W35="WHO IS AN ACTOR"; REM () AT THE SCENE?<br>990 W45=" BE"; REM WHAT ELSE MIGHT Y (BE) AT THE SCENE?            |
|  | 10009 W5\$#" ALWAYS"; REM IS Y (ALWAYS) Z?<br>1010 RETURN   |
| 320 DEF FNG(Z)=ASC(MID*(GR*(0), L, 1)) -64   |   |
|  |   |
| 100 TOTAL 141, 141 TOTAL 100 TOTAL 1 | 1050 PRINT "GOING TO ANALYZE  |
| 370 : REM PRESENT BEGINNING MENU.  | 1070 : REM: CREATE FIRST NODE: 'WHILE X'.   |
| PRINT  | 1000 NM*(1)= MHILE "+MD*  |
| 400 PRINT " 1 PEOPLE AT A SCENE  |   |
| PRINT  | 1110 PRINT "BEGIN";:GGSUB 6/0:GUSUB 1340<br>1120 : REM: SET UP ELICITATION QUESTIONS.                                 |
| 4450 PRINT "(DAWHICH ANALYSIS DO YOU WAN! TO DO TEGOSOB OZE  |   |
|  | 1140 W49#: RELATE IU.: REM WHAT ELSE TION X VILLE II S X (OVER BEFORE) Y?   |
| 450 PRINT "<=>";:TA=VA; TA=VAL(WD\$):ON TA GOSUB 890,1040,1190   | 1160 RETURN<br>1170 :   |
| 480 ; REM; NOW HAVE DEFINED THE GRAPH ORIGIN AND UNE UIMER NUDE.   |   |
|  | 1150 PRINT "ARHI'S HE NHME OF THE ENTITY (1200 PRINT "A CAR', 'MY BIKE')";:GOSUB 670                                  |
|  | 1210 : REM: CREATE 15T NODE: "IN X".  |
| 530 , REM, USE EXISTING NODES TO ELICIT MORE NODES.  |   |
|  | 1240 PRINT:PRINT "WHAT'S UNE THING THAT MIGHT BE THAT 1250 PRINT "OF " WD&;   |
| 560 IF TA=2 THEN IP=1<br>570 I REM FIND RELATED WORDS.   |   |
| <b>.</b>   |   |
| IF IL>7 THEN GOSUB 2750  | 1290 W455=" KELAIE IO": KEN WITH ELSE HIGH A WILLIAM DOES X (DEFINITELY HAVE) Y?                                      |
| 628 80TO 548   | 1310 RETURN<br>1320 :   |
| 630 : REM: INPUT WORDS, GUARDING AGAINST BREAKOUT  |   |
| 450 ; REM; RESTORE STOP KEY IN CASE PROGRAMMER BREAKS UDI BY ENIEKING SPACE.<br>440 : REM; (DID ROM; POKE 5.77, 133; OS 4,0; POKE 144,85)  | 1350 : REM: (CHR*(6) IS NONPRINTING, USED TO MAKE AR\$ 4 CHARACTERS LONG.)  |
|  | 1000 HT - H - H - H - H - H - H - H - H - H   |
| 680 REM: FIND CURSUR PUSITION<br>690 REM: (A=226 FOR OLD ROM)  |   |
| 766 ATT98:XPEEK(A)   | 1540 MD&=AR&+WD&  |
| INPUT  | 1410 RETURN   |
| 736 ; REM: IGNORE IF USER PRESSES RETURN WITHOUT FRICK RETSTANKE<br>740 IF WD\$="[\$]" THEN PRINT" <q>"; POKE A, X:GOTO 720</q>  |   |
| 750 : REM: DISABLE STOP KEY<br>740 : DEM: (P.D. POM: POKE 577,134; OS 4.0; POKE 144,88)  | 1440 : REM: PRINI INSTRUCTIONAL MESSAGES.<br>1450 IF IL/3 THEN PRINI "(D)TYPE (R):(r) FOLLOWED BY FIRST PART OF ENTRY |
| POKE 144, 49   | 1455 IF IL>3 THEN PRINT "TO REVISE  |

### PET FEATURE

| Tree Analysis (Continued)  | Tree Analysis (Continued)  |
|--|--|
| PRINT  |  |
| 1480 : REM: USE A SPECIAL QUESTION IF USING THE TOP NODE FOR ELICITATION.                                      | 2160 FOR I=1 TO 65:00%(I)=0:NEXT I   |
| REM: OTHERWISE PRINT THE STANDARD  |  |
| PRINT "WHAT ELSE MIGHT   | 2190 : REM: WORK BACKWARD IN THE PRIMARY GRAPH UNTIL ALL NODES ARE DELETED.  |
| 1520 FRINT RIGHT#(NM%(IP), LEN(NM%(IP))-1)W4%NM%(1)  | 2200 IB=LEN(GR\$(0)):IF IB=0 THEN RETURN 2210 :REM: Make a link in edge list form the nore to were work              |
|  |  |
| 1550 IF FNL(I)≠IP OR (FNL(I+1)=IP AND FNL(I)<>1) THEN I=10:NEXT I:GOTG 1570                                    | 2230 : REM: GET THE DOWN-GRAPH FROM NODE IB.   |
|  |  |
| 1580 BR\$(0)=" ":DI=2:LL=USR(IP+DOWN)  | 2250 : REM: LOOK AT NEXT NODE IN THE DOWN GRAPH,   |
|  | 2280 : REM: UNTIL ALL ARE CONSIDERED.  |
|  |  |
| 10-Z IF UL THEN DIESELFLEUCK (IF-UP):GUIU 1590   | 2.500 F FRE(RR)=7.7 DF FNE(RR)=17 THE NEW NUMBE 1B.  |
| -  |  |
|  | 2330 K=DDX(FNG(BB)):IF K<>0 THEN A\$=CHR\$(K):60T0 2390  |
| 1670 IF AST ST. HEN KELUKN<br>1670 RFM: ACTED A PRINT-REID COMMAND   |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| I.VEV IT HASTON TO GUSUE S.VEVIGUTU 1450   | ASOBE REFIT WHEN THIS NOTE, BB. IS SUBURDINATE TO NEW NODE, ZZ,<br>ZZYO IF AS="N" THEN NEXT RR-GATH 24-03            |
| H  |  |
|  | 2416 As=LEFTs (GR* (0), 1) + HID\$ (GR* (0), BB, 1)  |
| 1/40 I H+= 0: INEN BOYO:BOLD 1450<br>1/50: REM: THIS IS AN FNITRY:   | 74.76 PLH IN TEN(EV) STEP Z<br>24.56 B8=MID8(18(0), RE.2)  |
|  |  |
| 1770 GOSUB 1340 FUT NOTE TO NOTE   | 2456 IF 4*=8* THEN 2510  |
| 1780 : KEM: ADD 1HE NUDE ID NMS.<br>1790 H=IL:GOSUB 3060:IF H=IL THEN PRINT " <r>A READY FXISTS":ADTO 1450</r> |  |
| : REM: FIND THE NODE'S LINKAGES.   |  |
| T T  | 2490 GOTO 2610<br>2500 : DEM. IS IT IS SUBSTITUTE FROM 11 BY FOR SIT FROM 1  |
| 1830 IF RND(1)<.3 THEN WD\$="#":GOSUB 3160   |  |
|  |  |
| 1850:  | ZSSØ FOR ID=1 TO LEN(L\$(Ø)) STEP 2:1F MID\$(L\$(Ø),IO,2)=C\$ THEN C\$=""  |
|  |  |
| FOR I=1 TO 65:00%(I)=0:NEXT I  | 2560 B\$="":IF BC<(LEN(L*(0))-2) THEN B\$=RIGHT*(L*(0), LEN(L*(0))-BC-1)   |
| 1890 : REM: GET A DOWN GRAPH FROM THE ORIGIN, WITHOUT REPEATS.   | 2570 : REM: (CLOSE THE BC LOOP.)   |
|  |  |
| FOR IB=1 TO LQ   |  |
| 1930 : REM: STOP IF BEYOND THE LENGTH OF CURRENT GR&.  | 2610 BR\$(0)=LEFT\$(GR\$(0), LEN(GR\$(0)))   |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 1970 : REM: IF QUESTION WAS ASKED FOR THIS NODE, RECALL THE ANSWER.  | 2550 BB=BB-1<br>2660 NEXT BR   |
| * REM: OTHERWISE PRESENT QUESTION AN   |  |
| 3  |  |
| 2010 : REM: (REMEMBER THE ANSWER.)   | 2690 BR\$(0)=LEFT\$(GG\$+" ",LEN(GG\$)):LL=USR(BI+UP)  |
|  |  |
| IF A\$<>"N" THEN NEXT IB: GOTO 2160  | 2720 :   |
| 2050 : REM: THEN REMUVE THAT NODE AND ITS SUBORDINATES FROM THE DOWN GRAPH.                                    | 2730 : REM: SUBROUTINE TO ELICIT GROUPING WORD.<br>2740 : BEM: WHEN CURBENT NODE USE 32 TAMEDIATE CURDENTIVATES      |
| BR\$ (Ø) =LEFT\$ (GR\$ (Ø) +" ", LEN (GR\$ (Ø)))   |  |
| 2000 : REM: REMOVING UNWANTED NODES FROM BR\$,   | 2760 NEXT I: IF 3<3 THEN RETURN  |
| 2100 : REM: THEN SETTING GR& EQUAL TO BR&.   | 2//0 : KEM: PRINT ELICITATION STIMULUS, ADJUSTING FOR KIND OF ANALYSIS.<br>2780 I=3;W1%="":ON TA GOTO 2790.2810.2830 |
|  |  |
|  | 2800 GOTO 2840<br>2810 PRINT: PRINT "HERE ORE ASPECTS OF ":IF ID=4 THEN MASSEMENT ASSESSED." * 3                     |
|  |  |
| 2150 : REM: CLEAR SPACE FOR REMEMBERING YES-NO ANSWERS.  | 2830 PRINT: PRINT "HERE ARE SOME PARTS": W1\$=" OF": IF IP=1 THEN W1\$="OF"; I=0                                     |
|  |  |

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|--|--|
| Tree Analysis (Continued)  |  |
| 2840 PRINT W1*RIGHT*(NM*(IP), LEN(NM*(IP)) - I) "."  |  |
|  | 5040 F RETER WHEN TIME ID INVIDENCE, TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL TO TO PRINTE! TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL PRINTE! TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL PRINTE! TOTAL TOTAL PRINTE! TOTAL TOTAL PRINTE! TOTAL TOTAL PRINTE! TOTAL PRINT |
| 2860 FOR I=1 TO LEN(L*(0)) STEP 2  |  |
| NEXT I   |  |
|  | 3590 IF DV=4 THEN PRINT#1:FOR IO=1 TO IL:PRINT#1,NM\$(FNG(IO)):NEXT IO   |
| 2900 PRINT:PRINT " WHAT IS A MURE GENERAL FRAT FOR 2910 PRINT " SOME OF THESE ( <r>6     SKIP) ":GOSUB 670</r>   | 3600 : REM: CLOSE THE PRINT FILE, AND PRINT A MESSAGE.   |
|  | 3610 CLUSE 1<br>3620 PRINT"<5>":PRINT" <r>TYPE RETURN":PRINT" <r>TO CONTINUE</r></r>   |
| 2930 IF WD\$="\$" THEN RETURN  | 3430 : REM: WAIT FOR USER RESPONSE.  |
| 2940 : REM: HCCET! FRINITONID COMMIND:   | 3640   |
|  | 3650 F. REM: CLEAK SCHEEN AND REIGHN ID ELICIIMITON.   |
|  | 3670   |
| 2980 GOSUB 1880<br>2990 - PEM SHID   | : REM: SUBROUTINE TO REVISE A NODE.  |
| . 0  |  |
|  | 5/00 WUNGERTURING WING WINDS TO INTEREST TO THE TOTAL OF  |
|  |  |
| 3030 REM: SUBMOUTINE TO ADD H WORD TO THE LIST OF WOLDS, NOTE.   |  |
| JOHN REM: IT MANUTALITY OF AND RETURN.   |  |
| FOR JJ=2 TO IL   | 2/40 FILIN TUD CAN ARCHITICAL ARCHITICAL ARCHITICAL ARCHITICAL OBSINI " OR ARCHITICAL FIFE THE WORD ENTIRELY.  |
|  |  |
| 15000 NEXT JJ  |  |
| 2000 T. TREN OTHERWOOD HOUSE OF THE WOLVE OF |  |
|  | 3780 REMI GO TO SUBMOUTINE FUR DELETION.   |
|  | AZON IF ASSETUTE GOSUB 3890 RETURN   |
|  |  |
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| 5150 . AFF. ST. DEVICE # TO SURER OF TAIN IN.  |  |
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|  | 3440 BUSUD 10+8-11-1-11-1-11-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-  |
| REM: IF ON THE 23RD NODE, PRINT ONE-TIME ME  |  |
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| 3220 : REM: SET GRAPHIC CHARACTERS FOR SCREEN OR PRINTER.  |  |
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| 3250 : REM: UPEN PRINTING FILE.  | REM: DER   |
| 3270 : REM: CLEAR SCREEN AND PRINT HEADER.   | 39-30 BR# (0) = ".T.Calloff (**) DOWN)   |
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| 3290 PRINT#1,MID\$(NM\$(1),2):PRINT#1<br>7788 - DEM. GEADEU DOWN ID GET DRDERFD LIST DE NODES (GR\$) WITHOUT REPEATS.  |  |
| BR\$(Ø)=" ":LL=USR(1+DOWN)   |  |
|  | 3974 If LEN(RR\$(0))=0 THEN 4270   |
| 3330 FOR IO=2 TO IL  |  |
|  | 3990 JENBG(1)<br>AAAA DEM. DEK IF NIDE JIS IN BE KEPI.   |
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| 3330 ; REM: THEN PRINT ON NEXT ROW, FOLLOWED BY SPACES TO EDGE OF GRID.  | 4020 : REM: IF NOT, DELETE J RECURSIVELY, THEN START OVER ON X.  |
|  | ADOS IT APERN. IT YES, BET UP-GRAPH FROM J WITH REPEAT.  |
| 3400 : REM: GENERATE GRID CHARACTERS.<br>  4440 COD 10-1 TO IO-1.00%(10) =05[(10%):NEXT .10:00%(10)=45C(DG\$)  |  |
|  | 4844 : REM: DELETE EDGE FROM X TO J.   |
|  | 4808 H##CDX*(X+04)+CDX*(C+04)  |
| 3440 : REM: GO THROUGH RECEIVER NUDES IN EDGE-LIST TO TIND TOLD NUDE:<br>TASA FOR JOHN TO IT LEN(15(0)) STEP 2   |  |
| 3460 IF MID*(L*(0), JO, 1)<>MID*(GR*(0), IO, 1) THEN NEXT JO:GOTO 3550   | 4086 B\$=MID\$(L\$(0),1,2)   |
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| 3490 IF MID\$(L\$(0), JO-1,1)<>MID\$(GR\$(0), JJ, 1) THEN NEXT JJ  |  |
|  | 41.36 C#(B) T##+D#   |
| 3510 UD%(JJ)=A35C(MK*)<br>  7578 : RFM: AND CLOSE LOOPS.   |  |
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| Tree Analysis (Continued)  |  |
| 2840 PRINT W1*RIGHT*(NM*(IP), LEN(NM*(IP)) - I) "."  |  |
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| 2860 FOR I=1 TO LEN(L*(0)) STEP 2  |  |
| NEXT I   |  |
|  | 3590 IF DV=4 THEN PRINT#1:FOR IO=1 TO IL:PRINT#1,NM\$(FNG(IO)):NEXT IO   |
| 2900 PRINT:PRINT " WHAT IS A MURE GENERAL FRAT FOR 2910 PRINT " SOME OF THESE ( <r>6     SKIP) ":GOSUB 670</r>   | 3600 : REM: CLOSE THE PRINT FILE, AND PRINT A MESSAGE.   |
|  | 3610 CLUSE 1<br>3620 PRINT"<5>":PRINT" <r>TYPE RETURN":PRINT" <r>TO CONTINUE</r></r>   |
| 2930 IF WD\$="\$" THEN RETURN  | 3430 : REM: WAIT FOR USER RESPONSE.  |
| 2940 : REM: HCCET! FRINITONID COMMIND:   | 3640   |
|  | 3650 F. REM: CLEAK SCHEEN AND REIGHN ID ELICIIMITON.   |
|  | 3670   |
| 2980 GOSUB 1880<br>2990 - PEM SHID   | : REM: SUBROUTINE TO REVISE A NODE.  |
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| 3030 REM: SUBMOUTINE TO ADD H WORD TO THE LIST OF WOLDS, NOTE.   |  |
| JOHN REM: IT MANUTALITY OF AND RETURN.   |  |
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|  | 3780 REMI GO TO SUBMOUTINE FUR DELETION.   |
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| 3510 UD%(JJ)=A35C(MK*)<br>  7578 : RFM: AND CLOSE LOOPS.   |  |
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BR$(0)=" ":LL=USR(1+DOWN)
: REM: SHOW NODES IN TYPOLOGICAL ORDER WITH REFERENCE NUMBERS.
FOR I=2 TO IL:PRINT "<R>"FNG(I)"<r>"MID$(NM$(FNG(I))+SP$,5,15,;NEXT I
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    : REM: CREATE A DUMMY SUBORDINATE OF FOCUS NODES.
IL-ELI-INN% (LD = 002)
FOR I=1 TO ODX (0):L8 (0) +CHR* (DDX (1) +64) +CHR* (1L+64):NEXT I
FOR I=1 TO ODX (0):L8 (0) +CHR* (DDX (1) +64) +CHR* (LA-64):NEXT I
FEM: ELIMINATE IRRELEVANT NODES FROM GG$ BY TAKING UP-GRAPH FROM DO.
                                                                   PRINT#1, LEN(L$(0))/2;CHR$(13);
: REM: AND THE LIST OF EDGES.
FOR I=1 TO LEN(L$(0)) STEP 2:PRINT#1, MID$(L$(0),1,2);CHR$(13);:NEXT REM: FINISH.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          : REM: PROMPT.

608="":K=11.0DX(0)=0:PRINT:PRINT"COMMONALITIES FOR WHICH ENTRIES"
INPUT "ENTER 0 TO END"; ODX(K):IF ODX(K)=0 THEN 5210
ODX(0)=0DX(0)+1.
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REM: GET GENERAL DOWN-GRAPH.
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LL=USR(OD%(K)+UP)
                                                                                                                                                                                                     REM: SUBROUTINE TO READ DATA,
REM: CALLED BY ENTERING T OR
REM: GET THE FILE NAME.
INPUT "CRYFILE NAMECA"; FI$
REM: SET UP TAPE READ,
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                                                                                                                                         : REM: FINISH.
CLOSE 1: RETURN
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                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      1 REM: WHEN X HAS NO SUBORDINATES, REMOVE ITS UP LINKS FROM L*.
K-LEN(L*(0))
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: REM: THE NODE NAMES.

FOR 1=1 TO 1L:FRINT#1,CHR$(34);NM$(1);CHR$(34);CHR$(13);:NEXT

: REM: THE NUMBER OF EDGES,
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       : REM: BUT CHANGE TO DISK SAVE WHEN SLASH PRECEDES LABEL.
IF LEFT% (WD$,1)="\"." THEN DV=8:CH=5:F1%="\0,"+F1%+",S,W"
: REM: OPEN THE WRITE FILE.
OPEN 1,DV,CH,F1%
: REM: SAVE THE TVPE OF ANALYSIS (FOLLOWED BY 'RETURN'),
                                                                                        IF MID%(L%(0),1,1)<>CHR%(X+64) THEN NEXT I:GOTO 4210
: REM: (DON'T LINK IF PATH ALREADY EXISTS.)
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   FOR I=2 TO K STEP 2

IF MIDS(46(0),1),1)<0-HR8(x+64) THEN NEXT I:GOTO 4350

B#=":IF I2 THEN A9=LEFT$(1$(0),1-2)

B#=":IF I<K THEN B9=RIGHT$(1$(0),K-I)
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  REM: SIMILARLY, ADJUST INDEX VALUES IN THE 'STACK' FOR I=1 TO ODX(0)
IF ODX(1)>X THEN ODX(1)=0DX(1)-1
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                                                                                                                                                                             MID$(L$(0), I-1,1) =MID$(GR$(0), II,1) THEN KK=KK+1
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            FER: LOOK THROUGH L*, AND
FOR I*1 TO K
REM: IF AN INDEX VALUE IS ABOVE X,
IF FAL(I) X THEN NEXT I: GOTO 4490
IF REM: DECREMENT IT TO ADJUST FOR THE DELETED NODE.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         GR$(0)-LEFT$(BR$(0),LEN(BR$(0)))
: REM: AND CONTINUE WITH OTHER SUBORDINATES OF X.
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: REM: THEN REMOVE THE WORD FROM THE NM$ LIST.
FOR I=X TO 64
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EST TA:IF TA=3 THEN K=4

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DV=1:CH=1
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                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              L$(0)=L$(0)+MID$(L$(0), I-1,1)+CHR$(J+64)
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          : REM: TAKE DOWN-GRAPH OF J OUT OF GR$.
BR$(0)=LEFT$(GG$,LEN(GG$))
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               A$="":IF I>1 THEN A$=LEFT$(L$(0), I-1)
B$="":IF I<K THEN B$=RIGHT$(L$(0), K-I)
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REM: THE NUMBER OF NODES,
Free Analysis (continued)
                                                                I=2 TO K STEP 2
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NEXT I:NM$(65)=""
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| The control of the    | LEN(84)=1 THEN NEXT J:G                  | שכככ חוו   | 85 02            |           | <b>*</b> 2                |  |
| THE PRINCE   CALLES (1991)     | \$(Ø) =LEFT\$(A\$+" ", LEN(A\$           | ):LQ=ASC(MID*(B*,2,1))-64:LL=USR(LQ+DOWN)  | 74 04            | 0.0       | #I. TNVOKE                | PROTECT SUBS FROM BASIC  |
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| Table   Tabl   | REM: IF THERE ARE MORE                   | CUMMUN NUDES, THEN CONSIDER THEFT.   | 050              | . 0       |                           | EXECUTIVE PROGRAM  |
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| No.   Name   Continue   Continu   | \$=NM\$(IL);ZZ=IL:GOSUB 38               | 96   | 7A 3E            |           | JSR TOPOL                 |  |
| Peress Return to Continue.   1902-20 50 57 6540   358 Berners  | REM: THEN WAIT FOR USER                  | RESPONSE AND RETURN.   | E4 3E            |           | JSR TRACE                 |  |
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| STATE   COLUMN   CO   |  |  | 850              | 0 0       | • •                       | PRELIMINARY PROCEDURES   |
| Color   Colo   |  |  |                  | 0         |                           | ; COUNT NUMBER OF NODES IN TREE.   |
| Name   | : CURSOR                                 |  | A9 4E            | O PRELIM  |                           | ;FIND THE NM\$ ARRAY.  |
| STATE   DE ALTE   DE ALT   |  |  | 85 42            | 0 0       |                           |  |
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| 120    | so.                                      |  | 3                | 2 0       |                           | ; AND CHECK STRING LENGTH.   |
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| OFFICE    | FI PTNT                                  |  | EE EO 3E         | 00        | TNC JL+1                  | INCREMENT THE COUNT.   |
| O   O   O   O   O   O   O   O   O   O  | OUT . DE                                 |  | CA<br>DO F3      | MIG 00    | BNE DOMORE                | :CONTINUE IF MORE IN NM\$.   |
| 1980      | 0170                                     |  |                  | 0         |                           |  |
| OCTO   LIM   COUNTY   | 30                                       |  | 1                | 0 ;       |                           | FIND THE LIST OF EDGESL\$ ARRAY  |
| CALCALION POR HIGHEST RAM ADDRESS [134]   SIDE A 80   OSC   OSC   OSC  | L.TM DE                                  |  | A9 4C            | 2 5       | CTA WAME                  |  |
| O220 NAME   D2 66   WARTABLE NAME   148   3802   20 10 3E 0910   SYA WARE+1  | RAM . DE                                 |  | A9 80            | 00        | LDA #128                  |  |
| O230 LAPOTATER .DE 84 ; WORK SPACE [166]   3E00 - 20 1D 3E 0920   JSR FIND   | NAME . DE                                |  | 85 43            | 0         | STA #NAME+1               |  |
| O240 FACC   DE 94   FLOATING POINT ACCUMULATOR   176     O930     1  | LAPOINIER DE                             |  | 20 1D 3E         | 50        | JSR FIND                  | GETS L\$ POINTER AND LENGTH.   |
| C2-20   C2-2   | FACC .DE                                 |  |                  | 30        |                           |  |
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| 0310 MAX . DE 70 ; MAXIMUM # UF NUDES IN GRAPH 380B- A9 01 1000 LDA #1 0320  |  |  | 8D 01 3F         | 06        | STA SP+1                  | A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR |
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|                     | nana maka and sanda ontwood Tallion. | .LOAD LA I FNOTH-1                    | ייל הבייכוריי            | GET A RECEIVER IN L\$ (2ND IN PAIR). | CONVERT CHARACTER TO INDEX 4. |                             | ;INCREMENT COUNT FOR THAT NODE. | יייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייי | START TLIST WITH TREE ORIGIN. |        | SET TLIST INDEX.     | ( GOOD ABORT WITH COMMISS AND A | 1. DOK FOR OUTGOING RAGE         | The state of the s |   | STOUND AN OUTGOING EDGE: | 'Current to the control of | ;DETERMINE RECEIVING NODE, | ;CONVERT CHARACTER TO INDEX #, AND |          | ; DECREMENT COUNT FOR THAT NODE. | REMAKE INDEX # INTO CHARACTER, | ; INCREMENT TLIST INDEX,                            | AND STORE THE NODE ON TLIST.   |                                | RESET Y FOR OUTGOING NODES. |                                  |                         | CONTINUE THROUGH L\$. | WHEN ALL EDGES HAVE BEEN CHECKED, | ;REPEAT FOR NEXT ENTRY IN TLIST, STOPPING WHEN LAST NODE IS REACHED. |            | <b>李宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗宗</b> | DEPTH-FIRST SEARCH OF NODES<br>REACHABLE FROM GIVEN NODE | ; CREATE AN END MARKER ON STACK.             |                                 | GET LENGTH OF L\$.      | ;TO SEARCH UP, INSERT A DEY COMMAND |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|--------|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|--|--|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                     | BPL INITIALIZ                        | 1.DY #0 1.04T                         | 2                        | DEY ; ; GET                          |                               | TAX                         | COUNT, X                        | INVEDGES                               | STA TLIST                     | 0      | LDA TLIST, X ; GET   | NO\LOOP                         | our<br>LL+1                      |  |   | ; ; ; FOUN               | •                          |                            | SEC ; ; ; CONI                     |          | COUNT, X<br>RESTORE              |                                | INC GP+1 ; INCF                                     | TLIST, X                       | •                              | PLA<br>DEY ;                | BEQ                              | DEY<br>BEO NEXTI        | 100                   | =                                 | GPX #0 ;REPE   |            | *  | BEAC   | LDA #255 ; CREA                              | PHA<br>PHA                      | LL+1                    | LDA #136 ;TO S                      |
| (pen)               | 1730                                 | 1750 LL                               | 1760                     | 1770 INVEDGES                        | 1790                          | _                           | 1820                            | 1850                                   | 1850                          |        | 1890<br>1900 NX\NODE | 1910                            |                                  |  | 1970 SEARCH\ON1   | 1990.                    | 2010                       | 2030                       | 2050                               |          |                                  |                                | 2120<br>2130 GP                                     |                                | 2160                           | 2180                        | 2200                             | 2210<br>2220            |                       | 2250                              | 2260 IL<br>2270  | 2280       | 2300   | 2310   | 2330 TRACE                                   | 2340                            |                         | 2380<br>2380<br>2380                |
| I rees (Continued)  | 3E87- 10 F3                          | 3E89- AO 00                           |                          | 3E8B- 88<br>3E8C- B1 42              | 38                            | AA 4                        | 3E92- FE 6D 03<br>3E95- 88      | 00                                     | 3E9A- 8D B3 03                | A2 00  | B G                  | 3EA5- 10 05<br>3EA7- A2 D5      | 3EA9- 4C 69 C3<br>3EAC- AC 8A 3E | 888  |   | 3EB5- 48                 | 3EB6- 8A<br>3FB7- 118      | 2 8 2                      | 3EBB- 38                           | AA       |                                  | 41                             | 3EC7- EE CB 3E<br>3ECA- A2 00                       | 3ECC- 9D B3 03<br>3ECF- 68     | 3ED0- AA                       | 88                          |                                  | 3ED7- 88<br>3ED8- F0 04 |                       | E 82                              | 3EDF- E0 00<br>3EE1- DO BF   | 3EE3- 60   |  |  |  | 3EE6- 48<br>3EE7- 48            | 3EE8- AC 8A 3E          | 3EEC- A9 88<br>3EER- 8D OF 3F       |
|                     |                                      | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | FIND ARRAY IN BASIC LIST | ;SAVE TABLE POINTER.                 |                               | COMPARE NAME IN ARRAY TABLE |                                 |  |                               | ON ST. | IF NO MAICH, THEN    | ;FIND LENGTH OF PRESENT ARRAY   |                                  |  | ; AND ADD TO ARRAY POINTER : TO GET POSITION OF NEXT ARRAY. |                          |                            |                            | THEN CONTINUE SEARCHING.           |          | ; IF NAME NOT FOUND              |                                | GET LENGTH OF FIRST STRING :AND STORE WHERE NEEDED. | THEN GET POINTER TO 1ST STRING | ; AND STORE IN THE NAME CELLS. |                             | ;STORE POSITION OF ARRAY LENGTH. |                         | ER                    |                                   | ER+1<br>:RESTORE POINTER FOR ARRAY TABLE.                            |            |  |  | 在在在C 1921-1921-1921-1921-1921-1921-1921-1921 | LICI NODES IN IOTOLOGICAL OADER | ; PUT 0 IN COUNT CELLS. | ; PUT NEGATIVES IN TLIST CELLS.     |
| STA DI+1            | RTS                                  | •••                                   |                          | LDA #PTR                             | LDA *PTR+1                    | LDY #0                      | LDA (PTR),Y                     |  | INY<br>LDA (PTR).Y            |        |                      | INY ;                           | INY<br>LDA (PTR),Y               |  | LDA (PTR), Y  | ADC *PTR<br>STA *PTR     | PLA                        | STA *PTR+1                 | BNE CHECK                          | CMP *PTR | BNE CHECK<br>LDX #\$81           | JMP OUT                        | LDA (PTR), Y<br>STA LL+1                            | INY ;<br>LDA (PTR).Y           |                                |                             | CLC ;                            | LDA #6                  | STA *L\POINTER        | ADC #PTR+1                        | STA *L\POINT<br>PLA :  | STA *PTR+1 | STA #PTR                                     |  | •••  | LDX #MAX-1                      | STA                     | STA TLIST, X                        |
| 3E19- 8D F2 3E 1050 | 1060                                 | 1080                                  |                          | 1100 FIND                            | 1120                          | 1140 CHECK                  | 1150                            | 1170                                   | 1180                          | 1200   |                      | 1230 AGAIN2<br>1240             | 1250<br>1260                     | 1270   | 1290  | 1310                     | 1330                       | 1340<br>1350               | 1370                               | 1390     | 1400                             | 1420<br>1430 POINT             | 1440  | 1460                           | 1480                           | 1500                        | 1520                             | 1530<br>540             | 1550                  | 570                               | 590  | 600        | 620  | 640  | 1650   | 670 TOPOL<br>680 INTITALIZ      | 690                     | 1710                                |
|                     | 3E1C- 60                             |                                       |                          |                                      |                               |                             | •                               |  |                               |        |                      |                                 |                                  |  |   |                          |                            |                            | 10.5                               | -        |                                  | C3<br>1                        | 3E 1  |                                |                                |                             |                                  |                         |                       | -                                 | _  |            |  |  |  |                                 | 03                      | 03 1                                |

| #0 ;BUT IF                              | BUT IF SEARCHING DOWN,                                      | ontinu<br>A0 00         | 3090 REORDER          |               | START WITH 1ST ELEMENT IN TLIST                    |
|---|---|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|
|   | ;INSERT AN INY COMMAND,                                     | 3F5F- 8C 66 3F          | 3100<br>3110 TOBDED   | STY I\GR+1    | ; AND GR\$.  |
| Y TSHILLS AND                           | *   | A2 00                   | 3120 INGR             | LDX #0        | COMPARE TO UNORDERED NODE                          |
|   |   | 3F67- DD 7A 02          | 3130 FIND\NODE        | CMP GRAPH, X  | IN GR\$.   |
| ; START                                 | WITH NODE   | 000                     | 3140                  | PHA .         | STORE SEARCH PARAMETERS.                           |
| #O ;GIVEN AS ST<br>GRAPH.X :STORE THE C | GIVEN AS STARTING POINT.<br>STORE THE CURRENT NODE IN GR\$. | 3F6D- 8E 88 3F          | 3160                  | STX J\GR+1    |  |
|   | INITIALIZE Y.   | P 5                     | 3170<br>3180 DONSHIFT | DEX :         | :TRANSFER GR\$ NODE FROM OLD POSITION              |
| >                                       | GR\$ NODE = NEXT L\$ NODE                                   | 3F73- BD 7A 02          | 3190                  | LDA GRAPH, X  |  |
| (*)                                     |   | 3F76- E8                | 3200                  | STA GRAPH.X   | TO NEXT ORDERED POSTITION.                         |
| ; PUT NODE                              | NOTITION  | CA                      | 3220                  | DEX           |  |
| ; ON STACK.                             |   | 3F7B- EC 66 3F          | 3230 SHIFT            | CPX I\GR+1    |  |
| ; (DEY FOR U                            | ;(DEY FOR UP SEARCH, INY FOR DOWN.)                         | 田田                      | 3250                  | INC I\GR+1    | ; MOVE START OF UNORDERED PART OF GR\$.            |
| (NAME), Y                               |   | 68                      | 3260                  | PLA ;         | ; MOVE THE ORIGINAL CHARACTER.                     |
|   | ; IF REPEATS ARE NOT WANTED                                 | 3F84- 9D 7A 02          | 3280 JAGR             | LDX #0 :C     | CONTINUE SEARCH TO END OF GR\$.                    |
| PUTALN Y THE NSFER Y TO Y.)             | 10 Y  | E3                      | 3290 NEXT\GR          | INX           |  |
| o marginary o                           |   |                         | 3300                  | CPX GL+1      | ;(LENGTH OF GR\$)                                  |
|   |   | 3F8D- D0 D8<br>3F8F- C8 | 3310                  | INY :         | :ADVANCE IN TLIST.                                 |
| A HOON MAN V HOARD                      | TREADY IS IN GR&  | 20                      | 3330                  | CPY IL+1      | ; (# OF NODES)                                     |
|   | THEN CONTINUE SEARCH.                                       | 9                       | 3340                  | BNE TORDER    |  |
| III.                                    |   |                         | 3370                  | · ·           | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·              |
| UNIQUE :OTHERWISE M                     | AKE IT THE  |                         | 3380                  |               | REMOVE GR\$ NODES FROM BR\$                        |
| NEW CURRENT NODE IN GR\$.               | NODE IN GR\$.   | 3F96- A9 42             | 3390 DELETE           | LDA #'B'      | ;FIND BR\$.  |
| BUILD\GR                                |   |                         | 3400                  | L'DA # R      |  |
| 0 %                                     |   | 00                      | 3420                  | ORA #128      |  |
| 10/42                                   |   | 85 43                   | 3430                  |               |  |
| BACKIUP                                 |   | 3FA0- 20 1D 3E          | 3440                  | JSR FIND      | GET LENGTH OF GRS.                                 |
| SEARCHAL                                | CONTINUE SEARCHING LA, OR                                   | CA                      |                       | DEX           |  |
|   | GET LAST ENTRIES ON STACK                                   | 3FA7- AC 8A 3E          |                       | LDY LL+1      | SET CURRENT LENGTH OF BR\$                         |
|   |   | 3FAB- 8C D5 3F          | 3490                  | STY BR\END+1  |  |
| ; AND CONTIN                            | AND CONTINUE THAT SEARCH.                                   | A0 00                   | 3500                  |               | ; SET INDEXES FOR REWRITING BR\$.                  |
| NEXT\EDGE                               |   | 3FB0- 8C BA 3F          | 3510                  | STY NEW BR+1  | _  |
| ; SEARCH IS                             | ; SEARCH IS DONE IF STACK IS EMPTY.                         | 8c D3                   | 3520                  | 0             |  |
| ; ; STORE GR\$                          | LENGTH FOR RECALL.  |                         | 3530                  | : ATO         | PEAN CHARACTER FROM BR\$                           |
|   | RETURN GR\$ LENGTH IN USR.                                  | B1                      | 3550 REWRITE          | LDA (NAME), Y |  |
|   |   | A0                      | 3560 NEW\BR           | LDY #0        | ; AND REWRITE IT FOR NEW VERSION.                  |
| #0<br>#                                 |   | 3FBB- 91 42             | 3570                  | BVS COPY      |  |
|   | GET POINTER TO GR\$ HEADER.                                 | 2 8                     | 3590                  | CMP GRAPH, X  | AND IS SAME AS THE GR\$ CHARACTER,                 |
|   |   | D0 08                   |                       | BNE COPY      | mount and municipality                             |
| F                                       |   | CE                      | 3610                  | BIT TRACE+1   | DECREMENT BR& LENGTH AND SET THE FLAG FOR COPYING. |
| #128<br>#NAME+1                         |   | 3 6                     | 3630                  | BVS BUMP\OLD  |  |
|   |   |                         | 3640                  |               | ; OTHERWISE INCREMENT WRITE INDEX                  |
| #O ;STORE LENGTH OF                     | TH OF GR\$  | 3FCC- EE BA 3F          | 3650 COPY             | INC NEW BR+   | :ALWAYS INCREMENT READ INDEX,                      |
| (I.) POTNTER) . V                       |   | E                       | 3670 BUMP\OLD         | INC OLD\BR+1  |  |
| , AND POSITION OF GR\$.                 | ON OF GR\$.   | AO                      | 3680 OLD\BR           |               |  |
| , GRAPH                                 |   | 00                      | 3690 BR\END           | CPY #0        | ; AND CONTINUE THROUGH BR\$.                       |
| A (L\POINTER),Y                         |   |                         | 3710                  | CPX #0        | REPEAT FOR NEXT GR\$ CHARACTER.                    |
| GBA PH                                  |   | 00                      | 3720                  | BNE START     |  |
| (L\POINTER), Y                          |   | 3FDC- AD 8A 3E          | 3730                  | LDA LL+1      | LL+1 ;STORE FINAL LENGTH OF BR\$                   |
|   |   | A0                      | 3740                  | STA (INPOTA   | TER) Y   |
| DI LI                                   | PUT GR\$ IN TUPULUGICAL UNDER.                              |                         | 200                   |               |  |



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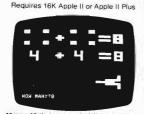
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# **PET Menu and Tape Timer**

by Dale De Priest

This article describes a menu program that allows rapid access to any program on either side of a cassette tape. In addition, a tape timer is presented that supplies the fast forward times for the menu program. These two programs feature advanced cassette control and use the WAIT command extensively.

# MENU and TAPE TIMER require:

PET cassette

Every disk operating system has a way of maintaining a directory or menu on each disk. This directory allows you to find out the names of all the programs on the disk, and allows the disk operating system to locate these programs. A workable tape operating system should also provide a directory for its tapes.

The PET operating system is capable of locating and loading programs from tape but it is slow. We need some way to index the programs so that they can be located with the fastforward mode. Unfortunately Commodore didn't provide for an index counter on their tape drive. So, I decided to develop a program to simulate an index counter and the directory or menu operation.

#### Menu Program

My original goal in creating the menu program was to provide a loader that would allow you to access any portion of the tape in as much time as it would take to get to the second program on a conventional tape. Since an average program takes about 90 seconds to load, I needed a program that would load in 30 seconds, thereby allowing 60 seconds for the fast-forward time.

#### Listing 1

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REM DOCUMENTED SAMPLE MENU PROGRAM
REM WRITTEN BY DALE DE PRIEST
 56 :

58 REM VARIABLE USEAGE

60 REM A = INPUT NUMERIC VALUE

62 REM B = LOCATION OF INPUT BUFFER

64 REM C = CASSETTE #1 SWITCH FLAG

66 REM D = ADDRESS POINTING TO NUMBER OF CHARACTERS IN INPUT BUFFER

68 REM F = NUMBER OF PROGRAMS ON THIS ENTIRE TAPE

70 REM G = THE NUMBER OF THE FIRST PROGRAM ON THE OTHER SIDE

72 REM J = VARIABLE FOR FOR LOOP

74 REM T1 = TIME AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SEARCH

76 REM B$ = INPUT VARIABLE

78 REM B$ = A MESSAGE

80 REM C$ = THE LOAD/RUN COMMAND STRING

82 REM B$(F) = NAMES OF ALL THE PROGRAMS ON THIS TAPE

83 REM B$(F) = FAST FORWARD SEARCH TIMES FOR EACH PROGRAM

86 : IN TENTHS OF SECONDS
                                        IN TENTHS OF SECONDS
  >> .
98 REM INITIALIZE AND RANDOMIZE THE RANDOM NUMBER GENERATOR
90 F=36:G=20:A=RND(-TI):PRINT"™MMENU":DIMA$(F).A(F)
198 REM CORRECTS ADDRESSES FOR OLD AND NEW ROMS
110 B=527:C=519:D=525 IFPEEK(5E4)THEND=158:B=623:C=249
116 :
118 REM PRINT THE NAMES OF ALL THE PROGRAMS AND THE SELECTION NUMBER
120 FORJ=1TOF:IFJ=21THENPRINT"過程"
130 READA*(J):READA*(J):IFJ>20THENPRINTTAB*(20);
140 PRINTJ:A*(J):MEXT:IFFD>20THENPORJ=FT039:PRINT:NEXT
150 PRINT"XENTER THE NUMBER BESIDE THEXM"
 198 REM THE 4 BLANKS AFTER 'WISH' ARE SHIFTED BLANKS
160 INPUT"TPROGRAM YOU WISH INDUT"; A$: A=VAL(A$): IFA(10RA)FTHEN160
170 IFA(A)(>)1THEN200
 178 REM THIS SIMULATES THE RUN/STOP KEY
178 C=="LOAD"+CHR*(13)+"RUN"+CHR*(13):FORJ=0TOS:POKEB+J,ASC(MID*(C*,J+1))
190 NEXT:POKED.J:END
  200 B$≂"XPLEASE PRESS STOP ON THE CASSETTE;" PRINTB$ WAIT59408,16
 206
           REM THE OPERATING SYSTEM AUTOMATICALLY GIVES MOTOR CONTROL TO THE USER PRINT" MPRESS THE FAST FWD BUTTON": WAIT59408,16,16
 218 REM THE POKE RETURNS MOTOR CONTROL BACK TO THE COMPUTER 220 PRINT"MLOOKING FOR "A$(A):POKEC,52:T1=TI 240 IFTI-T1<A(A)*6THEN240
 240 REM THE COMPUTER ACTUALLY STOPS THE TAPE MOTION
250 POKE59411.61:PRINT"N™MID≇(B$,9):WAIT59408,16:IFA<GTHEN180
260 PRINT"NTURN THE CASSETTE OVER":FORJ=1T03000:NEXTJ:GOT0180
 496
498 RM SAMPLE NAMES AND SEARCH TIMES
498 REM SAMPLE NAMES AND SEARCH TIMES
500 DATACOVER16.1.NAB1.52.FIRE!.133.ALIENS!.195.BON20!.246.CATCH1.309
510 DATACOVER17.349.POLICE!.393.SPOT.468.RULER.507.LETTER.539.MERGE.594
520 DATANPACK.630.COVER18.661.DROMEDA!.691.JOUST.750.WEATHER.797
530 DATAHI RES.856.SHEEP.900
            REM THESE PROGRAMS ARE ONTHE BACK SIDE OF THE TAPE
DATACOVER19, 938, FROG!, 936, GODZILLA!, 847, MINER!, 795, RAIL, 746, GBOOKA, 703
DATAGBOOKB, 663, COVER20, 617, MUSIC!, 584, BETS, 528, CHECKERS, 470
DATAGBOOKB, 420, EQUIP, 375, COVER21!, 304, CAPTURE!, 239, DANCE!, 178,
             BOSWAIN, 93
   566 REM THIS LINE IS NOT USED BY THE PROGRAM BUT PROVIDES DATA
   568 REM YOU WISH TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL PROGRAM TO THIS TAPE
570 DATAEND OF TAPE,948,1790
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Listing 1 shows the result of this effort. It allows for up to 40 programs to be located on the same tape and will find any one of 30 programs in approximately 60 seconds. This program should be the first program on each of your cassettes, but it could be on a separate tape and contain the menu for several tapes. This would be desirable for tapes such as Cursor Magazine. Several interesting things can be learned from this program, so let me show you how it works.

Line 100: The statement A=RND (-TI) doesn't have anything to do with the rest of the program. It is simply an easy way to insure that the RND function is randomized for every program on the tape.

Line 110: The variable C points to the location of a flag that the PET uses to determine whether it or the user has control of the cassette motor. When you push one of the switches down, the PET turns on the motor for you. Since it believes that the operator should have control, it won't let the program stop the drive unless variable C is changed. A zero in this location means that the operator has control; any other value gives control to the PET.

Line 170: By convention the first program after the menu will contain a fast-forward value of one. This means no fast-forward is required.

Line 180-190: This is a special trick on the PET. This line stores the two commands LOAD and RUN in the PET's input buffer. You may wonder why the simpler method of

180 POKE B, 131:POKE D,1: END

is not used. This line forces the PET to respond as if the operator just hit the RUN/STOP key. The PET will load and run the next program. Unfortunately BASIC 4.0 directs this command to the disk, so you must put the command in the buffer yourself to make this program work with all versions of PET software. This technique is frequently useful when one program wants to turn control over to another program.

Line 200: This is the mysterious WAIT command. Here it is used to detect whether or not a key has been pressed. 59408 is the address whose contents will change and 16 is the decimal equivalent for the bit [bit 4] which will change to a 1 when the key is pressed. [If the bit were changing from 1 to 0, then the command would be WAIT 59408,16,16.]

Line 500-540: These lines contain the DATA statements that define the program names and the search times. The names recorded here do not need to be exactly the same as the name the program is stored under. They are only used by this program and not by the actual load routine. When setting up a tape for the first time you may not yet know the names of the programs that you are going to put on that tape. Be sure that you add enough filler to allow room to add these names later. I usually copy the menu from a different tape and then change the names as I need to. Setting F in line 100 will avoid confusion of the real contents of tape and the data that may be present simply to take up space. As each program is added I go back and update the menu program. This is easy since the long leaders prevent wiping out the second program.

This program works fine, but there is no way to easily determine what the fast-forward times should be. Now look at listing 2.

#### Tape Timer

This program supplies the fastforward times for the menu program. In addition, it will provide a listing of your tape along with the load times for each program. The significant details are outlined below.

Line 120: This line finds headers and then measures the length of time between them. You should notice that although a program LOAD can distinguish between programs and data, an OPEN cannot. The last statement on the line initializes the program name variable.

Line 130: This line shows a method of getting the name of a program or data header into the program. The technique is to build a string right from the header buffer area. This is a useful line of code and shows you how to read beyond the sixteenth character of the header.

Line 150: H is the variable that is used to accumulate the time for all programs. Fast forward on a cassette tape is not linear. That is, there is no direct correlation between fast-forward times and normal play times. Although there is probably a mathematical formula that could be developed to calculate this relationship, the program uses a group of straight lines to approximate the curve. It then calculates a proportional relationship between these values. Empirically I have determined that the relationship between H and M for the first 200 seconds is .78.

Therefore if a load time of 100 seconds were measured, then this program would calculate the fast-forward time to be 7.8 seconds. All fast-forward times are calculated in tenths of seconds.

Lines 160-210: These lines continue the straight line approximations to the curve. Each value has been determined empirically to stop the tape 10 to 15 seconds in front of a header. This program should be fairly accurate for cassettes up to 60 minutes long. Longer cassettes use thinner tape which will invalidate the times.

Line 230: This line assumes that the menu program was stored with the name MENU as the first four characters. This is a convention that I always follow. Checking for this name allows the program to recalibrate itself to do all timings just after the menu load. The program will also work correctly when your program menu is on a different tape since the time is then from the beginning of tape.

Line 250: This program assumes that tapes have been properly ended with an end-of-tape header. The search times may then be copied to enter into the menu program. This program uses a feature of the cassette unit that causes it to shut off automatically when it reaches the end of a tape. When this happens, the program calculates the actual length of the tape. If you were to fast-forward the tape from the other end, it would then compute the fast-forward times. These times should be entered on a MENU program located at the beginning of the back side of the tape.

#### Putting It All Together

Now that you have seen the two programs, let's see how we can put them to work. First, you must build your tape by putting a MENU on the front of the tape followed by several programs. The tape must end with a file named "END OF TAPE." The easiest way is to type the following command in immediate mode.

OPEN1,1,2,"END OF TAPE":CLOSE1

Then load the TAPE TIMER program and time the tape. Write the front side search times as well as the names on a piece of paper. Hit the space bar and record the reverse side search times. Load in a copy of the MENU program and modify it with the correct names and reverse search times. Set the values of F and G to the correct values. Store

this new program as the first program on the back side.

Next, fast-forward the tape to the beginning of side one. Change the search times to the correct ones for the front side. Change variable G, and save this new update over the top of the old MENU program. You now have a complete tape that can be searched from either direction. Of course you could also add programs to the back of the tape.

To use this program, rewind the tape to either end. Then simply use the SHIFT/RUN keys to get the MENU program in and running. (This will not work for BASIC 4.0 users.) The MENU program will then do the rest. This way, someone who is not familiar with programming will be able to use your tapes.

#### Manual Updating

There will be times when you want to add a program to the end of a tape. Simply position your tape just past the current last program, either by loading or verifying it, and then save your program. Be sure to add a new "END OF



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TAPE" header. You could then load in the tape timer and retime your tape. Then go back and update your MENUs. There is an easier way. It takes a little bit of advance planning but it works like a charm.

When the tape timer program finds the end of tape it outputs two things about that point: the fast-forward search time and the total load time. When you create your menu program for that tape you should add these two numbers to the program. They can be added as additional data statements that are never read or they can be added in a remark. Now when you wish to add a program you will be ready.

#### Listing 2

```
10 REM TAPE TIMER
12 REM WRITTEN BY DALE DE PRIEST
 1.5
10 :

18 REM VARIABLE USAGE

20 REM C = CASSETTE #1 SMITCH FLAG

22 REM H = ACCUMULATED TOTAL LOAD TIME

24 REM I = VARIABLE FOR /FOR/ LOOP

26 REM J = COUNTER FOR NUMBER OF PROGRAMS
      REM J = COMPUTED SEARCH TIME.
REM H = COMPUTED SEARCH TIME.
REM T1 = INITIAL TIME OF TIMER.
REM A$(24) = NAMES OF EACH OF THE PROGRAMS.
REM A(24) = LOAO TIMES FOR EACH OF THE PROGRAMS.
REM LR = LENGTH OF RECORD IN BYTES.
30 PEM LR = LENGTH OF MEDUAD ...
30 :
48 :
50 PRINT"DELEASE INSERT AND START THE TARE YOU":PRINTTAB(18)"
60 PRINT"WISH TO TIME IN TAPE # 1
 SO REM DEFINE FUNCTION FOR ADDRESS REEKING AND CORRECT FOR OLD AND NEW POMS
70 DEFFNAD(C)=REEK(C)+PEEK(C+1)*256:C=519:IFPEEK(SE4)THENC=249
74 :
 76 REM WAIT UNTIL TARE STOP IS DEPRESESSED THEN WAIT FOR THE PLAY BUTTON 28 REM THEN GIVE MOTOR CONTROL BACK TO THE COMPUTER 80 WAITSP408,16;14:PORKEC,52
90 DIMA(30),A$(30):A$(0)="BEGINING OF TARE"
                                                       SEARCH TIME LOAD TIME
 100 PRINT" MAME
 100 :
108 REM ALL TAPES MUST END WITH A FILE NAMED "END OF TAPE"
110 PRINTA$(J);INT(M),:IFLEFT$(A$(J),11)="END OF TAPE"THEN250
114 REM INITIALIZE TIME & START THE TAPE MOVING
 115 T1=TI:POKE59411.53
  118 REM SPACE OVER THE PROGRAM FILE WITHOUT READING
  120 IFTI-T1 LPG0T0120
  122
 .
124 REM OPEN WILL FIND BOTH PROGRAM AND DATA FILES
125 J=J+1:OPEN1,1:A(J)=(TI-T1)/60:A$(J)=""
  128 REM THIS LINE FINDS THE PROGRAM NAME FROM THE TAPE HEADER
130 FORI=639T0659:A$(J)=A$(J)+CHR$(PEEK(I)):NEXT:CLOSE1:PRINTINT(A(J))
  140 G03UB150:LR=1:IFFEEK(634)=1THENLR=.0132#40#(FMAD(437)-FMAD(635))+200
 146 :

148 REM THESE LINES ACTUALLY COMPUTE THE FAST FORMARD TIMES

150 H=H+A(J):M=H:IFM(200THENN=.78*M:GOTO230:REM <200

160 M=M-200:IFFM(200THENN=183+.67*M:RETURN:REM 200-400

170 M=M-200:IFFM(200THENN=285+.58*M:RETURN:REM 400-600

180 M=M-200:IFM(200THENN=401+.54*M:RETURN:REM 600-600

180 M=M-200:IFM(200THENN=607+.49*M:RETURN:REM 800-1000

200 M=M-200:IFM(300THENN=605+.49*M:RETURN:REM 800-1200

210 M=M-300:M=740+.42*M:RETURN:REM >1200

230 IFLEFT#(A$(J-1),4)="MENU"THENN=0:M=1

240 RETURN

244 RETURN
  146 :
  246 REM TURN THE MOTOR ON AND WAIT FOR THE AUTO SHUT OFF FEATURE
 248 REM "H" NOW REPRESENTS THE TOTAL ACCUMULATED LOAD TIMES 250 T1=TI:POKE59411,53:PRINTINT(H)
  260 PRINT"WAIT UNTIL THE PHYSICAL END": WAITS9408,16:H=H+(TI-T1),760-10
  270 PRINT" TPRESS & SPACE FOR REVERSE SEARCH TIMES": WAIT59410,4,4
 . 278 REM TOTAL TAPE LENGTH = LOAD TIMES + BLANK TAPE AT END + MENU LOAD TIME 280 IFLEFT* (A$(1),4)="MENU"THENH=H+R(2) 290 PRINT" CORRECTED TAPE LENGTH" INT(H)
  298 REM THE REVERSE SIDE SEARCH TIMES ARE NOW CALCULATED
  300 FORLETTOJ.HEH-H-HIJ.MHHIFFM 200THENM=.78#M:GUTU320
  320 PRINTA$(I); INT(M)
     30 IFI/22=INT(I/22)THENPRINT"PRESS SPACE TO CONTINUE":WAITS9410,4,4
```

First position the tape to the correct point and then type in the following line to save your program.

TI = TI:SAVE "NAME" :?(TI - T)/60

The program will save in the normal fashion, but it will also tell you how long it took. Note this time, rewind the tape and load in your menu. The menu can be updated by adding your new program name, changing variables F and G and using the search time number that you had previously entered. Then calculate a new search time for the next addition, add the save time to the accumulated time, and change your note in the program. Use this time and the listing for the tape timer to calculate your new time.

Simply pick the line you need from the choices beginning at line 150. The remarks at the end of each line should make your choice easy, and the PET calculator mode will make the calculation easy. The value of M in the equation is the length of the tape minus the left number in the remark statement. For example, suppose your time to that point is 682 and you just saved an 87-second program. Adding those two numbers gives you 769 seconds. That

places us on line 180 of the listing so we must subtract 600 to get M (169). The new search value is 401 + .54 \* 169or 492 (49.2 seconds).

By the way, if the record and play buttons weren't already pressed when you typed in the save command, you'll have to be very careful to get the times to come out right. Type the line in but do not hit the return key. Then push the record and play keys at the same time that you push the return key.

#### **Final Thoughts**

When typing in the menu program be sure to remove all remarks. Your program will load about twice as fast that way. I hope that you get as much use out of this as I have. These programs have greatly enhanced my use of the PET Tape Operating System.

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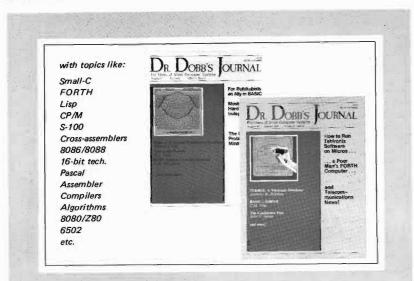
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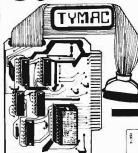
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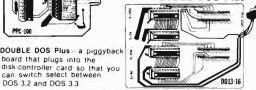




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Name: PET Library Card Maker

System: PET
Memory: 16K
Language: BASIC
Hardware: IDS 460 printer
Description: Prints a full set of
library cards on tear-off card
stock. The information is

typed once to the PET screen. You can preview the card, make corrections, then with one keystroke, print a set of up to 7 library cards. The program does all the formatting. A tape file can be made. For all small libraries.

Price: \$80 - Canadian Includes cassette tape Author: J. Horemans Available: M&W Computer Stores Sheridan Corporate Centre 2155 Leanne Blvd., Unit 3

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Name: Inventory System System: OS65U

Memory: 48K Language: BASIC Hardware: OSI C-2 or C-3 series

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65D Hardware: Disk drive,

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Description: A program that
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Price: \$100.00 Includes 5¼" disk and documentation ppd. Modification to operate with other systems can be requested.

Author: J. Benton Jones, Jr. Available: Benton Laboratories, Inc. P.O. Box 5455

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Name: SCORE: The

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Memory: 48K

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System: Apple II Memory: 48K

Language: Applesoft in ROM Hardware: Disk Drive Description: Corps-level game simulating the last campaigns of Napoleon: Leipzig and Waterloo. Displayed on 18 × 21 hex grid maps in hi-res graphics. Computer acts as corps commander.

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Available: Strategic Simulations, Inc. 465 Fairchild Drive Suite 108

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Name: TRS-80 Color Computer

Learning Lab (26-3153) System: TRS-80 Color

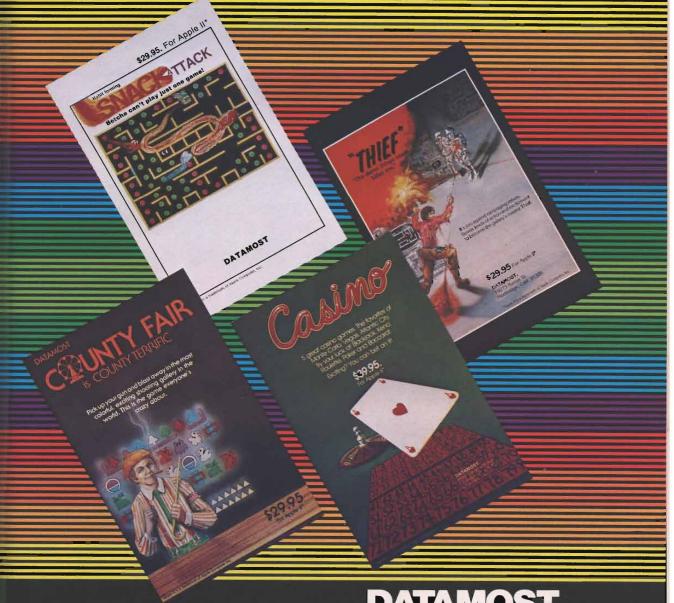
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Price: \$49.95 Includes eight program cassettes and 30-lesson text Author: Radio Shack Available: Radio Shack

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System: Apple II or Apple II Plus

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Author: Leigh Klotz, Pat Sobalvarro, Steve Hain

Available: Terrapin, Inc. 678 Massachusetts Ave. Cambridge, MA 02139 (617) 492-8816

Alkemstone<sup>TM</sup> Name: Apple II, Apple II System:

Plus, Apple III 48K Memory: Language: Machine

Hardware: DOS 3.3 Description: Alkemstone, is a computer adventure which offers a \$7500 cash reward to the first person who can recover the missing Alkemstone. The quest for the Alkemstone will lead the player through underground paths of the lair of the original owner. There are unusual messages, fragments of words, sketches and other clues written on the walls. Some items are distributed randomly, so that one may be visible numerous times while some will only appear once in several trips. Each trip will result in a different combination of possible hints. If all bits of information are pieced together correctly, then the location of the Alkemstone will be obvious.

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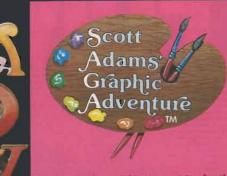
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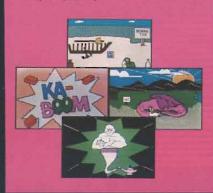
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Price: \$25 object on cassette \$5 16-page manual \$25 commented assembly Includes object assembled to your specified address. Should reside at top of RAM. Specify Address. Author: Joel Swank

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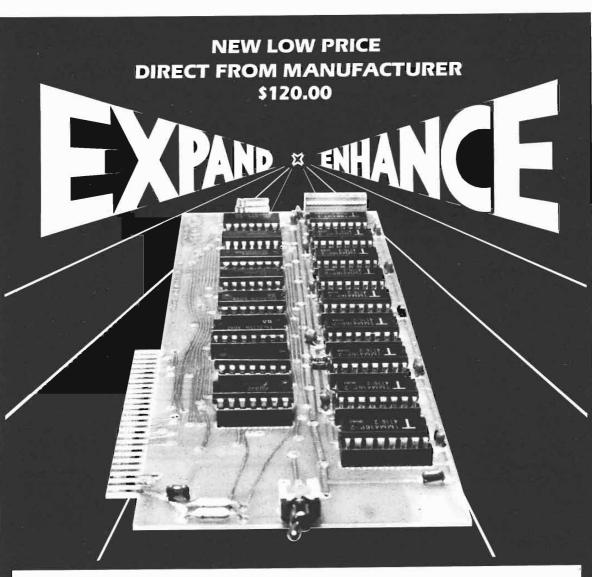
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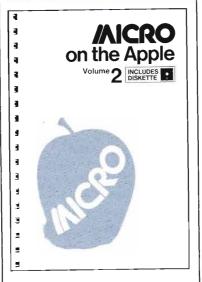
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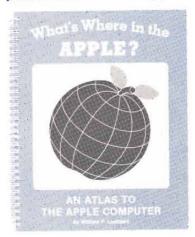
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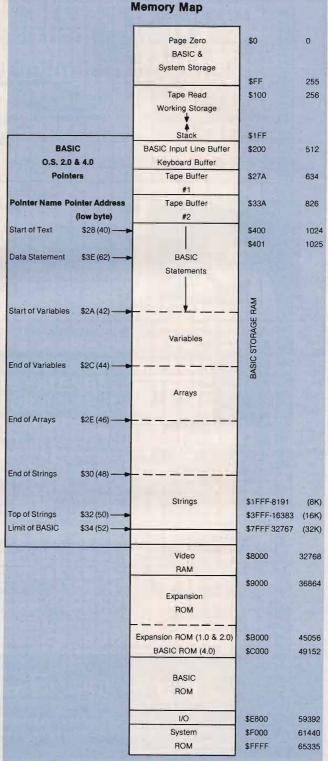
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| Upper Pin<br>Identification<br>Character | Signal<br>Label | Lower Pin<br>Identification<br>Character | Signal<br>Label |
|--|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| 1  | Ground          | Α  | GND             |
| 2 3                                      | T.V. Video      | В  | CA1             |
|  | IEEE-SRQ        | C  | PA0             |
| 4  | IEEE-EOI        | D<br>E                                   | PA1             |
| 5  | Diagnostic      | E  | PA2             |
|  | Sense           |  |                 |
| 6  | Tape #1         | F  | PA3             |
|  | READ            |  |                 |
| 7  | Tape #2         | H  | PA4             |
|  | READ            |  |                 |
| 8  | Tape Write      | J  | PA5             |
| 9  | T.V.            | K  | PA6             |
|  | Vertical        |  |                 |
| 10                                       | T.V.            | L  | PA7             |
|  | Horizontal      |  |                 |
| 11                                       | GND             | M  | CB2             |
| 12                                       | GND             | N  | GND             |

#### **IEEE-488 Connector**

| PET<br>Edge-card<br>Pin<br>Numbers   | Standard IEEE<br>Connector<br>Pin<br>Numbers | IEEE<br>Signal<br>Mnemonic |
|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Upper Pins                           |  |                            |
| 1                                    | 1  | DI01<br>DI02               |
| 3                                    | 3  | DI02                       |
| 4                                    | 4  | DI04                       |
| 5                                    | 5  | EOI                        |
| 6                                    | 6  | DAV                        |
| 2<br>3<br>4<br>5<br>6<br>7<br>8<br>9 | 2<br>3<br>4<br>5<br>6<br>7<br>8<br>9         | NRFD<br>NDAC               |
| 9                                    | ğ  | IFC                        |
| 10                                   | 10   | SRQ                        |
| 11<br>12                             | 11   | ATN                        |
| 12                                   | 12   | GND                        |
| Lower Pins                           |  |                            |
| A B C D E F H                        | 13   | DI05                       |
| BC                                   | 14<br>15                                     | DI06<br>DI07               |
| Ď                                    | 16   | DI08                       |
| E                                    | 17   | REN                        |
| F                                    | 18   | GND                        |
| H                                    | 19<br>20                                     | GND                        |
| K                                    | 21   | GND<br>GND                 |
| î                                    | 22   | GND                        |
| M                                    | 23   | GND                        |
| N                                    | 24   | GND                        |



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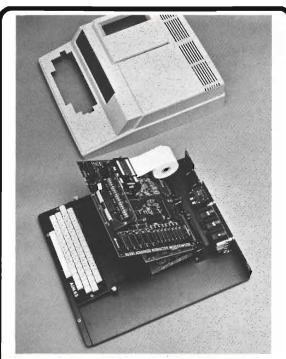
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