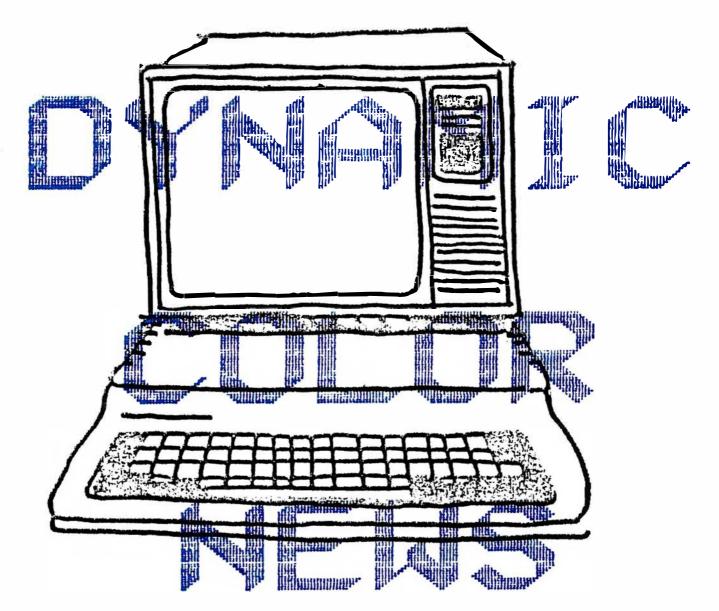
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CASSETTE CONTROL SWITCH

by

JAMES DEAN

Note: This article explains how to add a switch to a cassette recorder so that MOTOR ON and MOTOR OFF commands do not need to be typed in to find the starting of a program. The earlier computer recorders did not have this feature. With this modification, the speed with which cassette programs can be found can be greatly improved with recorders which do not have the bypass feature - Editor.

Someday I do plan on owning disk drives but until that day I must rely heavily upon my recorder. Even those of you who own disk drives still must use the recorder from time to time and the problem that comes up all the time (besides it's obvious slowness) is that it is difficult to position tapes to avoid I/O errors when loading.

There are different ways of doing this. You can use the AUDIO ON - MOTOR ON funtions and then enter a character to cause an error and which cancels the commands.

The second way is to remove the ear phone and remote plugs from the recorder and use the play and stop buttons until you find the end of a program and then finally reconnecting the cables.

The method I propose here is a hardware modification that alleviates the hassle of going through all those steps every time you wish to load a program.

I have been using this modification for quite some time and find it indespensible. It can be done to any recorder but may not be able to be done to the more recent recorders because of their compactness the room required for the switch. Before you attempt this modification be sure that you have a place to mount the switch. The old CTR- 80A recorders are the best for this because of their size.

THEORY

All the jacks in the recorder are actually a type of switch. When a plug is placed into them this turns the 'switch' off. If you were to (refer to figure 1) connect a piece of wire over the two jack points the circuit would be on, and not recognize the plug.

Now if you were to install a switch into the middle of the wire you could manually switch the jack on or off.

The two jacks you want to have bypassed are the remote, which is controled by the MOTOR ON/OFF funtion and the ear phone, which controls the speaker or the AUDIO ON/OFF command.

DIRECTIONS

Read over carefully all the directions before you begin and refer to diagram 1 for help.

1. Cut four pieces of wire 6 inches long and trim all ends of the wires to a 1/4 inch.

2. Disconect the cable from the computer and the recorder.

3. Flip the recorder over and remove the three screws holding it together. Two are near the front and the third is under the battery lid. Now set the bottom half beside it.

4. With the power cord connected and pluged in, press the play button down. You should now here a soft humming noise comming from the speaker.

5. Reconnect the ear plug and you should notice the sound has stopped.

6. With one of the wires locate two seperate points by touching the ends of the wire to the soldering connections directly above the ear phone jack. You will have the correct points when you hear the noise resume in the speaker. Remember these two points or mark them lightly with a marker.

7. Now connect the remote plug; the motor should now stop. Locate two more points above the remote jack using the same method as in step 6. The motor will start when you find the correct points.

8. Solder one of the ends from all the wires to the switch on the same side (refer to diagram 1).

9. Solder two of the wires from one half to the first two points you found and the other two wires to the second set of points.

10. Test the circuit by flipping the switch (with the play button down). There should be sound comming from the speaker and the motor should be going. If this does not happen, then go back and retrace the steps.

11. On the same side of the recorder as the jacks find a suitable location, drill a hole, and mount the switch. Make sure before you do this that there will be enough room for the switch on the inside and it won't interfere with the bottom half of the recorder when you replace it.

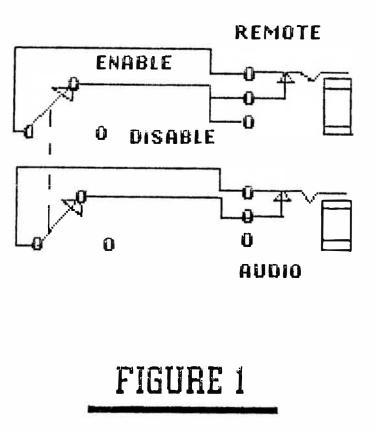
12. Remove all the washers and nuts from the switch and put the switch in the hole. You will only have enough room to replace one of the nuts.

You are now finished, replace the cover being careful of the wires and the switch and replace the screws.

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ML PROGRAMMING

PART 9

BY

JOHN GALUS

A computer does nothing unless we supply it a program. A program is nothing but a set organized commands which of cause the computer to perform a task. The computer gets these commands from memory. While working in Basic the computer is in control of the Basic interpreter contained in ROM. This Basic interpreter is actually a "machine language" program written by a Programmer at Microsoft. For us to program this computer we must learn what is called its Instruction Set which are the operations that the 6809CPU can perform. These instructions are known as Operation Codes or OP Codes. Machine language is the "binary words" to which a computer responds.

While a computer can only work with numbers, it is easier for humans to work with words or This is why Assembly symbols. language was developed. These machine language numbers are translated into word instructions or "Mneumonics". In turn program called an Assembler а was written to translate these back into numbers mneumonics that the computer can understand.

An Assembly language program was thus called the "Source code" while the equivalent machine language program is called the "Object code". A simple Assembly language struction would have an in-"Instruction field" or Op-code and "Address field" or Operand. an While all commands must have an Op-code as we shall see not all commands need an operand. Α microprocessor, like the 6809 contained in the Color Computer,

has a rather extension instruction set which makes it a powerful machine. These instructions or mneumonics are short descriptions of the commands they represent. For example LDA stands for "Load the A Register". You can see that it is much easier to simply write LDA for each time we wish to load the A register.

Although we use these Mneumonics it's good practice to sound out the command in your head when reading or writing Assembly language programs. For example whenever you see or write LDA say to yourself "Load the A register". It will usually take a few lines in Assembler to perform any useful task. So it's important to keep in mind the last few commands you wrote so you don't become lost or confused.

This is probably one of the thing that gives beginners the most trouble. When writing a program in Basic you could simply write a line and forget This is not so in Assemit. bler. Not only must we learn a new set of commands but we use new symbols in the Address or Operand field to specify the different ways to interpret this information.

Let's look at a few commands. The most important commands to understand are the Load and Store commands. Since we are to use the Registers in the CPU that we talked about in the last issue, there must be a way to put data into them. This is were the Load instruction comes into play. If for example we wish to put the number 1 into the A register we could do this in Assembler as follows:

LDA #1

What this statement says is "Load the A register with the number ten". The symbol # signifies that the data to load into the A register follows the command in memory. This is called the "Immediate Addressing" mode since the data is contained immediately after the instruction. If we looked at "Object code" for this the statement we would see the hex numbers 86 Ø1. Edtasm+ also recognizes a hexadecimal number by placing the \$ symbol in front of a number. When reading this, replace the \$ symbol with the word "Hexadecimal" or "Hex". We could Load A with the number $1\hat{\mathcal{O}}$ (Hex A) as follows:

LDA #\$ØA

We can load any of the registers with a value in the same manner. Since the A and B registers are one byte or 8 bit registers we can only load a value of \emptyset to 255 ($\$\emptyset$ to \$FF Hex) into them. A two byte register (16 bits) such as D,X,Y,U or S (remember that the D register is the A and B registers combined) can contain a number from \emptyset to 65535 ($\$\emptyset$ to \$FFFF Hex). We can also load a register with the value that is contained in a memory position as follows:

LDA \$0400

In this example we load the A register with the value that is in the memory address \$0400 (the start of the text screen). As you can see we drop the # immediate symbol from the command. This is called "Extended Addressing" meaning the command found the information in a specified memory postion, not immediately after the command as in the last example. When we see this type of instruction we will say the word "With value in". So above we would say "Load A With value in Hex Ø400". Using the "Extended" mode we could load a register with a value in any memory address from \$0 to \$FFFF (0 to 65535 decimal).

Since a one byte register is loaded with one byte of data, a two byte register is loaded with two bytes of data. If we used a two byte register such as the X register in the above example the X register would contain the values held in the memory addresses \$0400 and \$0401. The STORE command is the inverse of the LOAD command. The Store command takes the data contained in the specified register and places it in memory. Its simple format is as follows:

STA \$0400

When we see a Store instruction, read it as follows. For the above example "Store A At Hex 0400". As with the Load command a one byte register stores a one byte value in memory and a two byte register stores a two byte value in memory. You cannot store a value into a number using the # symbol it must be stored into a memory These two types of address. are known as "Single commands Operand" instructions since we have a command followed by a single operand of either a number or memory location.

SINGLE OPERAND

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* OP-CODE *	* OPERAND *
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Using these two commands we can perform simple operations. For example if we wished to place the ASCII letter A on the Text screen we could do the following:

LDA #'ASTA \$0400

These two lines would load the A register with the letter "A" and store the value now in the A register into the first position of the screen. Notice that I introduced a new symbol

the *i* this symbol tells the Assembler that the next character will be an ASCII symbol and can be used when we wish to load a register with a letter instead of a number. When we see the 'symbol say "letter". In the above we would read "Load A with Letter A". Let's now say that we wished to place the letter A on the entire Text screen. Using the commands that we now know we could accomplish this by simply loading the register with the ASCII value of the letter A and then storing this registers value into consecutive memory positions as follows:

LDA #'ASTA \$0400 STA \$0401 STA \$0402 ** etc. *STA \$05FF

But wait a minute there must be a simpler way to do this. We might try using a two byte register instead. This would cut our work in half but it's still too much work. There has to be another way. This is where the Index Registers come into play. We could use these Index registers as pointers to a memory Address and fill an entire area as follows:

PRO LDA #'A ;LOAD A "A" LDX #\$0400 ;POINT SCREEN LOOP STA X ;STORE A AT X CMPX #\$5FF ;END OF SCREEN BEQ LAST ;BRANCH IF= LEAX 1X ;ADD ONE TO XBRA LOOP ;DO ANOTHER LAST SWI ;TO EDITOR

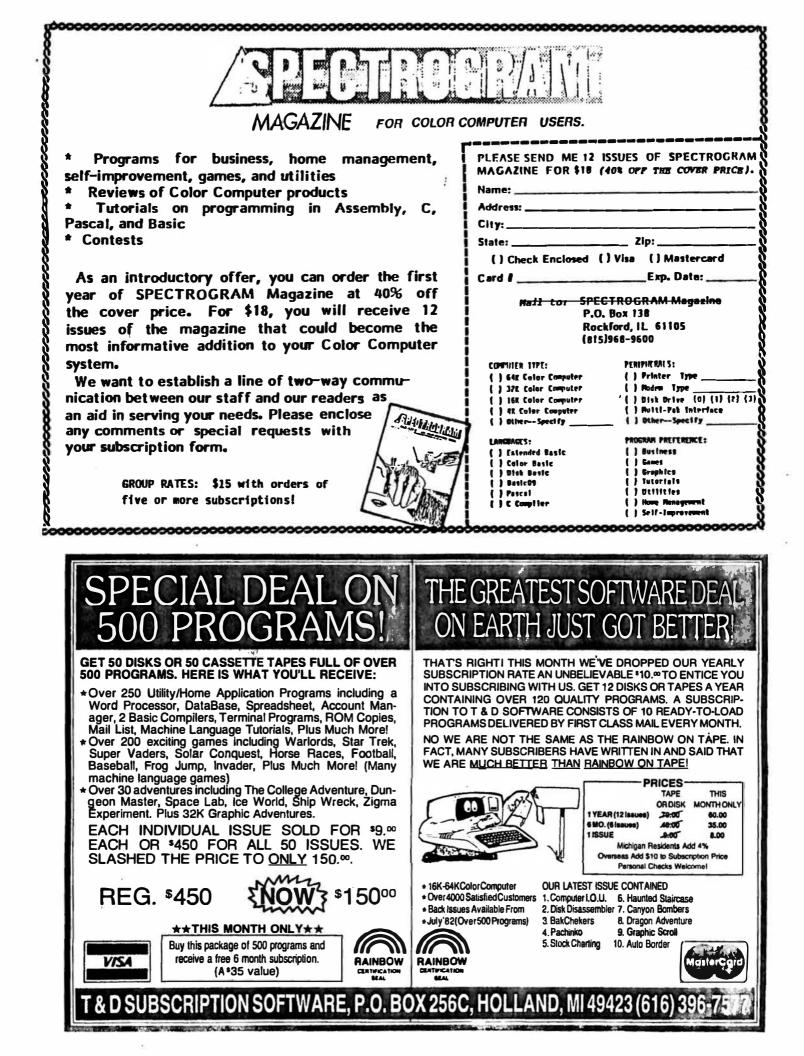
We introduced a number of new techniques and commands even with this simple program. Using what is called Indexing we can reference different memory locations easily. We use the symbol to stand for indexing. When you see the symbol say "At". In the above we would say STORE A "At" X. We also introduced the "BRANCH", "COMPARE" instructions, and the "LEAX" command which is used to increment the X register. Don't worry about them at this time as they will be explained in a future issue.

For now try and use the Load and Store commands. These are very important and should be understood fully because they will be used in almost every program. Also find an Assembly language program in a magazine and try and read as much of it as you can using the method of reading programs I provided in this article. For an exercise see if you can turn the screen black using the above example. Try and do this using a two byte register such as the D or Y I'11 Next month register. introduce the math commands such as the ADD and SUBTRACT.

OPERATING HINT

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- 1 RESTORE: CLEAR500: GOSUB202: DI\$= "MNEWS": PM=Ø: MV=3Ø: BT=Ø: BH=Ø: EC=Ø:GOTO74
- 2 Z\$="BL3":RETURN
- 3 Z\$="BU1D6BD2D3U2D1L1R3":RETURN
- 4 Z\$="BL2D3BR4U3":RETURN
- 5 Z\$= "BL1D8BR4U8D2R2L8BD4R8": RET URN
- 6 Z\$="BL1BU1D1ØBR4U1ØD1R2L8G2F2R 8F2G2L8":RETURN
- 7 Z\$="L3R8G1ØBR5BU2R2D2L2U2BU7BL 5BD1L2D2R2U2":RETURN
- 8 Z\$="D8U4L4R8":RETURN
- 9 Z\$="R2D2L1U1L1U1":RETURN
- 1Ø Z\$="G4D3F4":RETURN
- 11 Z\$="F4D3G4": RETURN

- 12 Z\$="BU1D1ØU5L5R11L6H4F8H4E4G8 ":RETURN
- 13 Z\$="D8U4L4R8":RETURN
- 14 Z\$="BD8D2R2U2L2F3D2R1U4L3":RE TURN
- 15 Z\$="BD4L4R8": RETURN
- 16 Z\$="BD7D2R1U2L2D2R1U1L1R2":RE TURN
- **17** Z**\$**="BR3G1Ø":RETURN
- 18 Z\$="BR5BU1G11E2H1U6E2R4F2D6G2 L4H2":RETURN
- 19 Z\$="D9L4R9L5U9G3":RETURN
- 2Ø Z\$="BD2BL2U2R6D2G5L1D3R6":RET URN
- 21 Z\$= "BD2BL3U2R7G4R3F2D2G2L4H2U 2": RETURN
- 22 Z\$= "BR3D9U4R3L1ØE5": RETURN
- 23 Z\$="R3L6D4R4F2D2G2L4H2":RETUR N
- 24 Z\$= "BD1BR4U1L4G2D6F2R3E2U2H2L 5": RETURN
- 25 Z\$="BD2BL3U2R9D3G7":RETURN
- 26 Z\$="L2D3F2G2D2F2R3E2U2H2E2U2H
- 2L2":RETURN
- 27 Z\$="L3D4R6U4L5R5D1Ø":RETURN
- 28 Z\$="L1D2R2U2L2BD6D2R2U2L2D2":
- RETURN
- 29 Z\$="L1D2R2U2L2BD6D2R2U2L2F3D2
- U3L2":RETURN

33 Z\$= "BD1BL2U1R4D3L2D3BD3D2U1L1

34 Z\$="L3G2D6F2R5E2U6H2L4BD2G2D2

35 2\$="BR1G4D5BR8U5H4F4L8":RETUR

36 Z\$="BL3BD1D8R4E2U1H2L4R4E2U2H

37 Z\$="R3L3G2D6F2R3E2BU6H2":RETU

38 Z\$="BL4R6F2D6G2L6R2U8":RETURN

- 3Ø Z\$="G4F4":RETURN
- 31 Z\$="BD2L4R8BD4L8":RETURN

R3": RETURN

2L4'': RETURN

F2R2E2U2H2L2":RETURN

- 32 Z\$="F4G4":RETURN

Ν

RN

- : RETURN
- 41 Z\$="BD1BR4U1L5G2D6F2R5U3L2R4"

- 42 Z\$="BD4L3U4D9BR7U9D4L6": RETUR
- Ν 43 Z\$="BD954R8BU9L8R4D9":RETURN

39 Z\$="BL3D9R6BU4BL2L4U5R6":RETU RN 4Ø Z\$="BD9BL2U5R4L4U4R6": RETURN

JUNGLE ADVENTURE (CONTINUED)

- 44 Z\$="BR2D9L6U2":RETURN
- 45 Z\$="BL2D9U5R2E4G4L1F5":RETURN
- 46 Z\$="BL2D9R6":RETURN
- 47 Z\$="BR5D9BL9U9F4D1U1E4":RETUR N
- 48 Z\$="BR5D9BL8U9F8":RETURN
- 49 Z\$="R2F2D6G2L4H2U6E2R3": RETUR N
- 5Ø Z\$="BD9BL3U9R4F2D1G2L4": RETUR N
- 51 2\$="R2F3D5G1H3F5H2G1L4H2U5E3R 4":RETURN
- 52 Z\$="BD9BL4U9R4F2D1G2L4R3F5":R ETURN
- 53 Z\$="R4L6G2D1F2R6F2D2G2L6H1":R ETURN
- 54 Z\$="BD9U9L4R8":RETURN
- 55 Z\$="BL4D8F1R5E1U8":RETURN
- 56 Z\$="BL4D4F3R1D2U2R1E3U4":RETU RN
- 57 Z\$="BL5D9R1E4U2D2F4R1U9":RETU RN
- 58 Z\$="BL4F9H5G5E9":RETURN
- 59 Z\$="BD9U4H5F5E5":RETURN
- 6Ø Z\$="L3G2E2R7G9R8E2":RETURN
- 61 IF K=1 THEN X1=X1-3:RETURN
- 62 DRAW"BM"+STR\$(X1)+", "+STR\$(Y1)+"; S5; BD2"+Z\$
- 63 RETURN
- 64 COLOR3, 1: JL=122:X1=9:Y1=125
- 65 FOR P=1TOLEN(A\$):Q\$=MID\$(A\$, P ,1)
- 66 K=ASC(Q\$)-31: IF K<1 OR K>59 THEN7Ø
- 67 ON K GOSUB 2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10 ,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,2 0,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35,36,37,38,39 ,40,41,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,4 9,50,51,52,53,54,55,56,57,58, 59,60
- 68 GOSUB61:X1=X1+16
- 69 IF X1>242 AND Y1>163 THEN 71 ELSE 1F X1>242 THEN X1=9:Y1=Y 1+17
- 7Ø NEXTP:GOSUB71:RETURN
- 71 GOSUB194:IF RM=31 THEN RETURN ELSE LINE(Ø,JL)-(255,191),PRE SET,BF
- 72 X1=9:Y1=125:RETURN
- 73 LINE(Ø,Ø)-(255,135),PSET,B:RE TURN
- 74 EC=Ø:BO=Ø:MAP=Ø:GOSUB77
- 75 GOSUB79:IF BH=Ø AND(RO>3Ø AND RO<34) THEN274
- 76 IF RO<>31 THEN75 ELSE GOTO3Ø4
- 77 DIM A(31,4)
- 78 FORZ=1 TO31:FORW=1 TO4:READ A
 (Z,W):NEXTW:NEXTZ:RO=1:RETURN
 79 GOSUB123

- 8Ø X1=37:Y1=156:JL=121:A\$="DIREC TION?":GOSUB65
- 81 H\$=INKEY\$:ID=INSTR(DI\$,H\$):IF H\$=""OR ID=Ø THEN81 ELSEIF H \$:"M"AND MAP=Ø THEN GOSUB241: LINE(Ø,100)-(255,0),PSET,BF:C OLOR4,1:X1=7:Y1=46:JL=2:A\$="Y OU MUST HAVE A MAP TO SEE ONE .":GOSUB65
- 82 IF H\$="M"AND MAP>Ø THENCLS:GO SUB289 ELSEIF H\$="N"AND A(RO, 1)=Ø THEN A\$="NO NORTH HERE." :GOSUB64:GOTO8Ø
- 83 IF H\$="E"AND A(RO,2)=Ø THEN A \$="NO EAST":GOSUB64:GOTO8Ø
- 84 IF H\$="W"AND A(RO,3)=Ø THEN A \$="WEST BLOCKED":GOSUB64:GOTO 8Ø
- 85 IF H\$="S"AND A(RO,4)=Ø THEN A \$="NO SOUTH":GOSUB64:GOTO8Ø
- 86 IF H\$="N"THEN RO=A(RO,1)
- 87 IF H\$="E"THEN RO=A(RO,2)
- 88 IF H\$="W"THEN RO=A(RO,3)
- 89 IF H\$="S"THEN RO=A(RO,4)
- 90 MV=MV-1:SOUNDRND(93)+4,1:IFMV <1THEN269 ELSERETURN
- 91 DATA 28,13,17,21
- 92 DATA 10.14,28,13
- 93 DATA 14,8,13,19
- 94 DATA 0,28,14,17 95 DATA 0,10,0,28
- 96 DATA Ø,Ø,11,7
- 97 DATA 6,0,14,8
- 98 DATA 7,0,19,0
- 99 DATA 19,0,27,0
- 100 DATA 6,11,5,2
- 1Ø1 DATA 6,7,1Ø,14
- 1Ø2 DATA 25,25,25,25
 - 103 DATA 2,3,1,27
 - 104 DA'I'A 0,0,0,0 105 DATA 0,0,0,0
- 106 DATA 14,17,15,24
- 1Ø7 DATA 4,1,16,22
- 108 DATA 27,9,20,0
- 109 DATA 3,8,21,9
- 110 DATA 29,18,23,0
- 111 DA'I'A 1,19,22,29
- 112 DATA 17,21,24,30 113 DATA 30,20,26,0
- 114 DATA 16,22,25,14
- 115 DATA 15,24,12,15 116 DATA 14,23,31,31 117 DATA 13,9,29,18 118 DATA 5,2,4,1 119 DATA 21,27,30,20

121 DATA Ø,Ø,Ø,Ø

120 DATA 22,29,14,23

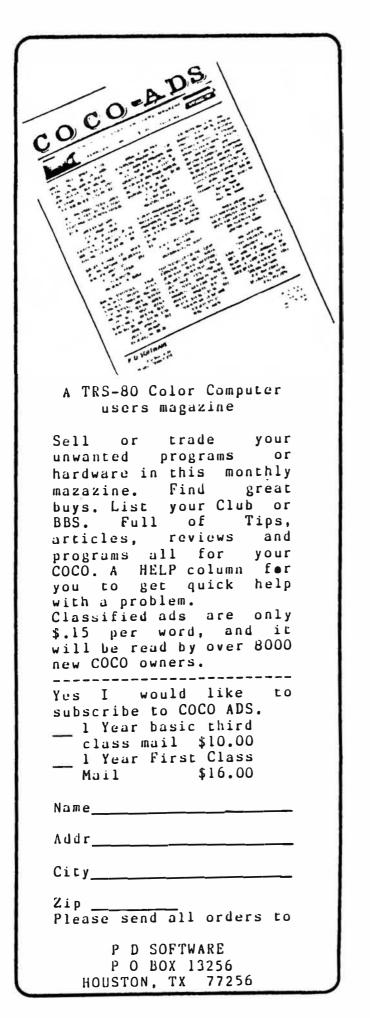
122 RETURN



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- 123 ON RO GOSUB 125,126,135,136, 136,136,136,136,136,125,140,1 41,143,162,163,164,135,136,16 5,136,125,181,136,183,190,136 ,191,181,126,135,192
- 124 RETURN
- 125 GOSUB195:COLOR3,1:GOSUB317:G OSUB64:RETURN
- 126 GOSUB127:RETURN
- 127 GOSUB24Ø:FOR J=Ø TO 255:LINE (J,Ø)-(J,RND(18)+86),PSET:NEX TJ:PAINT(76,1Ø8),2,4
- 128 LINE(84,33)-(165,72), PRESET, BF:LINE(84,71)-(87,107), PRESE T,BF:LINE(88,35)-(161,70), PSE T,B:PAINT(90,37),3,4
- 129 DRAW"BM92,39;C5;S3;R11L5D9;B R11;U9D5R7U4D9BR9;U9R8L8D5R6L 5D4R8"
- 13Ø DRAW"BM112,48;C5;S3;R9F4D5G4 L9R4U11;BR16;BU2;BR7D12L7U12R 7BR8;D12R7E3BU7H3L7;BR11"
- 131 DRAW"BM102,62;S3;C5;R66U5F7G 7U5L66U4"
- 132 PAINT(105,64),2,1:LINE(162,7 2)-(165,107), PRESET, BF
- 133 K=RND(3): IF K=3 THEN A\$="ENT ER AT OWN RISK.": GOSUB64 E LSE IF K=2 THEN A\$="A LARGE S IGN.": GOSUB64: A\$="IN ENGLISH! ": GOSUB64 ELSE A\$="ANYONE NEE D A DOCTOR?": GOSUB64
- 134 RETURN
- 135 GOSUB31Ø: RETURN
- 136 GOSUB 137:RETURN
- 137 GOSUB242:J=RND(5):IF J=3 OR J=1 THEN A\$="THE WATER LOOKSI NVITING.":GOSUB64 ELSE IF J=2 THEN A\$="WHAT A GOOD DAY FOR A SWIM.":GOSUB64
- 138 IF J=4 THEN A\$="YOU SEE MILE S OFEMPTY OCEAN.":GOSUB64ELSE IF J=5 THEN A\$="WHAT A PEACE FULSEASIDE.":GOSUB64
- 139 RETURN
- 14Ø IF EC=Ø THEN BT=BT+2:BH=BH+1 :GOSUB275:BT=Ø:EC=EC+1:RETURN ELSE IF EC>Ø THEN BT=1:GOSUB 275:BT=Ø:EC=EC+1:RETURN
- 141 IF PM>Ø THEN MAP=MAP+1:GOSUB 257:GOSUB142:RETURNELSEIF MAP =Ø THENGOSUB241:LINE(Ø,Ø)-(25 5,191),PSET,BF:COLOR4,1:X1=7: Y1=77:JL=2:A\$="NOBODY MEETS MAPPER MIKE UNTIL A CHE CK- UP FROM THE JUNGLE D OCTOR'SDONE!":GOSUB65:RETURN

- 142 A\$="MAPPER MIKE GIVES YO U AN ISLAND MAP.":GOSUB64: COLOR4,1:RETURN
- 143 GOSUB232:K=100:LINE(0,K)-(0, K),PSET:FOR J=0TO255
- 144 D=RND(3): IF D>2 THENK=K+1 EL SEIF D<2 THENK=K-2 ELSE K=K
- 145 IF J=147 THEN K=103
- 146 IF J<86 OR J>148 THEN 151
- 147 FOR L=114 TO 147 STEP 2:M=21
- 148 D=RND(3):IF D<2 THEN M=M-RND (3) ELSE IF D>2 THEN M=M+RND(3)
- 149 LINE-(L,M), PSET: NEXTL
- 150 J=163:K=100:LINE-(147,30),PS ET:GOTO 144
- 151 IF J=84 THEN LINE-(J,1Ø3),PS ET
- 152 IFK<85OR K>115THENK=RND(22)+
 84:LINE-(J,K),PSET:NEXTELSE L
 INE-(J,K),PSET:NEXT
- 153 PAINT(112,56),1,4:LINE(109,3 5)-(109,35),PSET
- 154 M=25:FOR L=116 TO 147
- 155 D=RND(3):IF D<2 THEN M=M-1 E LSE IF D>2 THEN M=M+1 ELSE M= M
- 156 IF M<20 OR M>33 THEN 155
- 157 LINE-(L,M), PSET:NEXT:PAINT(1
 12,56),2,4:PAINT(2,2),3,4:LIN
 E(85,103)-(85,103), PSET:FORJ=
 85 TO167 STEP3:K=98
- 158 D=RND(3): IF D>2 THEN K=K+2 E LSEIF D<2 THEN K=K-2
- 159 IF K<95 OR K>105 THEN158
- 16Ø LINE-(J,K), PSET: NEXT: PAINT(4 ,118), 1,4: COLOR3, 1
- 161 A\$="AN INACTIVE VOLCANO. ":GOSUB64:RETURN
- 162 GOSUB233:RETURN
- 163 GOSUB241:A\$="THE ISLAND'S DUNGEON.":GOSUB64:IF RND(Ø)> .5THEN GOTO21Ø ELSE GOTO22Ø
- 164 BT=BT+4:GOSUB275
- 165 GOSUB232:PM=PM+1:LINE(Ø,88)-(255,88),PSET
- 166 PAINT(6,118),2,4:CIRCLE(128, 66),20,3,1.7
- 167 FOR J=.7 TO 2.7 STEP .1
- 168 CIRCLE(128,66),14,3,J,Ø,.5
- 169 CIRCLE(128,66),20,3,J,.5,0:N EXT J
- 17Ø FORJ=59TO65:CIRCLE(149,J),17 ,3,2,.65,.87:CIRCLE(1Ø8,J),17 ,3,2,.65,.87:NEXTJ
- 171 PAINT(128,66),2,3:LINE(117,6 2)-(141,69),PRESET,BF



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- 172 FOR J=117TO141 STEP6:FOR K=6 2TO69:PSET(J,K,4):NEXTK,J
- 173 LINE(117,62)-(141,62),PSET:L INE(117,69)-(141,69),PSET:PAI NT(118,64),2,4
- 174 PAINT(124,64),3,4:PAINT(130, 64),3,4:PAINT(136,64),2,4
- 175 CIRCLE(118,44),7,4,.5:CIRCLE (138,44),7,4,.5
- 176 PAINT(120,44),4,4:PAINT(136, 44),4,4
- 177 BO=BO+5:A\$="DOC SAY ---YOU HEALTHY.":GOSUB64:RETURN
- 178 PMODE3,1:SCREEN1,1:PCLS:LINE (0,0)-(255,120),PSET,B:J=45:L INE(0,J)-(0,J),PSET:FOR X2=0T O255 STEP3:K=RND(3):IF K<2THE N J=J-RND(10) ELSEIF K>2 THEN J=J+(RND(7)+7) ELSE J=J
- 179 IF J<19 THEN J=J+(RND(8)+7) ELSEIF J>113 THEN J=(RND(35)+ 43)
- 18Ø LINE-(X2,J), PSET:NEXT:PAINT(4,4),3,4:PAINT(4,119),2,4:COL OR3,1:RETURN
- 181 GOSUB178: J=RND(2): GOSUB182: R ETURN
- 182 IF J=1 THENA\$="THE HILLS ARE ALIVE...":GOSUB64:RETURN E LSEIF J=2THENA\$="MOUNTAINS TO WERABOVE YOU.":GOSUB64:RETURN
- 183 GOSUB232:LINE(Ø,84)-(255,84) ,PSET:LINE(35,14)-(211,108),P SET,BF
- 184 LINE(50,14)-(88,22), PRESET, B F:LINE(103,14)-(143,22), PRESE T,BF:LINE(158,14)-(195,22), PR ESET, BF
- 185 LINE(104, 108)-(104, 85), PRESE T:LINE-(121, 68), PRESET:LINE-(138, 85), PRESET:LINE-(138, 108) , PRESET:PAINT(121, 77), 1, 1
- 186 LINE(44,108)-(202,108),PSET: PAINT(4,118),2,4:PAINT(3,4),3 ,4
- 187 FOR K=67 TO 107 STEP 4:FOR J =104 TO 138:PSET(J,K,4):NEXT J,K
- 188 FOR J=106 TO 138 STEP 4:FOR K=67 TO 107:PSET(J,K,4):NEXT K,J:COLOR 3,1
- 189 A\$="MIKE'S MANSION.":GOSUB 6 4:RETURN
- 19Ø GOSUB227:A\$="THE HALL OF CHOICE.":GOSUB64:RETURN
- 191 BT=BT+3:GOSUB 275:BT=Ø:RETUR N

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- 192 GOTO 3Ø4
- 193 RETURN
- 194 FOR TH=1 TO 234*2:NEXT TH:RE TURN
- 195 GOSUB 24Ø:R1=Ø:R2=RND(8)+77: LINE(Ø,R2)-(Ø,R2), PSET
- 196 D=RND(3):IF D>2 THEN R2=R2+R ND(2) ELSE IF D<2 THEN R2=R2-RND(2) ELSE R2=R2
- 197 IF R2<66 OR R2>114 THEN196
- 198 R1=R1+6: IF R1>241 THEN R1=25 5:GOTO2ØØ
- 199 LINE-(R1,R2), PSET: GOTO 196
- 200 LINE-(R1,R2),PSET
- 201 PAINT(4,4),3,4:PAINT(4,119), 2,4:RETURN
- 202 GOSUB 241:DIM V(0,60):LINE(0 ,191)-(255,99),PSET,BF:Y\$="L2 H1D1L2H1D1L2H1D1L2H1D1L2H1D1L 2H1D1L2H1D1L2H1D1L2H1D1L
- 203 FOR J=.5 TO 33 STEP 1.5:CIRC LE(8,8),J,1:NEXT J:DRAW"BM137 ,96;S10;C1;"+Y\$:DRAW"BM166,96 ;S10;C1;"+Y\$
- 204 DRAW"BM34,96;C1;S10;H4R9U2BL 4R9BL5U2L1H2U1E2R2F2D1G2L1D4R 9G4R7L6H1D1"+Y\$:CIRCLE(43,69) ,1,1:CIRCLE(50,69),1,1:CIRCLE (47,72),3,1,.7,0:UP=71
- 205 DRAW"BM255,"+STR\$(UP)+";C1;S 10;H3L1G2L2U1L1L1D1E7R8G7U6G2 U1L2G9L1G3R1U1H3U1L1D1G5L1G1L 1G1L1G1":UP=UP+2:IF UP<112 TH EN 205
- 206 GET(17,58)-(76,97),V,G:FOR P K=0 TO 90 STEP 5:PUT(17+PK,58)-(76+PK,97),V,PSET:NEXTPK:GO SUB318
- 207 GOSUB 241:JL=6:X1=8:Y1=6:A\$= "DURING A STORM AT SEA, YOU FALLOFF YOUR YACHT INTO A LI FE RAFTWHICH CARRIES YOU TO THESE SHORES. OV ERCOME BY THEHEAT, YOU PASS OUT. ":GOSUB 65
- 208 JL=2:X1=9:Y1=11:A\$="UPON AWA KENING,YOU FIND YOU'REON THIS JUNGLE ISLAND. TRY TO EXIT BEFORE THEVOLCANO ERUPTS.(MO VE BY USING N, E, W OR S.) GOOD LUCK!":GOSUB65
- 209 PMODE 3,1:PCLS:SCREEN 1,1:RE TURN
- 21Ø GOSUB 241:J\$="D1F1R2E1U1D2G1 D1R1E1F1E2U1D1F1D3G1D2U1H2G1H 1U1D3G2D3U3H2U3D1G1H1G2D1U2H1 U3E1U1D1F2E1F1R1U1H1U2;"

- 211 FOR S=1 TO 28:K\$="S"+STR\$(S)
- 212 DRAW"C3; BM1Ø9, 26; XK\$; XJ\$; ": P LAY"O5; L255; BAGA"
- 213 IF S>27 THEN 215
- 214 DRAW"CØ; BM1Ø9, 26; XK\$; XJ\$; ": P LAY"O4; L255; AGBA": NEXT S
- 215 PLAY"O5;T11;L6;BAGFEDC;O4;T1 Ø;L5;BAGFEDC;O3;T9;L4;BAGFEDC ;O2;T8;L3;BAGFEDC;O1;T7;L2;BA GFE;T1;DC"
- 216 A\$="WHAT BAT LUCK!":GOSUB64: A\$="THE END.":GOSUB64:GOTO226
- 217 GOSUB 232:LINE(Ø,84)-(255,84),PSET:LINE(35,14)-(211,1Ø8), PSET,BF:LINE(5Ø,14)-(88,22),P RESET,BF:LINE(1Ø3,14)-(143,22),PRESET,BF:LINE(158,14)-(195 ,22),PRESET,BF
- 218 LINE(104,108)-(104,85),PRESE T:LINE-(121,68),PRESET:LINE-(138,85),PRESET:LINE-(138,108) ,PRESET:PAINT(121,77),1,1:LIN E(44,108)-(202,108),PSET:PAIN T(4,118),2,4:PAINT(3,4),3,4
- 219 FOR K=67 TO 107 STEP 4:FOR J =104 TO 138:PSET(J,K,4):NEXT J,K:FOR J=106 TO 138 STEP 4:F OR K=67 TO 107:PSET(J,K,4):NE XT K,J:RETURN
- 22Ø GOSUB232:R1=126:R2=2Ø:LINE(9 Ø,12Ø)-(162,95),PSET,B:PAINT(92,118),2,4
- 221 GOSUB 224:R1=R1+16:IF R1>183 THEN R2=R2+11:GOTO 223 ELSE GOTO 221
- 222 LINE(R1-1Ø,R2)-(R1+1Ø,R2),PS ET:CIRCLE(R1,R2),14,4,1,Ø,.5: LINE(126,Ø)-(R1,R2),PSET:PAIN T(92,118),4,4:PLAY"O1;T6;L8;B AG;T3;L7;FED;T1;L1;C":GOTO 22 5
- 223 GOSUB 224:R1=R1-16:IF R1<68 THEN R2=R2+11:GOTO 221 ELSE G OTO 223
- 224 IF R1=126 AND R2>67 THEN GOS UB 222 ELSE LINE(126,Ø)-(R1,R 2),PSET:LINE(R1-1Ø,R2)-(R1+1Ø ,R2),PSET:CIRCLE(R1,R2),14,4, 1,Ø,.5:LINE(126,Ø)-(R1,R2),PR ESET:LINE(R1-1Ø,R2)-(R1+1Ø,R2),PR),PRESET:CIRCLE(R1,R2),14,1,1 ,Ø,.5:RETURN
- 225 A\$="YOU'RE NEXT!":GOSUB 64:C LS
- 226 GOTO 226
- 227 GOSUB 24Ø:N\$="BL4U6R8D8L8U3" :V\$="D13L6U4BU9R9":F=1ØØ

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- 228 FOR J=Ø TO 252 STEP3:LINE(J, Ø)-(J,F),PSET:NEXT J:LINE(8Ø, 9)-(173,F),PRESET,BF:FOR S=1 TO 54 STEP9:L\$="S"+STR\$(S):DR AW"BM127,77;XL\$;XN\$;":NEXT S
- 229 LINE(12Ø,63)-(135,81), PRESET ,BF:LINE(X,F)-(81,F), PSET:LIN E(175,F)-(255,F), PSET:PAINT(9 3,63),2,4:PAINT(107,71),2,4:P AINT(119,65),1,4:PAINT(82,68) ,3,4:PAINT(119,60),2,4
- 230 LINE(81,F)-(117,82), PSET:LIN E(137,82)-(175,F), PSET:LINE(8 1,8)-(116,61), PSET:LINE(175,8)-(137,61), PSET:FOR J=86 TO 1 04 STEP4:PAINT(121,J),4,4:NEX T J
- 231 LINE(193,32)-(219,61), PRESET ,BF:LINE(196,35)-(216,58), PSE T,B:DRAW"BM208,40;S5;C2;"+V\$: RETURN
- 232 PMODE 3,1:PCLS:SCREEN 1,0:LI NE(0,0)-(255,120),PSET,B:RETU RN

233 GOSUB 241:X1=12:Y1=15:JL=Ø:A \$="YOU JUST GOT SHAFTED! THAT WAS AN EMPTY MINE. UNTIL NOW.":GOSUB 6 5:GOSUB 239:PMODE Ø,1:PCLS:SC REEN 1,Ø:R1=128:R2=96:FOR 1=1 TO 1Ø:R1=R1+12:R2=R2+8.5:LIN E(R1,R2)-(255-R1,191-R2),PSET ,B:NEXT

- 234 PSET(128,96,1):PCOPY1 TO 2:P COPY1 TO 3:PLAY"O3;T4;L100;AB CDEFGABCDEFGABABAB":PMODE 0,2 :SCREEN 1,0:GOSUB 237:PMODE 0 ,3:SCREEN 1,0:GOSUB238
- 235 FOR I=1 TO 3: PMODE Ø, I:SCREE N 1,Ø:FOR TH=1 TO 88:NEXT TH: NEXT I:GOTO 235
- 236 PAINT(127,96):PAINT(89,96):P AINT(50,96):(9,96):RETURN
- 237 PAINT(111,96): PAINT(77,96): P AINT(38,96): PAINT(2,96): RETUR N
- 238 PAINT(100,96):PAINT(61,96):P AINT(22,96):RETURN
- 239 GOSUB241:X1=13:Y1=79:JL=2:A\$ ="YOU WILL BE FALLING FOR A LONG TIME.":GOSUB65:RETU RN
- 24Ø PMODE 3,1:PCLS:SCREEN 1,1:LI NE(Ø,Ø)-(255,12Ø),PSET,B:RETU RN
- 241 PMODE 4,1:PCLS:SCREEN 1,1:RE TURN
- 242 GOSUB24Ø:GOSUB25Ø:RETURN

- 243 FOR J=1 TO 82:B1=RND(200)+15 :B2=RND(88)+15:SOUND B1,1:D=R ND(3):IF D=3 THEN GOTO 246 EL SE IF D=2 THEN GOTO 245 ELSE GOTO 244
- 244 LINE(B1+RND(3),B2+RND(3))-(B 1+8,B2+RND(7)),PRESET,BF:GOTO 247
- 245 CIRCLE(B1,B2), RND(7), 2:GOTO2 47
- 246 FOR L=1 TO 10:PSET(B1+L,B2+L ,2):PSET(B1-RND(11),B2+RND(13)),2):PSET(B1,B2,2):NEXT L:GOT O 247
- 247 T\$=INKEY\$:IF T\$=""THEN NEXTJ ELSE249
- 248 A\$="A WILD SHOT HIT!":GOSUB 64:A\$="WHEN YOU GET BACK UP-":GOSUB 64:GOTO 220
- 249 A\$="YOU DUCKED'JUSTIN TIME!" :GOSUB64:RETURN
- 25Ø J=RND(13)+9Ø:LINE(Ø,J)-(Ø,J) ,PSET:FOR K=Ø TO 255 STEP 7...
- 251 D=RND(3): IF D>2 THEN J=J+1 E LSE IF D<2 THEN J=J-1 ELSE J= J
- 252 IF J<86 OR J>109 THEN 251
- 253 LINE-(K,J), PSET:NEXT K:PAINT (2,119),2,4:LINE(Ø,66)-(255,6 6), PSET:PAINT(2,68),3,4
- 254 FOR J=RND(23)+2Ø TO RND(13)+ 223:K=RND(22)+1Ø:IF J>98 AND J<151 THEN 256
- 255 PSET(J+1,K-1,4):PSET(J-RND(5),K-RND(7),3):PSET(J,K,2)
- 256 NEXT J:FOR J=2 TO 253:PSET(J ,66,3):NEXT J:RETURN
- 257 GOSUB 241:LINE(Ø,Ø)-(255,12Ø),PSET,B:FOR J=.7 TO 2 S'TEP.3 :CIRCLE(12Ø,38),J,1:CIRCLE(13 6,38),J,1:NEXT J
- 258 LINE(24,80)-(66,23),PSET:LIN E-(56,13),PSET:LINE-(14,70),P SET:LINE-(24,80),PSET:PAINT(6 Ø,18)

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- 259 LINE(113,59)-(104,77), PSET:L INE(143,59)-(152,77), PSET39 2 60 LINE(104,77)-(128,115), PSE T:LINE-(152,75), PSET:LINE-(17 3,77), PSET:LINE-(188,87), PSET :LINE-(191,120), PSET:CIRCLE(1 64,120),5,1,6,.5,0
- 261 LINE(70,77)-(59,107), PSET:LI NE-(100,91), PSET:LINE(94,93)-(94,119), PSET
- 262 FOR J=.24 TO .7 STEP.Ø3:CIRC LE(128,75),24,1,J,Ø,.5:NEXT J :FOR K=2 TO 6STEP1.5:CIRCLE(1 28,85),K,4,1:NEXT K
- 263 LINE(104,75)-(68,77),PSET:LI NE-(55,43),PSET:LINE(64,95)-(41,52),PSET
- 264 CIRCLE(48,43),9,1,2,.87,.38: CIRCLE(58,32),6,1:FOR J=3 TO 15 STEP4:CIRCLE(30+J,42-J),3, 1:NEXT J
- 265 FOR J=21.6 TO 29 STEP.9:CIRC LE(128,44),J,1,1,.47,.Ø3:NEXT J:CIRCLE(128,44),22,1,1
- 266 CIRCLE(120,36),5,1,1,.63,0:C IRCLE(136,36),5,1,1,.5,.9
- 267 LINE(128,37)-(128,45), PSET:C IRCLE(128,50), 5, 1, 1, .6, .92
- 268 CIRCLE(128,49),15,1,.47,.07, .43:CIRCLE(128,54),10,1,.7,0, .5:PAINT(128,57):FOR J=.33 TO .5 STEP.01:CIRCLE(128,56),7, 4,J,0,.5:NEXT J:PAINT(96,118) :RETURN
- 269 PLAY"T1; V30; O3; L22; 10; 10; 7; 1 2; L14; 10; 7": SCREEN 0,0: FOR J= 1 TO 9: PLAY"T220; V30; L200; O4; 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; O5 ; 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; L100; 8; L200; 7; 6; 5; 4; 3; 2; 1; O4; 12; 11; 10; 9; 8; 7 ; 6; 5; 4; 3; 2; 1"
- 27Ø CLS(RND(9)-1):NEXTJ:PMODE3,1 :SCREEN3,1:A\$="YOU TOOK TOO LONG. THE VOLCANO ER UPTS!":GOSUB64
- 271 SCREEN4, 1: GOSUB272: SCREEN3, Ø :GOSUB272: GOTO271
- 272 FORL=1 TORND(22):C=RND(24Ø)+ 5:D=RND(1Ø8)+5:R=RND(4):PSET(C,D,R):PSET(C-RND(4),D-RND(4) ,R):PSET(C+RND(4),D+RND(4),R) :PSET(C+RND(4),D-RND(4),R):PS ET(C-RND(4),D+RND(4),R):SOUND C,1:NEXTL:GOSUB273:RETURN
- 273 IF R<4THENRETURN ELSE A\$="TH E END.":GOSUB64:RETURN

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- 274 GOSUB241:LINE(255,131)-(Ø,55),PSET,BF:COLOR 4,1:X1=7:Y1=5 7:JL=Ø:A\$="THE VERY STRONG UN DERTOW HAS JUST PULLED YOU UNDER.":GOSUB65:GOSUB2Ø9:X1=7 :Y1=57:JL=Ø:A\$="THE END.":GOS UB65:GOTO226
- 275 GOSUB241:LINE(19Ø,119)-(62,3 9),PSET,BF:COLOR 4,1:U=52:G=(RND(2)-1)
- 276 FOR C=62 TO 191:IF G>1 THEN G=Ø
- 277 D=RND(3): IF D>2 THEN U=U+RND (7) ELSE U=U-RND(8)
- 278 IF U>66 THEN U=U-RND(14) ELS E IF U<51 THEN U=U+RND(11)
- 279 IF G>Ø THEN LINE(C,12Ø)-(C,U),PSET
- 28Ø G=G+1:LINE(C,13)-(C,U),PSET: NEXT C
- 281 IF BT=1 THEN GOTO 288 ELSE I F BT=2 THEN GOTO 286 ELSE GOT O 282
- 282 LINE(108,115)-(160,59),PRESE T,BF:LINE(124,102)-(144,102), PSET:LINE-(141,111),PSET:LINE -(139,102),PSET:LINE(124,102) -(127,111),PSET:LINE-(130,102)),PSET:LINE(134,102)-(134,97) ,PSET:LINE(139,106)-(130,106) ,PSET
- 283 LINE(141,91)-(134,98), PSET:L INE-(127,91), PSET:CIRCLE(134, 91),8,4,.4,.5,Ø:CIRCLE(144,82),9,4,.4,.4,Ø:CIRCLE(145,83), 4,4,.4:CIRCLE(124,82),9,4,.4, .5,.1:CIRCLE(123,83),4,4,.4
- 284 PÁINT(133,104): PAINT(133,90) :PAINT(123,83): PAINT(145,83): DRAW"BM140,69;C4;S10;L5H3D3G4 D4F3D3F2D2R9U2E2U3E3U4H4U3G3"
- 285 IF BT=4THEN A\$="YOU HAVE FIL LEDTHE TIGER'S TUMMY.":GO SUB64:GOTO226 ELSE IF BT=3THE N A\$="A TIGER STARES HUNGRIL Y. WHICHWAY YOU RUN?":GOSUB64 :RETURN
- 286 DRAW"BM153,102;C4;S8;L39F8R3 6E8L50"
- 287 IFBT=1THEN288 ELSEA\$="YOU JU ST FOUND ABOAT! NOW WHAT?":GO SUB64:RETURN
- 288 A\$="AN EMPTY CAVE! WHICH WA Y NOW?":GOSUB 64:RETURN
- 289 GOSUB 241:DRAW"BM193,26;E2R4 F2D4G2L4H2U7D18":DRAW"BM184,2 9;G3L4H2U4E2R4F2D7U9":DRAW"BM 147,32;U18R1F8R2E8R1D18"

- 29Ø DRAW"BM99,32;H2U4E2R3F2G6R6E 1U1":DRAW"BM91,14;D18R3":DRAW "BM83,3Ø;G2L4H2U4E2R4F2D4U6D1 8L5H1U1"
- 291 DRAW"BM63,32;U8D2E2R3F2D6":D RAW"BM5Ø,24;D6F2R3E2U6D8":DRA W"BM34,14;R19L9D18L9H3U2":FOR TH=1 TO 444*2:NEXT TH:FOR J= 51 TO 163 STEP 16
- 292 LINE(56,J)-(184,J), PSET:NEXT J:FORJ=56TO184 STEP16:LINE(J, 51)-(J,163), PSET:NEXTJ:FOR TH =1 TO 432*2:NEXT TH
- 293 DRAW"BM6Ø,127;U9R6L2BD4L4":D RAW"BM142,72;BD1D6U4NR5U2E1R3 F1D6":DRAW"BM126,1Ø4;BD1D6U4N R5U2E1R3F1D6"
- 294 DRAW"BM142,88;ND7R4F1D1G1NL4 F1D2G1NL4BR1":DRAW"BM126,136; ND7R4F1D1G1NL4F1D2G1NL4BR1"
- 295 BM\$="BD1D5F1R3E1U1BU3U1H1L3G 1BD6BR5":DRAW"BM11Ø,136;"+BM\$:DRAW"BM11Ø,1Ø4;"+BM\$:DRAW"BM 158,1Ø4;"+BM\$
- 296 BN\$="D7R4E1U5H1L4BD7BR5":DRA W"BM11Ø,12Ø;"+BN\$:DRAW"BM126, 88;"+BN\$
- 297 BX\$="NR5D3NR4D4R5":DRAW"BM15 8,72;"+BX\$:DRAW"BM94,1Ø4;"+BX \$
- 298 CV\$=INKEY\$:IF CV\$=""THEN298
- 299 CLS:PRINT@132, "A TRAILS": PRINT@164, "B SIGN": PRINT@1
 - 96,"C NATIVES": PRINT@228," D MOUNTAINS": PRINT@260,"E CAVE": PRINT@292,"F MAPP ER MIKE": PRINT: PRINT
- 300 PRINT"PRESS X TO RETURN TO T RAVELS OR R TO REREAD MAP. ":PRINT"DURING PLAY, TAP M TO SEE MAP.":PRINT
- 301 FX\$=INKEY\$:IF FX\$=""THEN301
- 302 IF FX\$="X"THENCLS:RETURN
- 3Ø3 IF FX\$<>"R"THEN3Ø1ELSEGOTO28 9
- 304 RM=31:GOSUB241:LINE(255,91)-(0,91),PSET:DRAW"BM54,67;S6;R 30E10R34F16L20H6L38R38F6R39G1 1L66H15L17U2R22":DRAW"BM214,7 6;S6;E5R2U2L25D2R2D5R2U5R7D5R 2U5R7G5"
- 305 DRAW"BM119,52;S6;E8R10U16R2D 16R11D8BL3BU2L23E4R19D4":DRAW "BM114,56;S6R10D5L14E5BR13R9D 5L9U5":DRAW"BM99,71;S3;E2F2G2 H2R1D16L2H3F3R4E3G3L2U14L1D5L 5D1R10U1L6"

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- 306 PAINT(211,73),1:PAINT(202,73),1:PAINT(135,47),1:PAINT(116,59),1:PAINT(139,61),1:PAINT(253,2),1
- 3Ø7 A\$="YOU MADE IT! YOUR FRI ENDS WELCOME YOU BACK ON BOARD.":GOSUB64
- 308 PMODE 3,1:SCREEN1,0:GOSUB309 :PMODE4,1:SCREEN1,1:GOSUB309: PMODE3,1:SCREEN1,1:GOSUB309:P MODE4,1:SCREEN1,0:GOSUB309:GO TO308
- 3Ø9 SOUNDRND(2Ø3),1:FORTH=1TO432 :NEXTTH:RETURN
- 31Ø A\$="NATIVES TOSS GARBAGE AT YOU.":GOSUB65:GQ=Ø:FORGR=1 TO2ØØ:IFGQ>3THENPMODE3,1:SCRE EN1,1 ELSEPMODE3,1:SCREEN1,Ø
- 311 K=RND(11Ø)+9:J=RND(239)+6:D= RND(3):IF D<2THENGOTO 312 ELS E IFD>2 THEN GOTO313 ELSECIRC LE(J,K),RND(24)+3,,INT(RND(2) /RND(1Ø)):SOUNDK+3,1:GOTO314

312 LINE(J,K)-(J+4,K-(RND(9)+3)) ,PSET,B:SOUNDJ,1:GOTO314

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- 313 FORRT=1T05:PSET(J+RND(3),K-R ND(3),2):PSET(J-RND(3),K+RND(3),2):NEXT RT:SOUNDJ,1
- 314 TH\$=INKEY\$:IFTH\$<>""THENA\$=" YOU DUCKED JUSTIN TIME!":GOSU B64:RETURN
- 315 GQ=GQ+1: IF GQ>7THENGQ=Ø
- 316 NEXTGR:A\$="A WILD SHOT HIT!" :GOSUB64:GOTO22Ø
- 317 J=RND(3):IF J=1THENA\$="AN OP EN FIELD.":RETURNELSE IFJ=2TH ENA\$="A QUIET PATH.":RETURN E LSE A\$="A PLEASANT TRAIL .":RETURN
- 318 PLAY"T1;L19;O3;BAGFEDC;O2;L3 2;DEFGEFDEFFDE":A\$=" JUNGL E BY
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INTERFACING COMPUTERS JOYSTICKS

INTERFACING COMPUTERS

In this section we have been looking at various methods of interfacing computers. Last month we completed the section on using the ASCII port for interfacing, and we gave a terminal program. This month we want to look at the joystick ports. Although joysticks are generally used for games or drawing figures on the screen, the ports can be used for other purposes. An analog to digital converter converts the voltage at the joystick ports to a 6 bit digital word. This can give an accuracy of 1/64 which is adequate for many purposes. For example an inexpensive voltmeter can be constructed for measuring batteries up to 12 volts and higher. In fact this month we will show how to do this. Other measuring applications include measuring temperature, line voltage, power, and light inten-Now let's look at the sity. operation of the joysticks.

Have you ever wondered how a dot could be moved across the screen using a joystick? There are 4 directions of movement. These are North (up), South (down), East (right), and West (left). How is the computer able to detect the position of the joystick? To understand this we need to know how an analog to digital converter works.

ANALOG TO DIGITAL (A/D) CONVERTER

In electronics there are two types of circuits. Analog or linear circuits are used in audio amplifiers. The voltage can continuously vary between two extreems. In other words there are no abrupt changes and an infinite number of points between the maximum and minimum values.

Digital circuits can only change in increments. For example a byte consists of 8 bits. If we change the least significant bit, we can change the total value of the byte by the value 1/256. Digital changes can be thought of as steps with each step having a value of 1/256 for an 8 bit word.

То better illustrate the difference between digital and analog consider a porch going into a house. The normal way to access the porch is by using steps. Each step represents an increase of 6 to 8 inches in height. Some porches have ramps for a disabled person. To move from the ground to the porch on the ramp, you can position yourself to be at any height between the ground and the porch level. The ramp is similar to an analog circuit and the steps are similar to a digital circuit.

Let's discuss the mechanism of the joysticks. When we look at a joystick we see a lever that can be moved in any direction? If you remove the cover and look inside, you will see that the lever is connected to a gear mechanism that turns two potentiometers. A potentiometer is a variable resistor similar to the volumn control for a radio or television. It is essentially a fixed resistor a continuously variable with If 5 volts is applied tap. across the potentiometer, then

any voltage from Ø to 5 volts can be obtained at the taped terminal or arm by varying the potentiometer.

This is exactly what happens with the joystick potentiome-A voltage of 5 volts is ters. applied across the potentiometer. As you move the lever, the potentiometer turns and the voltage on the arm varies depending upon its position. There are two potentiometers inside a joystick assembly. One is for up-down motion and the other is for right-left motion. The voltage at the arms of the two potentiometers can be used to identify the relative position of the lever.

Now how do we get the computer to recognize the joystick positions? Each potentiometer arm is switched to an analog to digital converter. These are 6 bit converters and can give 64 different values. Since we have 5 volts applied across the potentiometer, each step for the A/D converter has a value of 1/64*5 or Ø.Ø78125 volts. Suppose we have a value between the first and second steps at 1.8 of the distance to the second step. An analog meter would measure about 1.8 but an analog to digital converter would only give 1 for any value between 1 and 2. This would be a very high per-centage error if we had a small number of steps. However if this were the 50th step, then our error would be 1/50 or 2%. This error is less than can be read on the scale of an analog meter.

JOYSTICK VOLTMETER

A voltmeter that would indicate the condition of batteries would be very useful. The standard AA, C, and D cells are 1.5 volts when fully charged and most can be used down to 1.2 volts or less. Also there are 6, 9, and 12 volt batteries that we would like to be able to measure. To make things simple let's design our voltmeter to measure voltages from \emptyset to 15 volts and \emptyset to 5. Since the joystick input will only take 5 volts, we will have to reduce the input by 3 times for the 15 volt range. This we can do with two resistors.

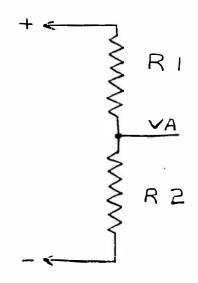


FIGURE 1

A LITTLE ELECTRONICS

You can refer to any basic electronics book to see how to design a simple voltage divider network using two resistors. To design a voltage divider we connect two resistors together as shown in Figure 1. The voltage VA will be as follows:

VA=R2/(R1+R2)*V

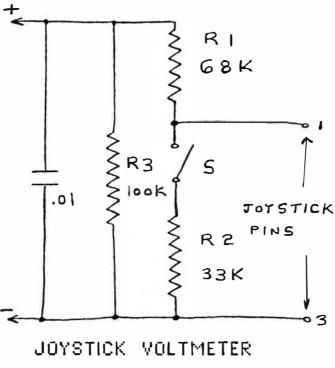
But since we want to know V, we can rearrange the equation to give the following:

(1) V = VA * (R1 + R2) / R2

Since the joystick A/D converters are referenced to 5 volts, we will get a number from \emptyset to 63 instead of VA. The JOY-STK(X) command returns this number to basic where X is the number of the joystick from \emptyset to 3. To not exceed the range of the A/D converter, VA must not exceed 5 volts. Therefore we can write the following for VA:

(2) VA=5*JOYSTK(X)/64

Substituting the equation for VA from (2) into (1) gives the final formula we need:



(3) V = (R1 + R2) / R2 * 5 * JOYSTK(X) / 64

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM

FIGURE 2

To give better accuracy for 1.5 volt batteries we will need to use the \emptyset -5 volts. Two ranges can be realized by constructing the circuit shown in Figure 2. With the switch open the range is \emptyset -5 volts and with the switch closed the range is \emptyset -15 volts.

The parts layout is not critical and can be placed on any board. The joystick circuit pin DIN plug is a standard 6 plug and can be purchased from The Radio Shack. resistor across the input is to cause the voltage to be zero when no is applied. voltage Without this the voltage will creep various values. through The capacitor reduces noise and perferably should be connected across the terminals of the plug.

VOLTMETER PROGRAM

The program reads the joystick value and adds a multiobtain the proper plier to reading. Remember the voltmeter will always read on the low side of the true value. We tested it on 1.5 volt flashlight batteries and 6 volt batteries with satisfactory results. If linearity is a problem, a look up table could be included to give the desired reading for each of the joystick values. The switch 64 needs to be in the proper position and the proper scale must selected when running the be program.

5 ?"JOYSTICK VOLTMETER 7 ?"cOPYRIGHT (c) 1987 8 ?"dYNAMIC eLECTRONICS iNC. 10 R1=68:R2=33:R=(R1+R2)/R2 20 INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR 3X MULTIPLIER";X 25 CLS 30 IF X=1 THEN 40 35 R=1 40 V=5*R*JOYSTK(0)/64 50 PRINT@0, "VOLTAGE="V 55 PRINT@0, "VOLTAGE="V 55 PRINT"JOYSTICK=";JOYSTK(0) 60 GOTU 40

OPERATING HINT

You can print your disk directory to a printer by POKE 111,254:DIR <ENTER>

HAM RADIO & COMPUTERS

by BILL CHAPPLE

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In this series we are showing how to interface a computer to a ham radio and how to write software for ham radio applications. The hardware and software can be used on any computer that uses Microsoft Basic and has an ASCII port.

We started this series in August of 1986 and presented a Morse code practice program. We followed this with an antenna design program and a DX station program. We also gave an interface circuit in our Interfacing Computers series which can be used for Ham Radio applications.

During the holidays I was able to do some experimenting with interfacing my old Swan 500CX with a Color Computer. It seemed like our Morse code practice program could be easily modified to give the required memory pokes to drive a keying relay. A relay is required of the high because keying voltage present across the key input to the Swan. Last month 1 gave a schematic showing how to connect a keying relay to the interface circuit we gave the previous month.

MORSE KEYER

This month we want to give a complete hardware diagram of the interface and software for using a color computer as a Morse key-I now have this keyer worker. ing properly with my Swan and Heath SB-200 kilowatt amplifier. At first I had problems with radio interference from my transmitter. I put the interface circuit in a metal box and used several radio frequency

(RF) bypass capacitors but this did not cure the problem.

Finally I decided that the problem was my computer. I had been using an old TDP version of the color computer which had been modified many times. All of the radio RF shielding had been removed. I connected a new Color Computer 2 and the RF problems went away. I can now operate at maximum power without any RF problems. I use a cassette for programs with my ham radio station.

The complete hardware interface is shown in Figure 1. This can be used for controlling any device since the relay completely isolates the load from the computer. My relay was a high speed relay that I had on hand. Any 5 volt relay should work although some may not key very fast.

It is possible to replace the relay with a transistor. Since the relay works so good for me, I decided not to explore this possibility.

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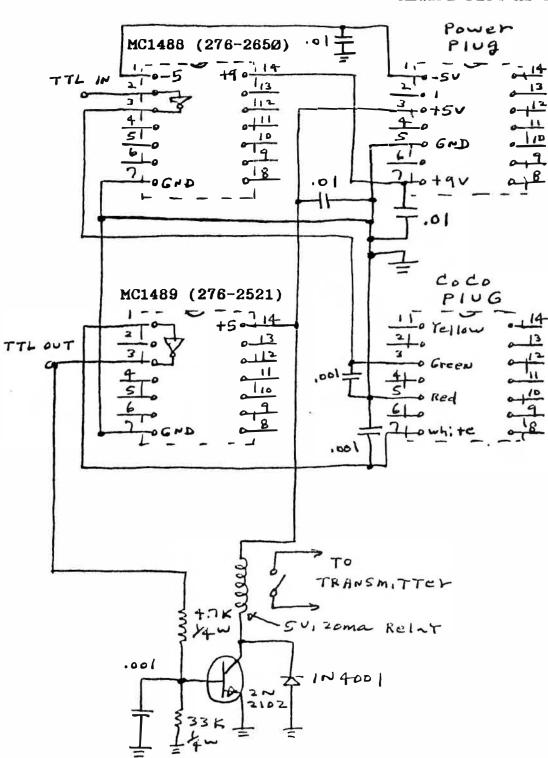
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FIGURE 1

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM

MORSE CODE KEYER



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OPERATING HINT

You can disable the cartridge port with POKE 65314,54. Enable it with POKE 65315,52. This requires a hardware interface similar to the one shown in Figure 1. It works on the new Color Computer 3 as well as the older versions.

10 CLS: PRINT MORSE CODE KEYER

- 20 PRINT"cOPYRITE (c) 1987
- 30 PRINT" dYNAMIC eLECTRONICS INC 40 PRINT
- 50 INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR COLOR COMPU TER 3";C3
- 60 IF C3=1 THEN 90
- 70 INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR DOUBLE SPEE D";DS:IF DS=1 THEN POKE 65495 ,1 ELSE POKE 65494,0
- 80 GO TO 100
- 9Ø INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR DOUBLE SPEE D";DS:IF DS=1 THEN POKE 65497 ,Ø ELSE POKE 65496,Ø
- 100 INPUT"ENTER SPEED-LARGE VALU E FOR SLOW SPEEDS"; Z
- 110 CLS
- 120 PRINT"PRESS RIGHT AKROW TO I NCREASE": PRINT"SPEED
- 130 PRINT"PREBS KEY TO DECREAS E SPEED
- 140 PRINT"@ KEY SENDS THE BT CHA RACTER.
- 150 PRINT"PRESS DOWN ARROW TO WR ITE NOTES ON THE SCREEN.
- 160 PRINT"AGAIN PRESS THE DOWN A RROW TO": PRINT"RETURN TO TRAN SMIT MODE.
- 170 'SET UP ARRAY FOR CHARACTERS 180 DIM N\$(100)
- 190 'EMPTY THE ARRAY
- 200 FOR K=0 TO 99:N\$(K)="":NEXT K
- 210 'DEFINE THE CHARACTERS
- 220 N\$(8)="IIIIIII" 'ERROR BACK SPACE
- 23Ø N\$(46)="IDIDID":N\$(44)="DDII DD":N\$(63)="IIDDII"'., ?
- 24Ø N\$(64)="DIIID":N\$(47)="DIIDI " ' BT /
- 250 N\$(48)="DDDDD":N\$(49)="IDDDD" "' 0 & 1
- 26Ø N\$(50)="IIDDD":N\$(51)="IIIDD " '2 & 3
- 27Ø N\$(52)="IIIID":N\$(53)="IIIII ":N\$(54)="DIIII":N\$(55)="DDII I"'4,5,6,7
- 28Ø N\$(56)="DDDII":N\$(57)="DDDDI ":N\$(65)="ID":N\$(66)="DIII"'8
 - ,9,A,B
- 290 'N\$(65)=A

300 N\$(67)="DIDI":N\$(68)="DII":N \$(69)="I":N\$(70)="IIDI":N\$(71) = "DDI": N\$(72) = "IIII": N\$(73) ="II"'C,D,E,F,G,H,I 31Ø N\$(74)="IDDD":N\$(75)="DID":N \$(76)="IDI1":N\$(77)="DD":N\$(7 8) = "DI": N\$(79) = "DDD": N\$(80) = "IDDI"'J,K,L,M,N,O,P 32Ø N\$(81)="DDID":N\$(82)="IDI":N \$(83)="III":N\$(84)="D":N\$(85) ="IID":N\$(86)="IIID":N\$(87)=' IDD"'Q,R,S,T,U,V,W 33Ø N\$(88)="DIID":N\$(89)="DIDD": N\$(9 \emptyset)="DDII"'X,Y,Z 34Ø GO SUB 36Ø 35Ø GO TO 34Ø 360 'ENTER CHARACTER TO SEND 370 'WAIT FOR KEY TO BE PRESSED 38Ø P\$=INKEY\$: IF P\$="" THEN 38Ø 390 IF P\$=CHR\$(10) THEN 610 400 'IF KEY IS - DECREASE SPEED 41Ø P=ASC(P\$): IF P=45THEN Z=Z+1: PRINT"SPEED="Z;:GO TO 380 420 'INCREASE SPEED FOR RIGHT AR ROW P=9430 IF P=9 THEN Z=Z-1:PRINT"SPEE D ="Z;:GO TO 38Ø 440 IF Z=0 THEN Z=145Ø PRINTPS: 46Ø P=ASC(P\$): IF P=8 THEN 48Ø 470 IF P<33 THEN 380 48Ø N=P 490 IF N\$(N)="" THEN PRINTCHR\$(8); : RETURN 500 L=LEN(N\$(N))51Ø ' 520 'THIS DECODES THE CHARACTER 530 FOR J=1 TO L:X\$=MID\$(N\$(N),J ,1): IF X="D" THEN Y=3 ELSE I F X\$="I" THEN Y=1 54Ø W=Y*Z 550 IF W<1 THEN W=1 560 'SEND DOT OR DASH 57Ø POKE65312,2:FOR PP=1 TO 4*W: NEXT PP:POKE65312,Ø:FOR P=1 T O Z:NEXT 580 NEXT J 59Ø RETURN 600 'THIS PRINTS COMMENTS ON SCR EEN 61Ø X\$=INKEY\$:PRINTX\$; 620 IF X\$=CHR\$(10) THEN 380 63Ø GOTO 61Ø



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COLOR COMPUTER 3

In this series we have been looking at the Color Computer 3 and comparing it with its predecessors. Last month we looked at the memory map and discovered that it is a true 128K computer. This month we want to look at some of the commands.

CLS COMMAND

This command clears the screen to different background colors. This is a good way to set your colors if you have a composite video color monitor. We have found that CLS 5 gives a good color for use with text. You can adjust your colors by entering the following CLS commands.

CLS 1- Green CLS 3- Blue CLS 4 -Red

ATTR Command

This command allows the foreground and background colors to set. With this command you can have a dark background with bright characters. This is useful for basic programs because it reduces eye strain. The format is as follows:

ATTR FOREGROUND, BACKGROUND

Where FOREGROUND & BACKGROUND are the colors from Ø to 7. Try ATTR 2,4 & ATTR 6,4. Either of these give easy to read characters. An argument can be placed after the two colors. A "U" means to underline and a "B" means to blink the text.

PRINT @

The PRINT @ command is for locating a print location on the low resolution screen. This command is compatible with the earlier computers. To use this command you must be in the low resolution mode. To access this mode type "WIDTH 32".

The low resolution-screen has 32 characters and 16 rows. If you want to start printing at the beginning of the 10th row then this would be 10*32 or 320 characters from the beginning. So you could enter PRINT @320, "HELLO" and the message would appear at the beginning of the 10th line.

LOCATE X,Y

This command is used in the high resolution screens. If you are in the 40 column mode, you will have 24 lines. X can be any value from \emptyset to 39 and Y can be any value from \emptyset to 23. For an 80 column screen, X can be any value from \emptyset to 79. As an example type in the following program.

- 1Ø CLS5
- 20 LOCATE 20,20: PRINT"HELLO THERE

Run the program for 40 column and 80 columns and notice where the message is printed. This command is easier to use than PRINT @ because you do not have to calculate the location. The two arguments X and Y locate the position for the cursor.

HIGHREL GRAPHICS

As stated last month a 32K memory block is reserved for the High resolution graphics. This is a great advantage over the earlier Color Computers. First of all none of the normal 32K of programming space is required since a 32K memory block is reserved for the high resolution graphics. The second advantage is that the drawing can be labelled with text by using the HPRINT command. The high resolution draw commands are similar to the Color Computer 2 commands except they are presceeded with Η. Examples are HCIRCLE, a HLINE, HPOINT, etc.

So if you know how to program in graphics with a CC-2 or earlier computer, then you will be able to quickly learn how to adapt to the CC-3.

HPRINT

We want to look at this command because this is not in the older computer's commands. This command allows us to write text on our graphics drawings. The format is as follows:

HPRINT (X,Y),P\$

X and Y will locate the beginning of the text P\$. X and Y are the text positions and not graphics positions. This command can be mixed with graphics commands to write comments on the graphics screen. This subject is well covered in the manual, but some of our readers may not have a Color Computer 3 and are interested in its capability therefore we are mentioning it. The following is an example program for drawing a circle and writing on the screen.

- 10 INPUT "COLOR";X
- 2Ø HSCREEN2
- 30 HCOLORX
- 40 HCIRCLE (160,90), 30
- 50 HPRINT (10,0), "THIS WRITES ON THE GRAPHICS SCREEN
- 60 INPUT P:GOTO 10

When you run the program, enter a color number. We found 4 to work well. Note that a circle will be drawn and the message also written on the screen. As an exercise you might want to change line 20 to HSCREEN 3 or HSCREEN 4 to see if you can read the text on the higher resolution screens.

Next month we will continue with this series if we can think of something that is different about the Color Computer 3 that we can write about. Our Color Computer 3 failed when we were using a new multipack interface. There seems to be a problem with the PAL chip although this probably didn't cause the failure. We have written Radio Shack about the PAL problem and will pass along any information we receive from them.

RENEWAL TIME?

The date beside your name on the address label indcates the last issue you will receive. Send in your renewal if you want to continue receiving technical information on Color Computers. This is the last issue for those with **1/87**.



BASIC PROGRAMMMG

In this series we have been showing how to write basic programs. For the past few months we have been looking at an address file. Last month we showed how to sort.

This month we are incorporating a machine language subroutine to speed up the sorting process. Basic is fairly fast for doing the logic. Since each address file consists of 100 bytes, it takes several seconds to exchange two addresses with basic.

The sort procedure involves taking the first address and comparing it with the rest. If any value of the first is larger than the corresponding value of the address we are testing, then we exchange the addresses. After we finish comparing the addresses, the smallest is in the first location.

Next we compare the second address with the rest and exchange them when we find а We smaller one than the second. continue this process until we reach the last address. The testing involves FOR-NEXT loops which we have covered in this series.

Our machine language routine is short and we used the READ-DATA method of loading the data. We reserved the memory from 500-600 for the machine language vectors and subroutine. The data is transferred from the basic program to the required memory area.

We decided to sort on (1)ZIP Code, (2) and (3)Names, Telephone numbers. For practice we entered 30 names. At first we used basic to do the sorting. This took several minutes. After entering the machine language subroutine it took about a We wrote notes on the minute. screen to show what the sorting The speed can was doing. be increased by not printing these notes and using the high speed pokes.

Our files start at 10000 in memory and occupy 100 bytes each. This will allow our files to go to 19999 for 100 files or 29999 for 200 files. In order to allow maximum programming space do the following before loading the program:

POKE 25,14:POKE14*256,Ø:NEW

The program is user friendly. We designed it to run with our disk, but programs can be saved and loaded from a cassette. This program is available in our DCN-4 program package.

ADDRESS FILE WITH SORT

Note: Before loading the program do the following:

POKE 25,14:POKE14*256,Ø:NEW

- 5 CLS
- 10 PRINT"aDDRESS fILE pROGRAM
- 20 PRINT"cOPYRIGHT (c) 1987
- 30 PRINT" dYNAMIC eLECTRONICS iNC
- 35 PRINT WITH ML SORT SUBROUTINE
- 40 FOR XA=510 TO 530:READ A:POKE XA,A:NEXT XA 'LOAD ML SUBROU TINE
- 5Ø NF=PEEK(9999)
- 60 PRINT"1 ADD TO FILE
- 7Ø PRINT"2 MODIFY FILE
- 80 PRINT"3 PRINT FILES
- 90 PRINT"4 CLEAR ALL FILES
- 100 PRINT"5 SORT FILE
- 102 PRINT"6 SAVE FILE
- 1Ø4 PRINT"7 LOAD FILE
- 11Ø INPUT"ENTER NUMBER";X
- 120 ON X GOTO 1000,2000,3000,400 0,5000,6000,7000
- 1000 CLS:PRINT THIS ADDS TO FILE
- 1010 NF=PEEK(9999):POKE 9999,NF+ 1: BE=10000:BF=BE+100*NF 'SET UP MEMORY FOR START OF NEXT FILE
- 1015 PRINT"THIS IS FILE #"NF
- 1017 INPUT"PRESS Y FOR A DIFFER FILE NO TO START";Y\$:IF Y\$="Y " THEN INPUT"ENTER NEW NUMBER
- ";NF:POKE 9999,NF:GO TO 1000 1018 PRINT"FILE NUMBER "NF

- 1020 M=BF:FOR J=0 TO 99:POKE M+J ,32:NEXT J :'CLEAR MEMORY FOR NEW DATA
- 1022 GOSUB 1030:GOSUB 1040:GOSUB 1050:GOSUB 1060:GOSUB 1070:G OSUB 1080:GOSUB 1090:GOTO 110 0
- 1030 PRINT"ENTER FIRST LINE":NC= 15:GOTO 1900
- 1040 PRINT"ENTER SECOND LINE":M= BF+15:GOTO 1900
- 1050 PRINT"ENTER THIRD LINE":M=B F+30:GOTO 1900
- 1060 PRINT"ENTER CITY":M=BF+45:G OTO 1900
- 1070 PRINT"ENTER STATE":M=BF+60: GOTO 1900
- 1080 PRINT"ENTER ZIP":M=BF+75:NC =10:GOTO 1900
- 1090 PRINT"ENTER PHONE NUMBER":M =BF+85:GOTO 1900
- 1100 POKE 502, NF: INPUT "PRESS EN TER FOR MORE ADDRESSES, PRESS 1 TO RETURN TO MENU."; V
- 1105 NF=NF+1:POKE 502,NF
- 1110 IF V=0 THEN 1000 ELSE RUN
- 1900 'THIS STORES CHARACTERS IN MEMORY
- 1905 C=0:X=M 'COUNT CHARACTERS B EING ENTERED END MARK THE BEG INNING OF MEMORY
- 1910 FOR K=0 TO NC
- 1915 W1=PEEK(136):W2=PEEK(137):P RINT@Ø, "NO CHARACTER USED="K; " M="M:POKE 136,W1:POKE137,W2
- 192Ø A\$=INKEY\$:IF A\$="" THEN 192 Ø
- 1925 PRINTA\$;
- 1930 A=ASC(A\$):IF A=13 THEN RETU RN
- 1935 IF A=8 THEN K=K-1:GO TO 192 Ø
- 1940 POKE M+K,A:IF A=13 THEN RET URN
 - 1942 NEXT K
 - 1945 FOR AA=Ø TO NC-1:POKE M+AA, 32:NEXT AA
 - 1950 PRINT"TOO MANY CHARACTERS -REDO"
 - 1960 GO TO 1910
 - 1999 '
 - 2000 PRINT"FILES CAN BE MODIFIED WHILE":PRINT"BEING PRINTED. PRESS 'L' AND":PRINT"THE LIN E NUMBER WILL BE ASKED":PRINT "FOR. PRESS THE NUMBER OF TH E":PRINT"LINE TO EDIT AND MAK E YOUR":PRINT"CHANGE. USE SHI FT @ TO SLOW":PRINT"DISPLAY

- 2005 PRINT: INPUT"PRESS ENTER TO 3400 AA=BE+100*NF+30:KK=PEEK(AA) CONTINUE"; PP 2Ø1Ø GOTO 6Ø 291Ø RETURN 2999 3 3000 PRINT"THIS PRINTS THE FILES ON 6 LINES FOR LABELS 3002 INPUT"ENTER 1 TO PRINT TELE PHONE NUMBERS"; TN 3006 NF=PEEK(9999):IF NF=0 THEN PRINT"THERE ARE NO FILES": INP UT"PRESS ENTER TO CONTINUE";W :RUN 3008 INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR PRINTER"; Ρ 3010 BE=10000: INPUT"ENTER FILE N UMBER OR PRESS RETURN FOR ALL FILES";N 3012 IF N>NF THEN PRINT"LARGEST FILE IS NF:GOTO30103965 NEXT K:RETURN3015 IF N>0 THEN NF=N ELSE IF N=
0 THEN NF-03980 AA=PEEK(136):AB=PEEK(137):P Ø THEN NF=Ø 3Ø16 CLS:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT 3020 PP=0:M=BE+100*NF 3Ø25 GOSUB 398Ø 3030 PRINT"THIS IS FILE #"NF:X=1 5:FOR $J=\emptyset$ TO 4 3032 IFJ=2 THEN 3400 'CHECK FOR EMPTY LINE 3Ø35 W=J+1 3Ø4Ø GOSUB 39ØØ 3045 IF J=3 AND P=1 THEN PRINT#-2,", ";:GOTO3Ø7Ø 3047 IF J=4 AND P=1 THEN PRINT#-2," ";:GO TO3Ø7Ø 2," ";:GO TOJUJU 3050 IF P=1 THEN PRINT#-2," " 3070 NEXT J 3080 X=10:M=M+75:J=0:W=6:GOSUB 3 900:IFP=1 THEN PRINT#-2," " 3082 J=1:W=7:AP=P:IF TF=0 THEN P =Ø 3Ø84 GOSUB 39ØØ:P=AP 3086 IF P=1 THEN PRINT#-2, CHR\$(1 3):IF KK=32 THEN PRINT#-2," " 3095 XX=PEEK(136):YY=PEEK(137) 3115 PRINT 312Ø NF=NF+1:IF NF=PEEK(9999) TH EN 3130 ELSE 3020 3130 INPUT"LAST FILE PRESS ENTER FOR MENU OR ENTER FILE NUMBE R TO CONTINUE"; X: IF X=Ø THEN RUN ELSE NF=X:GOTO3Ø2Ø 3200 PRINT: PRINT: NC=15: M=BE+100* NF: IF PP>5 THEN 3300 321Ø M=M+15*(PP-1):GO SUB19ØØ:GO TO3Ø2Ø
- 3300 NC=10:M=M+75+10*(PP-6):GO S UB 1900:GOTO 3020
- : IF KK=32 THEN NEXT J ELSE 30 35 3899 ' 3900 PRINTW;:FOR K=0 TO X-1 39Ø5 AX=M+X*J+K 3910 A=PEEK(AX):B=PEEK(AX+1):IF A=32 AND B=32 THEN 394Ø 3915 A\$=CHR\$(A):PRINTA\$;:IF P=1T HEN PRINT#-2, A\$; 3917 X\$=INKEY\$:IF X\$="" THEN 392 Ø ELSE 395Ø 392Ø NEXT K 394Ø PRINT: RETURN 3950 IF X\$="L" THEN INPUT"LINE N UMBER TO CHANGE"; PP:GOTO3200: RETURN 396Ø IF XS="F" THEN INPUT"NEW FI LE NUMBER"; NF:RETURN RINT@Ø, "PRESS F FOR DIFFERENT FILE & L TO CHANGE LINE": PO KE136, AA: POKE137, AB 3985 FOR LL=Q TO 800: NEXT LL: R ETURN 3999 END 4000 PRINT"THIS CLEARS ALL FILES ": INPUT" PRESS ENTER TO CLEAR FILES OR BREAK TO ABORT"; CF 4010 POKE 9999,0:RUN 5000 PRINT"THIS SORTS THE FILES" :PRINT"N NAME SORT":PRINT"T T ELEPHONE SORT": PRINT"Z ZIP CO DE SORT 5005 PRINT"PRESS M FOR MENU" 5010 INPUTS\$:N=PEEK(9999):S=1000 5012 '9999 CONTAINS THE NUMBER O F FILES 10000 IS THE START OF THE FIRST FILE 5Ø15 PRINT"S="S 5020 IF S\$="N" THEN GO SUB5200 E LSE IF S\$="T" THEN GOSUB 5600 ELSE IF S\$="Z" THEN GOSUB540 Ø ELSE GOTO 5000 5030 PRINT"SORTING COMPLETED": RU Ν 5199 ' 5200 PRINT"THIS SORTS ON NAMES" 52Ø1 ' 521Ø OS=Ø:GOSUB 58ØØ:RETURN 5399 ' 5400 PRINT"THIS SORTS ON ZIP COD ES" 54Ø1 ' 54Ø5 OS=7Ø
 - 541Ø GOSUB 58ØØ:RETURN

5599 / 5600 PRINT"THIS SORTS ON TELEPHO **NE NUMBERS** 5601 561Ø OS=85:GOSUB 58ØØ:RETURN 5799 ' 5800 X=NF-1:FOR J=0 TO X 'OS=AMO UNT OF OFFSET FROM BEGINNING OF FILE 58Ø5 FOR K=J+1 TO X 5807 PRINTJ:K 581Ø P=S+1ØØ*J+OS:Q=S+1ØØ*K+OS 582Ø FOR L=Ø TO 8 5830 M1=P+L:M2=Q+L:A=PEEK(M1):B=PEEK(M2)5840 IF A<B THEN GOTO 5870 5850 IF A=B THEN NEXT L 586Ø GO SUB 59ØØ 587Ø NEXT K:NEXT J:RETURN 5900 PRINT"EX "J" AND "K 591Ø P1=P-OS:Q1=Q-OS 595Ø XX=P1:GOSUB 599Ø:POKE5ØØ,MS :POKE5Ø1,LS:XX=P1+99:GOSUB 59 90:POKE 502,MS:POKE503,LS:XX= Q1:GOSUB 5990:POKE 504,MS:POK E5Ø5, LS 5960 EXEC 510:RETURN 599Ø MS=INT(XX/256):LS=XX-256*MS : RETURN 6000 PRINT"THIS SAVES THE FILES 6010 NF=PEEK(9999):BE=9999:EN=BE +100*NF+1:PRINT"NUMBER OF FIL ES="NF 6020 PRINT"BEGINNING="BE:PRINT"E NDING="EN 6025 Z=FREE(0):IF Z<10 THEN PRIN T"NOT ENOUGH ROOM": END 6026 PRINT"THERE ARE "Z" GRANULE S FREE" 6030 INPUT"ENTER NAME FOR FILES" ; N\$ 6040 SAVEM N\$, BE, EN, BE 6050 INPUT"PRESS ENTER FOR ANOTH ER SAVE OR PRESS 1 FOR MENU"; X: IF $X > \emptyset$ THEN 6 \emptyset 7000 INPUT"ENTER 1 FOR DIRECTORY ";X:IF X=1 THEN DIR 7010 INPUT"ENTER FILE TO LOAD"; F \$:LOADM F\$ 7020 PRINT"FILE "F\$" IS LOADED": RUN 9000 INPUT"MEMORY":M 9010 A = PEEK(M) : A = CHR (A)9020 PRINTM;A;CHR\$(A) 9030 X\$=INKEY\$:IF X\$="M" THEN 90 ØØ

9040 M=M+1:GOTO9010 9500 DATA190,1,244,16,190,1,248, 166,132,230,164,167,160,231,1 28 9510 DATA 188,1,246,35,243,57

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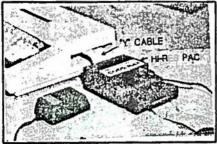
OPERATING HINT

If your computer hangs up while saving a program to a disk, press the reset button to stop the procedure. If you try to kill the file, you will destroy the other files on the disk. Copy the files you want to save onto another disk and reformat the disk and copy files back onto the reformatted disk.





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It lets you work on an area 3.5 times the size of the window on the screen. It's so friendly that you will easily recover from mistakes: The **undo** feature lets you revert to your image prior to the mistake. As usual, it only takes a single click.

Later, we will tell you about the "typesetting" capabilities of CoCo Max II, but first let's glance at a few of its graphic creation tools: With the **pencil** you can draw free hand lines, then use the **eraser** to make corrections or changes. For straight lines, the convenient **rubberbanding** lets you preview your lines before they are fixed on your picture. It's fun and accurate. Lines can be of any width and made of any color or texture.

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The *Glyphics* are 58 small drawings (symbols, faces, etc.) that can be used as rubber stamps. They're really great for enhancing your work without effort.



Pull down menus

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Control Over Your Work

CoCo Max's advanced "tools" let you take any part of the screen, (text or picture) and perform many feats:

• You can move it around • Copy it • Shrink or enlarge it in both directions • Save it on the electronic *Clipbook* • Flip it vertically or horizontally • Rotate it • Invert it • Clear it, etc. etc.

All this is done instantly, and you can always *undo* it if you don't like the results.

For detail work, the *fat bits* (zoom) feature is great, giving you easy control over each pixel. To top it all, CoCo Max II works in color. Imagine the pictures in this ad in color. If you own a Radio Shack CGP-220 or CGP-115, you can even print your work in full color!



There is so much more to say, such as the capability to use CoCo Max images with your BASIC programs, the possibility to use CoCo Max's magic on any standard binary image file. There are also many advanced features such as the incredible *lasso*.

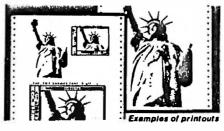


Inside the Hi-Res Input Pack

Why a Hi-Res Input Pack? Did you know that the CoCo joystick input port can only access 4096 positions (64x64)? That's less than 10% of the Hi-Res screen, which has 49152 points! (256x192). You lose 90% of the potential. The Hi-Res Input Pack distinguishes each of the 49152 distinct joystick or mouse positions. That's the key to CoCo Max's power. The pack plugs into the rom slot (like a rom cartridge). Inside the pack is a high speed multichannel analog to digital converter. Your existing joystick or mouse simply plugs into the back of the Hi-Res Pack.

Electronic Typesetting...

You'll be impressed with CoCo Max's capability. Text can be added and moved around anywhere on the picture. (You can also rotate, invert and flip It...) At a click, you can choose from 14 built in *fonts* each with 16 variations. That's over 200 typestyles !



Printing Your Creations There are a dozen ways to print your work. All are available with a click of your joystick (or mouse) without exiting CoCo Max. Your CoCo Max disk includes drivers for over 30 printers !

All the CoCo Max pictures are unretouched screen shots or printouts (Epson RX-80).



System Requirements:

Any 64K CoCo and a standard joystick or mouse. (The koala pad and the track ball work, but are not recommended.)

Disk systems need a Multi-Pak or our Y-Cable. CoCo Max is compatible with any Radio Shack DOS and ADOS.

Note: the tape version of CoCo Max includes almost all the features of CoCo Max II except Shrink, Stretch, Rotate, and Glyphics. Also, it has 5 fonts instead of 14.

CoCo Max is not compatible with JDOS, DoubleDOS, MDOS, OS-9, the X-pad, and Dalay Wheel Printers.

Printers Supported:

Epson MX, RX, FX and LX series, Gemini, Star, Micronix, Delta 10, 10X, 15, 15X, SG-10,Okidata 82A, 92, 93, C. Itoh Pro-writer, Apple Image-writer, Hewlett-Packard Thinkjet, Radio Shack DMP 100, 105, 110, 120, 200, 400, 500, Line Printer 7, Line Printer 8, TRP-100, CGP-220, IDMP-130 use Line Printer 8), PMC printera, Gorilla Banana. Color printing: CGP-200, CGP-115



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QUESTION: I received the sample copy (Nov. 86) of Dynamic Color News and love it! Attached is my check in the amount of \$15.00 to cover one year's subscription. I'd like to start with Dec. 86, and desire the following articles on "Ham Radio", programming, etc.

I wish to build the interface as described on page 29, but need the schematic or article on the power supply described last month. Can you provide a copy of that info?

Also do you have a list of articles, programs, etc. from previous issues? I am not experienced in computers, but do want to use my TRS-80 CCII with shortwave receivers, etc.

What is required to expand this to 64K? Have you covered a program for receiving Radioteletype (RTTY) and or Morse Code (CW) or is this coming?

ANSWER: The power supply is Radio Shack part # 277-1022. This is listed in their sales flyers. We cut off the connector and wired a header to interface with the circuit shown in our November issue.

This month we are giving software for keying a ham transmitter for on the air Morse code transmission. Programs for receiving Morse code and radioteletype will be coming soon.

There are two distinct versions of the color computer 2. The Korean version has two 18 pin 4464 chips. These can be upgraded to 256K with our upgrades. The older CC-2 had 8-16 pin chips. These were 4164 type chips and some were in sockets. We have upgrades for these up to 512K. The memory chips are near the 6883 SAM chip and have various markings on them depending upon the manufacturer. If you have sockets under the chips then we can provide a plug in upgrade which does not require soldering.

A list of articles is printed about every other month inside the back cover.

QUESTION: I am using your remark word processor and would like for it to pause and clear the screen before displaying additional information. How can this be done?

ANSWER: The vectors in locations 136 & 137 indicate the cursor's location. You can peek values these and stop the printing anywhere on the screen. For example enter the following program:

- 1 CLS 2 FOR J=1 TO 51Ø 3 ?"*"; 4 A=PEEK(136):B=PEEK(137) 5 ?@Ø,A;B 6 POKE 136,A:POKE137,B 7 NEXT J
- 8 INPUT X:GOTO 1

When the program is run, a * will be printed at each print position on the screen. The values of the vector are displayed at the top of the screen. You can enter a check in any basic program to cause something to happen for any value of A and B.

9 IF A=5 AND B=224 THEN GOSUB 100

A statement like the preceeding can be used to stop printing if the cursor is at the start of the 15th line.

We are excited about the support we are receiving. This issue marks the end of our third year of publishing "Dynamic Color News". We are now covering more material than ever, and the readers is response from our As I have very encouraging. stated many times, my biggest problem is organization. We have grown to about 40 pages and will have to start doing some things differently. We need to plan a schedule of what needs to be ready on certain dates and stick by the schedule.

Organization is very important in writing programs. Make an outline of what you want the program to do. Then write each section and concentrate on one thing at a time. It is easy to get side tracked and loose your objective.

If you will notice, we are getting more involved with hardware projects. I think many people are confused by the term "hardware". Hardware consists of electronic circuits that allow the computer to increase its capability. For instance we can add more memory chips to increase the memory, or we can build an interface circuit to allow the computer to control an external device. Once the interface is installed. then software is required to use the interface. Our emphasis has been on writing software which is required for any computer application.

In this issue we are showing how to use a joystick port for a voltmeter. With this circuit you can measure the value of batteries up to 15 volts. The hardware is fairly simple and needs to be supported with software. Also in our Ham Radio Series, we are providing software for using our interface circuit with a color computer as a Morse Code keyer for keying a transmitter. Since we are using a relay, this provides isolation and the same circuitry can be used for controlling lights or a motor.

We had a failure with our Color Computer 3 while using a new Radio Shack expander. There is a compatibility problem with the expander and a PAL chip needs to be replaced. I have written Radio Shack for a policy statement on geting the PAL replaced and will pass along any information they give us.

I want to thank all of you who have written letters and asked questions. We will print an answer to your questions in our Questions & Answers section. There seems to be a growing interest in this section.

In our programming series, we have added a sort section to our file manager program. This has a machine language subroutine and will sort on names, zip codes, and telephone numbers. We have had many requests for this type program.

As we start our fourth year we will be adding more articles. If you have a subject you would like for us to cover we would like to hear from you.

NEW PRODUCTS

This section is available free for producers and dealers of color computer products. These products have not been reviewed by us but are included for our reader's information.

Note: We do not have any new product information for this month. Dealers send us your new produt releases.

PRODUCT REVIEWS

This section is open to all producers and dealers of color computer products. We will review your product free of charge and write an editorial on the product. We do not use a rating system but will explain what the product does, and what can be expected from it. Any comments about the review from the firm submitting the product will be printed in a later issue.

DIGISECTOR DS-69 & DS/69A

Two digitizers from The Micro Works allows a video signal to be digitized and saved. The DS-69 is for a black and white camera and the DS-69A is for a color camera. After a television frame has been digitized, it can be saved to a cassette or disk, or printed to a printer.

A multipack Interface or PBJ C-C bus is required for a disk system. A Y cable can be used with the DS-69A. A camera, tape recorder, or other video source is required.

The software comes on disk and the DS-69 and DS- 69A are in cartridoes. Plug the cartridge into one of the slots of the expander interface. Make a backup copy of the software and put the original in a safe place. Next it is necessary to run a configuration program to configure the software for your hardware. In the CONFIG program you select the slot you are using for the cartridge plus the printer type.

There is a RCA type phono jack on the DS-69 and DS-69A. The video signal should be connected to this jack. It is a good idea to also connect a monitor so that the signal to be digitized can be viewed on the monitor. After configuring the software type 'RUN "C-SEE"'.

A menu appears allowing the following options:

- T- Take a single five level scan.
- G- Take a continuous five level scan.
- S- Set up and take a 128x128 16 level image.
- I- Set up and take a 256x256 16 level image.
- K- Display a 16 level image.
- D- Go to Disk Menu.
- A- Go to Cassette Menu.
- P- Go to Printer Menu.
- Q- Return to Basic.
- M- Toggle between the main menu and the 5 level picture.

Select "G" to continuously take 5 level scans. With this option you can see a rough image of your picture. If no video signal is present a message appears. It will probably be necessary to adjust the contrast and brightness. To do this press "C" and the image will appear along with a number indicating the contrast. Adjust this number with the arrow keys or joystick until the best picture occurs. It may be necessary to adjust the brightness. This is similar except you press the "B" key. The vertical and horizontal dithers can be adjusted in like manner. We did not find it necessary to make these adjustments.

After mastering the 5 level picture, we went to the 128 x 128 16 level image. This worked well and gave much better resolution than the 5 level picture. To use this press "S" from the menu and a scene will be presented. Adjust the "C" and "B" parameters until the best picture is on the screen. Then press the RETURN key to digitize the picture.

Next we went to the 256 x 256 level image. This gives 4 16 times the resolution of the 128 x 128 image. The procedure is Adjust C and V until the same. recognizable image appears on а the screen. Then press the RETURN key and the digitizing This takes about begins. 16 seconds to complete after which

you are returned to the main menu. A course representation of the 16 level picture can be obtained by pressing "K" from the menu. If this is not recognizable then it is necessary to perform the digitizing again before printing or saving the image.

After an image has been digitized, it can be printed on a dot matrix printer. We used an Epson FX-85 and had very good results in printing the images.

The digitized images can also be saved to a disk or cassette. Pressing "D" from the main menu brings up the disk menu. Pictures can be loaded or saved by using the disk menu. To save or load pictures from a cassette press "A" to access the cassette menu.

The 5 level pictures can be edited by using Magigraph, CoCo-Max, and Graphicom. Other graphic editors can be used if the extension is modified. The extension will have to be changed to be compatible with the editor.

Two other programs are included. "RANDAC" and "RANDACA" allow basic programs to digitize any of the 65536 points in a 256 x 256 picture. This operates by poking the X and Y coordinates two memory locations. Another location is peeked to show the brightness. This requires a total of 64K bytes to save a picture using this method.

Two programs are included. "SLOWPIC" digitizes each point as previously discussed and "BURGLAR" detects a change in the picture.

The DS-69 and DS-69A work as advertised. The DS-69 is advertised to work on a black and white camera. Since we had a color camera, the DS-69A did a better job. We were able to freeze a frame from a VCR, digitize it, and print it on our printer. We also digitized some pictures directly from our video camera. Proper lighting and a good background help give better results.

The DS-69 sells for \$99.95 and the DS-69A sells for \$149.95 + shipping. For more information contact The Microworks, P. D. Box 110, Del Mar, CA 92014

Note: We will have more product reviews next month. We have received several but have not had time to review them. Dealers send us your products for a free review. - Editor.

OPERATING HINT

Patch around bad sectors: If you have a file in a bad sector on your disk and wish to save another copy of the file, then save it under a different name. This will force the file to be placed in a different sector. Rename the file in the bad and then you can use its sector name to rename the new file. good file will then be The loaded whenever it is called.

OPERATING HINT

Motor Control - The motor relay can be used to drive another relay for control of devices. Although the commands "MOTOR ON" and "MOTOR OFF" work, they are slow. Faster turning on and off can be accomplished by POKE 65313,4 for Motor on and POKE 65313, 52 for Motor off.

OPERATING HINT

The vector in locations 135-6 determine the screen position of the cursor. The cursor can be moved to any screen location by poking values into these locations.

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