

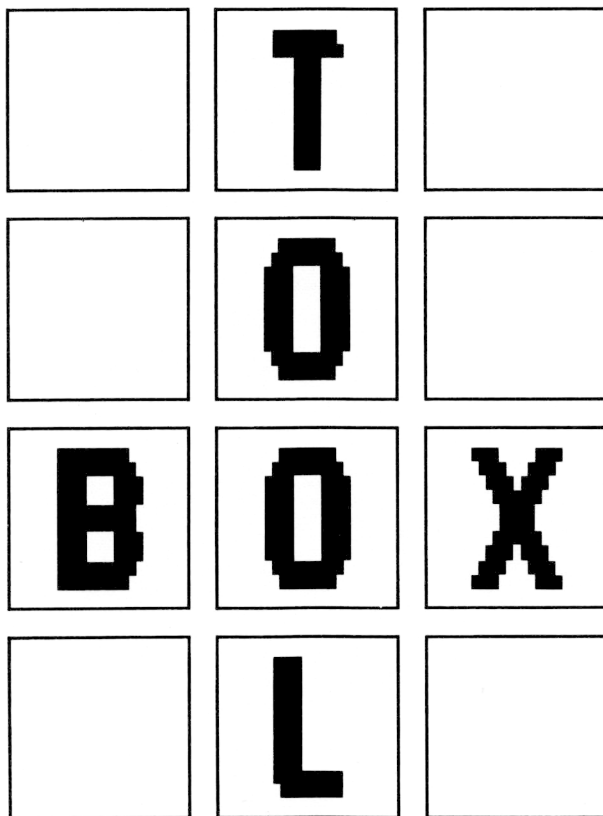


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INTRODUCTION

The BBC Microcomputer Programmer's Toolbox is a collection of 25 utility routines, divided into two main groups.

The first group consists of routines, either written in BASIC or as assembly language listings, which are intended to be incorporated into your own programs in order to make them more efficient or versatile. The routines are:

- Circle draw and fill
- Double-size characters
- Graphics dump
- Shape maker
- Sideways characters
- Sorting routines
- Speech chip number generator.

The second group of utilities are complete programs in their own right. They will help you to write, test and debug your own application programs. Most of them are loaded into the computer independently of any BASIC program which is already installed. The programs are:

- Character generator
- Cross referencer
- Disassembler
- Global replacer
- Packer
- RAM test
- REM stripper
- Resequencer
- Spacer
- Space remover
- Unpacker
- Variable dump

All of the utilities are recorded on the accompanying tape. Machine-code programs are in the form of object code. This manual describes how to load and use all of the routines. In addition, an annotated and commented source listing is printed at the end of each section so that you can relate the operating instructions to the code itself.

This manual is not intended to be a 'How to Write Programs' guide. We assume that you are reasonably competent in BASIC, so that we do not go into explanations of elementary principles, nor do we repeat information which is set

out in detail in the User Guide. On the other hand, we do not expect you to be able to program in assembly language. You can use all of the routines in the Toolbox knowing only BASIC.

Nevertheless, we have included the assembly language source listings for a number of reasons. If you can write in machine-code, we hope that you will be interested in studying how we have used the computer's facilities to produce the desired results. The programs also contain some subroutines which may be useful to you in their own right.

Murphy's Third Law of computer programming - 'There's always one more bug' - probably also applies to the Toolbox. Although we've tested the programs extensively, there's always one situation that we may have overlooked and which will cause a program to fail. If this happens to you, please accept our apologies in advance. However, we hope that after you have roundly cursed us, you might care to spend a few moments in trying to identify and cure the bug by examining the listings. If you do, we'd be very grateful to hear from you. Please write to:

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and he will forward your comments to the author.

One other reason for giving you the source listings is that you might want to use more than one of the programming utilities at the same time. For those of you who can already program in assembly language, all we need say is that you should use the disassembler to create a source listing from the object code, re-set the origin address and re-assemble it. For those of you for whom the last sentence might just as well have been written in Mongolian, there is a step-by-step explanation in the 'Using the Programming Utilities' section.

Finally, a few words about copyright. All of the programs in the Toolbox are copyrighted. However, we have no objection to your including the first group of programs (listed above) in your own programs. If your programs are distributed commercially, all that we require is for you to credit the source of the routines. The programs in the second group are another matter. Since they are not intended to be incorporated into larger programs, if you copy and re-distribute any of them, you are in breach of copyright. Just as 'shop-lifting' is sometimes used as a euphemism for stealing, 'software piracy' perhaps suggests that there is something daring and swashbuckling about it. There isn't - it is just plain theft and we will have no hesitation in bringing legal proceedings against anyone discovered committing the crime.

And after the heavyweight warning – a request. A second Toolbox is already in the planning stage. If you can suggest ways in which the present utilities could be enhanced or some further utilities which you would like us to include or if you have already written a utility that you would like us to consider for publication as part of a future Toolbox, please write to us c/o the Software Editor (address as before).

Some of the programs make calls to the Operating System and make use of facilities available from O.S. 1.0 and above.

USING THE PROGRAMMING UTILITIES

The Programming Utilities are:

| | <i>Tape name</i> | <i>Size (bytes)</i> |
|------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Cross referencer | XREF | &200 |
| Packer | PACKER | &200 |
| REM stripper | REMSTRP | &300 |
| Replacer | REPLACE | &200 |
| Resequencer | RESEQ | &300 |
| Spacer | SPACER | &200 |
| Space remover | CRUNCH | &100 |
| Unpacker | UNPACK | &300 |
| Variable dump | VARDUMP | &100 |

INSTALLING THE PROGRAMMING UTILITIES

The Programming Utilities are the programs in the Toolbox which, in some way, operate on a BASIC program or its variables but remain independent of it. XREF and VARDUMP simply scan the memory and report on what has been found, whereas the others make actual changes to the BASIC program. All of them are in machine-code.

Since the BASIC program must be in the computer's memory ('co-resident') in order for the utilities to work, they cannot be loaded into the area of RAM normally occupied by the BASIC program. We have to find some other space for them.

Tape-based Systems

In a tape-based system, there are 128 free bytes between locations &D00 and &D7F, which, regrettably, are not enough for our utilities. On a 32K computer, that really only leaves the BASIC workspace between &E00 and the bottom of the display area (HIMEM). You can move HIMEM down and BASIC will then not use the area of memory above it. However, HIMEM is reset whenever the Mode is changed. If you change from a low-resolution Mode to a higher-resolution Mode (e.g. Mode 5 to Mode 1), you will also over-write anything that was stored in the memory which now forms part of the enlarged screen display RAM (e.g. between locations &3000 and &57FF). It is therefore impractical to store a co-resident utility above HIMEM.

The alternative is to store it where the BASIC program would normally reside and force the BASIC program to move elsewhere. **PAGE** is the pseudo-variable which controls where a BASIC program is loaded and is normally automatically set by a tape-based system to location &E00.

The utilities need &100, &200 or &300 bytes of memory – the table above and the utility's instruction notes will tell you its particular memory requirements. If you set **PAGE = &F00**, you can use the &100-byte utilities. **PAGE = &1000** will give you room for both the &100- and &200-byte utilities and **PAGE = &1100** will let you use all of them.

You must set PAGE *before* you load or enter a BASIC program. If you set it after the program is in memory, you'll get a 'Bad program' error message. Once set, PAGE remains fixed until you alter it or until you press the Break key, even if you load, run or save several BASIC programs. Therefore, set PAGE to the required value at the very start of a programming session. Of course, you'll lose &100 to &300 bytes of otherwise free memory, but this should not be too much of a problem unless you are running a very big program with many variables or large arrays in a high-resolution Mode.

Disk-based Systems

We explain below how to transfer the programs from tape to disk. The tape includes versions of all the programming utilities suitable for use with disk-based systems.

The Disk Filing System has already grabbed a large chunk of memory from &E00 to &18FF but we can, with care, borrow some of it back.

There are five file buffers between &1400 and &18FF. Provided that your program doesn't open any files, this area should be a reasonably safe place to install one or more Toolbox utilities. We have assembled the disk versions of

the &300-byte programs at &1600, the &200-byte programs at &1700 and the &100 programs at &1800. Disk-users will be only too well aware of the problems of the additional memory constraints imposed by the DFS. You may already have been forced to write or run programs which borrow the disk buffers for variable storage (e.g. **LOMEM = &1400 : HIMEM = &1900**). Running such a program will, of course, over-write any utility stored in the same work-space.

Since we are not using the cassette filing system, we can also take over the two &100-byte buffers that are normally reserved for it. The two pages of memory from &900 to &AFF can be used to store all of the &100- and &200-byte programs. These buffers are also the RS423 input and output buffers and if, for instance, you use a serial printer, you should be aware that you will over-write any utilities stored there. It would be convenient to take over the next &100 bytes for our &300-byte utilities but the next page at &B00 contains the function key definitions and putting bytes in there creates unexpected results.

In fact, when using the utilities ourselves, we keep more than one in memory at the same time by moving one of them into the tape buffers, moving another to &1400 and loading a third utility at &1600. For example, a most useful combination when working on a BASIC program is XREF at &900, REPLACE at &1400 and RESEQ at &1600. We explain below how to move the programs around in the computer's memory.

As you now appreciate that we are taking over Operating System buffers for the utilities, you will see why we cannot unconditionally guarantee that they will work there properly. If you want to be absolutely safe, you must relocate the programs to &1900 (as described below), change PAGE and move your BASIC programs even higher up the memory.

BACK-UP COPIES AND TAPE-TO-DISK TRANSFERS

You should always make back-up copies of your programs.

First, we remind you that most of the programming utilities alter your BASIC programs. *Always* save a copy of your own program *before* you start making changes to it, in case you want to back-track or in the unlikely (we hope!) event of the utility crashing and damaging your program.

Secondly, you should make back-up copies of the Toolbox programs – as we said in the Introduction, not so that you can start up an illegal software factory, but to protect yourself against accidental damage to your tapes.

To copy a machine-code program, you need to know its size. You can find this out by using the ***OPT 1,2** command. (See page 398 of the User Guide.) When you load the program (as described in the next section), the computer will display the start and end addresses of the program. You can then re-save it, using these addresses, in accordance with the details on page 392 of the User Guide.

To transfer the programs to disk, change to tape with a ***TAPE** command, load the programs as described in the next section, change back to disk with ***DISK**, then save the programs with the ***SAVE** command as detailed on page 53 of the Disk System User Guide. Do not re-define the re-load or execution addresses. You will also need to use short file names – the tape names will usually do. For example, here are the steps that you would follow to transfer XREFDISK from tape to disk:

***TAPE**

***OPT 1,2**

***LOAD XREFDISK** (the display will inform you that the start address is &1700 and the length is &1E4)

***Press BREAK** (to reset to DISK and to clear the Disk Control Block)

***SAVE XREF 1700 18E4**

LOADING THE UTILITIES

With tape-based systems, remember to set PAGE as necessary – see above.

If you are loading a program from tape in order to copy or disassemble it, type

***OPT 1,2**

The command to load a machine-code program (for both tape- and disk-based systems) is

***LOAD filename**

If you want to load-and-run it, type

***RUN filename**

(Don't try CHAIN – it won't work and it will splatter the utility all over your BASIC program.)

With disk-based systems instead of ***RUN filename**, you can type

***filename**

provided that, with two drives, the utility is on the library disk (see page 45 of the Disk System User Guide).

Also with disks, you can make use of the ***EXEC** command. For example, you

could create a SQUEEZE file which contains the commands:

*REMSTRP

Y

*CRUNCH

*PACKER

REN.

This would give you an automated link between the three program-squeezing utilities. (Please refer further to page 30 of the DFS Manual.)

RE-LOCATING THE PROGRAMS

You may decide that you would like to have two (or more) of the utilities in memory at the same time, so that you can use them together on a BASIC program, instead of having to use one, then load the second, use it, and so on.

This section assumes that even if you cannot program fluently in assembly language, you have at least read the relevant section of the User Guide (pages 442-9) and understand the principles of the use of the BBC assembler.

As mentioned above and subject to the limitations referred to there, disk users can put the re-located utilities into the areas of memory between &900 and &AFF and between &1400 and &18FF. Tape users will have to raise the position of PAGE to give themselves more memory for the extra utilities, as will disk users who want to install, say, two &300-byte programs.

Unless a machine-code program is written in what is known as 'relocatable' code, it must be loaded into the same addresses in memory for which it was written. This means that if you want to load one of the utilities somewhere other than at its original location, you will need to re-assemble it with a new starting address.

Begin by resetting PAGE if necessary. Otherwise, when you re-assemble the machine-code program, you could find it writing all over your source code!

Secondly, disassemble the object code (the actual program on tape), using the Toolbox Disassembler. You should now have an assembly language listing in the form of a BASIC program. It should resemble the source listing printed in this manual, but without the variable names. Add these with the help of Replacer. You needn't add anything starting with a reverse oblique ('\'), since those are only comment statements.

Next, add the FOR . . . NEXT loop commands and, if applicable, the procedures for adding strings to the end of the programs. You can test the

assembly at this stage by running the BASIC program. It should assemble without error messages, simply displaying the start address twice on the screen. Now find the line near the start of the listing:

```
org = & . . . .
```

This is where to set the new starting address of your program. If you re-run the program with a new address assigned to the variable **org**, the machine-code will be assembled there. For example, if you want to locate the program at &1100, you would change the line to:

```
org = &1100
```

All that remains is to save the new object code with the *SAVE command. The starting address is, of course, set by **org** and the end address is the value of the variable **P%** after assembly. (Remember to use hexadecimal numbers – **PRINT ~ P%**.)

Here are the steps that you would go through in order to re-locate the tape version of VARDUMP to a new location at &1000:

```
PAGE = &1100 (&1000 + &100 bytes for the machine-code program)
```

```
*OPT 1,2 (to display the start address and length of the machine-code)
```

```
RUN "DISASS" (with the 'SPOOL' option on – see DISASS instructions) and disassemble the machine-code
```

```
NEW
```

```
*EXEC DUMP
```

Add assembly instructions and variable names (copy them from VARDUMP's source listing)

```
Edit 'org = &1000'
```

```
RUN (to assemble the code)
```

```
PRINT ~ P%
```

```
*SAVE VARDUMP 1000 aaaa (where aaaa is the address obtained from the last step)
```

'TACKED-ON' BYTES

All of the utilities which scan BASIC programs check whether they have reached the end by looking for the 'end-of-program' byte &FF. There are techniques for adding extra bytes to the end of a BASIC program to hold, perhaps, a machine-code subroutine or some data. These involve moving the &FF byte to beyond the extra items to be added to the BASIC program. When the Toolbox utilities reach these extra bytes, they are treated just as if they are lines of a BASIC program. Since they aren't, the utilities will be unable to interpret them properly and will probably crash.

Unless you understand how to decode the raw bytes of a BASIC program, we are sorry that we cannot offer you much help if you are trying to cope with such a BASIC program.

HIDDEN CONTROL CHARACTERS

A BASIC program, in the form that is stored in the computer's memory, contains single 'token' bytes which correspond to the BASIC keywords. There is a table of the keywords and tokens in the SPACER utility instructions.

Normally, these tokens are unique and do not appear elsewhere in a BASIC program. For example, line-number references are encoded into three bytes, preceded by the token &8D (141 in decimal). In order to check line-references, some of the utilities scan the BASIC program, looking for &8D tokens. You may recognise CHR\$141 as the Mode 7 control code for double-height characters. There will not be a problem with a line containing a command such as:

```
PRINT CHR$141 "HELLO"
```

However, if you include the actual code *within* a string, as in :

```
PRINT "cHELLO"
```

where **c** represents the (invisible) ASCII character 141, the utilities will be unable to decode the following three bytes and might crash.

ESCAPE AND BREAK

You cannot interrupt the programming utilities with the Escape key, only the Break key. If you do stop, say, PACKER in the middle of its run, you will probably corrupt the BASIC program on which it is working. That is another reason why we recommend that you should always make back-up copies of your BASIC programs before using the programming utilities on them.

THE INSTRUCTIONS

When you read through the instructions, you'll notice that we keep repeating sections of the notes. We make no excuse for failing to be creatively original! Our aim was to try to make the method of using the Toolbox utilities as similar as possible, so you can move easily from one to the other.

USER-DEFINABLE CHARACTER GENERATOR

The purpose of this program is to provide you with a simple way of creating your own character set and to edit individual character shapes without the need to carry out any of the calculations described on pages 170-1 of the User Guide.

The program is called CHARGEN. It is written in BASIC, so CHAIN or LOAD-and-RUN it.

When the program starts, you'll see a grid on the left of the screen. This is used to display an enlarged 8 × 8 pattern of your selected character.

Below it is the prompt **CHR\$?**.

Type in the ASCII number (in decimal) of the character that you want to create or edit. The program will only accept numbers in the range 32 to 255.

When you enter a number, the program will display a 'magnified' view of the corresponding character in the large grid. It will also display the character, at normal size, in the small red box below the prompt line. The normal-sized character is re-displayed whenever you make an editing change in the large grid so that you can constantly review the effect of the alterations that you are making.

In the bottom left-hand corner of the screen are the eight hexadecimal double-byte numbers which represent the bit pattern of the current shape, preceded by 'VDU 23' and the character's ASCII number. This command line is what you will need to insert into your own program in order to re-create the character.

On the right-hand half of the screen is a display of 48 characters as currently defined together with their ASCII numbers. When the program starts, ASCII characters 208 to 255 will be shown.

Characters 224 to 255 will probably be the characters that you will use the most, since they are not pre-defined within the Operating System. Furthermore, you do not need any extra memory to use them.

With Operating System 1.0 and above, if you re-define characters 32 to 127, you will change the characters which you can type on the keyboard. You can also re-define characters 128 to 223. If you want to do so, you'll first need to reset PAGE in order to make room for the new character definitions. You should refer to pages 427 and 428 of the User Guide for full details. Note, however, that there is a printing error at the beginning of the seventh paragraph on page 427. It should read 'After a *FX 20,6 command' instead of 'After a *FX 20,1 command'. The second parameter of the *FX 20 command depends on how many extra character blocks you want to use. The table, which you could

incorporate into the table at the bottom of page 427, is as follows:

ASCII code

| | |
|------------|----------|
| &80 to &9F | *FX 20,0 |
| &A0 to &BF | *FX 20,1 |
| &C0 to &DF | *FX 20,2 |
| &E0 to &FF | *FX 20,3 |
| &20 to &3F | *FX 20,4 |
| &40 to &5F | *FX 20,5 |
| &60 to &7F | *FX 20,6 |

Remember that if you leave the character set in its normal, 'imploded' form, any new characters created by you will be automatically mapped on to four other characters at 32-byte intervals below it (please see the preceding paragraph on page 427 of the User Guide).

Here are the editing and other commands that the program uses:

The **cursor move keys** (up, down, left and right) will move the cursor around the grid. The cursor wraps around at the end of each line and at the top and bottom of the grid.

The **space bar** fills one small square in the grid at the current position of the cursor.

X clears the bit at the cursor's position.

N signifies acceptance of the current shape and the start of a new character definition.

C cancels any editing done on the current character and restores the bit pattern as it was when the character was first loaded into the grid, even if another character has been subsequently 'copied' into the grid (as explained below).

I inverts the bit pattern of the character. It effectively transforms the character from white-on-black to black-on-white.

R rotates the character shape 90 degrees in a clockwise direction.

M creates a mirror image of the character.

F causes the ASCII character display on the right of the screen to scroll forward.

B causes it to scroll back. These two commands will not work until you have specified an ASCII number in response to the command line prompt. You cannot scroll below 32 or above 255.

The **COPY** key will copy the next character typed into the editing grid. For example, if you wanted to make up, say, a lower-case 'a' with a German umlaut (two dots) over it as ASCII character 224, you would first enter 224 in response to the **CHR\$?** prompt. Then press the **COPY** key followed by a lower-case letter 'a'. You can now add the dots. The original lower-case 'a' will not be affected.

You can also use the **COPY** key facility to create a whole series of similar characters. On Operating System 1.0, the command ***FX 225,224** in the program causes the red function keys, when pressed at the same time as the **CTRL** key, to produce ASCII characters 224 to 233. So, you can create character 224, type **N** for a new character, specify 225 as the next character to be defined, then press **COPY** followed by **CNTRL** and red key f0 (pressed together). In that way, you can bring copies of characters 224 to 233 back into the editing grid without re-defining the original shape.

P causes the **VDU 23 . . .** command displayed in the bottom left-hand corner of the screen to be sent to a printer (as a single line). The program assumes that a parallel printer is connected. You will need to insert appropriate commands into the program for a serial printer (***FX 5** and ***FX 8**) or to enable line-feeds (***FX 6**). There is a bug in some early versions of the Operating System. **VDU 21**, which causes output to be sent to the printer without being echoed on the screen, inhibits line-feeds on the bugged versions. If you have this problem, you'll need to patch **PROCvdu23** and use the **VDU 1** command inside of the printing loop to send output, one character at a time, to the printer.

Exit the program by pressing **Escape**. The effect of your editing will remain in memory. However, you should now type into your program the **VDU 23** commands to re-create the new character shapes, in case they get over-written by another program. You can try the shapes out in your program and then return to **CHARGEN** to edit them further.

There are several techniques that you can use to join characters together in order to make up larger shapes for animation. Some of these ideas are contained in programs which form part of the 'Making the Most of the Micro' package.

```

10 REM USER-DEFINABLE CHARACTER
   GENERATOR
20  :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40  :
50 ON ERROR GOTO 940
60  :
70 MODE 1
80  :
90 REM Shift-function keys for
   CHR#224/233 (OS 1+)
100 *FX 225,224
110  :
120 REM Cursor-move keys off
130 *FX 4,1
140  :
150 @% = &304 : REM Print field width
160  :
170 DIM
   BIT%(7,7),HOLD%(7,7),TEMP%(7,7),
   BYTE%(7)
180  :
190 REM Set up A,X,Y registers for
   osword call
200 A% = 10
210 DIM X%8
220 Y% = X% DIV &100
230  :
240 TBL = 224 : REM Table pointer
250  :
260 REPEAT
270   PROCframe
280   PROCTable (TBL-16)
290   VDU 23;&670A;0;0;0; : REM Normal
   cursor
300   VDU 23,1,1;0;0;0;
310   *FX 15,1
320   :

```

```

330 REPEAT
340 PRINT TAB(11,21) SPC3 : REM
    Wipe previous number
350 PRINT TAB(4,21) "CHR# ? ";
360 N = FNinput
370 IF N > 31 AND N < 256 THEN OK =
    TRUE ELSE OK = FALSE : VDU 7
380 UNTIL OK
390 :
400 PRINT TAB(9,21) " : ";N
410 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0;
420 :
430 PROCchar (N)
440 PROCvdu23 (TRUE)
450 :
460 REM Save starting pattern
470 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
480 FOR J% = 0 TO 7
490 HOLD%(I%,J%) = BIT%(I%,J%)
500 NEXT
510 NEXT
520 :
530 X = 0
540 Y = 0
550 VDU 23,1,1;0;0;0;
560 :
570 REPEAT
580 PRINT TAB(X*2 + 1,Y*2 + 4);
590 VDU 23;&650A;0;0;0; : REM Fat
    cursor
600 *FX 15,1
610 K = GET
620 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0;
630 :
640 IF K = &87 THEN PROCchar (GET)
    : PROCcreate : REM Copy
650 IF K = &88 THEN X = X-1 : REM
    Left
660 IF K = &89 THEN X = X+1 : REM
    Right

```

Character generator

```

670      IF K = &8A THEN Y = Y+1 : REM
        Down
680      IF K = &8B THEN Y = Y-1 : REM
        Up
690      :
700      IF K = 32 THEN PROCbit_on : REM
        Space
710      K$ = CHR$(K AND &DF) : REM Mask
        input to upper-case
720      IF K$ = "X" THEN PROCbit_off
730      IF K$ = "C" THEN PROCcancel
740      IF K$ = "I" THEN PROCinvert
750      IF K$ = "M" THEN PROCmirror
760      IF K$ = "R" THEN PROCrotate
770      IF K$ = "F" AND TBL < 224 THEN
        PROCTable (TBL)
780      IF K$ = "B" AND TBL > 63 THEN
        PROCTable (TBL - 32)
790      IF K$ = "P" THEN PROCvdu23
        (FALSE)
800      PROCvdu23 (TRUE)
810      :
820      IF X > 7 THEN X = 0 : Y = Y +
        1
830      IF X < 0 THEN X = 7 : Y = Y -
        1
840      IF Y > 7 THEN Y = 0
850      IF Y < 0 THEN Y = 7
860      UNTIL K$ = "N"
870      :
880      UNTIL FALSE
890      :
900      END
910      :
920      :
930      REM Error trap
940      MODE 6
950      @% = &90A
960      *FX 4
970      *FX 225,1

```

```

980 IF ERR <> 17 THEN REPORT : PRINT "
    at line "; ERL
990 END
1000 ;
1010 ;
1020 DEF PROCalter
1030 VDU 23,N
1040 ;
1050 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
1060     VDU BYTE%(I%)
1070     NEXT
1080 ;
1090 ENDPROC
1100 ;
1110 ;
1120 DEF PROCbit_off
1130 BIT%(X,Y) = FALSE
1140 PROCblock (X,Y)
1150 BYTE%(Y) = BYTE%(Y) AND (&FF -
    2^(7-X)) : REM Mask bit off
1160 PROCalter
1170 X = X + 1
1180 ENDPROC
1190 ;
1200 ;
1210 DEF PROCbit_on
1220 BIT%(X,Y) = TRUE
1230 PROCblock (X,Y)
1240 BYTE%(Y) = BYTE%(Y) OR 2^(7-X) :
    REM Mask bit on
1250 PROCalter
1260 X = X + 1
1270 ENDPROC
1280 ;
1290 ;
1300 DEF PROCblock (X,Y)
1310 IF BIT%(X,Y) THEN GCOL 0,131 ELSE
    GCOL 0,128
1320 VDU 24,X*&40;-Y*&40;X*&40 + &38;&38
    - Y*&40;

```

```

1330 CLG
1340 COLOUR 128
1350 ENDPROC
1360 :
1370 :
1380 DEF PROCcancel
1390 :
1400 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
1410   FOR J% = 0 TO 7
1420     BIT%(I%,J%) = HOLD%(I%,J%)
1430     NEXT
1440   NEXT
1450 :
1460 PROCcreate
1470 PROCfill
1480 PROCvdu23 (TRUE)
1490 ENDPROC
1500 :
1510 :
1520 REM Explode the character's bits
      into an array
1530 DEF PROCchar (N)
1540 ?X% = N
1550 CALL &FFF1
1560 :
1570 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
1580   BYTE%(I%) = X%?(I%+1)
1590   M% = &80
1600   FOR J% = 0 TO 7
1610     IF (X%?(I%+1) AND M%) THEN
          BIT%(J%,I%) = TRUE ELSE
          BIT%(J%,I%) = FALSE
1620     M% = M% DIV 2
1630     NEXT
1640   NEXT
1650 :
1660 PROCfill
1670 ENDPROC
1680 :
1690 :

```

```
1700 REM Create VDU 23 line from array
1710 DEF PROCcreate
1720 VDU 23,N
1730 ;
1740 FOR IX% = 0 TO 7
1750     B% = 0
1760     M% = &80
1770     FOR J% = 0 TO 7
1780         IF BIT%(J%,IX%) THEN B% = B% +
            M%
1790         M% = M% DIV 2
1800     NEXT
1810     VDU B%
1820     BYTE%(IX%) = B%
1830 NEXT
1840 ;
1850 ENDPROC
1860 ;
1870 ;
1880 DEF PROCfill
1890 ;
1900 FOR IX% = 0 TO 7
1910     FOR J% = 0 TO 7
1920         PROCblock (IX%,J%)
1930     NEXT
1940 NEXT
1950 ;
1960 ENDPROC
1970 ;
1980 ;
1990 DEF PROCframe
2000 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0;
2010 CLS
2020 ;
2030 REM Big box
2040 COLOUR 129
2050 VDU 28,0,2,17,2
2060 CLS
2070 VDU 28,17,19,17,2
2080 CLS
```

```
2090 VDU 28,0,19,17,19
2100 CLS
2110 VDU 28,0,19,0,2
2120 CLS
2130 VDU 26
2140 :
2150 COLOUR 128
2160 GCOL 0,2
2170 :
2180 VDU 29,0;~&40;
2190 :
2200 REM Horiz. grid
2210 FOR I% = &60 TO &1E0 STEP &40
2220     MOVE I%,&3DF
2230     DRAW I%,&1E0
2240     NEXT
2250 :
2260 REM Vert. grid
2270 FOR I% = &220 TO &3A0 STEP &40
2280     MOVE &20,I%
2290     DRAW &21F,I%
2300     NEXT
2310 :
2320 REM Small box
2330 GCOL 0,1
2340 MOVE &110,&130
2350 PLOT 1,&40,0
2360 PLOT 1,0,-&40
2370 PLOT 1,-&40,0
2380 PLOT 1,0,&40
2390 VDU 29,&24;&364;
2400 ENDPROC
2410 :
2420 :
2430 DEF FNinput
2440 IN$ = ""
2450 SIZE = 0
2460 :
```



```
2470 REPEAT
2480   K$ = GET$
2490   OK = FALSE
2500   IF INSTR("0123456789",K$) AND
      SIZE < 3 THEN SIZE = SIZE + 1 :
      IN$ = IN$ + K$ : OK = TRUE
2510   IF K$ = CHR$127 AND SIZE > 0 THEN
      SIZE = SIZE - 1 : IN$ =
      LEFT$(IN$,SIZE) : OK = TRUE
2520   IF SIZE AND K$ = CHR$13 THEN OK =
      TRUE
2530   IF OK THEN PRINT K$; ELSE VDU 7
2540   UNTIL K$ = CHR$13
2550 :
2560 = VAL IN$
2570 :
2580 :
2590 DEF PROCinvert
2600 :
2610 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
2620   FOR J% = 0 TO 7
2630     BIT%(I%,J%) = NOT BIT%(I%,J%)
2640     NEXT
2650   NEXT
2660 :
2670 PROCcreate
2680 PROCfill
2690 ENDPROC
2700 :
2710 :
2720 DEF PROCmirror
2730 PROCtemp
2740 :
2750 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
2760   T% = 7 - I%
2770   FOR J% = 0 TO 7
2780     BIT%(I%,J%) = TEMP%(T%,J%)
2790     NEXT
2800   NEXT
2810 :
```

```
2820 PROCcreate
2830 PROCfill
2840 ENDFPROC
2850 :
2860 :
2870 DEF PROCrotate
2880 PROCtemp
2890 :
2900 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
2910     T% = 7 - I%
2920     FOR J% = 0 TO 7
2930         BIT%(I%,J%) = TEMP%(J%,T%)
2940     NEXT
2950 NEXT
2960 :
2970 PROCcreate
2980 PROCfill
2990 ENDFPROC
3000 :
3010 :
3020 DEF PROCtable (N)
3030 REM Show 48 characters
3040 :
3050 FOR I% = 0 TO 18 STEP 8
3060     FOR J% = 0 TO 30 STEP 2
3070         PRINT TAB(18 + I%,J%) N " "
3080         CHR%N;
3090     NEXT
3100 NEXT
3110 :
3120 TBL = N - 32
3130 ENDFPROC
3140 :
3150 :
3160 DEF PROCtemp
3170 :
```

```
3180 FOR I% = 0 TO 7
3190   FOR J% = 0 TO 7
3200     TEMP%(I%,J%) = BIT%(I%,J%)
3210     NEXT
3220   NEXT
3230 ;
3240 ENDPROC
3250 ;
3260 ;
3270 DEF PROCvdu23 (SCRN)
3280 IF SCRN THEN PRINT TAB(9,25) CHR$N
    TAB(0,28); ELSE VDU 2 : VDU 21
3290 PRINT "VDU 23,";N ", ";
3300 IF SCRN THEN PRINT
3310 ;
3320 FOR I% = 0 TO 7 STEP 2
3330   PRINT "&";
3340   FOR J% = 1 TO 0 STEP -1
3350     IF BYTE%(I%+J%) < &10 THEN
        PRINT; 0;
3360     PRINT; ^BYTE%(I%+J%);
3370     NEXT
3380   PRINT ";";
3390   IF I% = 2 AND SCRN THEN PRINT
3400   NEXT
3410 ;
3420 IF NOT SCRN THEN PRINT : VDU 6 :
    VDU 3
3430 ENDPROC
```

CIRCLE DRAW AND FILL

This is a short BASIC program which demonstrates two ways in which to draw circles quickly and then fill them with solid colour.

So as not to slow the program down unnecessarily, we have not added any REM statements to the code itself and we have used one- and two-character integer variable names.

The radius of the circles is set by the variable **R%** in line 80.

PROCcircle1 uses trigonometry to calculate the x,y co-ordinates of one quadrant of the circle. If the x,y graphics origin is set to the centre of the circle with a **VDU 29** command, it is very easy to plot the other three quadrants at the same time, since they are all reflected images of the first quadrant.

PROCcircle2 uses Pythagoras to calculate the circumference. Again, the idea of mirroring the quadrants is used. Notice that **R% * R%** only needs to be evaluated once and so a new variable **R2%** is created outside of the drawing loop.

Sines and cosines produce the best-shaped circles, but the calculation time is longer than with the Pythagoras algorithm. (Compare the displayed times and the circumference lines, particularly around the ends of the horizontal diameter.) One way of reducing the drawing time is to carry out the calculations in advance of the drawing. Create two arrays **X%()** and **Y%()** and store the values of the x,y co-ordinates in them. Then, when it is time to draw the circles, a loop containing the single command **DRAW X%(I%),Y%(I%)** will show a noticeable increase in speed. As before, you could use the 'mirror' idea to save having to calculate more than one quadrant. It would also cut down the amount of memory that you would need for the array, although it will mean that you will still need the two nested loops for the plus and minus multiplications.

What you are effectively doing is creating a so-called 'look-up table'. BBC BASIC, in common with almost all other microcomputer BASICs, calculates trigonometric values whenever they are called for by the user's program. However, if you know that you are going to use a limited number of such values (such as for angles between 0 and 90 degrees in 5-degree steps) several times over in your program, you could effect a significant saving in drawing time by creating a look-up table. If your circles (or arcs or quadrants for that matter) have different radii, only store the sine and cosine values in the arrays. Since the values will be floating point numbers, you mustn't use integer arrays in this instance. When the program needs to do the drawing, do a simple multiplication of the radius against the array values inside of your drawing loop, e.g. **DRAW**

R% * X(I%), R% * Y(I%). If you experiment with a series of concentric circles, you'll soon see the improvement! We have used this technique in the SHAPER utility.

Both of our circle-drawing procedures end with a call to **PROCfill**. It utilises a facility available in O.S 1.2, the line-fill **PLOT** option. **PLOT** commands in the range 72 to 79 will cause a horizontal line to be drawn outwards in both directions from the x,y co-ordinate specified until there is a collision with a pixel of a different colour. One special requirement of the command is that the current foreground and background colours set by **GCOL** must be different, even if the area to be filled is already a different colour from the filling colour. The seven variations in the command are the same as for other **PLOT** commands (see page 319 of the User Guide).

```

10 REM **** CIRCLE FILL ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 :
50 MODE 1
60 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0;
70 :
80 R% = &100
90 :
100 TIME = 0
110 PROCcircle_1 (R%,&140,&200,1)
120 PRINT TAB(9,0); TIME
130 :
140 TIME = 0
150 PROCcircle_2 (R%,&3C0,&200,2)
160 PRINT TAB(28,0); TIME
170 END
180 :
190 :
200 DEF PROCcircle_1 (R%,X%,Y%,C%)
210 LOCAL A, X%, Y%
220 :
230 VDU 29, X%; Y%;
240 GCOL 0, C%
250 X% = 0

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```

260 y% = R%
270 ;
280 FOR A = 0 TO RAD 91 STEP RAD 2
290   X% = R% * SIN A
300   Y% = R% * COS A
310   FOR QX% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
320     FOR QY% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
330       MOVE x% * QX%,y% * QY%
340       DRAW X% * QX%,Y% * QY%
350     NEXT
360   NEXT
370   x% = X%
380   y% = Y%
390 NEXT
400 ;
410 PROCfill
420 ENDPROC
430 ;
440 ;
450 DEF PROCcircle_2 (R%,X%,Y%,C%)
460 LOCAL x%,y%,R2%
470 ;
480 VDU 29,X%;Y%;
490 GCOL 0,C%
500 R2% = R% * R%
510 x% = 0
520 y% = R%
530 ;
540 FOR X% = 0 TO R% STEP 4
550   Y% = SQR(R2% - X%*X%)
560   FOR QX% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
570     FOR QY% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
580       MOVE x% * QX%,y% * QY%
590       DRAW X% * QX%,Y% * QY%
600     NEXT
610   NEXT
620   x% = X%
630   y% = Y%
640 NEXT
650 ;

```

```
660 PROCfill
670 ENDPROC
680 :
690 :
700 DEF PROCfill
710 :
720 FOR Y% = -R% TO R% STEP 4
730   PLOT 77,0,Y%
740   NEXT
750 :
760 ENDPROC
```

PROGRAM CROSS-REFERENCER

XREF is a machine-code utility which will produce a list of all the line-numbers of lines in a BASIC program which contain a variable, a keyword or text designated by you. Alternatively, instead of displaying the line numbers, it will list out the lines themselves.

There are two versions of the program on the tape, XREF is the version for use with tape-based computers. It resides between &E00 and &FFF. XREFDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1700 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which, the tape and disk versions of the programs operate identically.

The utility is co-resident, that is, it will remain in the computer's memory whilst you load, run and save BASIC programs, until you over-write it.

Before you use XREF, you'll need to set up three function keys - any keys will do.

Program the keys:

- KEY 1 0!HFind?
- KEY 2 CALL&E00!K!M
- KEY 3 CALL&E06!K!M

If you like, you can add a space after the question mark at the end of the first key's string. If you want to use keys other than 1, 2 and 3, you'll obviously use different key numbers when setting them up. If you are using the disk version of the program, the second and third key strings will be

- KEY 2 CALL&1700!K!M
- KEY 3 CALL&1706!K!M

The utility temporarily adds a new line 0 to your BASIC program (which it subsequently deletes) and so your program must not already contain a line 0. If it does, it will be lost.

To use the utility, press the first function key and the message **Find ?** will appear on the screen. Type in what you want to find (let's call it the 'target' from now on) followed by Return. Subject to what we have to say below about specifying numbers and keywords, you can enter whatever you want - variable names, keywords, text or any combination of them. The target is stored by the utility in half of the computer's keyboard input buffer, so don't enter more than 127 characters at a time or you'll start to over-write other buffers with undefined results.

What you have done at this point is to cause a new line 0 to be added to the program in memory, containing the target. (If you wonder why this is necessary,

the reason is in order to use the parser in ROM to create tokens from BASIC keywords.)

There are a number of points to bear in mind from this process.

Be careful if your target might appear in different contexts in the program. For example, if you want to find the variable **ABZ**, and you give just the letter **A** as your target, every occurrence of that character in your program will be listed.

If you do not proceed to the second stage of the utility (by pressing the second function key), you will be left with an unwanted line 0, which will probably cause a syntax error unless you delete it before running the program.

The utility will search for the target in the exact form in which you have typed it. Therefore, be accurate – particularly with spaces.

One advantage of using the parser is that you can type in the truncated form of BASIC keywords. If you are looking for, say, **PRINT "HELLO"**, you can type: **P. "HELLO"**

Because your target is tokenised, you must include the full word (don't type **SUB 1000** instead of **GOSUB 1000**) and all necessary brackets in accordance with the list of tokens on pages 483–4 of the User Guide. For instance, if you want to find **LEFT\$**, you must type **LEFT\$(** (and not just **LEFT\$**).

The final point is that you must not begin your target with a number, since it will be parsed as part of the line number and you will add a new and unwanted line somewhere else in the program! Since numbers within a line can almost always be related to another command, e.g. **GOSUB**, or a mathematical symbol, include that as the start of the target.

Having entered your target, press the second function key if you want a 'full' listing or the third function key if you only want a line-number list.

If the utility cannot find your target anywhere in the BASIC program, it will respond with **Not Found**. (It will also give this message if you don't enter a target in the first place.) Otherwise, it will either list out the individual lines or produce a single list of line-numbers in which your target occurs.

If you are using the full listing option, XREF will stop after every line and wait for a key-press. We suggest that you use the space-bar. Do not use the function keys for these key-presses, since they will send a command line into the input buffer and create havoc. If you incorrectly use the function keys, you may see the message **Mistake** on the screen. However, a few more key-presses will make XREF crash and you'll have to press the Break key to recover.

XREF is not intended to be used with a printer. The reason is that it generates BASIC commands (which you may see flash on to the screen before a reverse line-feed obscures them) and these would be displayed in a print-out.

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes, hidden control characters and other general hints.

The utility contains routines which demonstrate how to generate BASIC commands from within a machine-code program. We decided to take this approach rather than to access the BASIC ROM directly, so that the utility would not be dependent on the existence of code at specific addresses in the BASIC ROM. There are also useful routines in XREF for hex to decimal number conversion and string searching.

```

10 REM LISTER & CROSS REFERENCER
20 ;
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 ;
50 DIM msg(4),OSCL 21
60 find$ = "Find ? "
70 PROCoscli ("KEY 1 0|H" + find$)
80 ;
90 page = &18
100 ;
110 memloc = &70 ; REM &71
120 linenum = &72 ; REM &73
130 number = &74 ; REM &75
140 mod10 = &76 ; REM &77
150 temp = &78 ; REM &79
160 length = &80
170 lenfake = &81
180 size = &82
190 ysave = &83
200 flag = &84
210 chars = &85
220 ;
230 buffer = &780 ; REM In keyboard
    buffer
240 ;

```

```

250 osrdch = &FFE0
260 osnewl = &FFE7
270 oswrch = &FFEE
280 osbyte = &FFF4
290 ;
300 eol      = &0D
310 space   = ASC " "
320 numsize = 5 ; REM For output
      formatting
330 ;
340 org = &E00
350 PROCoscli ("KEY 2 CALL&" + STR$^org
      + "|K|K|M")
360 PROCoscli ("KEY 3 CALL&" +
      STR$^(org + 6) + "|K|M")
370 ;
380 opt = 2
390 ;
400 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
410 P% = org
420 [
430 OPT I%
440 ;
450   JMP entry1 \ List xref
460   JMP entry2 \ - " - re-reentry
470   JMP entry3 \ Number xref
480 ;
490 .entry1 LDY #ASC "0" \ Delete line
      0
500   JSR bufchar
510   LDY #eol
520   JSR bufchar
530   JSR osnewl
540 ;
550   JSR setup
560   BCC look \ OK
570   BCS finish \ Null string
580 \ End of first entry routine
590 ;
600 ;

```

```

610 \ Subsequent passes start here
620 .entry2 LDY #0
630 .msg1loop LDA msg(1),Y \ Delete
    "CALL"
640 BEQ look
650 JSR oswrch
660 INY
670 ENE msg1loop
680 :
690 .look JSR search
700 ECS finish \ End of program
710 :
720 JSR match \ If no carry from
    search
730 RTS \ Temporary exit to Basic
    interpreter
740 :
750 .finish LDY flag \ Target ever
    found ?
760 BEQ exit \ If not
770 RTS
780 :
790 .exit JSR notfound
800 JMP exit3
810 :
820 :
830 \ **** Line number
    cross-referencer
840 :
850 .entry3 JSR setup
860 :
870 .xref JSR search
880 ECS finish2 \ No match
890 :
900 LDY flag \ First find ?
910 ENE msg4done \ Else Y = 0
920 :
930 .msg4loop LDA msg(4),Y \ "Line"
940 BEQ msg4done
950 JSR oswrch

```

```
960  INY
970  BNE msg4loop
980  :
990  .msg4done LDA #0 \ eol delimiter
1000  PHA
1010  LDX #numsize
1020  STX chars \ ASCII digit counter
1030  DEC flag \ Set it
1040  :
1050  JSR convert
1060  :
1070  LDX chars
1080  BEQ display \ No padding needed
1090  :
1100  \ Pad to right justify
1110  LDA #space
1120  .blank PHA
1130  DEX
1140  BNE blank
1150  :
1160  .display PLA \ Unstack ASCII
1170  BEQ xref \ Continue looking after
    eof
1180  JSR oswrch
1190  JMP display
1200  :
1210  .finish2 LDY flag \ Success ?
1220  BNE exit2
1230  JSR notfound
1240  :
1250  .exit2 LDA #21 \ VDU off
1260  JSR oswrch
1270  LDY #ASC "0" \ Delete line 0
1280  JSR bufchar
1290  :
1300  .exit3 LDY #6 \ VDU on
1310  JSR bufchar
1320  LDY #eol
1330  JMP bufchar \ Exit to Basic
1340  :
```

```

1350 :
1360 \ **** Sub-routines ****
1370 :
1380 \ **** Put Y into keyboard
      buffer
1390 :
1400 .bufchar LDA #&8A
1410   LDX #0
1420   JMP osbyte
1430 :
1440 :
1450 \ **** Convert 2-byte hex
      line-number to decimal ASCII
1460 :
1470 .convert PLA \ Save return
      address
1480   STA temp
1490   PLA
1500   STA temp+1
1510 :
1520   LDA linenum
1530   STA number
1540   LDA linenum+1
1550   STA number+1
1560 :
1570 .convert2 DEC chars \ Only used in
      Number xref
1580   LDA #0
1590   STA mod10
1600   STA mod10+1
1610   LDX #&10 \ Double byte
1620   CLC
1630 :
1640 .divloop ROL number \ Bit 0
      (carry) becomes quotient
1650   ROL number+1
1660   ROL mod10
1670   ROL mod10+1
1680 :

```

```

1690 LDA mod10
1700 SEC
1710 SBC #10
1720 TAY \ Low byte
1730 LDA mod10+1
1740 SBC #0
1750 BCC deccount \ if dividend <
      divisor
1760 :
1770 STY mod10 \ Next bit of dividend =
      1.
1780 STA mod10+1 \ Dividend = Dividend
      - divisor
1790 :
1800 .deccount DEX
1810 ENE divloop
1820 :
1830 ROL number \ Shift in last carry
      for quotient
1840 ROL number+1
1850 :
1860 LDA mod10
1870 ORA #ASC "0" \ ASCII mask
1880 PHA \ Stack it (starts at
      right-hand digit)
1890 :
1900 LDA number \ Continue if value <>
      0
1910 ORA number+1
1920 ENE convert2
1930 :
1940 LDA temp+1 \ Restore stack
1950 PHA
1960 LDA temp
1970 PHA
1980 RTS
1990 :
2000 :
2010 \ **** Update line pointers
2020 :
```

```

2030 .endline LDA memloc
2040 CLC
2050 ADC length
2060 STA memloc
2070 BCC noadd
2080 INC memloc+1
2090 .noadd RTS
2100 :
2110 :
2120 \ **** Match found
2130 :
2140 .match BIT flag
2150 BMI getkey
2160 :
2170 \ Prepare for deleted line 0 on
      second entry (shorter program)
2180 LDA memloc
2190 SEC
2200 SBC lenfake
2210 STA memloc
2220 LDA memloc+1
2230 SBC #0
2240 STA memloc+1
2250 DEC flag \ Set it
2260 BNE keydone
2270 :
2280 .getkey JSR osrdch
2290 CMP #&1B \ escape ?
2300 BNE keydone
2310 :
2320 PLA \ Pop the stack
2330 PLA
2340 RTS \ and exit to BASIC
2350 :
2360 .keydone LDA #11 \ Reverse
      line-feed
2370 JSR oswrch
2380 :
2390 LDA #21 \ VDU off
2400 JSR oswrch

```



```
2410 :
2420 \ Set up end of "LIST" command
2430 LDA #0
2440 PHA
2450 LDA #eol
2460 PHA
2470 LDA #6 \ VDU on
2480 PHA
2490 :
2500 JSR convert
2510 :
2520 LDA #ASC "T"
2530 PHA
2540 LDA #ASC "S"
2550 PHA
2560 LDA #ASC "I"
2570 PHA
2580 LDA #ASC "L"
2590 PHA
2600 :
2610 .outnum PLA \ Unstack ASCII
2620 BEQ numdone
2630 TAY
2640 JSR bufchar
2650 JMP outnum
2660 :
2670 .numdone LDY #0
2680 .msg3loop LDA msg(3),Y \ CALL
    <LISTER>
2690 BEQ msg3done
2700 STY ysave
2710 TAY
2720 JSR bufchar
2730 LDY ysave
2740 INY
2750 BNE msg3loop
2760 :
2770 .msg3done RTS
2780 :
2790 :
```

```
2800 \ **** Not found message
2810 :
2820 .notfound LDA msg(2),Y
2830 BEQ msg2done
2840 JSR oswrch
2850 INY
2860 BNE notfound
2870 :
2880 .msg2done RTS
2890 :
2900 :
2910 \ **** Main search loop
2920 :
2930 .search JSR endline
2940 LDY #0
2950 LDA (memloc),Y
2960 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
2970 BEQ endprog
2980 :
2990 STA linenum+1
3000 INY
3010 LDA (memloc),Y
3020 STA linenum
3030 INY
3040 LDA (memloc),Y
3050 STA length \ Offset to start of
      next line
3060 STY ysave
3070 :
3080 .tryagain LDX size
3090 INC ysave
3100 LDY ysave
3110 :
3120 .nextbyte LDA (memloc),Y
3130 CMP #eol
3140 BEQ search
3150 :
3160 CMP buffer,X
3170 BNE tryagain
3180 INY
```

```
3190 DEX
3200 BNE nextbyte
3210 :
3220 CLC \ As "match" flag
3230 RTS
3240 :
3250 .endprog SEC \ As flag
3260 RTS
3270 :
3280 :
3290 \ **** Transfer user's input to
      our buffer
3300 :
3310 .setup LDA #3 + LEN find$
3320 STA memloc
3330 LDA page
3340 STA memloc+1
3350 :
3360 LDY #0
3370 STY flag
3380 DEY
3390 .loop INY
3400 LDA (memloc),Y
3410 CMP #eol
3420 BNE loop
3430 :
3440 STY size
3450 TYA \ For Z-flag
3460 BEQ null \ Null input
3470 DEC size
3480 :
3490 LDX #0 \ Buffer,0 is never reached
      so drop eol in it
3500 .swap LDA (memloc),Y
3510 STA buffer,X
3520 INX
3530 DEY
3540 BNE swap
3550 :
3560 INY
```

```

3570 STY memloc
3580 ;
3590 INY \ Always skip fake line 0
3600 LDA (memloc),Y
3610 STA length
3620 STA lenfake
3630 CLC \ OK flag
3640 RTS
3650 ;
3660 ,null SEC \ As flag
3670 RTS
3680 ]
3690 ;
3700 PROCText (1,CHR$11 + STRING$(10,"
") + CHR$eol)
3710 PROCText (2,"Not found " + CHR$21)
3720 PROCText (3,"CA." + STR$(org+3) +
CHR$eol)
3730 PROCText (4,"Line ")
3740 ;
3750 NEXT
3760 ;
3770 END
3780 ;
3790 ;
3800 DEF PROCoscli (A$)
3810 X% = OSCL MOD &100
3820 Y% = OSCL DIV &100
3830 $OSCL = A$
3840 CALL &FFF7
3850 ENDPROC
3860 ;
3870 ;
3880 DEF PROCText (N,A$)
3890 msg(N) = P%
3900 $msg(N) = A$
3910 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1
3920 P%?-1 = 0
3930 ENDPROC

```

DISASSEMBLER

The program, called DISASS on the tape, is written in BASIC, so CHAIN or LOAD-and-RUN it.

The program sets the screen to Mode 6 with a blue background. (If you prefer a different Mode or a different background colour, you can easily make the changes at the beginning of the program and at the start of **PROCsetup**.)

The program asks you to enter the start and end addresses of the area of memory that you want disassembled. The addresses must be given in hexadecimal and may be anywhere in the range 0 to &FFFF (use upper-case letters for **A** to **F**). You can – but don't have to – type in leading zeros (&E00 is as valid as &0E00). The program will reject invalid addresses.

You can find out the start and end addresses of a machine-code program by using the ***OPT 1,2** option when loading it from tape (see page 398 of the User Guide) or with the ***INFO** command for disk (see page 44 of the Disk System User Guide).

Bear in mind that the I/O areas are located between addresses &FC00 and &FE00. If you have certain input/output devices connected to your computer, accessing these addresses by disassembling their contents may cause unexpected results.

The disassembler will decode the contents of the memory, starting at the address that you have specified, and will display the results in up to five columns across the screen. The first column is the address (in hex) and the second column contains one, two or three bytes making up an opcode and any associated operand. The third column holds the opcode itself and any operand is shown in the fourth column. These columns correspond to the four columns that will be displayed if you assemble a listing with **OPT** set to 1 or 3 (see page 314 of the User Guide). For example:

| | | | |
|-------------|-----------------|------------|------------------|
| 1000 | 20 EE FF | JSR | &FFEE |
| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 | Column 4 |
| Address | Hex bytes | Opcode | Operand |

Relative addresses are resolved and shown as absolute, not offset, addresses.

If an address contains a byte that cannot be decoded – it may be data or an invalid opcode – the third column will contain three question marks. If the byte is in the range &20 to &7F, its ASCII character will also be printed out in the fifth column of the display.

The display is set to 'page mode' with a **VDU I4** command and so will stop and wait for the Shift key to be pressed at the end of each screen page. Disassembly will continue until your specified end address is reached or until you leave the program by pressing Escape. You can re-start simply by typing **RUN**.

If you want to print out the results of the disassembly on your printer, enable the printer with the usual **VDU 2** (or Control B) command before you run the program. You may also want to delete the Page Mode command which appears at the start of **PROCsetup**.

At the start of the program is a variable **SPOOL**, which is normally set to **FALSE**. If you set it to **TRUE**, the program will make use of the Operating System's ***SPOOL** facility in order to save the disassembly to disk or to tape in a file called **DUMP**. This time, the disassembly will start with the word **AUTO** in order to generate line-numbers when the listing is subsequently **EXEC**'d. The first two columns of the disassembly will not be saved.

Once the disassembly has been saved, you can create a BASIC program from it, ready for you to examine and/or edit, with the following steps:

Type **NEW** (to remove the Disassembler)

Rewind the tape

Type ***EXEC "DUMP"**

When no more lines appear on the screen, press Escape to leave **AUTO** Mode.

Add the usual square brackets around the listing and save the new program.

You can now start to add labels to the listings and to convert the absolute addresses to symbolic addresses by using the **REPLACE** program in the Toolbox.

Please refer to pages 402-3 and pages 442-9 of the User Guide for further details of the ***SPOOL** and ***EXEC** commands and of the creation of assembly language listings.

If you are using disks, remember that you need at least 64 free sectors on your disk (see page 64 of the Disk System User Guide). We suggest that you delete the **DUMP** file as soon as you have created the BASIC program in order to avoid any subsequent **Can't extend** errors.

```
10 REM **** 6502 DISASSEMBLER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
50 REM AZ = address pointer
60 REM B% = address contents (byte)
70 REM D% = input digit counter
80 REM N% = opcode index
90 REM T% = opcode addressing type
100 :
110 SPOOL = FALSE
120 :
130 MODE 6
140 PROCsetup
150 PROCaddress : REM Get valid hex
    address
160 ON ERROR GOTO 280
170 :
180 IF SPOOL THEN *SPOOL "DUMP"
190 IF SPOOL THEN PRINT "AUTO"
200 :
210 REPEAT
220     PROCdecode
230     IF T% < 3 THEN AZ = AZ + 1
240     IF T% > 2 AND T% < 9 OR T% = 13
        THEN AZ = AZ + 2
250     IF T% > 8 AND T% < 13 THEN AZ =
        AZ + 3
260     UNTIL FALSE
270 :
280 ON ERROR OFF
290 IF SPOOL THEN *SPOOL
300 REPORT
310 PRINT " at line "; ERL
320 END
330 :
340 :
```

```

350 DEF PROCaddress
360 AZ = 0
370 DZ = 0
380 PRINT "Start address : &";
390 :
400 REPEAT
410   K$ = GET$
420   IF DZ < 1 AND (K$ = CHR$13 OR K$
   = CHR$127) THEN VDU 7
430   IF DZ = 4 AND K$ <> CHR$13 AND K$
   <> CHR$ 127 THEN VDU 7
440   IF K$ = CHR$127 AND DZ > 0 THEN
   PRINT K$; ; AZ = AZ DIV &10 ; DZ
   = DZ - 1
450   IF K$ <> CHR$ 13 AND K$ < "0"
   THEN VDU 7
460   IF K$ <> CHR$ 127 AND K$ > "F"
   THEN VDU 7
470   IF K$ > "9" AND K$ < "A" THEN VDU
   7
480   IF DZ < 4 AND K$ >= "0" AND K$ <=
   "9" THEN AZ = AZ*&10 + VAL K$ ;
   PRINT K$; ; DZ = DZ + 1
490   IF DZ < 4 AND K$ >= "A" AND K$ <=
   "F" THEN AZ = AZ*&10 + ASC(K$) -
   55 ; PRINT K$; ; DZ = DZ + 1
500   UNTIL AZ AND K$ = CHR$13
510 :
520 PRINT
530 ENDPROC
540 :
550 :
560 DEF PROCdecode
570 B% = ?AZ
580 NX = OP%(B%) DIV 100
590 TZ = OP%(B%) MOD 100
600 A$ = RIGHT$("000" + STR$^AZ,4)
610 B$ = RIGHT$("0" + STR$^B%,2)
620 A1$ = RIGHT$("0" + STR$^AZ?1,2)
630 AZ$ = RIGHT$("0" + STR$^AZ?2,2)

```



```

640 LO$ = A1$
650 HI$ = A2$
660 A1$ = A1$ + " "
670 ;
680 IF SPOOL THEN A1$ = "" ; A2$ = ""
    ELSE PRINT A$ " : " B$ " ";
690 IF NZ = 0 THEN PRINT TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%);
700 IF NZ = 0 AND B% > &20 AND B% < &80
    THEN PRINT, CHR%B%;
710 IF NZ = 0 THEN PRINT ; ENDFPROC
720 IF TZ = 1 THEN PRINT TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) ; ENDFPROC
730 IF TZ = 2 THEN PRINT TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " A" ; ENDFPROC
740 IF TZ = 3 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " #&" LO$ ; ENDFPROC
750 IF TZ = 4 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " &" LO$ ; ENDFPROC
760 IF TZ = 5 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " &" LO$ ",X" ; ENDFPROC
770 IF TZ = 6 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " &" LO$ ",Y" ; ENDFPROC
780 IF TZ = 7 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " (&" LO$ ",X)" ; ENDFPROC
790 IF TZ = 8 THEN PRINT A1$ TAB(X%)
    OP$(NZ%) " (&" LO$ "),Y" ; ENDFPROC
800 IF TZ = 9 THEN PRINT; A1$ A2$
    TAB(X%) OP$(NZ%) " &" HI$ LO$ ;
    ENDFPROC
810 IF TZ = 10 THEN PRINT A1$ A2$
    TAB(X%) OP$(NZ%) " &" HI$ LO$ ",X" ;
    ENDFPROC
820 IF TZ = 11 THEN PRINT A1$ A2$
    TAB(X%) OP$(NZ%) " &" HI$ LO$ ",Y" ;
    ENDFPROC
830 IF TZ = 12 THEN PRINT A1$ A2$
    TAB(X%) OP$(NZ%) " (&" HI$ LO$ ")" ;
    ENDFPROC

```

```

840 PRINT A1$ TAB(XZ) OP$(NZ) " &";
850 IF AZ?1 < &80 THEN PRINT
      RIGHT$("000" + STR$(AZ + AZ?1 +
      2),4) ELSE PRINT RIGHT$("000" +
      STR$(AZ + AZ?1 - &FE),4) : REM
      Relative addressing
860 ENDPROC
870 :
880 :
890 DEF PROCsetup
900 VDU 19,0,4;0;
910 VDU 14
920 DIM OP$(56),OP%(255)
930 IF SPOOL THEN XZ = 0 ELSE XZ = 18 :
      REM Opcode column tab setting
940 :
950 FOR IZ = 0 TO 56
960   READ OP$(IZ)
970   NEXT
980 :
990 FOR IZ = 0 TO 255
1000  READ OP%(IZ)
1010  NEXT
1020 :
1030 ENDPROC
1040 :
1050 :
1060 DATA ???, ADC, AND, ASL, ECC, BCS,
      BEQ, BIT, BMI, BNE, BPL, BRK, BVC,
      BVS, CLC, CLD, CLI, CLV, CMP, CPX,
      CPY, DEC, DEX, DEY, EOR, INC
1070 DATA INX, INY, JMP, JSR, LDA, LDX,
      LDY, LSR, NOP, ORA, PHA, PHP, PLA,
      PLP, ROL, ROR, RTI, RTS, SEC, SEC,
      SED, SEI, STA, STX, STY, TAX, TAY,
      TSX, TXA, TXS, TYA
1080 :

```

```
1090 REM Opcode index
1100 REM n DIV 100 = opcode index : n
    MOD 100 = opcode addressing mode
1110 :
1120 DATA 1101, 3507, 0, 0, 0, 3504,
    0304, 0, 3701, 3503, 0302, 0, 0,
    3509, 0309, 0, 1013, 3508, 0, 0, 0,
    3505, 0305, 0, 1401, 3511, 0, 0, 0,
    3510, 0310, 0
1130 DATA 2909, 0207, 0, 0, 0704, 0204,
    4004, 0, 3901, 0203, 4002, 0, 0709,
    0209, 4009, 0, 0813, 0208, 0, 0, 0,
    0205, 4005, 0, 4501, 0211, 0, 0, 0,
    0210, 4010, 0
1140 DATA 4201, 2407, 0, 0, 0, 2404,
    3304, 0, 3601, 2403, 3302, 0, 2809,
    2409, 3309, 0, 1213, 2408, 0, 0, 0,
    2410, 3310, 0, 1601, 2411, 0, 0, 0,
    2410, 3310, 0
1150 DATA 4301, 0107, 0, 0, 0, 0104,
    4104, 0, 3801, 0103, 4102, 0, 2812,
    0109, 4109, 0, 1313, 0108, 0, 0, 0,
    0105, 4105, 0, 4701, 0111, 0, 0, 0,
    0110, 4110, 0
1160 DATA 0, 4807, 0, 0, 5004, 4804,
    4904, 0, 2301, 0, 5401, 0, 5009,
    4809, 4909, 0, 0413, 4808, 0, 0,
    5005, 4805, 4906, 0, 5601, 4811,
    5501, 0, 0, 4810, 0, 0
1170 DATA 3203, 4807, 3103, 0, 3204,
    3004, 3104, 0, 5201, 3003, 5101, 0,
    3209, 3009, 3109, 0, 0513, 3008, 0,
    0, 3205, 3005, 3106, 0, 1701, 3011,
    5301, 0, 3210, 3010, 3111, 0
1180 DATA 2003, 1807, 0, 0, 2004, 1804,
    2104, 0, 2701, 1803, 2201, 0, 2009,
    1809, 2109, 0, 0913, 1808, 0, 0, 0,
    1805, 2105, 0, 1501, 1811, 0, 0, 0,
    1810, 2110, 0
```

```
1190 DATA 1903, 4407, 0, 0, 1904, 4404,  
2504, 0, 2601, 4403, 3401, 0, 1909,  
4409, 2509, 0, 0613, 4408, 0, 0, 0,  
4405, 2505, 0, 4601, 4411, 0, 0, 0,  
4410, 2510, 0, 0
```

DOUBLE-SIZE CHARACTERS

Two routines give you the ability to print double-height characters in Modes 1 to 5 in the same way as you can in Teletext Mode 7 by using CHR\$141. You can't usefully use them in Modes 3 or 6, since there will be a horizontal gap in the middle of each enlarged letter.

The routines themselves are in machine-code, but they are embodied in two demonstration programs which are written in BASIC. The idea is for you to be able to see how the routines operate and then incorporate them into your own programs.

The first program is called GIANT1 and is intended for use with Modes 0, 1 and 4.

It needs four user-definable characters. In the demonstration, we have selected characters 224 to 227, but you can set the variable **ascii** at the beginning of the program to use any four free characters.

100 bytes are reserved for the machine-code. (It actually assembles in 94 bytes.) The routine uses a number of locations in zero-page as detailed at the start of the assembly language listing.

The character to be printed could be passed to the machine-code in the form of a parameter to the **CALL** but, since it is a single byte, we think that it is just as easy to 'poke' it into a defined location, **char**, which is set up during the assembly process.

We imagine that you will want to use the routine most of the time to display strings which are pre-defined in your program and so the demonstration begins by doing just that.

We call the machine-code subroutine to set up the new user-definable characters which we then print out, with connecting cursor-move control characters, by using BASIC's **VDU** command. We could have added the printing commands into the machine-code, but we thought that by leaving the four 'quarter' characters defined (but not yet printed), this would give you more flexibility, e.g. to change colours between each quarter.

Notice in particular that the first item in the **VDU** string moves the cursor up a line. The reason for this is that we want to leave the cursor in its 'correct' position after printing, which is one line too low for the next character. That means that you must always start at the top of the screen with a line-feed or **PRINT** command (see line 140) in order to cancel out the effect of the very first **VDU** 11.

In case you should want to print double-size characters in response to keyboard input, the demonstration continues by taking individual characters from the keyboard and displaying them in double size on the screen. Since **GET** is used for this, we need to deal specially with Return (**CHR\$13**). We have also partly simulated the 'Delete' key, although you will have to develop the demonstration routine further to handle back-spacing beyond the left-hand edge of a line. If you want to use double-size characters for a full display of keyboard entry, you will also have to add program lines to handle the cursor-move and copy keys, since they do not work at double-spaced line intervals.

The second program, which is called **GIANT2**, works in Modes 2 and 5 on the same principles as the first program.

Since characters in these Modes are already double-width, only two characters are needed in order to make up a new double-height character and so the machine-code and **VDU** commands are correspondingly different. The machine-code is shorter and takes up only 45 bytes.

As before, if you want to use the routine in response to keyboard input, you'll have to write code to cope with the cursor-move and edit keys.

Of course, there is no reason why you shouldn't use either of the two routines in the 'wrong' Mode to produce extra-fat or tall, thin characters.

```

10 REM DOUBLE HEIGHT CHARACTERS
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackson 1983
40 :
50 REM Prints double height characters
   in Modes 0 - 5
60 :
70 MODE 1
80 :
90 ascii = 224 : REM Any four free
   ASCII characters
100 C = ascii
110 :
120 PROCassemble
130 :
140 PRINT TAB(6,2);
150 PROCdemo ("BIG CHARACTERS")
160 PRINT ''
170 :
```

```

180 REPEAT
190   K = GET
200   IF K = 13 THEN PRINT : K = FALSE
       : REM Return
210   IF K = 127 THEN VDU 8,8 : K = .ASC
       " " : DEL = TRUE ELSE DEL = FALSE
       : REM delete
220   ?char = K
230   CALL Mcode
240   IF K THEN VDU
       11,C,C+2,8,8,10,C+1,C+3 : REM
       Print the 4 characters with
       cursor moves
250   IF DEL THEN VDU 8,8
260   IF POS = 0 THEN PRINT : REM New
       double line
270   UNTIL FALSE
280   :
290 END
300   :
310   :
320 DEF PROCassemble
330 DIM Mcode 100
340 char = &70 : REM to &78
350 temp = &79 : REM to &80
360 vdu_char = &81
370   :
380 oswrch = &FFEE
390 osword = &FFF1
400   :
410 opt = 2 : REM No display
420   :
430 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
440   P% = Mcode
450   [OPT I%
460   :
470   \ Call OS 'read character
       definition' routine with ASCII
       in 'char'
480   LDA #&A

```

```

490     LDX #char
500     LDY #char DIV 8100
510     JSR osword
520     :
530     LDA #ascii \ First character
540     STA vdu_char
550     :
560     JSR create
570     JSR vdu23
580     INC vdu_char
590     JSR vdu23
600     INC vdu_char
610     JSR create
620     JSR vdu23
630     INC vdu_char
640     JSR vdu23
650     RTS
660     :
670     .create LDX #8 \ 8 bytes ...
680     .loop1 LDY #4 \ ... in two
        passes
690     LDA #0
700     :
710     .loop2 ROL char,X \ Examine each
        bit
720     BCS carry \ 1 bit ?
730     :
740     ROL A
750     CLC \ Repeat 0 bit
760     BCC next \ Always
770     :
780     .carry ROL A
790     SEC \ Repeat 1 bit
800     :
810     .next ROL A \ Save it
820     DEY
830     BNE loop2
840     :
850     STA temp-1,X \ Store new byte in
        temp array (X = 1 to 8 so -1)

```



```

860     DEX
870     BNE loop1
880     RTS
890     :
900     .vdu23 LDA #23
910     JSR oswrch
920     LDA vdu_char
930     JSR oswrch
940     LDY #2 \ Print 8 bytes ...
950     JSR print
960     LDY #2 \ Fall in for second
      print
970     :
980     .print LDA temp,X
990     JSR oswrch \ double each byte
1000    JSR oswrch
1010    INX
1020    DEY
1030    BNE print
1040    RTS
1050    :
1060    ]
1070    :
1080    NEXT
1090    ;
1100    ENDPROC
1110    :
1120    :
1130    DEF PROCdemo (A$)
1140    :
1150    FOR I% = 1 TO LEN A$
1160        ?char = ASC MID$(A$,IX,1) : REM
          Pass ASCII to the machine code
          via this byte
1170        CALL Mcode
1180        VDU 11,C,C+2,8,8,10,C+1,C+3 : REM
          Print the 4 characters with
          cursor moves
1190    NEXT
1200    :
1210    ENDPROC

```

```

10 REM **** CHARACTER EXPANDER ****
20 ;
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 ;
50 REM Prints double height characters
   in Modes 2 and 5
60 ;
70 MODE 2
80 ;
90 ascii = 224 : REM Any two free
   ASCII characters
100 ;
110 PROCassemble
120 ;
130 PRINT TAB(3);
140 PROCdemo ("BIG CHARACTERS")
150 PRINT ''
160 ;
170 REPEAT
180     K = GET
190     IF K = 13 THEN PRINT : K = FALSE
200     IF K = 127 THEN PRINT CHR#8; : K
       = ASC " " : DEL = TRUE ELSE DEL =
       FALSE
210     ?char = K
220     CALL Mcode
230     COLOUR RND(7)
240     IF K THEN VDU
       11,ascii,8,10,ascii+1
250     IF DEL THEN PRINT CHR#8;
260     IF POS = 0 THEN PRINT : REM New
       double line
270     UNTIL FALSE
280 ;
290 END
300 ;
310 ;
320 DEF PROCassemble
330 DIM Mcode 50
340 char = &70 : REM to &78

```

```

350 vdu_char = &79
360 :
370 oswrch = &FFEE
380 osword = &FFF1
390 :
400 opt = 2 : REM No display
410 :
420 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
430     F% = Mcode
440     COPT I%
450     :
460     \ Call OS 'read character
         definition' routine with ASCII
         in 'char'
470     LDA #&A
480     LDX #char
490     LDY #char DIV &100
500     JSR osword
510     :
520     LDA #ascii \ First character
530     STA vdu_char
540     :
550     LDX #1
560     JSR vdu23
570     INC vdu_char \ Fall through on
         second pass
580     :
590     ,vdu23 LDA #23
600     JSR oswrch
610     LDA vdu_char
620     JSR oswrch
630     LDY #4
640     :
650     ,print LDA char,X
660     JSR oswrch \ double each byte
670     JSR oswrch \ double each byte
680     INX
690     DEY
700     BNE print
710     RTS

```

```
720   ;
730   ]
740   NEXT
750   ;
760 ENDPROC
770   ;
780   ;
790 DEF PROCdemo (A$)
800   ;
810   FOR I% = 1 TO LEN A$
820     ?char = ASC MID$(A$,I%,1) : REM
      Pass ASCII to the machine code
      via this byte
830     CALL Mcode
840     VDU 11,ascii,8,10,ascii+1
850   NEXT
860   ;
870 ENDPROC
```

GRAPHICS DUMP

GRAFPRT is a machine-code utility which enables you to 'dump' the contents of the screen to a graphics printer. As written, it works with the Epson MX80, but if you can program reasonably well in assembly language, you should have little difficulty in adapting the program to work with a different printer.

The program resides at &E00 and takes up less than &100 bytes. Once you have loaded it into memory (***LOAD GRAFPRT**), a **CALL &E00** command will start it working, assuming, of course, that your printer is connected and running and that you have already set up any necessary output protocols (e.g. ***FX 6** to enable line-feeds).

GRAFPRTDSK is the disk version of the program and loads at &1800.

Since the program copies whatever is on the screen, you cannot produce your picture then type **CALL &E00**, since the command line will appear on the screen. There are a number of ways around this. The simplest is to call the routine from within the program which creates the screen image, immediately after it has been drawn. Another idea is to add something like **ON ERROR CALL &E00** to your program so that, by pressing Escape, you can take a 'snapshot' of the screen when you want. However, you might not want a graphics dump every time that you press Escape and a slightly more sophisticated approach would be to create an error trap, to which the program is directed by an **ON ERROR** command. Having jumped to the error trap, you could then test whether a graphics dump is really required with a line like:
IF GET\$ = "G" THEN CALL &E00

So that you can adapt the program, here is a description of how it works. The program starts by calling **OSBYTE &8A**. This is 'officially' intended to return the position of the text cursor, but it also has the very useful side effect of setting the Y register to the Mode number. The Y register is tested to see whether we are in a non-text Mode (3, 6 or 7), in which case the routine exits with a 'beep'.

If we have a graphics Mode, we do a **VDU 2** to send output to the printer.

Our next task is to differentiate between Mode 0 and all of the other Modes, since the printer must be set to 'double-density' in order to handle Mode 0's high resolution. We also have to work out the pixel spacing of the different Modes. Both conversions are done by machine-code 'compares' and using the carry bit to set appropriate flag bytes.

We next send set-up commands to the printer and this is where you might need to start making changes for other printers.

The body of the program consists of a loop, in which the program reads the screen pixels one at a time, starting at co-ordinate 0,0 and working its way through to co-ordinate &4FF, &3FF.

Any pixel which is not black (i.e. 0) is added to an eight-bit byte for transmission to the printer. You could easily change the test in order to print dots of only one screen colour.

At the end of each line, we send a line-feed followed by the commands to reset graphics Mode on the printer. Here again, you will need to make changes for other printers.

At the end of the dump, the printer is disconnected with a **VDU 3** command and the routine ends. If you want to stop the print-out before it has been completed, you'll have to press Break, since the routine does not slow down to test whether Escape has been pressed.

```
10 REM **** SCREEN GRAPHICS DUMP ****
20 REM FOR EPSON MX 80 PRINTER
30 :
40 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
50 :
60 REM Next 5 bytes are also the block
   for osword call
70 xloc   = &70 : REM &71
80 yloc   = &72 : REM &73
90 pixval = &74
100 :
110 mode  = &80
120 step  = &81
130 bits  = &82
140 byte  = &83
150 :
160 esc   = 27
170 :
180 oswrch = &FFEE
190 osword = &FFF1
200 osbyte = &FFF4
210 :
220 ytop   = &3FF
230 :
```

```
240 org = &1800
250 :
260 opt = 2
270 :
280 FOR I%= 0 TO opt STEP opt
290     F% = org
300     [
310     OPT I%
320     :
330     .dump LDA #&87 \ Get text cursor
        position ...
340     JSR osbyte
350     TYA \ ... then Y has Mode
        number
360     CPY #3 \ Text only Mode 3 ?
370     BEQ error \ If so, error
380     :
390     CPY #6 \ Mode 6 or 7 ?
400     BCC setup \ Carry on if less
410     :
420     .error LDA #7 \ Beep and ...
430     JMP oswrch \ exit
440     :
450     .setup LDA #0
460     STA mode \ Assume Mode 0
470     LDA #2
480     STA step
490     JSR oswrch \ VDU 2
500     CPY #1 \ Clears carry if Mode 0
510     BCC save_mode \ Yes, really Mode
        0
520     :
530     ASL step \ Otherwise, double
        step value to 4
540     SEC \ and reset the carry
550     :
560     .save_mode ROR mode \ Save the
        carry status as Mode flag
```

```
570      :
580      \ Set line spacing
590      LDA #esc
600      JSR print
610      LDA #ASC "A"
620      JSR print
630      LDA #8
640      JSR print
650      :
660      \ Start at top of screen
670      LDA #ytop MOD &100
680      STA yloc
690      LDA #ytop DIV &100
700      STA yloc+1
710      :
720      \ Main loop starts here
730      :
740      \ Send printer graphics
       command
750      .newline LDA #esc
760      JSR print
770      BIT mode
780      BMI over_0
790      :
800      \ Mode 0 only
810      LDA #ASC "L" \ Dual density
820      LDX #&80 \ Characters per line
830      BNE setlen \ Always
840      :
850      \ Printer commands for other
       Modes
860      .over_0 LDA #ASC "K" \ Single
       density
870      LDX #&40 \ Characters per line
880      :
890      .setlen JSR print
900      TXA \ Characters (&40 or &80)
910      JSR print
920      :
```



```

930   \ Reset to left-hand edge
940   LDA #0
950   STA xloc
960   STA xloc+1
970   :
980   .newcolumn LDA #7 \ Bits 0 to 7
990   STA bits \ Counter
1000  :
1010  .readpixel LDA #9 \ Read pixel
1020  LDX #xloc \ Point to 4 XY bytes
1030  LDY #0
1040  JSR osword
1050  LDA pixval
1060  CMP #1 \ Sets carry if not 0
      (black)
1070  :
1080  .setbyte ROL byte
1090  LDA yloc
1100  SEC
1110  SBC #4 \ All modes descend 4
      pixels
1120  STA yloc
1130  BCS decbits \ Test page
      roll-over
1140  DEC yloc+1
1150  :
1160  .decbits DEC bits \ Counter - 1
1170  BPL readpixel \ Done 8 bits ?
1180  :
1190  LDA byte \ Print 8 bits
1200  JSR print
1210  :
1220  \ Next column
1230  LDA xloc
1240  CLC
1250  ADC step
1260  STA xloc
1270  LDA xloc+1
1280  ADC #0

```

```

1290     STA xloc+1
1300     CMP #5 \ Over &4FF ?
1310     BEQ endline \ If so, end of
        line
1320     :
1330     \ Move along to next column
1340     .column+ LDA yloc
1350     CLC
1360     ADC #&20 \ 4 steps * 8 bits
1370     STA yloc
1380     ECC newcolumn
1390     INC yloc+1
1400     ECS newcolumn \ Always
1410     :
1420     .endline LDA #10 \ Line-feed
1430     JSR print
1440     BIT yloc+1 \ Test msb
1450     BPL newline \ Under 0000 ?
1460     :
1470     \ Switch off printer
1480     LDA #3 \ VDU 3
1490     JMP oswrch \ and exit
1500     :
1510     \ Print subroutine
1520     .print PHA \ Save value sent
        here
1530     LDA #1 \ VDU 1
1540     JSR oswrch
1550     PLA \ Recover original byte
1560     JMP oswrch \ JSR + RTS
1570     ]
1580     :
1590     NEXT
1600     :
1610     END

```

MULTI-STATEMENT LINE PACKER

This is one of the three 'squeeze' utilities which will help to shorten a BASIC program and so make it run faster. It packs as many statements as possible on to multi-statement lines, whilst ensuring that the program remains grammatically correct.

There are two versions of the program on the tape. PACKER is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &FFF. PACKERDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &I700 and &I8FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which they start, the two programs operate identically.

As the utility is co-resident, you can load it before or after you get your BASIC program into memory. Once the utility is in memory, start it working with **CALL &E00** (tape version) or **CALL &I700** (disk version). On disk-based systems, it is the last of the utilities used in the ***EXEC SQUEEZE** routine.

The routine begins by setting Mode 7 and displaying the message **Packing** After a short while - just how long depends on the length of your program and how much packing needs to be done - the prompt will return, leaving the packed BASIC program in memory.

If you are squeezing a program to its smallest size, PACKER should be the last utility that you use, following after REMSTRP and CRUNCH. When you use REMSTRP, remove single-colon lines, otherwise they will be included in the packing process.

PACKER will put a maximum of 237 bytes into a line of BASIC. It calculates the length of the first line, adds the length of the next line to it, and tests whether the limit has been reached. If not, it adds the two lines together and tries to add on another line, progressing in this way through the program. Since it deals in complete lines, rather than in statements separated by colons, it will achieve the optimum result if you start off with a fully unpacked program, consisting of single-statement lines (except for multiple statements following an **IF** or **ELSE**). We recommend that you should always program this way, for ease of editing and debugging. If your program does contain multi-statement lines, use UNPACK before you use PACKER.

There are certain situations when lines must not be packed and PACKER handles these properly. Nothing further will be added to a line after an **IF**, **REM**, **DATA** or **ON ERROR** statement. **DEF** statements will always be retained at the start of a new line.

PACKER will start a new line after a line starting with an asterisk (indicating a call to the Operating System). To prevent packing, the asterisk must be the first byte of the line (with no spaces in front of it). If you start with a multi-statement line, such as:

```
VDU 7 : *FX 15,1
```

(beep and clear the keyboard buffer), the asterisk will not be at the start of the line and another line could be added, so causing a syntax error when the program is run.

Line-references are also checked. If the program refers to a line-number (e.g. with a **GOTO**, **GOSUB** or **THEN**), PACKER will ensure that the line in question is not joined up into an earlier line, as this would otherwise cause a **No such line** error. Of course, if you write well-structured programs using procedures, you won't have **GOTOs** and **GOSUBs** in your programs in the first place, will you? One case which PACKER cannot handle is that of the computed line-reference - **GOTO line** - where **line** is a variable computed at run-time. If you use computed line-references, you are asking for trouble!

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes, hidden control codes and other general hints.

```
10 REM **** PACKER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
60 REM Re-referencing fails on
   REM untokenized line number e.g. ON A
   REM GOTO 10,X,20
70 REM Assumes no hidden &8Ds embedded
   REM in text
80 :
110 DIM msg(1)
120 :
```

```

130 REM Basic pointers
140 lomem = &0
150 himem = &6
160 vartop = &2
170 top = &12
180 page = &18
190 :
200 memloc = &70 : REM + &71
210 linenum = &72 : REM + &73
220 srchloc = &74 : REM + &75
230 binnum = &76 : REM + &77, &78
240 source = &7C : REM + &7D
250 destin = &7E : REM + &7F
260 flag = &80
270 length = &81
280 srchlen = &82
290 newlength = &83
300 count = &84
310 ysave = &85
320 offset = &86
330 :
340 oswrch = &FFEE
350 osnewl = &FFE7
360 :
370 REM Constants
380 eol = &0D
390 space = ASC " "
400 colon = ASC ":"
410 star = ASC "*"
420 rem = &F4 : REM Basic tokens
430 if = &E7
440 data = &DC
450 error = &85
460 def = &DD
470 maxsize = &7C : REM for Mode 7
480 :
490 org = &E00
495 :
500 opt = 2
510 :

```

```
520 FOR IZ = 0 TO opt STEP opt
530 P% = org
540 [
550 OPT IZ
560 :
570 LDY #0
580 .msg1loop LDA msg(1),Y \ Mode 7
    and title
590 BEQ msgldone
600 JSR oswrch
610 INY
620 BNE msg1loop
630 :
640 \ Himem under Mode 7
650 .msgldone LDA #maxsize
660 STA himem+1
670 LDX #0
680 STX himem
690 :
700 INX \ Start at PAGE + 1
710 STX memloc
720 LDA page
730 STA memloc+1
740 :
750 .nextline LDY #0
760 LDA (memloc),Y
770 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
780 BNE morelines
790 JMP finish
800 :
810 .morelines INY
820 INY
830 STY offset
840 LDA (memloc),Y
850 STA length \ Offset to start of
    next line
860 :
```

```
870 .nextbyte INY
880 LDA (memloc),Y
890 CMP #eol
900 BEQ measure
910 :
920 CMP #if
930 BEQ endline
940 :
950 CMP #rem
960 BEQ endline
970 :
980 CMP #data
990 BEQ endline
1000 :
1010 CMP #error
1020 BEQ endline
1030 :
1040 CMP #star
1050 BNE nextbyte
1060 :
1070 \ Is it OS call ?
1080 STY ysave
1090 .teststar DEY
1100 CPY offset \ Start of original
    line
1110 BEQ endline
1120 :
1130 LDA (memloc),Y
1140 CMP #space
1150 BEQ teststar
1160 :
1170 CMP #colon
1180 BEQ teststar
1190 :
1200 LDY ysave
1210 BNE nextbyte \ Always
1220 :
```

```

1230 .endline LDA memloc
1240 CLC
1250 ADC length
1260 STA memloc
1270 LDA memloc+1
1280 ADC #0
1290 STA memloc+1
1300 BNE nextline \ Always
1310 :
1320 .measure LDY length
1330 LDA (memloc),Y
1340 CMP #&FF
1350 BNE measure2
1360 JMP finish
1370 :
1380 .measure2 INY
1390 INY
1400 LDA (memloc),Y \ Next line's
    length
1410 CLC
1420 ADC length
1430 BCS endline \ Too big to pack
1440 CMP #&F0
1450 BCS endline \ Too big to pack
1460 :
1470 SEC
1480 SBC #3 \ Lose start of next line
1490 STA newlength
1500 :
1510 \ Is next line DEF or DATA ?
1520 .defchek INY
1530 LDA (memloc),Y
1540 CMP #space
1550 BEQ defchek
1560 :
1570 CMP #colon
1580 BEQ defchek
1590 :

```



```
1600  CMP #def
1610  BEQ  endline \ Mustn't pack
1620  :
1630  CMP #data
1640  BEQ  endline \ Mustn't pack
1650  :
1660  \ Is next line referred to ?
1670  LDY  length
1680  LDA  (memloc),Y
1690  STA  linenum+1
1700  INY
1710  LDA  (memloc),Y
1720  STA  linenum
1730  :
1740  \ Convert linenum to 3-byte code
1750  ,convert LDA linenum+1
1760  ORA  #&40
1770  STA  binnum+2
1780  LDA  linenum
1790  AND  #&3F
1800  ORA  #&40
1810  STA  binnum+1
1820  LDA  linenum
1830  AND  #&C0
1840  STA  linenum
1850  LDA  linenum+1
1860  AND  #&C0
1870  LSR  A
1880  LSR  A
1890  ORA  linenum
1900  LSR  A
1910  LSR  A
1920  EOR  #&54
1930  STA  binnum
1940  :
1950  \ Look for that number in
      program
1960  LDA  #1
1970  STA  srchloc
1980  LDA  page
```

```
1990 STA srchloc+1
2000 ;
2010 ,nextsrch LDY #0
2020 LDA (srchloc),Y
2030 CMP #&FF
2040 BNE skipnum
2050 JMP pack \ Not referred to
2060 ;
2070 ,skipnum INY
2080 INY
2090 LDA (srchloc),Y
2100 STA srchlen
2110 ;
2120 ,moresrch INY
2130 LDA (srchloc),Y
2140 CMP #eol
2150 BEQ srchline
2160 ;
2170 CMP #&8D \ Line number token
2180 BNE moresrch
2190 ;
2200 \ Compare with 3 coded bytes
2210 LDX #0
2220 STX flag
2230 ;
2240 ,trymatch INY
2250 LDA (srchloc),Y
2260 CMP binnum,X
2270 BEQ morematch
2280 DEC flag
2290 ;
2300 ,morematch INX
2310 CPX #3
2320 BNE trymatch
2330 ;
```

```
2340 LDA flag
2350 BNE srchline
2360 JMP endline \ Match, so can't
      pack
2370 :
2380 ,srchline LDA srchloc
2390 CLC
2400 ADC srchlen
2410 STA srchloc
2420 LDA srchloc+1
2430 ADC #0
2440 STA srchloc+1
2450 BNE nextsrch \ Always
2460 :
2470 :
2480 \ Packing routine
2490 ,pack LDY length \ Overlay eol
      with colon
2500 DEY
2510 LDA #colon
2520 STA (memloc),Y
2530 :
2540 LDA memloc
2550 CLC
2560 ADC length
2570 STA destin
2580 LDA memloc+1
2590 ADC #0
2600 STA destin+1
2610 :
2620 LDA destin
2630 CLC
2640 ADC #3
2650 STA source
2660 LDA destin+1
2670 ADC #0
2680 STA source+1
2690 :
```

```
2700 LDA top
2710 SEC
2720 SBC source
2730 STA count
2740 LDA top+1
2750 SEC
2760 SBC source+1
2770 LDY #0
2780 TAX \ Pages to move
2790 BEQ shift2
2800 :
2810 .shift1 LDA (source),Y
2820 STA (destin),Y
2830 INY
2840 BNE shift1
2850 INC source+1
2860 INC destin+1
2870 DEX
2880 BNE shift1
2890 :
2900 .shift2 LDX count \ Move odd
      bytes
2910 BEQ shiftdone
2920 :
2930 .shift3 LDA (source),Y
2940 STA (destin),Y
2950 INY
2960 DEX
2970 BNE shift3
2980 :
2990 \ Reset pointers
3000 .shiftdone LDY #2
3010 LDA newlength
3020 STA (memloc),Y
3030 LDY length \ Point where we
      stopped
3040 DEY \ Look at first new byte
3050 STY offset
```

```

3060 STA length \ Now update length for
      endline's use
3070 LDA top
3080 SEC
3090 SBC #3
3100 STA top
3110 STA lomem
3120 STA vartop
3130 LDA top+1
3140 SEC #0
3150 STA top+1
3160 STA lomem+1
3170 STA vartop+1
3180 JMP nextbyte
3190 :
3200 .finish JSR osnewl
3210 JMP osnewl \ & exit to caller
3220 ]
3230 :
3240 PROCtext (1, CHR$22 + CHR$7 +
      CHR$31 + CHR$13 + CHR$13 + "Packing
      .... ")
3250 :
3260 NEXT
3270 :
3280 END
3290 :
3291 :
3300 DEF PROCtext (N,A$)
3310 msg(N) = PZ
3320 $msg(N) = A$
3330 PZ = PZ + LEN(A$) + 1
3340 PZ?-1 = 0
3350 ENDPROC

```

RAM TEST

The program is written in machine-code.

It is less than &100 bytes long and so there is room for it in the stack! Although that is a most unusual place to store a program, we have done so in order that the program can test as much RAM as possible without over-writing itself.

Call the program either by ***LOAD RAMTEST** followed by **CALL &100** or by ***RUN RAMTEST**. On disk-based systems, you can type ***RAMTEST**.

Mode 7 will be set and you will see an asterisk progressing across the screen. In a short while, small coloured squares will appear and then the whole screen will fill with changing characters in ASCII order. The display will continue to cycle in this manner until you stop the program by pressing Break (Escape won't work).

What is happening is that the entire RAM from &900 to &7FFF is being filled by bytes from 0 to &FF. After each new number is used, the entire memory is checked to see whether the contents of any byte have changed. What you are seeing on the screen is the Mode 7 display area (between &7C00 and &7FFF) being filled with these values, some of which correspond to control codes and some to ASCII characters.

At the end of every complete cycle, the speaker will beep to indicate that all 256 different bit patterns have been successfully tested.

Should a failure occur, the program will stop with a beep and the prompt will return. The address of the bad byte is in locations &70 and &71.

PRINT ~&70 + ?&71 * &100

will put it on to the screen. The value which caused the failure is held in location &72.

It is not possible to test the memory below &900 with this program, since that area is used by the Operating System to store its control variables, vectoring addresses and the like. If you fill it with different byte values, the computer tends to crash to a sudden halt!

Since various buffers are tested, it is best to clear the system completely with a CNTRL BREAK when you have finished with the test.

```
10 REM **** RAM TEST ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 :
50 loc = &70 : REM + &71
60 byte = &72
70 :
80 oswrch = &FFEE
90 osbyte = &FFF4
100 :
110 start = 9 : REM Start at &900
120 pages = &80 - start
130 :
140 opt = 2
150 :
160 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
170 P% = &100
180 [
190 OPT I%
200 :
210 LDX #&FF
220 TXS \ Reset stack
230 :
240 \ Flush function key buffer
250 LDA #18
260 JSR osbyte
270 :
280 \ Mode 7
290 LDA #&16
300 JSR oswrch
310 LDA #7
320 JSR oswrch
330 :
340 \ Cursor off
350 LDA #23
360 JSR oswrch
370 LDA #1
380 JSR oswrch
390 LDA #0
400 LDX #8
```

```
410 :
420 .zero JSR oswrch
430 DEX
440 BNE zero
450 :
460 \ Set up to start
470 LDA #0
480 STA loc
490 STA byte \ Test byte
500 TAY
510 :
520 .begin LDA #start
530 STA loc+1
540 LDX #pages
550 :
560 \ Store a byte throughout memory
570 .loop1 LDA byte
580 STA (loc),Y
590 INY
600 BNE loop1
610 :
620 INC loc+1
630 DEX \ Decrement page counter
640 BNE loop1 \ All pages done ?
650 :
660 \ Now check the byte
670 LDA #start
680 STA loc+1
690 LDX #pages
700 :
710 LDA byte
720 .loop2 CMP (loc),Y
730 BNE error
740 INY
750 BNE loop2
760 :
770 INC loc+1
780 DEX \ Decrement page counter
790 BNE loop2 \ All pages done ?
800 :
```



```
810\ End of one pass
820 LDA #ASC "*"
830 JSR oswrch
840 INC byte
850 BNE begin \ Unless byte = 0
860:
870 LDA #7 \ Beep
880 JSR oswrch
890 JMP begin
900:
910,error STY loc \ Error address now
      in loc, loc+1
920 LDA #7 \ Bell and exit
930 JMP oswrch
940]
950NEXT
960:
970END
```

REM STRIPPER

This is one of the three 'squeeze' utilities which will help to shorten a BASIC program and so make it run faster. It removes **REM** statements and, optionally, lines containing only colons and spaces (used, for example, to highlight the boundaries of block structures).

There are two versions of the program on the tape. REMSTRP is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &10FF. RMSTRPDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1600 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which they start, the two programs operate identically.

As the utility is co-resident, you can load it before or after you get your BASIC program into memory. Once the utility is in memory, start it working with **CALL &E00** (tape version) or **CALL &1600** (disk version). On disk-based systems, it is the first of the utilities used in the *EXEC SQUEEZE routine.

The routine begins by setting Mode 7 and displaying the message

Do you want to remove single-colon and single-space lines ?

If you type **Y**, all such lines will be removed. Otherwise, type **N**. If, instead, you want to stop the routine at this point, press Escape.

The next message to be displayed is **Stripping in progress . . .** After a short while – just how long depends on the length of your program and how much stripping needs to be done – the prompt will return, leaving the stripped BASIC program in memory.

If you are squeezing a program to its smallest size, REMSTRP should be the first utility that you use, before CRUNCH and PACKER.

In case your program contains a reference to a line which is actually a **REM** statement line, such as:

```
100 GOSUB 1000
```

```
1000 REM Print-out subroutine
```

```
1010 :
```

```
1020 PRINT . . .
```

REMSTRP will automatically adjust the line reference to the next 'live' line. In this case, line 100 will be changed to **GOSUB 1010** – if you have not opted to remove single-colon lines – or to **GOSUB 1020** if you have.

If you want to keep one or two **REMs** (the program title for instance), you can either re-enter them after using REMSTRP or you can temporarily alter the **REM** to, say, **RME** so that it will not be recognised by the utility.

REMSTRP will not remove comments from an assembly language listing (i.e. text preceded by a reverse oblique).

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes, embedded control codes and other general hints.

```

10 REM **** REM STRIPPER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
50 REM Re-referencing fails if
   reference to REM etc. as last line
   of program
60 REM Assumes no hidden &Ds embedded
   in text
70 :
80 DIM msg(2)
90 :
100 REM Basic pointers
110 lomem = &0
120 himem = &6
130 vartop = &2
140 top = &12
150 page = &18
160 :
170 memloc = &70 : REM + &71
180 linenum = &72 : REM + &73
190 srchloc = &74 : REM + &75
200 binnum = &76 : REM + &77, &78
210 temp = &79 : REM + &7A, &7B
220 source = &7C : REM + &7D
230 destin = &7E : REM + &7F
240 colonflag = &80
250 flag = &81
260 length = &82
270 srchlen = &83

```

```

280 offset = &84
290 ysave = &85
300 count = &86
310 ;
320 osrdch = &FFE0
330 oswrch = &FFEE
340 osnewl = &FFE7
350 ;
360 REM Constants
370 eol = &0D
380 esc = &1B
390 space = ASC " "
400 colon = ASC ":"
410 rem = &F4 ; REM Basic token
420 maxsize = &7C ; REM for Mode 7
430 ;
440 org = &E00
450 ;
460 opt = 2
470 ;
480 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
490 P% = org
500 [
510 OPT I%
520 ;
530 LDY #0
540 .msglloop LDA msg(1),Y \ Mode 7
    and title
550 BEQ msgldone
560 JSR oswrch
570 INY
580 BNE msglloop
590 ;
600 \ Himem under Mode 7
610 .msgldone LDA #maxsize
620 STA himem+1
630 LDX #0
640 STX himem
650 ;

```

```

660 \ Strip single colons ?
670 .ask JSR osrdch
680 AND #&DF \ Mask to upper-case
690 CMP #ASC"N"
700 BEQ no
710 CMP #ASC"Y"
720 BEQ yes
730 CMP #esc
740 BNE ask
750 JMP finish
760 :
770 .yes DEX \ To &FF
780 .no STX colonflag
790 JSR oswrch \ Print Y or N
800 :
810 LDY #0
820 .msg2loop LDA msg(2),Y \
    Stripping
830 BEQ msg2done
840 JSR oswrch
850 INY
860 BNE msg2loop
870 :
880 \ Adjust cross-references
890 .msg2done LDA #1 \ Start at PAGE +
    1
900 STA memloc
910 LDA page
920 STA memloc+1
930 :
940 \ Find an opening REM etc.
950 .nextline LDY #0
960 LDA (memloc),Y
970 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
980 BNE morelines
990 JMP strip \ Re-referencing
    completed
1000 :

```

```
1010 .morelines INY
1020 INY
1030 LDA (memloc),Y
1040 STA length \ Offset to start of
      next line
1050 :
1060 .nextbyte INY
1070 LDA (memloc),Y
1080 CMP #rem
1090 BEQ refchek
1100 :
1110 CMP #eol
1120 BEQ flagtest
1130 :
1140 CMP #colon
1150 BEQ nextbyte
1160 :
1170 CMP #space
1180 BEQ nextbyte
1190 .notcolon JMP endline
1200 :
1210 .flagtest BIT colonflag
1220 BPL notcolon
1230 :
1240 \ Is this line referred to ?
1250 .refchek LDY #0
1260 LDA (memloc),Y
1270 STA linenum+1
1280 INY
1290 LDA (memloc),Y
1300 STA linenum
1310 JSR convert \ Convert linenum to
      3-byte code
1320 :
1330 \ 'temp' will be re-used, so -
1340 LDX #2
1350 .transfer LDA temp,X
1360 STA binnum,X
1370 DEX
1380 BPL transfer
```

```
1390 ;
1400 \ Look for that number in
      program
1410 LDA #1
1420 STA srchloc
1430 LDA page
1440 STA srchloc+1
1450 ;
1460 ,nextsrch LDY #0
1470 LDA (srchloc),Y
1480 CMP #&FF
1490 BEQ endline \ End of this pass
1500 ;
1510 INY
1520 INY
1530 LDA (srchloc),Y
1540 STA srchlen
1550 ;
1560 ,moresrch INY
1570 LDA (srchloc),Y
1580 CMP #eol
1590 BEQ srchline
1600 ;
1610 CMP #&8D \ Line number token
1620 BNE moresrch
1630 ;
1640 \ Compare with 3 coded bytes
1650 LDX #0
1660 STX flag
1670 ;
1680 ,trymatch INY
1690 LDA (srchloc),Y
1700 CMP binnum,X
1710 BEQ morematch
1720 DEC flag
1730 ;
1740 ,morematch INX
1750 CPX #3
1760 BNE trymatch
1770 ;
```

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1780 LDA flag
1790 BNE moresrch \ No match if < 0
1800 ;
1810 \ Alter this reference to coded
      next line
1820 \ Code up next line number
1830 LDA memloc
1840 CLC
1850 ADC length
1860 STA source
1870 LDA memloc+1
1880 ADC #0
1890 STA source+1
1900 STY ysave
1910 LDY #0
1920 LDA (source),Y
1930 STA linenum+1
1940 INY
1950 LDA (source),Y
1960 STA linenum
1970 JSR convert
1980 LDY ysave
1990 ;
2000 \ Alter the &8D reference
2010 LDX #2
2020 ,swap LDA temp,X
2030 STA (srchloc),Y
2040 DEY
2050 DEX
2060 BPL swap
2070 ;
2080 LDY ysave \ Where we were looking
2090 BNE moresrch \ Always
2100 ;
2110 ,srchline LDA srchloc
2120 CLC
2130 ADC srchlen
2140 STA srchloc
2150 LDA srchloc+1
2160 ADC #0

```



```
2170 STA srchloc+1
2180 BNE nextsrch \ Always
2190 :
2200 \ Set up for next line
2210 .endline LDA memloc
2220 CLC
2230 ADC length
2240 STA memloc
2250 LDA memloc+1
2260 ADC #0
2270 STA memloc+1
2280 JMP nextline
2290 :
2300 :
2310 \ Convert linenum to 3-byte code
2320 .convert LDA linenum+1
2330 ORA #&40
2340 STA temp+2
2350 LDA linenum
2360 AND #&3F
2370 ORA #&40
2380 STA temp+1
2390 LDA linenum
2400 AND #&C0
2410 STA linenum
2420 LDA linenum+1
2430 AND #&C0
2440 LSR A
2450 LSR A
2460 ORA linenum
2470 LSR A
2480 LSR A
2490 EOR #&54
2500 STA temp
2510 RTS
2520 :
2530 :
2540 \ Actual stripping starts here
2550 :
```

```

2560 ,strip LDA #1
2570 STA memloc
2580 LDA page
2590 STA memloc+1
2600 :
2610 ,lookrem LDY #0
2620 LDA (memloc),Y
2630 CMP #&FF
2640 BNE lookrem2
2650 JMP finish
2660 :
2670 ,lookrem2 INY \ Skip line-number
      byte 2
2680 INY
2690 LDA (memloc),Y
2700 STA length
2710 INY
2720 LDA (memloc),Y
2730 CMP #rem \ Opening REM ?
2740 BEQ lineout
2750 :
2760 BIT colonflag \ Leave colons ?
2770 BPL midlook
2780 :
2790 CMP #colon
2800 BEQ opener
2810 :
2820 CMP #space
2830 BNE midlook
2840 :
2850 \ Test for one or more opening
      colons or spaces
2860 ,opener INY
2870 LDA (memloc),Y
2880 CMP #space
2890 BEQ opener \ Still maybe
2900 :
2910 CMP #colon
2920 BEQ opener \ Still maybe
2930 :

```

```
2940  CMP #eol \ A whole line of them ?
2950  BNE midlook2
2960  :
2970  \ Remove entire line
2980  .lineout LDY #0 \ Nothing to keep
2990  JSR pack
3000  JMP lookrem \ Next line now in
      position of lost line
3010  :
3020  .midlook INY
3030  .midlook2 LDA (memloc),Y
3040  CMP #eol
3050  BEQ lookline \ Onto next line
3060  :
3070  CMP #rem
3080  BNE midlook
3090  :
3100  \ Test for preceding colons or
      spaces
3110  .back DEY
3120  CPY #2 \ At start of line ?
3130  BEQ lineout
3140  :
3150  LDA (memloc),Y
3160  CMP #space
3170  BEQ back
3180  :
3190  CMP #colon
3200  BEQ back
3210  :
3220  INY \ Cancel last INY
3230  DEC length \ Overlay &D before
      following line
3240  JSR pack \ Found mid-line REM
3250  LDY ysave \ Saved by 'pack' but
      points at eol, so -
3260  INY
3270  TYA
3280  STA length
3290  LDY #2
```

```
3300 STA (memloc),Y \ Over-write
      current length
3310 :
3320 ,lookline LDA memloc
3330 CLC
3340 ADC length
3350 STA memloc
3360 LDA memloc+1
3370 ADC #0
3380 STA memloc+1
3390 JMP lookrem
3400 :
3410 :
3420 \ Packing sub-routine
3430 \ Enter with (memloc),Y on split
      point
3440 ,pack STY ysave \ Set up move
      pointers
3450 LDA memloc
3460 CLC
3470 ADC ysave
3480 STA destin
3490 LDA memloc+1
3500 ADC #0
3510 STA destin+1
3520 :
3530 LDA memloc
3540 CLC
3550 ADC length
3560 STA source
3570 LDA memloc+1
3580 ADC #0
3590 STA source+1
3600 :
3610 LDA top
3620 SEC
3630 SBC source
3640 STA count
3650 LDA top+1
3660 SEC
```

```
3670 SBC source+1
3680 LDY #0
3690 TAX \ Pages to move
3700 BEQ shift2
3710 :
3720 ,shift1 LDA (source),Y
3730 STA (destin),Y
3740 INY
3750 BNE shift1
3760 INC source+1
3770 INC destin+1
3780 DEX
3790 BNE shift1
3800 :
3810 ,shift2 LDX count \ Move odd
      bytes
3820 BEQ shiftdone
3830 :
3840 ,shift3 LDA (source),Y
3850 STA (destin),Y
3860 INY
3870 DEX
3880 BNE shift3
3890 :
3900 \ Reset Basic pointers
3910 ,shiftdone LDA length
3920 SEC
3930 SBC ysave
3940 STA offset
3950 LDA top
3960 SEC
3970 SBC offset
3980 STA top
3990 STA lomem
4000 STA vartop
4010 LDA top+1
4020 SBC #0
4030 STA top+1
4040 STA lomem+1
4050 STA vartop+1
```

```
4060 RTS
4070 :
4080 .finish JSR osnewl
4090 JMP osnewl \ & exit to caller
4100 ]
4110 :
4120 PROCText (1, CHR$22 + CHR$7 +
CHR$31 + CHR$12 + CHR$2 + "REM
STRIPPER" + CHR$31 + CHR$1 + CHR$8
+ "Do you want to remove
single-colon and" + CHR$13 + CHR$10
+ CHR$10 + " single-space lines ?
")
4130 PROCText (2, CHR$31 + CHR$7 +
CHR$16 + "Stripping in progress
.... ")
4140 :
4150 NEXT
4160 :
4170 END
4180 :
4190 :
4200 DEF PROCText (N,A$)
4210 msg(N) = P%
4220 $msg(N) = A$
4230 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1
4240 P%?-1 = 0
4250 ENDPROC
```

GLOBAL REPLACEMENT

REPLACE is a utility written in machine-code, which will change almost anything – commands, variables, strings or text – into anything else within a BASIC program, irrespective of their relative sizes. You can use it, for example, to change long variable names to short ones or vice versa, to change real arrays to integer arrays or subroutine calls into calls to named procedures.

There are two versions of the program on the tape. REPLACE is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &FFF. REPLACEDSK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1700 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than their starting addresses, the two programs operate identically.

The utility is co-resident, that is, it will remain in the computer's memory whilst you load, run and save BASIC programs until you over-write it.

Before you use the utility, you'll need to set up two function keys – any keys will do. Program the first key

***KEY 1 0 ;H Replace ?**

and the second key

***KEY 2CA.&E00;K;M**

If you like, you can add a space after the question mark at the end of the first key's string. The second key's string must be typed exactly as printed above, with *no* spaces between the characters. If you want to use keys other than 1 and 2, you'll obviously use different key numbers when setting them up. If you are using the disk version of the program, the second key string will be

*** KEY 2CA.&1700;K;M**

To use the utility, press the first function key and the message **Replace ?** will appear on the screen. Type in what you want to replace (let's call it the 'target' from now on) followed by a reverse oblique ('\'), then whatever you want to substitute for the target (we'll call it the 'replacement'), ending with a Return. If you are in Mode 7, the oblique will appear on the screen as ½. The oblique acts as a 'delimiter', that is, it tells REPLACE where your target ends and your replacement begins.

As an example, let us say that your program contains an integer array **A%()**. You now realise that it has to hold decimal numbers and you have to alter every reference to it into **A()**. After pressing the first function key (**Replace ?** appears), you would type:

A%(\A(

followed by a Return.

What you have done at this point is to cause a new line, numbered 0, to be added to the program in memory, containing the target and the replacement separated by a delimiting oblique. (If you wonder why we add a new line to your BASIC program, the reason is so that we can use the parser in ROM to create tokens from BASIC keywords.)

There are a number of points to bear in mind from this process.

Since REPLACE temporarily adds a new line 0 to your BASIC program (which it subsequently deletes), your program must not already contain a line 0. If it does, it will be lost.

Be careful if your target might appear in different contexts in the program. For example, if you want to change the variable **A** to **B**, and you give just the letter **A** as your target, every occurrence of that character in your program will be altered. To prevent unwanted changes, you could temporarily change other occurrences to unused names (e.g. **A\$** into **ZZZ\$**). Then alter **A** to **B** and finally reset **ZZZ\$** to **A\$**.

If you do not proceed to the second stage of the utility (by pressing the second function key), you will be left with an unwanted line 0, which will probably cause a syntax error unless you delete it before running the program.

Since the reverse oblique is reserved for use as a delimiter, you can't include it as part of your target or replacement.

The utility will search for the target in the exact form in which you have typed it and will change it to the replacement, again exactly as you have typed it. Therefore, be accurate – particularly with spaces.

One advantage of using the parser is that you can type in the truncated form of BASIC keywords. If you are changing, say, **MOVE XPOS** to **DRAW XPOS**, you can type:

```
MOV. XPOS\DR. XPOS
```

The drawback of using the parser is that it will not tokenise anything after a **REM** or **DATA** command. You cannot therefore specify **REM** or **DATA** as part of your target, because the second **REM** or **DATA** will be retained as ASCII characters by the parser. Although it will look correct when you list the program line, it will generate a syntax error when the program is run. If this happens, re-copy the line with the cursor edit keys and the line will be re-parsed and re-inserted into your program in its correct form. The same principle explains why you should be careful about including both opening and closing quotation marks in a target. For instance,

PRINT "Hello\PRINT"Goodbye
 will not work, whereas you will succeed with
PRINT "Hello'\PRINT "Goodbye"

You can mix keywords, variables and text as you wish. For example, you can change

A\$ = "APPLES"

to

PRINT TAB(13) "ORANGES"

Because your target and replacement are tokenised, you must include the full word (don't type **SUB 1000** instead of **GOSUB 1000**) and all necessary brackets in accordance with the list of tokens on pages 483-4 of the User Guide. For instance, if you want to replace **LEFT\$** with **RIGHT\$**, you must type:
LEFT\$(RIGHT\$(

The final point is that you must not begin your target with a number, since it will be parsed as part of the line-number and you will add a new and unwanted line somewhere else in the program! Since numbers within a line can almost always be related to another command, e.g. **GOSUB**, or a mathematical symbol, include that as the start of the target and replacement.

Having entered your target and replacement, press the second function key.

If you have made an error in the form of your command line, you'll get the message **Bad command**. This will happen if there is no target before the oblique, no replacement after it, no oblique or more than one oblique. Re-enter the command, line by line by pressing the first function key.

If the utility cannot find your target anywhere in the BASIC program, it will respond with **Not found**. Otherwise it will replace the target with the replacement and indicate, with the message **Replaced**, that it has finished.

There are two situations when replacement will not take place. The maximum length of a BASIC program line is 237 characters. If you try to change a target in a line with a longer replacement and the effect would be to exceed the maximum line length, replacement will stop with the message **Too long**. Since some replacement may already have taken place, you should now list the program to find the problem line and break it up into shorter parts. Remember to re-use the utility, since otherwise you will have a partially altered program.

The other case when replacement will stop is if, as before, you are enlarging the program by making the replacement larger than the target. If the size of the program grows until **TOP** reaches **HIMEM** and it runs out of expansion space,

you'll again get a **Too long** error. One solution is to change to Mode 7 and repeat the command, unless you're already in Mode 7, in which case your program is just too big!

As with all of these types of utility, 'tacked-on' bytes will cause problems. (See 'Using the Programming Utilities'.)

The utility contains useful routines for string searching and for moving blocks of bytes upwards and downwards through the memory.

```

10 REM **** GLOBAL REPLACEMENT ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 :
50 DIM msg(4),OSCL 20
60 find$ = "Replace ? "
70 PROCoscli ("KEY 1 0|H" + find$) :
   REM Put user input into line 0
80 :
90 himem = &06 : REM &07
100 top   = &12 : REM &13 Top of
   program
110 page  = &18 : REM Holds msb of
   start of program
120 :
130 loc   = &70 : REM + &71
140 from  = &72 : REM + &73
150 dest  = &74 : REM + &75
160 gap   = &76 : REM + &77
170 length = &80 : REM .. of line
180 status = &81 : REM Exit message
   index
190 size  = &82 : REM Relative size
   flag
200 len_one = &83 : REM Size of target
210 len_two = &84 : REM Size of
   replacement
220 offset = &85 : REM Difference in
   size

```

```

230 ysave    = &86
240 ysave2   = &87
250 ;
260 REM User's data buffers
270 first    = &710 ; REM After start of
      keyboard buffer
280 second   = &780
290 ;
300 oswrch   = &FFEE
310 osbyte   = &FFF4
320 ;
330 eol      = &0D
340 slash    = ASC "\"
350 ;
360 org      = &E00
370 PROCoscli ("KEY ZCA,&" + STR$^org +
      "|KIM")
380 ;
390 opt      = 2
400 ;
410 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
420 P% = org
430 [
440 OPT I%
450 ;
460 \ Find user's input in line 0
470 ;
480 LDA #3 + LEN find$ \ Skip prompt
490 STA loc
500 LDA page
510 STA loc+1
520 ;
530 LDY #&FF
540 .loop1 INY
550 LDA (loc),Y
560 CMP #eol
570 BEQ errjmp \ Before slash ?
580 CMP #slash
590 BNE loop1
600 ;

```

```

610 STY len_one
620 TYA \ For Z-flag
630 BEQ errjmp \ Null string
640 BMI errjmp \ Over &7F characters
650 DEC len_one
660 DEC len_one
670 :
680 LDX #&FE \ For slash and eol
690 .loop2 INX
700 INY
710 LDA (loc),Y
720 CMP #eol
730 BNE loop2
740 :
750 CPX #&FF
760 BEQ errjmp \ Nothing after "\"
770 CPX #&7F
780 ECS errjmp \ Too big
790 STX len_two
800 :
810 \ Reverse makes faster search
820 LDX #0
830 DEY
840 .rev1 LDA (loc),Y
850 CMP #slash
860 BEQ rev2
870 STA second,X
880 INX
890 DEY
900 BNE rev1
910 :
920 .rev2 LDX #0
930 DEY \ skip slash
940 .rev3 LDA (loc),Y
950 STA first,X
960 INX
970 DEY
980 BNE rev3
990 :

```

```

1000 \ Difference in size ?
1010 LDX #0 \ For size flag
1020 LDA len_one
1030 SEC
1040 SEC len_two
1050 BEQ search \ Size remains 0
1060 :
1070 LDX #&40 \ Bit 6 set
1080 BCS search
1090 :
1100 LDA len_two
1110 SEC
1120 SEC len_one
1130 LDX #&80 \ Bit 7 set
1140 BNE search \ always
1150 :
1160 :
1170 .errjmp LDA #msg(1) \ "Bad
      command"
1180 STA status
1190 JMP finish
1200 :
1210 :
1220 \ Start of search
1230 :
1240 .search STA offset
1250 STX size
1260 LDA #msg(2) \ "Not found"
1270 STA status
1280 :
1290 LDY #1 \ Start of program
1300 STY loc
1310 :
1320 \ Skip fake line 0
1330 INY
1340 LDA (loc),Y
1350 STA length
1360 BNE endline \ Always
1370 :

```

```
1380 .nextline LDY #0
1390 LDA (loc),Y
1400 BMI finish \ &FF end of program
1410 :
1420 INY
1430 INY
1440 LDA (loc),Y
1450 STA length \ Offset to start of
      next line
1460 :
1470 .lookmore LDX len_one
1480 STY ysave \ For moves
1490 .nextbyte INY
1500 LDA (loc),Y
1510 CMP #eol
1520 BEQ endline
1530 :
1540 .compare CMP first,X
1550 BNE lookmore
1560 DEX
1570 BPL nextbyte
1580 :
1590 :
1600 \ Match found
1610 STY ysave2 \ End of match
1620 BIT size
1630 BMI larger
1640 BVC swap \ Same size
1650 :
1660 JSR movedown
1670 JMP swap
1680 :
1690 .larger JSR moveup
1700 BCS finish \ Error in move
1710 :
1720 \ Insert replacement
1730 :
1740 .swap LDX len_two
1750 LDY ysave
1760 INY
```

```
1770 .swap2 LDA second,X
1780 STA (loc),Y
1790 INY
1800 DEX
1810 BPL swap2
1820 :
1830 LDA #msg(3) \ "Completed"
1840 STA status
1850 LDY ysave
1860 BIT size
1870 BPL lookmore \ Same size or less
1880 :
1890 \ Skip re-search of replacement
1900 LDA ysave
1910 SEC \ Plus 1
1920 ADC offset
1930 TAY
1940 BNE lookmore \ Always
1950 :
1960 .endline LDA loc
1970 CLC
1980 ADC length
1990 STA loc
2000 BCC nextline
2010 INC loc+1
2020 BNE nextline \ Always
2030 :
2040 :
2050 .finish LDX status
2060 .msgloop LDA msgstart,X
2070 BEQ exit
2080 JSR oswrch
2090 INX
2100 BNE msgloop
2110 :
2120 \ Delete line 0
2130 .exit LDA #&15 \ VDU off
2140 JSR oswrch
2150 LDY #ASC "0"
2160 JSR bufchar
```

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2170 LDY #6 \ VDU on
2180 JSR bufchar
2190 LDY #eol \ Fall through & exit to
      Basic
2200 ;
2210 \ Puts Y into keyboard buffer
2220 ,bufchar LDA #&8A
2230 LDX #0
2240 JMP osbyte
2250 ;
2260 ;
2270 \ **** Subroutines ****
2280 ;
2290 \ **** Move memory block right
2300 ;
2310 ,moveup LDA length
2320 CLC
2330 ADC offset
2340 CMP #&ED
2350 BCS too_long \ Over 237
      characters
2360 ;
2370 \ Store new length
2380 STA length
2390 LDY #2
2400 STA (loc),Y
2410 ;
2420 LDA top
2430 STA from
2440 CLC
2450 ADC offset
2460 STA dest
2470 TAX \ Temp save
2480 LDA top+1
2490 STA from+1
2500 ADC #0
2510 STA dest+1
2520 CMP himem+1
2530 BCS too_long
2540 ;

```



```
2550 STX top \ OK to alter
2560 STA top+1
2570 :
2580 LDA from
2590 SEC
2600 SBC loc
2610 STA gap
2620 LDA from+1
2630 SBC loc+1
2640 STA gap+1
2650 :
2660 LDA gap
2670 SEC
2680 SBC ysave2
2690 STA gap
2700 ECS rmove
2710 DEC gap+1
2720 :
2730 ,rmove LDY #0
2740 LDX gap+1
2750 BEQ rmvpart
2760 :
2770 ,rmv2 DEC from+1
2780 DEC dest+1
2790 ,rmv3 DEY
2800 LDA (from),Y
2810 STA (dest),Y
2820 CPY #0
2830 BNE rmv3
2840 :
2850 DEX
2860 BNE rmv2
2870 :
2880 ,rmvpart LDX gap
2890 BEQ rmvdone
2900 :
2910 DEC from+1
2920 DEC dest+1
2930 ,rmv4 DEY
2940 LDA (from),Y
```

```
2950 STA (dest),Y
2960 DEX
2970 BNE rmv4
2980 :
2990 ,rmvdone CLC
3000 RTS
3010 :
3020 ,too_long LDA #msg(4)
3030 STA status
3040 RTS \ With carry set
3050 :
3060 :
3070 \ **** Move memory block left
3080 :
3090 ,movedown LDA loc
3100 CLC
3110 ADC ysave2
3120 STA from
3130 LDA loc+1
3140 ADC #0
3150 STA from+1
3160 :
3170 LDA from
3180 SEC
3190 SBC offset
3200 STA dest
3210 LDA from+1
3220 SBC #0
3230 STA dest+1
3240 :
3250 LDA top
3260 SEC
3270 SBC from
3280 STA gap
3290 LDA top+1
3300 SBC from+1
3310 STA gap+1
3320 :
3330 LDA top
3340 SEC
```

```
3350   SBC offset
3360   STA top
3370   LDA top+1
3380   SBC #0
3390   STA top+1
3400   :
3410   .lmove LDY #0
3420   LDX gap+1
3430   BEQ lmvpart
3440   :
3450   .lmpage LDA (from),Y
3460   STA (dest),Y
3470   INY
3480   BNE lmpage
3490   INC from+1
3500   INC dest+1
3510   DEX
3520   BNE lmpage
3530   :
3540   .lmpart LDX gap
3550   BEQ lmvdone
3560   :
3570   .lmlast LDA (from),Y
3580   STA (dest),Y
3590   INY
3600   DEX
3610   BNE lmlast
3620   :
3630   .lmdone LDA length
3640   SEC
3650   SBC offset
3660   STA length
3670   LDY #2
3680   STA (loc),Y
3690   RTS
3700   :
3710   .msgstart \ Used for messages
3720   ]
3730   :
```

```
3740 REM Cover "CA.&aaaa"
3750 PROCtext (1,CHR#7 + "Bad command")
3760 PROCtext (2,"Not found")
3770 PROCtext (3,"Replaced ")
3780 PROCtext (4,CHR#7 + "Too long ")
3790 NEXT
3800 :
3810 END
3820 :
3830 :
3840 DEF PROCoscli (A$)
3850 X% = OSCL MOD &100
3860 Y% = OSCL DIV &100
3870 $OSCL = A$
3880 CALL &FFF7
3890 ENDPROC
3900 :
3910 :
3920 DEF PROCtext (N,A$)
3930 msgaddr = P%
3940 $msgaddr = A$
3950 msg(N) = P% - msgstart : REM Offset
    to message
3960 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1
3970 P%?-1 = 0
3980 ENDPROC
```

PROGRAM RESEQUENCER

RESEQ is a utility written in machine-code, which moves one or more lines of a BASIC program to another place within the program. Having written part of a program, you might decide that you need to re-use a section of code. Instead of copying it out again, you can move it down the program, turn it into a procedure and call on it as needed. Even if your program uses a block of the code only once, it often helps to establish the structure of a program by creating a number of smaller, self-contained procedures out of a large section of code. You might also want to use RESEQ to sort all of your procedures into alphabetical order so as to make them easier to find in a listing.

There are two versions of the program on the tape. RESEQ is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &10FF. RESEQDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1600 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which they start, the two programs operate identically.

As the utility is co-resident, you can load it before or after you get your BASIC program into memory. Once the utility is in memory, start it working with **CALL &E00** (tape version) or **CALL &1600** (disk version). If you are going to make repeated use of the utility, it might be worth setting up a function key to make the call.

When you invoke the routine, it will respond with a hash sign ('#') to indicate that it is waiting for your command line.

The form of the command line is:

FLN/LLN:TLN

FLN is the line-number of the first line of the block to be moved. LLN is the line-number of the last line of the block to be moved. TLN is the 'target' line-number which tells RESEQ where to move the block. Don't include any spaces.

As an example, if you want to move lines 550 to 740 to a point just after line 1250, you would type:

550/740:1251

followed, of course, by Return.

Since the maximum number of digits in FLN, LLN and TLN is five, you will be allowed to enter up to 17 characters. Anything other than a numeral, an oblique or a colon will be ignored.

FLN and LLN are interpreted in the same way as line-numbers that you would give to the **LIST** command. Assuming that your program is numbered in normal

incremental steps of 10, you could have given any number between 541 and 550 as FLN and any number between 740 and 749 as LLN. In other words, RESEQ uses the closest actual line-number.

As to TLN, you can give any number up to and including the line-number of the line before which the insertion is to be made. In other words, in the above example you could have given any number between 1251 and 1260. However, we suggest that to avoid mistakes, you forget about the ability to use an existing line-number (i.e. 1260).

The utility will also accept default values. Using our symbols to represent real numbers, if you type:

/LLN:TLN

RESEQ will assume that FLN is the first line of the program. If you type:

FLN/:TLN

it will assume that LLN is the last line of the program; and if you type:

FLN/LLN:

it will assume that you want to move the defined block to the end of the program. You can use the default values of FLN and TLN in combination, as in:

/50:

which means that you want to move the lines from the start of the program up to line 50 to the end of the program.

RESEQ will first test the validity of your command line. It will reject it:

- if the command line does not contain one and only one oblique
- if the command line does not contain one and only one colon
- if the colon precedes the oblique
- if FLN, LLN or TLN are not integer decimal numbers in the range 0 to 32767
- if FLN is greater than LLN
- if LLN is less than FLN
- if TLN is between FLN and LLN.

Notice that there is nothing to prevent FLN and LLN from being the same number. Indeed, that is how you would tell RESEQ to move a single line.

Remember that if your command line is rejected, you must re-invoke the utility and produce a new hash symbol. Don't just copy over the old command line, as you'll either create a syntax error or, worse, accidentally over-write the original line at FLN if you miss out the hash!

Because the block of code has to be moved around the computer's memory, additional RAM space is needed. If there is insufficient room, RESEQ will fail with a **No room** error. If you are in a high-resolution Mode, try switching to Mode 7.

Once your command line is accepted, RESEQ will take a fraction of a second to make the move. It then has to change the line-numbers. Rather than making the utility even larger by including our own renumberer, we decided to make RESEQ call up BASIC's own RENUMBER command and so you'll see **REN.** appear on the screen just before control is handed back to you.

Renumbering can cause problems if the block being moved contains a line which is referred to elsewhere in the program. You'll know about it when you get the **Failed at . . .** error message. If you write well-structured programs with named procedures, this should cause only minor difficulties with **RESTORE** and **ON ERROR** commands containing line references. You have to edit those lines by hand after the renumber in order to reinstate the correct line references. However, if you write unstructured, 'spaghetti' code full of **GOTOs**, we regret that we have little sympathy for you.

Referring back to the opening paragraph, we would make one suggestion as to the creation of new procedures out of main-line code. Enter the **DEF** and **ENDPROC** lines and the **PROC** call itself *before* you invoke RESEQ. In that way, your program will be correct immediately after using the utility. If you insert the procedure commands after moving the block of code, there is a danger that the renumbering will confuse you as to the correct place in the program to add the new procedure call.

The utility contains some useful subroutines for text input verification, block memory moves and decimal to hexadecimal number conversion.

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes and other general hints.

```

10 REM **** RESEQUENCER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 :
50 *KEY 4 CALL &1600|M
60 :
70 himem = &06 : REM + &7
80 page = &18 : REM Hi-byte of PAGE
90 :
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100 loc      = &70 ; REM + &71
110 final    = &72 ; REM + &73
120 line1    = &74 ; REM + &75
130 line2    = &76 ; REM + &77
140 target   = &78 ; REM + &79
150 top      = &7A ; REM + &7B
160 addr1    = &7C ; REM + &7D
170 addr2    = &7E ; REM + &7F
180 tgtadr   = &80 ; REM + &81
190 temp     = &82 ; REM + &83
200 dest     = &84 ; REM + &85
210 size     = &86 ; REM + &87
220 gap      = &88 ; REM + &89
230 mark     = &8A
240 flag     = &8B
250 hi_tmp   = &8C
260 ;
270 param    = &600 ; REM 5 bytes
280 buffer   = &605 ; REM User-defined
      keyboard input buffer
290 ;
300 osnew1   = &FFE7
310 oswrch   = &FFEE
320 osword   = &FFF1
330 osbyte   = &FFF4
340 ;
350 return   = 13
360 slash    = ASC "/"
370 colon    = ASC ":"
380 ;
390 org      = &E00
400 ;
410 opt      = 2
420 ;
430 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
440 F% = org
450 [
460 OPT I%
470 ;
480 ;
```



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490 \ **** Input a line
500 ;
510 \ Set up parameter block
520 LDA #buffer MOD &100
530 STA param
540 LDA #buffer DIV &100
550 STA param+1
560 LDA #17 \ Maximum line length
570 STA param+2
580 LDA #slash \ Minimum ASCII
590 STA param+3
600 LDA #colon \ Maximum ASCII
610 STA param+4
620 ;
630 LDA #ASC "#" \ As prompt
640 JSR oswrch
650 LDA #15 \ Flush input buffer
660 LDX #1
670 JSR osbyte
680 ;
690 \ Call OS input routine
700 LDA #0
710 LDX #param MOD &100
720 LDY #param DIV &100
730 JSR osword
740 ECC not_esc \ Carry set if escape
750 JMP osnew1 \ so RTS to BASIC
760 ;
770 ;
780 \ **** Get first line number
790 ;
800 ,not_esc LDY #1 \ Skip 'return'
810 STY loc
820 LDA page
830 STA loc+1
840 DEY \ To 0
850 LDA (loc),Y
860 STA line1+1 \ Hi-byte of line no.
870 INY
880 LDA (loc),Y

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890 STA line1 \ Lo-byte of line no.
900 INY
910 :
920 :
930 \ **** Get last line number
940 :
950 .getlast LDA (loc),Y \ Line
    length
960 CLC
970 ADC loc
980 STA loc
990 BCC getlst2
1000 INC loc+1
1010 :
1020 .getlst2 LDY #0
1030 LDA (loc),Y
1040 BMI save_top \ &FF = end of
    program
1050 :
1060 \ Save latest line no.
1070 STA final+1 \ Hi-byte of last line
    no.
1080 INY
1090 LDA (loc),Y
1100 STA final \ Lo-byte of last line
    no.
1110 INY
1120 BNE getlast \ Always
1130 :
1140 \ Save top of program address
1150 .save_top LDA loc
1160 STA top
1170 LDA loc+1
1180 STA top+1
1190 :
1200 :
1210 \ **** Get first command line
    no.
1220 :
```

```
1230 LDA #buffer MOD &100 \ Set up for
      'convert'
1240 STA loc
1250 LDA #buffer DIV &100
1260 STA loc+1
1270 :
1280 LDA line1 \ Parameters
1290 LDX line1+1
1300 LDY #slash
1310 JSR convert
1320 BCS jmperr
1330 :
1340 \ Is new start line after real
      first line ?
1350 LDA temp
1360 CMP line1
1370 LDA temp+1
1380 SBC line1+1
1390 BCC hexscnd
1400 :
1410 \ If so, use new start line
      number
1420 LDA temp
1430 STA line1
1440 LDA temp+1
1450 STA line1+1
1460 :
1470 :
1480 \ **** Convert second number to
      hex
1490 :
1500 ,hexscnd LDA final
1510 STA line2 \ Can never be > final
1520 LDX final+1
1530 STX line2+1
1540 LDY #colon
1550 JSR convert
1560 BCS jmperr
1570 :
```

```

1580 \ Is new start line before real
      last line ?
1590 LDA temp
1600 CMP final
1610 LDA temp+1
1620 SEC final+1
1630 BCS order
1640 :
1650 \ If so, use new end line number
1660 LDA temp
1670 STA line2
1680 LDA temp+1
1690 STA line2+1
1700 :
1710 :
1720 \ **** Is 'last' before 'first'
      ?
1730 :
1740 .order LDA line2
1750 CMP line1
1760 LDA line2+1
1770 SEC line1+1
1780 BCC jmperr
1790 :
1800 :
1810 \ **** Where to move it ?
1820 :
1830 LDA final
1840 LDX final+1
1850 LDY #return
1860 JSR convert
1870 BCS jmperr
1880 :
1890 \ Save it
1900 LDA temp
1910 STA target
1920 LDA temp+1
1930 STA target+1
1940 :
1950 :

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1960 \ **** Is target above first line
      ?
1970 :
1980 LDA target
1990 CMP line1
2000 LDA target+1
2010 SBC line1+1
2020 BCC find \ Below
2030 :
2040 \ ... and below end line ?
2050 LDA line2
2060 CMP target
2070 LDA line2+1
2080 SBC target+1
2090 BCC find \ Line no. is above
2100 :
2110 .jmperr JMP synterr
2120 :
2130 :
2140 \ **** Find 2 line no. addresses
2150 \ Exit with closest line
      addresses in addr1, addr2
2160 :
2170 .find LDX #0
2180 STX flag
2190 INX \ Skip opening 'return'
2200 STX loc
2210 LDA page
2220 STA loc+1
2230 :
2240 .find2 LDY #0
2250 LDA (loc),Y \ Hi-byte line no.
2260 STA hi_tmp \ Hold it
2270 INY \ Ready for lo-byte
2280 BIT flag
2290 BMI test2
2300 :

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```

2310 \ Compare with first no.
2320  CMP #&FF
2330  BEQ jmperr \ First no. > last line
      no.
2340  :
2350  LDA (loc),Y \ Lo-byte line no.
2360  CMP line1
2370  LDA hi_tmp
2380  SBC line1+1
2390  BCC newline \ Not yet passed
2400  :
2410 \ Save details of this line
2420  LDA loc
2430  STA addr1
2440  LDA loc+1
2450  STA addr1+1
2460  DEC flag
2470  BNE newline \ Always
2480  :
2490 ,test2 CMP #&FF
2500  BEQ overtop \ &FF end of program
2510  :
2520 \ Compare with second no.
2530  LDA line2
2540  CMP (loc),Y \ Lo-byte
2550  LDA line2+1
2560  SBC hi_tmp \ Hi-byte
2570  BCC overtop
2580  :
2590 ,newline LDA loc
2600  CLC
2610  INY
2620  ADC (loc),Y \ line length
2630  STA loc
2640  LDA loc+1
2650  ADC #0
2660  STA loc+1
2670  BNE find2 \ Always
2680  :

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```
2690 .overtop LDA loc
2700 STA addr2
2710 LDA loc+1
2720 STA addr2+1
2730 :
2740 :
2750 \ **** Test for move space above
      TOP
2760 :
2770 LDA addr2
2780 SEC
2790 SBC addr1 \ Difference ...
2800 PHP
2810 CLC
2820 ADC top \ ... added to top
2830 STA temp
2840 LDA addr2+1
2850 PLP
2860 SBC addr1+1
2870 CLC
2880 ADC top+1
2890 STA temp+1
2900 :
2910 \ Enough room below HIMEM ?
2920 LDA himem
2930 CMP temp
2940 LDA himem+1
2950 SBC temp+1
2960 BCS shift
2970 JMP noroom
2980 :
2990 :
3000 \ **** Move block to end
3010 :
3020 .shift LDA addr2
3030 SEC
3040 SBC addr1
3050 STA size
3060 STA gap
3070 LDA addr2+1
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```
3080 SEC addr1+1
3090 STA size+1
3100 STA gap+1
3110 LDA addr1
3120 STA loc
3130 LDA addr1+1
3140 STA loc+1
3150 LDA top
3160 STA dest
3170 LDA top+1
3180 STA dest+1
3190 JSR lmove
3200 ;
3210 ;
3220 \ **** Close gap
3230 ;
3240 \ Include end block in shift
      ready for next exit test
3250 LDA top
3260 SEC
3270 SBC addr1
3280 STA size
3290 LDA top+1
3300 SBC addr1+1
3310 STA size+1
3320 LDA addr2
3330 STA loc
3340 LDA addr2+1
3350 STA loc+1
3360 LDA addr1
3370 STA dest
3380 LDA addr1+1
3390 STA dest+1
3400 JSR lmove
3410 ;
3420 \ Is shift to end of program ?
      (Target => last line no.)
3430 LDA target
3440 CMP final
3450 LDA target+1
```



```
3460 SBC final+1
3470 BCC gettgt
3480 JMP exit \ No more moves needed
3490 :
3500 :
3510 \ **** Find address of line above
      target
3520 :
3530 ,gettgt LDY #1 \ Skip 'return'
3540 STY loc
3550 LDA page
3560 STA loc+1
3570 INY \ To 2
3580 :
3590 ,gettgt2 DEY \ To 1
3600 LDA (loc),Y
3610 CMP target
3620 DEY \ To 0
3630 LDA (loc),Y
3640 SBC target+1
3650 BCS gettgt3 \ Passed it
3660 :
3670 INY
3680 INY \ To 2
3690 LDA (loc),Y \ Line length
3700 CLC
3710 ADC loc
3720 STA loc
3730 BCC gettgt2
3740 INC loc+1
3750 BNE gettgt2 \ Always
3760 :
3770 ,gettgt3 LDA loc
3780 STA tgtadr
3790 LDA loc+1
3800 STA tgtadr+1
3810 :
3820 :
3830 \ **** Open new gap
3840 :
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```
3850 LDA top
3860 SEC
3870 SBC tgtadr
3880 STA size
3890 LDA top+1
3900 SBC tgtadr+1
3910 STA size+1
3920 :
3930 LDA top
3940 STA dest
3950 SEC
3960 SBC gap
3970 STA loc
3980 LDA top+1
3990 STA dest+1
4000 SBC gap+1
4010 STA loc+1
4020 :
4030 :
4040 \ **** Move memory block right
4050 :
4060 .rmv LDY #0
4070 LDX size+1
4080 BEQ rmvpart
4090 :
4100 .rmv2 DEC loc+1
4110 DEC dest+1
4120 .rmv3 DEY
4130 LDA (loc),Y
4140 STA (dest),Y
4150 CPY #0
4160 BNE rmv3
4170 :
4180 DEX
4190 BNE rmv2
4200 :
4210 .rmvpart LDX size
4220 BEQ rmvdone
4230 :
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4240 DEC loc+1
4250 DEC dest+1
4260 .rmv4 DEY
4270 LDA (loc),Y
4280 STA (dest),Y
4290 DEX
4300 BNE rmv4
4310 :
4320 :
4330 \ **** Move block to gap
4340 :
4350 .rmvdone LDA gap
4360 STA size
4370 LDA gap+1
4380 STA size+1
4390 LDA top
4400 STA loc
4410 LDA top+1
4420 STA loc+1
4430 LDA tgtadr
4440 STA dest
4450 LDA tgtadr+1
4460 STA dest+1
4470 JSR lmove
4480 :
4490 .exit LDA #&FF
4500 LDY #0
4510 STA (top),Y
4520 :
4530 LDA #&8A \ Stuff buffer
4540 LDX #0
4550 LDY #ASC "R"
4560 JSR osbyte
4570 LDY #ASC "E"
4580 JSR osbyte
4590 LDY #ASC "N"
4600 JSR osbyte
4610 LDY #ASC ","
4620 JSR osbyte
4630 LDY #return
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4640 JMP osbyte \ RTS to BASIC
4650 :
4660 :
4670 \ **** Subroutines ****
4680 :
4690 \ Convert decimal to hex
4700 \ 'loc' contains correct address
      in buffer
4710 \ Enter with default line no. in
      AX and delimiter in Y
4720 :
4730 .convert STA temp
4740 STX temp+1
4750 STY mark
4760 :
4770 \ Is delimiter first character ?
4780 LDY #0
4790 LDA (loc),Y
4800 CMP mark
4810 BEQ convdone \ No digits to
      convert
4820 :
4830 \ Else clear temp
4840 STY temp \ 0
4850 STY temp+1
4860 :
4870 \ Top of loop
4880 .conv2 LDA (loc),Y
4890 CMP mark \ Delimited ?
4900 BEQ convdone
4910 :
4920 CMP #ASC "0" \ For what's below
4930 BCC converr \ Wrong delimiter
4940 :
4950 ASL temp \ times 2
4960 ROL temp+1
4970 LDA temp \ Save in AX
4980 LDX temp+1
4990 ASL temp \ times 8
5000 ROL temp+1

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5010 ASL temp
5020 ROL temp+1
5030 CLC
5040 ADC temp \ add times 2
5050 STA temp
5060 TXA
5070 ADC temp+1
5080 STA temp+1
5090 ;
5100 LDA (loc),Y \ Next ASCII
5110 SEC
5120 SEC #ASC "0" \ To hex
5130 CLC
5140 ADC temp \ Add it on
5150 STA temp
5160 BCC conv3
5170 INC temp+1
5180 ;
5190 .conv3 EIT temp+1
5200 BMI converr \ line no. > 32767 ?
5210 ;
5220 INY
5230 CPY #6 \ Too long ?
5240 BNE conv2 \ If so, fall through
5250 ;
5260 .converr SEC
5270 RTS
5280 ;
5290 .convdone INY \ Point to next
    byte
5300 TYA \ Ready for re-entry
5310 CLC
5320 ADC loc
5330 STA loc \ Hi-byte must stay on
    same page
5340 RTS \ With carry clear as OK flag
5350 ;
5360 ;
5370 \ **** Move memory block left
5380 ;

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5390 .lmove LDY #0
5400 LDX size+1
5410 BEQ lmvpart
5420 :
5430 .lmvpage LDA (loc),Y
5440 STA (dest),Y
5450 INY
5460 BNE lmvpage
5470 INC loc+1
5480 INC dest+1
5490 DEX
5500 BNE lmvpage
5510 :
5520 .lmvpart LDX size
5530 BEQ lmvdone
5540 :
5550 .lmvlast LDA (loc),Y
5560 STA (dest),Y
5570 INY
5580 DEX
5590 BNE lmvlast
5600 :
5610 .lmvdone RTS
5620 :
5630 :
5640 :
5650 ]
5660 :
5670 synterr = P%
5680 M% = CHR$0 + CHR$4 + CHR$7 +
    "Silly"
5690 $synterr = M%
5700 P% = P% + LEN M%
5710 ?P% = 0
5720 :
5730 noroom = P%
5740 M% = CHR$0 + CHR$0 + CHR$7 + "No
    room"
5750 $noroom = M%
5760 P% = P% + LEN M%

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5770 P% = 0
5780 P% = P% + 1
5790 :
5800 NEXT
5810 :
5820 END
```

SHAPE MAKER

SHAPER is a BASIC program which analyses a shape drawn on the screen and converts it into a string of user-defined characters, so that you can re-display it at different places over the screen. The program is written as a BASIC procedure (**PROCfill**) and is embodied within a larger demonstration program.

The shape that we are using for our demonstration is a circle with a thick circumference line. It will take up 36 character spaces and is set in a box to define its boundaries.

Since we will exceed the normal 32 characters available for user-defined characters, we have to 'explode' the character set. Please refer to the notes on the Character Generator for a full description of this process. The program starts by checking whether PAGE has been reset in order to make room for the extra characters. If your shape is of a different size, you'll need to make the appropriate adjustments.

At the beginning of the program there are two variables, **HZ** and **VT**, which specify the horizontal and vertical dimensions of our shape. If you look at the source listing, you'll see how the program uses these two variables to work out whether we need to explode the character set and, if so, where to set PAGE. We call on OSBYTE routine 131 (see page 431 of the User Guide for details) to establish whether you have a disk- or tape-based system.

Before we draw the circle itself, we set up an array of sine and cosine values. Although this takes up extra space in the computer's memory, it is faster to look up the array during run-time than to carry out the same calculations of trigonometric values over and over again. The circle itself is drawn in quadrants, using the same routine as appears in the Circle Draw program.

The shape is then analysed with the POINT command and the individual pixels are transformed into 8×8 character cells. They are re-plotted in red simply to demonstrate the progress of the scan.

The scan itself is carried out in the form of a vertical boustrophedon, that is, in columns moving alternately up and down the screen, rather than in a more usual left-to-right row scan. The reason for this is so that the final shape can be sliced up with LEFT\$ and RIGHT\$ commands. In that way, you can 'pull' it on from the left of the screen and 'push' it off at the other side without wrap-around.

Although the demonstration uses a circle, you can obviously create your own shapes, with mathematical routines or from the keyboard (perhaps using the cursor move keys) or even with a joystick.


```

10 REM **** SHAPE-MAKER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1983
40 :
50 REM Draws a shape on the screen
   then converts it into a
   user-defined shape for printing
   anywhere else
60 :
70 HZ = 6 : REM Horizontal size
80 VT = 6 : REM Vertical size
90 :
100 MEM = ((HZ * VT) DIV 32) * &100 :
    REM Every 32 characters above the
    first needs an extra &100 bytes of
    memory
110 :
120 REM Find lowest free RAM address
130 AZ = &83
140 BASE = (USR(&FFF4) AND &FFFF00) DIV
    &100
150 :
160 REM Test that the character memory
    is sufficiently "exploded"
170 IF PAGE <> BASE + MEM THEN PRINT
    "Reset PAGE to "; ^BASE + MEM " and
    re-run" : STOP
180 :
190 MODE 1
200 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0; : REM Cursor off
210 :
220 MEM = MEM DIV &100
230 IF MEM > 0 THEN PROCoscli
240 :
250 PROCbox (HZ * &20,VT * &20) : REM
    Draw a box to show shape's area
260 :

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270 SZ = 2 : REM Drawing step size
280 PROCtrig
290 PROCcircle (&50,&60) : REM As a
    demo
300 GCOL 0,1
310 PROCfill (6,6)
320 PROCsetup
330 PRINT A$
340 PRINT TAB(0,30)
350 END
360 :
370 :
380 DEF PROCbox (X,Y)
390 VDU 29,&280;&200;
400 X = X + &20
410 Y = Y + &20
420 MOVE -X DIV 2,Y DIV 2
430 PLOT 1,X,0
440 PLOT 1,0,-Y
450 PLOT 1,-X,0
460 PLOT 1,0,Y
470 ENDPROC
480 :
490 :
500 DEF PROCcircle (R1,R2)
510 :
520 FOR R% = R1 TO R2 STEP 2
530     x% = 0
540     y% = R%
550     :
560     FOR A = 0 TO RAD 90 STEP RAD SZ
570         X% = R% * S((DEG A) / 2) + .5
580         Y% = R% * C((DEG A) / 2) + .5
590         FOR QX% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
600             FOR QY% = -1 TO 1 STEP 2
610                 MOVE x% * QX%,y% * QY%
620                 DRAW X% * QX%,Y% * QY%
630             NEXT
640         NEXT
650     x% = X%

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660     5% = Y%
670     NEXT
680     ;
690     NEXT
700     ;
710 ENDPROC
720     ;
730     ;
740 DEF PROCfill (X,Y)
750 DIM B(7)
760 VDU 29,&260 - X*&10;&21C + Y*&10;
770 N = 128
780     ;
790 FOR I = 1 TO X
800     ;
810     IF I MOD 2 THEN FOR J = 1 TO Y
820         IF I MOD 2 = 0 THEN FOR J = Y
            TO 1 STEP -1
830             ;
840             FOR K = 0 TO 7 STEP 2
850                 FOR L = 1 TO 0 STEP -1
860                     ;
870                     B = 0
880                     ;
890                     FOR M = 0 TO 7
900                         XT = I*&20 + M*4
910                         YT = -J*&20 - (K +
                            L)*4
920                         IF POINT(XT,YT) THEN
                            PLOT 69,XT,YT
930                         IF POINT(XT,YT) THEN B
                            = B + 2 ^ (7 - M)
940                         NEXT M
950                     ;
960                     B(K + L) = B
970                     ;
980                     NEXT L
990                 NEXT K
1000            ;

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```

1010         VDU 23,N,B(0),B(1),B(2),B(3),
           B(4),B(5),B(6),B(7)
1020         N = N + 1
1030         :
1040         NEXT J
1050     NEXT I
1060     :
1070 ENDPROC
1080     :
1090     :
1100 DEF PROCoscli
1110 REM Explode the character set
1120 DIM OSCL 10
1130 $OSCL = "FX 20," + STR$ MEM
1140 X% = OSCL
1150 Y% = OSCL DIV &100
1160 CALL &FFF7
1170 ENDPROC
1180     :
1190     :
1200 DEF PROCsetup
1210 A$ = STRING$(96," ") : REM
    "Declare" the string size -
    prevents string garbage
1220 A$ = "" : REM Now clear it
1230 N = 128 : REM CHR$ counter
1240     :
1250 REM Connect defined shapes in a
    vertical "boustrephon" with
    cursor move keys
1260 REM This allows LEFT$ and RIGHT$
    sectioning of the shape
1270 FOR X = 1 TO 6
1280     :
1290     IF X MOD 2 THEN FOR Y = 1 TO 5
1300     IF X MOD 2 = 0 THEN FOR Y = 5
        TO 1 STEP -1
1310         A$ = A$ + CHR$N + CHR$8

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```
1320             IF X MOD 2 THEN A$ = A$ +  
                CHR$10 ELSE A$ = A$ +  
                CHR$11 : REM Up and down on  
                alternate passes  
1330             N = N + 1  
1340             NEXT  
1350             :  
1360             A$ = A$ + CHR$N  
1370             N = N + 1  
1380             NEXT  
1390             :  
1400         ENDPROC  
1410             :  
1420             :  
1430         DEF PROCtrig  
1440         REM Create array of trig  
         values.  
1450         REM Faster than calculating  
         during run-time  
1460         DIM S(90 DIV SZ),C(90 DIV SZ)  
1470         :  
1480         FOR AZ = 0 TO 90 DIV SZ  
1490             S(AZ) = SIN (RAD AZ*2)  
1500             C(AZ) = COS (RAD AZ*2)  
1510         NEXT  
1520         :  
1530         ENDPROC
```

SIDEWAYS CHARACTERS

The routine which forms the basis of this program was originally part of a program called 'Sideways', which is included in the 'Programs from the Computer Programme' Pack. The routine has since been enhanced to make it more versatile.

The program is called TWIST. It lets you display any character sideways (left or right) or upside-down. The routine itself is written in assembly language, but the demonstration is in BASIC, so **CHAIN** or **LOAD-and-RUN** it.

First, a business letter is typed on the screen the right way up. Then, when a key is pressed, the first part of the letter is reprinted sideways, waiting for you to finish it off. Characters typed in from the keyboard will be displayed sideways.

The machine-code routine takes up 67 bytes and makes use of CHR\$224. You can substitute any free user-definable character in line 1020 if your program is already using CHR\$224. The routine is **CALLed** by **PROctwist**, which simply 'pokes' the required ASCII character into a location in zero-page, where it is collected on entry to the routine.

Another location, labelled **type**, controls the orientation of the output character. If it contains 0, characters will appear twisted to the right. With &80 (decimal 128) in it, the characters will be produced upside-down and &40 (decimal 64) will cause a twist to the left. In the demonstration, it is set to 0 in line 400. Of course, altering the value of **type** merely changes the orientation of the characters and not of the entire screen display, so that if you change the value of **type** and re-run the program, you'll either have to use a mirror or stand on your head to make sense of what appears on the screen!

When displaying a screenful of characters, the trick effect is clearly enhanced if the layout of the page is also sideways. You will see from the demonstration that we have had to use joined cursors (**VDU 5**) and **MOVE** commands to perform this trick. We also needed to write our own rudimentary line-feed and carriage-return routines.

Since the BASIC part of the program is only a demonstration for fun and to illustrate the speed of the machine-code, we haven't added complete routines to trap and handle the cursor-move and edit keys; nor, indeed, for scrolling.

Where we think that you will actually find the routine most useful is in diagrams and games. You can label graphs down the edges without having to make up an entire set of user-defined characters. You can also give the idea of turning movement in a game or moving diagram by making up your own symbols and

then rotating them as you go round corners or change direction. (You're obviously not limited to the letters of the alphabet - any character, keyboard or user-defined, will work.)

If you are interested in understanding how the matrix inversion routines work, you may care to study the BASIC translation of the right-twist routine which we've added at the end of the program. It's only there for information. As it is never used, you don't need to copy it when you use the routine in your own programs.

```

10 REM **** TWIST ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982, 1983
40 :
50 REM This program demonstrates how
   the standard character set can be
   re-defined in a different rotation
60 :
70 ON ERROR GOTO 800
80 :
90 MODE 4
100 VDU 23,1,0;0;0;0; : REM No cursor
110 VDU 28,0,29,39,1 : REM New screen
    size
120 :
130 PROCassemble
140 :
150 COLOUR 0
160 COLOUR 129
170 CLS
180 PRINT ''
190 :
200 REM Print letter normally
210 REPEAT
220   READ LIN$
230   PRINT TAB(7) LIN$
240   UNTIL LIN$ = "  "
250 :
```

```

260 *FX 15,0
270 K = GET
280 RESTORE
290 :
300 REM Print letter sideways
310 CLS
320 VDU 5 : REM Join cursors
330 GCOL 4,0 : REM Inverting
340 GCOL 0,129
350 GAP = &1C : REM Gap between
    characters
360 MARGIN = 5 * GAP
370 X = &488 : REM "Top of page" gap
380 LMARG = &3FF - MARGIN
390 Y = LMARG
400 ?type = 0 : REM &80 for
    upside-down, &40 for
    anti-clockwise
410 :
420 REPEAT
430     READ LIN$
440     :
450     FOR IX = 1 TO LEN LIN$
460         MOVE X, Y
470         PROCTwist (MID$(LIN$,IX,1))
480         Y = Y - GAP
490     NEXT
500     :
510     Y = LMARG
520     X = X - &28
530     :
540     UNTIL LIN$ = " "
550     :
560 REM Print keyboard characters
    sideways
570 *FX 15,0
580 X = X - &28
590 :

```



```

600 REPEAT
610   MOVE X,Y
620   PROctwist ("_") : REM Print
      "cursor"
630   A# = GET#
640   MOVE X,Y
650   PROctwist ("_") : REM Remove
      cursor
660   MOVE X,Y
670   IF A# = CHR#13 THEN Y = LMARG : X
      = X - &28 : UNTIL FALSE : REM If
      'Return', back for another
      character else ...
680 :
690 MOVE X,Y
700 PROctwist (A#)
710 Y = Y - GAP
720 IF Y < MARGIN + GAP THEN Y = LMARG
      : X = X - &28 : REM New line
730 :
740 UNTIL FALSE
750 :
760 END
770 :
780 :
790 REM Error trap
800 MODE 6
810 IF ERR <> 17 THEN REPORT : PRINT "
      at line "; ERL
820 END
830 :
840 :
850 DEF PROctwist (L#)
860 ?char = ASC L#
870 CALL Mcode
880 ENDFROC
890 :
900 :

```

```

910 DEF PROCassemble
920 REM Creates a machine-code program
    for matrix inversion
930 :
940 DIM Mcode 100 : REM Space for
    machine code program
950 :
960 char = &70 : REM Use 9 bytes on
    zero page for speed
970 type = &80
980 :
990 oswrch = &FFEE
1000 osword = &FFF1
1010 :
1020 vdu_char = 224 : REM Use any spare
    ASCII character
1030 :
1040 opt = 2 : REM No display
1050 :
1060 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
1070     P% = Mcode
1080     [OPT I%
1090     :
1100     \ Call OS 'read character
        definition' routine
1110         LDA #&A
1120         LDX #char
1130         LDY #char DIV &100
1140         JSR oswrch
1150         :
1160         \ Create new character with VDU
            23
1170         LDA #23 \ Start VDU 23 command
1180         JSR oswrch
1190         LDA #vdu_char
1200         JSR oswrch
1210         LDY #8 \ Twist 8 bytes
1220         :

```

```

1230 .test LDX #8 \ Bit counter
1240 BIT type
1250 BMI reverse \ Bit 7 set
1260 BVS anti \ Bit 6 set
1270 :
1280 \ Twist 8 bits clockwise
1290 .loop1 ROL char,X \ Rotate one
      bit from each byte into carry
      ...
1300 ROL A \ ... and collect it
1310 DEX
1320 BNE loop1 \ Done 8 bits ?
1330 BEQ print \ always
1340 :
1350 \ To twist upside-down -
1360 .reverse LDA char,Y \ Take each
      byte ...
1370 STA char \ ... hold it
1380 .loop2 ASL char \ Reverse each
      bit ...
1390 ROR A \ ... and save it
1400 DEX
1410 BNE loop2
1420 BEQ print \ Always
1430 :
1440 \ To twist anti-clockwise -
1450 .anti ROR char,X
1460 ROR A
1470 DEX
1480 BNE anti
1490 :
1500 .print JSR oswrch \ Print a
      byte
1510 DEY
1520 BNE test \ Done 8 bytes ?
1530 :
1540 LDA #vdu_char \ Print new
      character ...
1550 JMP oswrch \ ... and RTS to
      BASIC

```

```
1560   ]
1570   NEXT
1580   :
1590   ENDPROC
1600   :
1610   :
1620   REM Here's the same routine in
      Basic
1630   :
1640   DIM X% 8, B%(8)
1650   Y% = X% DIV &100
1660   A% = 10
1670   :
1680   ?X% = ASC L$
1690   CALL &FFF1
1700   :
1710   H% = &80
1720   :
1730   FOR I% = 1 TO 8
1740     B%(I%) = 0
1750     H2% = 1
1760     :
1770     FOR J% = 1 TO 8
1780       IF (X%?J% AND H%) THEN B%(I%) =
          B%(I%) + H2%
1790       H2% = H2% * 2
1800     NEXT
1810     :
1820     H% = H% DIV 2
1830   NEXT
1840   :
1850   VDU 23,224,B%(1),B%(2),B%(3),
      B%(4),B%(5),B%(6),B%(7),B%(8)
1860   VDU 224
1870   :
1880   :
1890   REM Demo data
1900   DATA "      15, HIGH STREET"
1910   DATA "      ANYTOWN"
1920   DATA " "
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1930 DATA " "
1940 DATA "J. Smith Esq. 1st March"
1950 DATA "12, The Avenue"
1960 DATA "London N.W.18"
1970 DATA " "
1980 DATA "Dear Mr Smith,"
1990 DATA " "
2000 DATA "Thank you for your letter"
2010 DATA "of 18th February."
2020 DATA " "
2030 DATA "I confirm that next Monday"
2040 DATA "is a suitable date for our"
2050 DATA "meeting and I look forward"
2060 DATA "to seeing you."
2070 DATA " "
2080 DATA "Yours sincerely,"
2090 DATA " "
2100 DATA "Joe Bloggs"
2110 DATA " "

SORTING IT ALL OUT

Three factors control how well a sort works. The first is, naturally, how good the sorting algorithm is and how well it has been translated into the particular computer language (BASIC, in our case). The second factor is the total number of items in the list to be sorted. Some sorts work well with a small list, but work much more slowly as the size of the list grows (the so-called 'exponential explosion'). The third factor is how badly the list is out of order. Some sorts work very fast with a list which is nearly in order; others work at the same rate, whatever the order of the list. The last two factors mean that there isn't really a 'best' sorting method - it depends on your requirements.

The Demonstration Programs

There are seven demonstration programs on your tape. They are named:

BUBLSRT
 SLCTSRT
 INDXSRT
 SHELSRT
 SHL2SRT
 QUIKSRT
 HEAPSRT

Each of the programs follows the same format. There is a main program which:

- a) sets up an array of 100 random numbers
- b) calls PROCsort (the actual sorting procedure)
- c) displays the sorted array and various information about the way in which the sort has worked.

Here is the main routine from BUBLSRT - the Bubble Sort demonstration:

```

10 REM **** BUBBLE SORT ****
20 :
30 CLS
40 @% = 4 : REM Print formatting
50 N% = 100 : REM No. of items
60 DIM A(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1) : REM Reset
   randomizer
80 :
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100   A(I%) = RND(N%)
110   PRINT A(I%);

```

```

120     NEXT
130   :
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0 : REM Reset timer
180   :
190 PROCsort
200   :
210 NOW = TIME
220   :
230 FOR IX = 1 TO N%
240   PRINT A(IX);
250   NEXT
260   :
270 @% = &90A : REM Reset print format
280 PRINT ' "Time "; NOW/100 "
    Seconds"
290 PRINT; N% " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" '
320 END

```

Line 40 (@% =4) simply formats the columns of numbers so that they fit properly onto the screen. Normal formatting is reset in line 270 before the program ends.

In line 50, the variable N% sets up the number of items to be sorted. As we mentioned above, it doesn't necessarily follow that if you double the number of items, each of the various sorts will take twice as long. Some are comparatively faster, but some take more than double the time. We'll come back to this point shortly.

Line 70 resets BASIC's randomiser. Each of the series of random numbers generated by the different routines will be the same, so that valid comparisons can be made.

A loop then creates an array of N% random numbers. An interesting experiment is to re-run the sorts with the numbers already in order by changing line 100 to:

```
A(1%)=101-1%
```

Then run the sort again with the numbers in reverse order altering line 100 to:

```
A(1%)=101-1%
```

The computer's internal timer is set to zero just before the test starts and then read as soon as the sort is completed.

The variables COMP and SWAP count how many comparisons and swaps have been made. Although time is usually the most important factor, these variables will give you some indication of the efficiency of the sort routine, particularly if you change the size of the array or the order of its contents.

Using the Routines in Your Own Programs

The procedures containing the sorting routines are almost completely self-contained. The only things that need to be done beforehand are to dimension the array(s) that will be needed and, of course, to put some data into the main array. All the variables used by the procedures have been declared as 'local' variables so that they will not conflict with any variables with the same names in your main program.

The COMP and SWAP variables are included in the procedures only because we want their values afterwards for display. They don't affect the actual sorting process and all references to them should be deleted.

If you delete the main program (lines 10-340), you can append the sort procedure to your own program, using one of the methods described on pages 402-3 of the User Manual.

You can use the routines to sort string arrays simply by changing the variables A() to A\$() and T (whenever it is used) to T\$, in which case the array variables will be sorted according to their ASCII values.

As written, the routines always sort the entire array – the normal case. If you want to sort only a part of the array, you can send the start and end 'pointers' to the sort procedure as parameters, e.g. PROCsort (FIRST, LAST). You'll then have to re-define the loop counters (I and N% in the demonstration programs) to correspond to the new values.

Which Sort for You?

The table below sets out the sorting times which we obtained from the six routines, using three different array sizes (25, 100 and 150 items) in random order, correct order and reverse order. We've also calculated the average times for each routine.

Before we ran the timing tests, we removed the COMP and SWAP variables from the procedures. If you want to make the routine work even faster, you can remove the blank spaces, which we put in to make the listings more legible.

You can also put several statements on to one line. However, if you are that anxious to save a few more micro-seconds, perhaps you should be thinking of using a sort written in machine-code. A well-designed machine-code sort could be over 150 times as fast as its BASIC equivalent!

TABLE OF SORTING-ROUTINE SPEEDS

| Number of items | | 25 | 100 | 150 | Average |
|-----------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| BUBBLE | Random | 1.34 | 21.00 | 49.44 | 29.93 |
| | I — N% | 0.01 | 0.24 | 0.37 | 0.21 |
| | N% — I | 1.95 | 31.00 | 69.75 | 34.23 |
| | Average | 1.10 | 17.41 | 39.85 | 19.46 |
| HEAP | Random | 0.88 | 5.27 | 8.65 | 4.93 |
| | I — N% | 1.01 | 5.71 | 9.28 | 5.33 |
| | N% — I | 0.86 | 4.98 | 8.13 | 4.66 |
| | Average | 0.92 | 5.32 | 8.69 | 4.97 |
| INDEX | Random | 1.48 | 21.98 | 49.02 | 24.16 |
| | I — N% | 1.47 | 21.88 | 48.84 | 24.06 |
| | N% — I | 1.47 | 21.87 | 48.84 | 24.06 |
| | Average | 1.47 | 21.91 | 48.90 | 24.09 |
| QUICK | Random | 0.83 | 4.97 | 8.76 | 4.85 |
| | I — N% | 1.73 | 24.99 | 55.53 | 27.42 |
| | N% — I | 1.69 | 24.73 | 55.06 | 27.16 |
| | Average | 1.42 | 18.23 | 39.78 | 19.81 |
| SELECT | Random | 0.70 | 8.86 | 19.31 | 9.62 |
| | I — N% | 0.64 | 8.51 | 18.69 | 9.28 |
| | N% — I | 0.85 | 11.81 | 26.10 | 12.92 |
| | Average | 0.73 | 9.73 | 21.37 | 10.61 |
| SHELL | Random | 1.03 | 9.24 | 13.14 | 7.80 |
| | I — N% | 0.26 | 1.51 | 2.68 | 1.48 |
| | N% — I | 0.66 | 4.08 | 7.01 | 3.92 |
| | Average | 0.65 | 4.94 | 7.61 | 4.40 |

Best results are shown in **bold type**.

How Do They Do It?

The next section attempts to explain the mechanics of each type of sort. You don't need to understand how the routine works in order to use it, but if you do, you might like to play around with the routine to try to improve its speed or, say, to sort the array into descending, rather than ascending, order.

To assist in the explanations, we're going to use a pack of playing cards to represent our array. Let's arbitrarily decide that, for our purposes, a pack of cards in correct order will start with the Ace of Clubs as the first card, going through the Aces in the order Clubs, Diamonds, Hearts and Spades, and then repeat the suit order for the Twos, Threes, etc. The last card will therefore be the King of Spades. The only problem with using a pack of cards is that there are no duplicates, whereas in an array there may well be. So, if you really want to be realistic, mix up two or more packs and then deal yourself 52 cards at random.

The Bubble Sort

The Bubble Sort is probably the easiest routine to understand.

Starting at the beginning of the array, adjacent items are compared. If they are out of order, they are swapped. In that way, the largest item will 'bubble' through to the end of the array. The same process is repeated to bring the next largest number to one position before the end. Every time that a swap is made, a 'flag' (the variable F%) is set to FALSE. The swapping continues until no more swaps are needed, that is, until the flag remains TRUE.

Take your shuffled pack of cards and a coin. Turn the coin heads up. Look at the first two cards. If the first card should be lower in the pack than the second, swap them over. Look at the second and third cards. Again, swap them if necessary. Repeat this process until you reach the end of the pack. The first time that you make a swap on each 'pass' through the pack, turn the coin over and then leave it tails up until you reach the end of the pack. At the end of the first pass, you should be left with the King of Spades (the 'largest' card) at the bottom of the pack.

If the coin is heads up, you didn't make any swaps. This means that the pack is in order and you have finished. However, if the coin is tails up, there is more work to be done. Turn the coin back to heads and restart the 'compare and swap' process from the beginning of the pack. Since the King of Spades is already at the bottom of the pack, you only have to compare 51 cards this time. Now you'll get the King of Hearts to one before the end. Each time you go through the pack, stop one card sooner, since you know that the cards below are in order.

In the computer program, the coin is represented by the variable F% (for 'flag') and the stopping point is held in the variable P% (for 'pointer'). Notice how we need an extra variable T to help in the swap. If you don't understand why, try swapping the contents of a glass of water with the contents of a glass of milk without using a third glass! (T is a floating point variable in case the item to be swapped is a decimal number or outside the range of an integer number.)

The speed of the Bubble Sort depends on how ordered the items are to begin with. There is a significant difference between an array in order (with 100 items, the demonstration program takes about 0.2 seconds) and an array which is in reverse order (about 31 seconds).

As you will see from the table, the sorting time also increases out of direct proportion to the size of the array. A fourfold increase in the number of items causes a fifteenfold increase in the sorting time.

```

10 REM **** BUBBLE SORT ****
20 :
30 CLS
40 @% = 4 : REM Print formatting
50 NZ = 100 : REM No. of items
60 DIM A(NZ)
70 I% = RND(-1) : REM Reset
   randomizer
80 :
90 FOR I% = 1 TO NZ
100   A(I%) = RND(NZ)
110   PRINT A(I%);
120   NEXT
130 :
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0 : REM Reset timer
180 :
190 PROCsort
200 :
210 NOW = TIME
220 :
230 FOR I% = 1 TO NZ
240   PRINT A(I%);
250   NEXT
260 :
270 @% = &90A : REM Reset print format
280 PRINT ' "Time "; NOW/100 "
   Seconds"
290 PRINT; NZ " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" '
320 END
330 :
340 :
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL FX,I%,P%,T
370 P% = NZ - 1
380 :

```

```
390 REPEAT
400   FZ = TRUE
410   ;
420   FOR IZ = 1 TO PZ
430     IF A(IZ) > A(IZ+1) THEN T =
         A(IZ) : A(IZ) = A(IZ+1) :
         A(IZ+1) = T : FZ = FALSE : SWAP
         = SWAP + 1
440     COMP = COMP + 1
450   NEXT
460   ;
470   PZ = PZ - 1
480   UNTIL FZ
490   ;
500 ENDFROC
```

The Selection Sort

In the Bubble Sort, we physically swapped adjacent cards throughout the pack. Let's imagine that before we started, the King of Spades was the 27th card. After the first pass, that card became the 52nd card but all of the other cards stayed unsorted. So why don't we just look for the King of Spades and swap it for the bottom card? Then the next time, we'll look for the King of Hearts and swap it with the 51st card and so on, throughout the pack.

That's the idea behind the Selection Sort, except that, since loops run faster in BASIC forwards than backwards, we'll begin by looking for the Ace of Clubs and bringing it to the top of the pack. When you do the sort with a pack of cards, you might not see why we have to do a swap, since you can simply extract the Ace of Clubs from somewhere in the middle of the pack and put it on the top. If you don't do a swap, you are effectively going right through the pack, putting the original first card in the second position, the second card in the third position and so on - very time-consuming for the computer.

Again, we could use our coin as a 'flag' to tell us whether a swap is needed, but, with a small array, this actually slows down the computer program. It takes longer to check the flag than to complete the entire loop. With a large array, the 'trade-off' time might warrant testing a flag.

```

10 REM **** SELECTION SORT ****
20 :
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 N% = 100
60 DIM A(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1)
80 :
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100   A(I%) = RND(N%)
110   PRINT A(I%);
120   NEXT
130 :
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 :
190 PROCsort
200 :
```

```
210 NOW = TIME
220 :
230 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
240   PRINT A(I%);
250   NEXT
260 :
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT ' "Time "; NOW/100 "
      Seconds"
290 PRINT; N% " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" '
320 END
330 :
340 :
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL I%,J%,P%,T
370 :
380 FOR I% = 1 TO N%-1
390   T = A(I%)
400   P% = I%
410   :
420   FOR J% = I% + 1 TO N%
430     IF A(J%) < T THEN T = A(J%) ;
       P% = J% ; SWAP = SWAP + 1
440   NEXT
450   :
460   T = A(I%)
470   A(I%) = A(P%)
480   A(P%) = T
490   COMP = COMP + 1
500   NEXT
510 :
520 ENDFROC
```

The Index Sort

This time, take a piece of paper. Write down the numbers 1 to 52 in a column. Look at the first card. Now go through the pack, and count up the number of cards which are lower in value than that first, 'control' card. Add one. Write down that number against 1 on your paper. For example, if the first card is Six of Diamonds, you would write down the number 22 in the first row of your list of numbers. That tells us that the first card in the pack is the 22nd highest in order.

In the previous sort routines, duplicates have been taken care of automatically. In the Index Sort, we would have a problem if two or more cards had the same value. To deal with this situation, if a row already has a number against it, you would have to move down until you found an empty row.

Keep repeating the process until you have been through the entire pack.

As you'll see from the table, this is a very slow sort routine, since it goes right through the entire array for every item in it. The reason that it's sometimes used is that, as its name suggests, it creates an index to the main array, which is left alone in its original order. This could be useful to avoid wasting memory space when swapping string arrays.

```

10 REM **** INDEX SORT ****
20 :
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 N% = 100
60 DIM A(N%),X%(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1)
80 :
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100   A(I%) = RND(N%)
110   PRINT A(I%);
120   NEXT
130 :
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 :
190 PROCsort
200 :
```



```
210 NOW = TIME
220 ;
230 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
240   PRINT A(X%(I%));
250   NEXT
260 ;
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT ' "Time "; NOW/100 "
      Seconds"
290 PRINT; N% " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" /
320 END
330 ;
340 ;
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL I%,J%,P%
370 ;
380 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
390   P% = 1
400   ;
410   FOR J% = 1 TO N%
420     IF A(I%) > A(J%) THEN P% = P% +
      1
430     COMP = COMP + 1
440     NEXT
450     ;
460     REPEAT
470       IF X%(P%) THEN P% = P% + 1
480       UNTIL X%(P%) = 0
490       ;
500       X%(P%) = I%
510       SWAP = SWAP + 1
520     NEXT
530 ;
540 ENDPROC
```

The Shell Sort

We can see from the table that if the items in the array are already in order, the Bubble Sort is the fastest sorting routine. The idea of the Shell Sort is to concentrate on getting a gradually increasing section of the array sorted out as early on as possible, so that it won't need re-sorting on subsequent 'passes' through the array.

Unless you have a very large card-table, you'll probably need to lay out this card demonstration on the floor. Take your shuffled pack of cards and a coin. Put the coin heads up. Set out the cards, face up, in two rows of 26 cards one above the other. (In fact, you're splitting the total number of items to be sorted into two halves.) Go through the pack, but, instead of comparing adjacent cards as in the Bubble Sort, compare pairs of cards in columns. In effect, you are comparing the first card with the 26th card, the second card with the 27th card and so on, until you have made 26 comparisons. In each comparison, if the card in the top half is larger (i.e. higher in our arbitrary card order) than the card beneath it in the second half of the pack, swap the two cards over and, if the coin is not already set to tails, turn it over.

Turn the coin heads up. (The coin is a 'flag' – tails indicates that a swap has been made during the pass.) Collect up the cards in order (i.e. the first card in the top row first, the second card in the top row second and so on). Re-deal the cards into four rows of 13 cards each. The first card goes at the left of the top row, the second card to its right and so on. Starting with the first card, compare it with the card immediately below it. Swap them if necessary and set the coin to tails up. If the coin is tails up after the last comparison, put it back to heads and repeat the 'compare and swap' process. Keep doing so until the coin stays heads up. Notice now that the cards are already in order within each column of four cards.

Collect up the cards and re-deal them into eight rows of six cards each with four cards left over in a ninth row. The size of the row – six cards – is always half of the previous row size, ignoring fractional halves. Repeat the entire 'swap and compare' process until the coin stays heads up. The columns should now be in order.

Repeat the complete process twice more, once with rows of three cards and, finally, with one long column, one card wide. The last pass is, of course, a standard Bubble Sort.

A slightly slower variation of the Shell Sort (included on the tape as SHL2SRT) carries out a Selection Sort, rather than a 'mini Bubble Sort' on each pass through the array.

```

10 REM **** SHELL SORT ****
20 ;
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 N% = 100
60 DIM A(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1)
80 ;
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100   A(I%) = RND(N%)
110   PRINT A(I%);
120   NEXT
130 ;
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 ;
190 PROCsort
200 ;
210 NOW = TIME
220 ;
230 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
240   PRINT A(I%);
250   NEXT
260 ;
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT / "Time "; NOW/100 "
    Seconds"
290 PRINT; N% " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" /
320 END
330 ;
340 ;
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL C%,F%,G%,I%,T
370 G% = N%
380 ;

```

```

390 REPEAT
400   G% = G% DIV 2
410   C% = N% - G%
420   :
430   REPEAT
440     F% = FALSE
450     :
460     FOR I% = 1 TO C%
470       P% = I% + G%
480       IF A(I%) > A(P%) THEN T =
           A(I%) : A(I%) = A(P%) : A(P%)
           = T : F% = TRUE : SWAP = SWAP
           + 1
490       COMP = COMP + 1
500     NEXT
510     :
520     UNTIL F% = FALSE
530     :
540   UNTIL G% <= 1
550 :
560 ENDPROC

```

```

10 REM **** SHELL/INSERTION SORT ****
20 :
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 N% = 100
60 DIM A(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1)
80 :
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100  A(I%) = RND(N%)
110  PRINT A(I%);
120  NEXT
130 :

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140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 :
190 PROCsort
200 :
210 NOW = TIME
220 :
230 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
240     PRINT A(I%);
250     NEXT
260 :
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT / "Time "; NOW/100 "
    Seconds"
290 PRINT; N% " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" /
320 END
330 :
340 :
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL C%,F%,G%,I%,J%,T
370 G% = N%
380 :
390 REPEAT
400     G% = G% DIV 2
410     C% = N% - G%
420     :
430     FOR I% = 1 TO C% STEP G%
440         T = A(I%)
450         F% = I%
460         :
470         FOR J% = I% + G% TO N% STEP G%
480             IF A(J%) < T THEN T = A(J%) :
                F% = J%
490             COMP = COMP + 1
500         NEXT
510     :

```

```
520     T = A(I%)
530     A(I%) = A(P%)
540     A(P%) = T
550     SWAP = SWAP + 1
560     NEXT
570     ;
580     UNTIL G% <= 1
590     ;
600 ENDPROC
```

The Quick Sort

The Quick Sort, as its name indicates, is significantly faster for out-of-order arrays than the sort routines that we have looked at so far.

Take your pack of cards. Look at each card in turn. If it is lower than the Six of Hearts, put it on to a left-hand pile, otherwise put it on to a right-hand pile. (The reason for choosing the Six of Hearts is that it is half-way through a pack of cards which is already in order.) Next, pick up the left-hand pile and divide it into two smaller piles, using the 13th card, Five of Clubs, as the test card. Do the same with the right-hand pile, using the 39th card (Nine of Spades).

Continue subdividing into left- and right-hand piles. If you keep the piles in their correct positions relative to each other, you'll end up with the Ace of Clubs as the left-most card and the King of Spades as the right-most, with all of the other cards in order in between.

That's the general idea of the Quick Sort – but it's organised slightly differently for use on the computer. To work it with the cards, you'll need a paper-clip and a coin.

Reshuffle the cards and lay them out, face up, in one long row. Now carry out the following steps:

- 1 Put the paper-clip on the left-most card and the coin on the right-most card.
- 2 Compare the two 'marked' cards. If the left-hand card is higher than the right-hand one, swap them over.
- 3 Remove the coin (leaving the card where it is) and replace it on one card nearer towards the card with the paper-clip.
- 4 If the paper-clip and the coin are not on the same card, go back to Step 2.
- 5 When the coin and the paper-clip meet, that card is in its correct position. Furthermore, all the cards to its left are earlier in the pack and all of those to its right come later in the pack. Turn the card over to show that it has been sorted.
- 6 Now repeat the whole process, first with all of the cards to the left of the correct card and then with all of the cards to its right.
- 7 Gradually, you'll end up with more and more subdivisions consisting of only one card. When there are no more multiple-card subdivisions, the pack will be in order.

Obviously, the computer doesn't 'turn cards over'. Instead, it keeps track of duplicate sets of 'paper-clips and coins' – actually left-hand and right-hand pointers to the appropriate positions of the items in the array – until they all meet up, but the concept is the same. You'll notice from the program listing that two special arrays have to be created to hold the pointers so that the Quick Sort, although fast, takes up extra memory space. You would use it if speed were important and you had plenty of spare memory capacity.

Quick sort

```
10 REM **** QUICK SORT ****
20 ;
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 NZ = 100
60 DIM
   A(NZ),SLZ(SQR(NZ)),SRZ(SQR(NZ))
70 IZ = RND(-1)
80 ;
90 FOR IZ = 1 TO NZ
100   A(IZ) = RND(NZ)
110   PRINT A(IZ);
120   NEXT
130 ;
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 ;
190 PROCsort
200 ;
210 NOW = TIME
220 ;
230 FOR IZ = 1 TO NZ
240   PRINT A(IZ);
250   NEXT
260 ;
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT / "Time "; NOW/100 "
   Seconds"
290 PRINT; NZ " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps"
320 END
330 ;
340 ;
```



```

350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL F%,L%,L2%,P%,R%,R2%
370 P% = 1
380 SL%(P%) = 1
390 SR%(P%) = N%
400 :
410 REPEAT
420   L% = SL%(P%)
430   R% = SR%(P%)
440   P% = P% - 1
450   :
460   REPEAT
470     L2% = L%
480     R2% = R%
490     F% = TRUE
500     :
510     REPEAT
520       IF A(R2%) < A(L2%) THEN T =
          A(L2%) : A(L2%) = A(R2%) :
          A(R2%) = T : F% = NOT F% :
          SWAP = SWAP + 1
530       IF NOT F% THEN L2% = L2% + 1
          ELSE R2% = R2% - 1
540       COMP = COMP + 1
550       UNTIL L2% = R2%
560       :
570       IF L2% + 1 < R% THEN P% = P% +
          1 : SL%(P%) = L2% + 1 : SR%(P%)
          = R%
580       R% = R2% - 1
590       UNTIL L% >= R%
600       :
610     UNTIL P% = 0
620     :
630 ENDPROC

```

The Heap Sort

The final sorting routine on the tape is the Heap Sort, which makes use of the idea known as the 'binary tree'. Although it's only the fastest routine with 150 unsorted items, its timings average well and it is a good contender for the 'best all-rounder' prize. If you look at the listing, you'll also notice that it uses up very little extra memory space in which to operate.

It is more difficult to understand how it works than the other sorting routines. To make it easier, the following description, using the pack of cards, is a somewhat simplified version of the actual steps carried out by the computer.

Set out the cards in rows. Put one card in the first row, two in the second row, four in the third row, and so on, doubling up the number of cards in each row. You should end up with 21 cards in the bottom row. Now, so that you can see what is happening more easily, move the cards into the form of a pyramid. Each card in the upper rows (except where there are cards short in the bottom row) should be in a position half-way between the two cards below it. Now we are ready to begin the sort.

Go through the following steps:

- 1 Put a paper-clip on the last card at the right-hand end of the row above the bottom (the fifth row).
- 2 If there are no cards below the card with the paper-clip on it, move the paper-clip on to the card to its left. When you reach the left-hand end of a row, continue at the right-hand end of the row above.
- 3 If there are cards below the card with the paper-clip on it, compare the card with the paper-clip on it with the two cards below it. (With a pack of cards, there will be one card with a single card below it.) If either of the two lower cards comes earlier in the pack than the upper card, swap the smaller of them with the upper card. (Don't swap the lower two cards with each other.)
- 4 When you reach the left-hand edge of the fifth row, you'll notice that each of the cards in that row is earlier in the pack than the cards, if any, below it.
- 5 Repeat the process with the third row. This time, however, if you swap cards in the third and fourth rows, you may affect the relationship between the cards in the fourth and fifth rows. If you do, you'll have to carry out a secondary swap between the fourth and fifth rows to keep them in order.
- 6 After you have checked out the third row, move up to the second row and finally up to the top card. As before, you'll have to do subsidiary swaps if you disturb lower cards.
- 7 At this point, the Ace of Clubs, being the first card in the pack, should be at the top of the 'heap'. Put it on one side as the start of the sorted pack. The rest of the cards won't necessarily be in order, although any particular card will always be higher than all of the cards in the 'mini-pyramid' beneath it.

8 Next, you have to carry out the somewhat laborious process of gathering up the cards in row order, that is, starting at the left-hand card of the second row and working towards the right-most card in the bottom row. Then, you have to make a new pyramid and sort it out as before. This time, however, the cards will be almost in order so that very little swapping should be needed. The Ace of Diamonds will now be the top card. Remove it and put it under the Ace of Clubs.

9 Continue making new pyramids - or 'heaps' - until the old pack is exhausted. Each time, the top card will be the next card in order in the sorted pack.

```

10 REM **** HEAP SORT ****
20 ;
30 CLS
40 @% = 4
50 N% = 100
60 DIM A(N%)
70 I% = RND(-1)
80 ;
90 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
100   A(I%) = RND(N%)
110   PRINT A(I%);
120   NEXT
130 ;
140 PRINT
150 COMP = 0
160 SWAP = 0
170 TIME = 0
180 ;
190 PROCsort
200 ;
210 NOW = TIME
220 ;
230 FOR I% = 1 TO N%
240   PRINT A(I%);
250   NEXT
260 ;
270 @% = &90A
280 PRINT ' "Time "; NOW/100 "
      Seconds"

```

```

290 PRINT; NZ " Numbers"
300 PRINT; COMP " Comparisons"
310 PRINT; SWAP " Swaps" '
320 END
330 :
340 :
350 DEF PROCsort
360 LOCAL I%,J%,T
370 J% = NZ
380 :
390 FOR I% = NZ DIV 2 TO 1 STEP -1
400   T = A(I%)
410   PROCsubsort
420   NEXT
430 :
440 I% = 1
450 :
460 FOR J% = NZ-1 TO 1 STEP -1
470   T = A(J%+1)
480   A(J%+1) = A(1)
490   PROCsubsort
500   NEXT
510 :
520 ENDPROC
530 :
540 :
550 DEF PROCsubsort
560 LOCAL F%,K%,L%
570 K% = I%
580 F% = FALSE
590 SWAP = SWAP + 1
600 :
610 REPEAT
620   COMP = COMP + 1
630   LZ = K% + K%
640   IF LZ > J% THEN UNTIL TRUE :
        A(K%) = T ; ENDPROC
650 :

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```
660 IF LZ < JZ THEN IF A(LZ+1) > A(LZ)
    THEN LZ = LZ + 1
670 IF T < A(LZ) THEN A(KZ) = A(LZ) ;
    KZ = LZ ELSE FZ = TRUE
680 UNTIL FZ
690 ;
700 A(KZ) = T
710 ENDFROC
```

SPACER

SPACER is a utility, written in machine-code, which adds spaces around keywords and other selected items in a BASIC program, so making it easier to read, edit and debug. To a large extent, it reverses the effect of the Crunch utility.

There are two versions of the program on the tape. SPACER is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &FFF. SPACERDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1700 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which they start, the two programs operate identically.

As the utility is co-resident, you can load it before or after you get your BASIC program into memory. Once the utility is in memory, start it working with **CALL &E00** (tape version) or **CALL &1700** (disk version).

The routine begins by setting Mode 7 and displaying the message **Uncrunching . . .** After a short while – just how long depends on the length of your program and how many spaces need to be inserted – the prompt will return, leaving the spaced BASIC program in memory.

There is a table at the end of this section which sets out the BASIC keywords in the numerical order of their tokens. Spacer will insert a space, provided that there isn't one there already, around all of the keywords between **AND** (&80) and **HIMEM** (&93), with the exception of **TAB**, and between **AUTO** (&C6) and the end of the table, with the exception of **PROC** (&F2). It will also add spaces around **TO** (&B8). We have made this selection in an attempt to compromise between a fast-running, compact utility routine and adding spaces where a programmer would probably want them, bearing in mind that, in some cases, adding an extra space would create a syntactically incorrect BASIC statement.

Spacer will also add spaces around colons and (except as mentioned below) equals signs.

It won't insert a space:

- at the very beginning of a line
- at the very end of a line
- after an asterisk at the beginning of a line (indicating a call to the Operating System)
- anywhere between opening and closing quotation marks
- to separate **> =** or **< =**, since **> =** or **< =** (with an intermediate space) causes a syntax error

- after a **DATA** statement
- after a **REM** statement
- if it would cause the line to exceed its maximum permitted length.

Since the utility is adding to the size of your program with the extra spaces, it will stop with a '**No room**' error if the program is about to exceed the amount of RAM available to it.

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes, embedded control characters and other general hints.

BBC BASIC KEYWORD TOKENS

| | | | |
|--------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 80 AND | 81 DIV | 82 EOR | 83 MOD |
| 84 OR | 85 ERROR | 86 LINE | 87 OFF |
| 88 STEP | 89 SFC | 8A TAB(| 8B ELSE |
| 8C THEN | 8D Line no | 8E OPENIN ¹ | 8F PTR |
| 90 PAGE | 91 TIME | 92 LOMEM | 93 HIMEM |
| 94 ABS | 95 ACS | 96 ADVAL | 97 ASC |
| 98 ASN | 99 ATN | 9A EGET | 9B COS |
| 9C COUNT | 9D DEG | 9E ERL | 9F ERR |
| A0 EVAL | A1 EXP | A2 EXT | A3 FALSE |
| A4 FN | A5 GET | A6 INKEY | A7 INSTR(|
| A8 INT | A9 LEN | AA LN | AB LOG |
| AC NOT | AD OPENIN ² | AE OPENOUT | AF PI |
| B0 POINT(| B1 POS | B2 RAD | B3 RND |
| B4 SGN | B5 SIN | B6 SQR | B7 TAN |
| B8 TO | B9 TRUE | BA USR | BB VAL |
| BC VPOS | BD CHR\$(| BE GET\$(| BF INKEY\$(|
| C0 LEFT\$(| C1 MID\$(| C2 RIGHT\$(| C3 STR\$(|
| C4 STRING\$(| C5 EOF | C6 AUTO | C7 DELETE |
| C8 LOAD | C9 LIST | CA NEW | CB OLD |
| CC RENUMBER | CD SAVE | CE | CF PTR |
| D0 PAGE | D1 TIME | D2 LOMEM ³ | D3 HIMEM ³ |
| D4 SOUND | D5 BPUT | D6 CALL | D7 CHAIN |
| D8 CLEAR | D9 CLOSE | DA CLG | DB CLS |
| DC DATA | DD DEF | DE DIM | DF DRAW |
| E0 END | E1 ENDPROC | E2 ENVELOPE | E3 FOR |
| E4 GOSUB | E5 GOTO | E6 GCOL | E7 IF |
| E8 INPUT | E9 LET | EA LOCAL | EB MODE |
| EC MOVE | ED NEXT | EE ON | EF VDU |
| F0 PLOT | F1 PRINT | F2 PROC | F3 READ |
| F4 REM | F5 REPEAT | F6 REPORT | F7 RESTORE |
| F8 RETURN | F9 RUN | FA STOP | FB COLOUR |
| FC TRACE | FD UNTIL | FE WIDTH | FF OSCLI ¹ |

1 New BASIC only

2 OPENUP in new BASIC

3 Old BASIC only

```
10 REM **** SPACER ****
20 ;
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 ;
50 DIM msg(2) : REM Text messages
60 ;
70 REM Basic pointers
80 lomem = &0
90 himem = &6
100 vartop = &2
110 top = &12
120 page = &18
130 ;
140 memloc = &70 : REM + &71
150 split = &72 : REM + &73
160 newtop = &74 : REM + &75
170 source = &76 : REM + &77
180 destin = &78 : REM + &79
190 length = &7A
200 quoteflag = &7E
210 asave = &7C
220 ysave = &7D
230 offset = &7E
240 ;
250 oswrch = &FFEE
260 osnewl = &FFE7
270 ;
280 REM Constants
290 eol = &0D
300 space = ASC " "
310 quote = &22 : REM "
320 colon = ASC ":"
330 star = ASC "*"
340 equals = ASC "="
350 maxsize = &7C : REM for Mode 7
360 abs = &94
370 auto = &C6
380 data = &DC
390 proc = &F2
400 rem = &F4
```



```
410 tab      = &8A
420 to       = &B8
430 ;
440 org = &E00
450 ;
460 opt = 2
470 ;
480 FOR IX = 0 TO opt STEP opt
490 P% = org
500 [
510 OPT IX
520 ;
530 LDY #0
540 .msg1loop LDA msg(1),Y \ Mode 7
    and title
550 BEQ msgldone
560 JSR oswrch
570 INY
580 BNE msg1loop
590 ;
600 .msgldone LDA #maxsize
610 STA himem+1 \ Himem under Mode 7
620 LDX #0
630 STX himem
640 ;
650 LDA #1 \ Start at PAGE + 1
660 STA memloc
670 LDA page
680 STA memloc+1
690 ;
700 .nextline LDY #0
710 LDA (memloc),Y
720 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
730 BNE morelines
740 JMP finish
750 ;
```

```
760 ,morelines INY
770 INY
780 LDA (memloc),Y
790 STA length \ Offset to start of
next line
800 CMP #5 \ One byte line
810 BEQ endline
820 ;
830 INY
840 LDA (memloc),Y \ First item in
line
850 CMP #star \ OS command ?
860 BEQ endline
870 DEY \ reset it
880 ;
890 ,clearquote LDA #0
900 STA quoteflag
910 ;
920 ,nextbyte INY
930 LDA (memloc),Y
940 CMP #eol
950 BEQ endline
960 ;
970 BIT quoteflag \ Ignore colons in
quotes
980 BPL quote_test
990 ;
1000 CMP #quote
1010 BNE nextbyte \ Loop until closing
quote
1020 BEQ clearquote
1030 ;
1040 ,quote_test CMP #quote
1050 BNE tokentest
1060 ;
1070 DEC quoteflag \ Set flag
1080 BNE nextbyte
1090 ;
```

```

1100 ,tokentest CMP #&8D \ Line-number
      token. Mustn't unpack
1110 BNE tokens2
1120 :
1130 INY \ Next 3 bytes are encoded
      line number
1140 INY
1150 INY
1160 BNE nextbyte
1170 :
1180 ,tokens2 CMP #&80 \ A token ?
1190 BCS openup
1200 :
1210 CMP #colon
1220 BEQ openup
1230 :
1240 CMP #equals
1250 BNE nextbyte
1260 :
1270 \ Don't split <= or >=
1280 DEY
1290 LDA (memloc),Y
1300 INY
1310 CMP # ASC "<"
1320 BEQ nextbyte
1330 :
1340 CMP # ASC ">"
1350 BEQ nextbyte
1360 LDA #equals
1370 :
1380 ,openup STA asave
1390 STY ysave
1400 JSR unpack
1410 LDA asave
1420 LDY ysave
1430 CMP #data \ Can't space after data
      or rem
1440 BEQ endline
1450 :

```

```
1460  CMP  #rem
1470  ENE  nextbyte
1480  :
1490  .endline LDA  memloc
1500  CLC
1510  ADC  length
1520  STA  memloc
1530  LDA  memloc+1
1540  ADC  #0
1550  STA  memloc+1
1560  JMP  nextline
1570  :
1580  .finish JSR  osnewl
1590  JMP  osnewl \ & exit to caller
1600  :
1610  :
1620  .unpack LDA  top
1630  CLC
1640  ADC  #2
1650  LDA  top+1
1660  ADC  #0
1670  CMP  #maxsize \ Room to unpack ?
1680  BEQ  inmem
1690  JMP  outmem
1700  :
1710  .inmem LDA  #0
1720  STA  offset
1730  DEY
1740  CPY  #2 \ Was it first byte ?
1750  BEQ  typetest
1760  :
1770  LDA  (memloc),Y
1780  CMP  #space
1790  BEQ  typetest
1800  :
1810  INC  offset
1820  INC  length
1830  :
1840  .typetest INY
```

```
1850 INY \ Now one up
1860 LDA (memloc),Y
1870 CMP #eol
1880 BEQ movetest
1890 :
1900 CMP #space
1910 BEQ movetest
1920 :
1930 LDA asave
1940 CMP #tab
1950 BEQ movetest
1960 :
1970 CMP #abs
1980 BCC goodtype
1990 :
2000 CMP #proc
2010 BEQ movetest
2020 :
2030 CMP #to
2040 BEQ goodtype
2050 :
2060 CMP #auto
2070 BCC movetest
2080 :
2090 ,goodtype LDA length
2100 CMP #&F0 \ Maximum line length
2110 BCS no_move \ Too big
2120 :
2130 INC offset
2140 INC length
2150 :
2160 ,movetest LDA offset
2170 BNE go_move
2180 ,no_move RTS \ No move needed
2190 :
2200 ,go_move LDY #2
2210 LDA length
2220 STA (memloc),Y \ Over-write
    current length
2230 :
```

```
2240 \ Point split at token
2250 LDA memloc
2260 CLC
2270 ADC ysave
2280 STA split
2290 LDA memloc+1
2300 ADC #0
2310 STA split+1
2320 ;
2330 \Set up move vectors
2340 LDA split
2350 STA source
2360 LDA top+1
2370 STA source+1
2380 LDA source
2390 CLC
2400 ADC offset
2410 STA destin
2420 LDA source+1
2430 ADC #0
2440 STA destin+1
2450 ;
2460 LDA top
2470 SEC
2480 SEC split
2490 TAY \ Difference over exact &100s
2500 LDA top+1
2510 SEC
2520 SEC split+1
2530 TAX \ Pages to move
2540 TYA
2550 BEQ shift2
2560 ;
2570 \ Move odd bytes
2580 INY
2590 ,shift1 DEY
2600 LDA (source),Y
2610 STA (destin),Y
2620 CPY #0
```

```
2630 BNE shift1
2640 :
2650 .shift2 TXA
2660 BEQ shiftdone
2670 :
2680 \ Move full pages
2690 .shift3 DEC source+1
2700 DEC destin+1
2710 :
2720 .shift4 DEY
2730 LDA (source),Y
2740 STA (destin),Y
2750 CPY #0
2760 BNE shift4
2770 DEX
2780 BNE shift3
2790 :
2800 .shiftdone LDA #space
2810 LDY ysave
2820 CPY #3
2830 BEQ after
2840 :
2850 DEY
2860 CMP (memloc),Y
2870 BEQ after
2880 :
2890 INY
2900 STA (memloc),Y
2910 LDX offset
2920 CPX #1
2930 BEQ repoint
2940 :
2950 .after LDY offset
2960 STA (split),Y
2970 DEY
2980 LDA asave
2990 STA (split),Y
3000 :
```

```

3010 ,repoint LDA top
3020 CLC
3030 ADC offset
3040 STA top
3050 STA lomem
3060 STA vartop
3070 LDA top+1
3080 ADC #0
3090 STA top+1
3100 STA lomem+1
3110 STA vartop+1
3120 INC ysave
3130 RTS
3140 ;
3150 ,outmem LDY #0
3160 ,msg2loop LDA msg(2),Y \ Out of
      memory
3170 BEQ msg2done
3180 JSR oswrch
3190 INY
3200 BNE msg2loop
3210 ;
3220 ,msg2done PLA \ POP RTS
3230 PLA
3240 JMP finish \ Exit at once
3250 ]
3260 ;
3270 PROctext (1, CHR$22 + CHR$7 +
      CHR$31 + CHR$14 + CHR$12 +
      "Uncrunching ")
3280 PROctext (2, CHR$10 + CHR$10 +
      CHR$13 + "No room" + CHR$7)
3290 ;
3300 NEXT
3310 ;
3320 END
3330 ;
3340 ;

```



```
3350 DEF PROCtext (N,A$)
3360 msg(N) = P%
3370 $msg(N) = A$
3380 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1
3390 P%-1 = 0
3400 ENDFROC
```

SPACE REMOVER

CRUNCH is a machine-code utility for removing spaces from BASIC programs. It is the second of the three 'squeeze' utilities which will help to shorten a BASIC program. Use it after REMSTRP and before PACKER.

Get the utility into memory as described in 'Using the Programming Utilities'. It takes up exactly &100 bytes starting at location &E00. CRUNCHDISK is the disk version and loads at &1800.

When you invoke the utility, the screen will clear (to Mode 7) and the message **Crunching** will be displayed in the middle of the screen. After a short while – depending on the length of your program and the number of spaces in it – the normal prompt will return and the crunch will have been completed.

CRUNCH does not remove *all* of the spaces in a program. It will leave quoted strings – that is, anything between quotation marks – as originally entered. It will also not touch anything in a line following a **REM** or **DATA** statement.

Since spaces can be used as delimiters in ***FX** calls, CRUNCH will not remove spaces from any line which starts with an asterisk. Normally, asterisks elsewhere in the line mean 'multiply', so that

A = B * C

is correctly shortened to

A=B*C

However, this will cause problems with something like

IF A = 5 THEN *FX I5 0 (with a space between **I5** and **0**)

which will be reduced to

IFA=5THEN*FXI50

The solution is to use commas as delimiters in in-line ***FX** commands, like this

IF A = 5 THEN *FX I5,0

Two further checks are made in case your program contains an assembly language listing. Anything following a reverse oblique ('\') is considered to be an assembly language comment and anything beyond it to the end of the line is left uncrunched. Secondly, a space can be used as a delimiter between a symbolic address label and an opcode, as in:

.loop INX

The rule here is that a dot at the *start* of a line will prevent crunching. On the other hand, if you have a label as part of a multiple-statement line, as here:

BEQ skip : .add INC hbyte : etc. . . .

CRUNCH will create the compound variable name **addINC** and assembly will fail. The solution is keep all labels at the start of program lines.

Notice that in all of the above cases where we refer to the start of a line, we mean literally the first byte. One or more spaces before an asterisk or full stop will prevent the check from operating properly.

There is one other case where removing a space will cause difficulties. You can reserve a fixed number of bytes in memory with the special use of the **DIM** statement, as in **DIM A 25** or **DIM B% 30** (see page 237 of the User Guide for further details). If you use an integer variable, the percentage sign enables the interpreter to handle the crunched **DIMB%25**, but if you use a real variable, as in **DIMA25**, **A25** will be treated as a compound variable name and will generate an error when you run your program. You must either use integer variable names or reinstate the space after using **CRUNCH**.

You may be aware that you can omit **THEN** after **IF**, as in

```
IF A = B C = 5
```

meaning

```
IF A = B THEN C = 5
```

provided that you leave a space between the variable names **B** and **C**. If you put such a statement through **CRUNCH**, the space will be removed and the result will become

```
IFA=BC=5
```

leading to a syntax error. Since, when tokenised, both the space and **THEN** take up one byte each, there seems to be no good reason to leave out the **THEN** when writing programs except, of course, to save work for lazy typists and to make the program code less readable!

One final point arises if you subsequently want to edit your program. Normally, when you add lines to your program or edit them, you have to make sure that you insert spaces wherever there is the possibility of ambiguity, particularly after a variable name. For example, you cannot type

```
IF A = BTHEN PRINT
```

since the line editor treats **BTHEN** as the name of a variable. (You must type a space between **B** and **THEN**.) As **CRUNCH** is working on a program which has already been tokenised, it will produce lines of code without spaces in them such as

```
IFA=BTHENPRINT
```

which will be interpreted correctly and will not cause any errors. However, if you edit such a line by copying over it, you must re-introduce the spaces that you would have used in the first place.

```

10 REM **** CRUNCHER ****
20 ;
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 ;
50 REM Packs in-line assembler ',.'s -
    causes assembly failure. Not worth
    checking time
60 ;
70 DIM msg(1)
80 ;
90 REM Basic pointers
100 lomem = &0
110 vartop = &2
120 top = &12
130 page = &18
140 ;
150 memloc = &72 ; REM + &73
160 split = &74 ; REM + &75
170 source = &7A ; REM + &7B
180 destin = &7C ; REM + &7D
190 length = &80
200 quoteflag = &83
210 count = &84
220 ysave = &85
230 ;
240 oswrch = &FFEE
250 osnewl = &FFE7
260 ;
270 REM Constants
280 eol = &0D
290 space = ASC " "
300 quote = &22 ; REM "
310 colon = ASC ":"
320 star = ASC "*"
330 slash = ASC "\"
340 dot = ASC "."
350 maxsize = &7C ; REM for Mode 7
360 rem = &F4
370 data = &DC
380 ;

```

```
390 org = &E00
400 ;
410 opt = 2
420 ;
430 FOR IZ = 0 TO opt STEP opt
440 P% = org
450 [
460 OPT IZ
470 ;
480 LDY #0
490 ,msg1loop LDA msg(1),Y \ Mode 7
      and title
500 BEQ msg1done
510 JSR oswrch
520 INY
530 BNE msg1loop
540 ;
550 ,msg1done LDA #1 \ Start at PAGE +
      1
560 STA memloc
570 LDA page
580 STA memloc+1
590 ;
600 ,nextline LDY #0
610 LDA (memloc),Y
620 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
630 BNE morelines
640 JMP finish
650 ;
660 ,morelines INY
670 INY
680 LDA (memloc),Y
690 STA length \ Offset to start of
      next line
700 CMP #5 \ One byte line
710 BEQ endline
720 ;
```

```

730 INY
740 LDA (memloc),Y
750 CMP #star
760 BEQ endline \ Opening '*' don't
    crunch
770 :
780 CMP #dot
790 BEQ endline \ Opening Assembler
    '.' don't crunch
800 DEY
810 :
820 .clearquote LDA #0
830 STA quoteflag
840 :
850 .nextbyte INY
860 LDA (memloc),Y
870 CMP #eol
880 BEQ endline
890 :
900 BIT quoteflag \ Ignore colons in
    quotes
910 BPL quote_test
920 :
930 CMP #quote
940 BNE nextbyte \ Loop until closing
    quote
950 BEQ clearquote
960 :
970 .quote_test CMP #quote
980 BNE tokentest
990 :
1000 DEC quoteflag \ Set flag
1010 BNE nextbyte
1020 :
1030 .tokentest CMP #&BD \ Line-number
    token. Mustn't examine
1040 BNE test2
1050 :

```

```

1060 INY \ Next 3 bytes are encoded
      line number
1070 INY
1080 INY
1090 BNE nextbyte \ Always
1100 ;
1110 .testZ CMP #rem \ Can't crunch
      after rem, data or \
1120 BEQ endline
1130 ;
1140 CMP #data
1150 BEQ endline
1160 ;
1170 CMP #slash
1180 BEQ endline
1190 ;
1200 CMP #space
1210 BNE nextbyte
1220 ;
1230 STY ysave
1240 JSR crunch
1250 DEC ysave
1260 LDY ysave
1270 BNE nextbyte \ Always
1280 ;
1290 .endline LDA memloc
1300 CLC
1310 ADC length
1320 STA memloc
1330 LDA memloc+1
1340 ADC #0
1350 STA memloc+1
1360 JMP nextline
1370 ;
1380 .finish JSR osnewl
1390 JMP osnewl \ & exit to caller
1400 ;
1410 ;

```

```
1420 .crunch LDA memloc \ Point destin
      at space
1430 CLC
1440 ADC ysave
1450 STA destin
1460 LDA memloc+1
1470 ADC #0
1480 STA destin+1
1490 :
1500 \ Set up move vectors
1510 LDA destin
1520 CLC
1530 ADC #1
1540 STA source
1550 LDA destin+1
1560 ADC #0
1570 STA source+1
1580 :
1590 LDA top
1600 SEC
1610 SBC source
1620 STA count
1630 LDA top+1
1640 SEC
1650 SBC source+1
1660 LDY #0
1670 TAX \ Pages to move
1680 BEQ shift2
1690 :
1700 .shift1 LDA (source),Y
1710 STA (destin),Y
1720 INY
1730 BNE shift1
1740 INC source+1
1750 INC destin+1
1760 DEX
1770 BNE shift1
1780 :
```



```
1790 ,shift2 LDX count \ Move odd
      bytes
1800 BEQ shiftdone
1810 :
1820 ,shift3 LDA (source),Y
1830 STA (destin),Y
1840 INY
1850 DEX
1860 BNE shift3
1870 :
1880 ,shiftdone LDY #2
1890 DEC length
1900 LDA length
1910 STA (memloc),Y \ Over-write
      current length
1920 LDA top
1930 SEC
1940 SBC #1
1950 STA top
1960 STA lomem
1970 STA vartop
1980 LDA top+1
1990 SBC #0
2000 STA top+1
2010 STA lomem+1
2020 STA vartop+1
2030 RTS
2040 ]
2050 :
2060 PROCText (1, CHR$22 + CHR$7 +
      CHR$31 + CHR$15 + CHR$12 +
      "Crunching ")
2070 :
2080 NEXT
2090 :
2100 END
2110 :
2120 :
```

```
2130 DEF PROCtext (N,A$)
2140 msg(N) = P%
2150 $msg(N) = A$
2160 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1
2170 P%?-1 = 0
2180 ENDPROC
```

SPEECH CHIP NUMBER GENERATOR

SPEAK, written in BASIC, is a routine for converting numerical values into words to be 'spoken' by the BBC Microcomputer Voice Chip.

The main loop simply repeats, collecting keyboard input and passing it to **PROCspeak**, where all the work is done.

The procedure first tests whether it has, in fact, been given a number. If the parameter is invalid, it will say 'zero'.

We next test for range. Since the word 'million' is not available on the Chip, any number above 999,999 or below -999,999 will trigger the response **Number too large**.

Any minus sign is recognised and any numbers following a decimal point are separated out.

If the number is greater than 999 (or less than -999), the procedure recursively calls itself in order to handle repeated phrases. Because of the recursion, it is important that D\$ is declared to be local, so that previous values are saved.

The procedure then deals with smaller integers, with special attention to the numbers between 10 and 20.

Finally, if we have a floating point number, the digits following the decimal point are pronounced, although rounding will occur if the number cannot be stored with sufficient accuracy as a real variable.

```

10 REM **** SPEECH CHIP DRIVER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
50 REPEAT
60   INPUT A
70   PROCspeak (A)
80   UNTIL FALSE
90 :
100 END
110 :
120 :
```

```

130 DEF PROCspeak (N)
140 IF N = 0 THEN SOUND -1,ASC"0",0,0 :
    ENDPROC : REM Zero or invalid
150 IF ABS N >= 1E6 THEN SOUND
    -1,229,0,0 : SOUND -1,50,0,0 :
    SOUND -1,214,0,0 : ENDPROC : REM
    "Number too large"
160 :
170 LOCAL D$
180 :
190 IF N < 0 THEN SOUND -1,219,0,0 : N
    = ABS N : REM Minus
200 :
210 D$ = STR$(N + 1) : REM Prevent E
    format if 1 < .1
220 D$ = MID$(D$,INSTR(D$,".")) : REM
    Save decimal part
230 :
240 IF N > 999 THEN PROCspeak (N DIV
    1000) : SOUND -1,141,0,0 : IF N MOD
    1000 AND N MOD 1000 < 100 THEN
    SOUND -1,165,0,0
250 :
260 N = N MOD 1000
270 IF N < 1000 AND N > 99 THEN SOUND
    -1,ASC STR$(N DIV 100),0,0 : SOUND
    -1,140,0,0 : IF N MOD 100 THEN
    SOUND -1,165,0,0
280 :
290 N = N MOD 100
300 IF N > 19 THEN SOUND -1,140 + 2 *
    (N DIV 10),0,0 : SOUND -1,137,0,0
310 IF N < 20 AND N > 12 THEN SOUND
    -1,140 + 2 * (N MOD 10),0,0 : SOUND
    -1,135,0,0
320 IF N = 12 THEN SOUND -1,273,0,0
330 IF N = 11 THEN SOUND -1,190,0,0
340 IF N = 10 THEN SOUND -1,264,0,0
350 :

```

```
360 IF N > 20 OR N < 10 THEN N = N MOD
    10 : IF N THEN SOUND -1,ASC STR$
      N,0,0
370 :
380 IF INSTR(D$,".") = 0 THEN ENDPROC
390 :
400 FOR N = 1 TO LEN D$
410   SOUND -1,ASC MID$(D$,N,1),0,0
420   NEXT
430 :
440 ENDPROC
```

UNPACKER

UNPACK is a utility, written in machine-code, which splits up multi-statement BASIC program lines into single statements on separate lines, so making the program easier to read, edit and debug. To a large extent, it reverses the effect of the PACKER utility.

There are two versions of the program on the tape. UNPACK is the version for use with tape-based computers and resides between &E00 and &10FF. UNPACKDISK is for use with disks and is loaded between &1600 and &18FF. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for installation instructions. Other than the addresses at which they start, the two programs operate identically.

As the utility is co-resident you can load it before or after you get your BASIC program into memory. Once the utility is in memory, start it working with **CALL &E00** (tape version) or **CALL &1600** (disk version).

UNPACK will create a new single-statement line for every statement in a multiple-statement line, except for statements following an **IF** or **ON ERROR** command. Essentially, it is looking for colons, although it will ignore colons in a string between quotation marks, a colon in a **REM** or **DATA** statement and a colon following an asterisk at the start of a line (indicating a call to the Operating System). It will also not unpack after a reverse oblique ('\'), which indicates the start of a comment in an assembly language program.

The additional program lines will need new line-numbers and these are created in increments of one, following the multi-statement line. For example:

```
100 CLS : INPUT X : A = B + X
```

will become:

```
100 CLS
```

```
101 INPUT X
```

```
102 A = B + X
```

This means that there must be a large enough gap in the line-numbering sequence before the next line to allow sufficient new numbers to be created.

The routine begins by testing the line-number spacing. If it finds that there are too many statements to fit in, it will exit with the message **Renumbering needed at line number:** – followed by a list of the one or more line-numbers at which the problem lies. Cure it by renumbering the program with a larger increment – the second parameter in the RENUMBER command.

Once UNPACK is satisfied that it can work properly, it will display the message **Unpacking** and start to work. After a short while – just how long depends on

the length of your program and how many statements need to be unpacked - the prompt will return, leaving the unpacked BASIC program in memory.

Whilst unpacking, the utility will also remove any spaces on either side of a statement-separating colon, since they will no longer be needed.

There are two situations which will stop UNPACK from completing its task. The first is when the program, which is being expanded by the creation of new line-numbers, runs out of memory in which to grow. The second case is if you try to make it unpack a multi-statement line numbered 32767, since BASIC will not accept a line-number greater than 32767. In both cases, UNPACK will stop with a **No room** error.

Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for notes on tacked-on bytes, embedded control characters and other general hints.

```

10 REM **** UNPACKER ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
50 DIM msg(3) : REM Text messages
60 :
70 REM Basic pointers
80 lomem = &0
90 himem = &6
100 vartop = &2
110 top = &12
120 page = &18
130 :
140 linenum = &70 : REM + &71
150 memloc = &72 : REM + &73
160 gap = &74 : REM + &75
170 mod10 = &76 : REM + &77
180 newtop = &78 : REM + &79
190 source = &7A : REM + &7B
200 destin = &7C : REM + &7D
210 chars = &7E
220 renumflag = &7F
230 length = &80
240 colon_count = &81
250 if_flag = &82
260 quoteflag = &83
270 pass1 = &84

```

```

280 newlength = &85
290 offset    = &86
300 ;
310 oswrch = &FFEE
320 osnewl = &FFE7
330 ;
340 REM Constants
350 numsize = 8
360 eol     = &0D
370 space  = ASC " "
380 quote  = &22 ; REM "
390 colon  = ASC ":"
400 star   = ASC "*"
410 slash  = ASC "\"
420 maxsize = &7C ; REM for Mode 7
430 error   = &85 ; REM "ERROR" token
440 if      = &E7
450 rem     = &F4
460 data    = &DC
470 ;
480 org = &E00
490 ;
500 opt = 2
510 ;
520 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
530 P% = org
540 [
550 OPT I%
560 ;
570 LDA #&16 \ Set MODE 7
580 JSR oswrch
590 LDA #7
600 JSR oswrch
610 ;
620 LDA #maxsize
630 STA himem+1 \ Himem under Mode 7
640 LDX #0
650 STX renumflag \ Clear it
660 STX himem
670 DEX

```



```
680 STX pass1 \ Set "pass number"
    index
690 :
700 ,mainloop LDA #1 \ Start at PAGE +
    1
710 STA memloc
720 LDA page
730 STA memloc+1
740 :
750 ,nextline LDY #0
760 LDA (memloc),Y
770 CMP #&FF \ End of program flag
780 BNE morelines
790 JMP endprog
800 :
810 ,morelines STA linenum+1 \ Hi-lo

820 INY
830 LDA (memloc),Y
840 STA linenum
850 INY
860 LDA (memloc),Y
870 STA length \ Offset to start of
    next line
880 :
890 CMP #5
900 BEQ endline
910 :
920 LDA #0
930 STA colon_count \ Clear them
940 STA if_flag
950 INY
960 LDA (memloc),Y \ First item in
    line
970 CMP #star \ OS command ?
980 BEQ endline
990 DEY \ reset it
1000 :
```

```

1010 ,clearquote LDA #0
1020 STA quoteflag
1030 :
1040 ,nextbyte INY
1050 LDA (memloc),Y
1060 CMP #eol
1070 BEQ endline
1080 :
1090 BIT quoteflag \ Ignore colons in
      quotes
1100 BPL iftest
1110 :
1120 CMP #quote
1130 BNE nextbyte \ Loop until closing
      quote
1140 BEQ clearquote
1150 :
1160 ,iftest CMP #if
1170 BEQ endline
1180 :
1190 CMP #rem
1200 BEQ endline
1210 :
1220 CMP #error
1230 BEQ endline
1240 :
1250 CMP #slash
1260 BEQ endline
1270 :
1280 CMP #data
1290 BEQ endline
1300 :
1310 CMP #&8D \ Line number follows
1320 BNE quotetest
1330 :
1340 INY
1350 INY
1360 INY
1370 :

```

```
1380 .quotetest CMP #quote
1390 BNE colontest
1400 :
1410 DEC quoteflag \ Set flag
1420 BNE nextbyte
1430 :
1440 .colontest CMP #colon
1450 BNE nextbyte
1460 :
1470 INC colon_count
1480 BIT pass1
1490 BMI nextbyte
1500 :
1510 CPY #3 \ Pass 2 only
1520 BEQ nextbyte \ Don't unpack
      opening colon
1530 :
1540 JSR unpack
1550 JMP nextline
1560 :
1570 .endline LDA memloc
1580 CLC
1590 ADC length
1600 STA memloc
1610 LDA memloc+1
1620 ADC #0
1630 STA memloc+1
1640 BIT pass1
1650 BPL nextjump \ i.e. on pass 2
1660 :
1670 LDA colon_count
1680 BEQ nextjump
1690 :
1700 CPY #4 \ Single colon line
1710 BEQ nextjump
1720 :
1730 JSR roomtest
1740 .nextjump JMP nextline
1750 :
```

```
1760 .endprog EIT renumflag
1770 BMI finish \ If set
1780 :
1790 INC pass1 \ To 0 or 1
1800 BNE finish \ 1 means second pass
      done
1810 :
1820 LDY #0
1830 .msg2loop LDA msg(2),Y \
      Unpacking
1840 BEQ msg2done
1850 JSR oswrch
1860 INY
1870 BNE msg2loop
1880 .msg2done JMP mainloop
1890 :
1900 .finish JSR osnewl
1910 JMP osnewl \ & exit to caller
1920 :
1930 :
1940 .roomtest LDY #0
1950 LDA (memloc),Y
1960 CMP #&FF \ End of program ?
1970 BEQ test32767
1980 :
1990 LDA linenum
2000 CLC
2010 ADC colon_count
2020 STA gap
2030 LDA linenum+1
2040 ADC #0
2050 STA gap+1
2060 CMP (memloc),Y / Next linenum hi
2070 BCC test32767
2080 :
2090 LDA gap
2100 INY
2110 CMP (memloc),Y / Next linenum lo
2120 BCS no_room
2130 :
```

```

2140 \ Can't unpack beyond 32767
2150 .test32767 LDA linenum+1
2160  CMP  #87F
2170  BNE  jumpback
2180  LDA  linenum
2190  CMP  #8FF
2200  BNE  jumpback
2210  :
2220 .no_room BIT renumflag
2230  BMI  listit
2240  DEC  renumflag \ Set it
2250  :
2260  LDY  #0
2270 .msg1loop LDA msg(1),Y \ Renumber
2280  BEQ  listit
2290  JSR  oswrch
2300  INY
2310  BNE  msg1loop
2320  :
2330 .listit JSR number
2340 .jumpback RTS
2350  :
2360  :
2370 \ Convert 2-byte hex line-number
      to decimal ASCII
2380 \ value holds value Div 10
2390 \ mod10 holds value Mod 10
2400  :
2410 .number LDX #numsize
2420  STX  chars \ ASCII digit counter
2430  :
2440 .convert DEC chars
2450  LDA  #0
2460  STA  mod10
2470  STA  mod10+1
2480  LDX  #810 \ Double byte
2490  CLC
2500  :

```

```

2510 .divloop ROL linenum \ Bit 0
      (carry) becomes quotient
2520 ROL linenum+1
2530 ROL mod10
2540 ROL mod10+1
2550 ;
2560 LDA mod10
2570 SEC
2580 SBC #10
2590 TAY \ Low byte
2600 LDA mod10+1
2610 SBC #0
2620 BCC deccount \ if dividend <
      divisor
2630 ;
2640 STY mod10 \ Next bit of dividend =
      1.
2650 STA mod10+1 \ Dividend = Dividend
      - divisor
2660 ;
2670 .deccount DEX
2680 BNE divloop
2690 ;
2700 ROL linenum \ Shift in last carry
      for quotient
2710 ROL linenum+1
2720 ;
2730 LDA mod10
2740 ORA #ASC "0" \ ASCII mask
2750 PHA \ Stack it (starts at
      right-hand digit)
2760 ;
2770 LDA linenum \ Continue if value <>
      0
2780 ORA linenum+1
2790 BNE convert
2800 ;

```

```

2810 LDX chars
2820 BEQ outnum1 \ Only possible if
      numsize = 5
2830 ;
2840 \ Pad to right-justify
2850 LDA #ASC " "
2860 .blank PHA
2870 DEX
2880 ENE blank
2890 ;
2900 .outnum1 LDX #numsize
2910 .outnum2 PLA \ Unstack ASCII
2920 JSR oswrch
2930 DEX
2940 ENE outnum2
2950 RTS
2960 ;
2970 ;
2980 .unpack LDA top
2990 CLC
3000 ADC #3
3010 STA newtop
3020 LDA top+1
3030 ADC #0
3040 CMP #maxsize \ Room to unpack ?
3050 BEC inmem
3060 JMP outmem
3070 ;
3080 .inmem STA newtop+1
3090 LDA #3
3100 STA offset
3110 ;
3120 \ Spaces around colon ?
3130 INY
3140 LDA (memloc),Y
3150 CMP #space
3160 ENE back
3170 DEC offset
3180 DEC length
3190 ;

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3200 .back DEY
3210 DEY
3220 LDA (memloc),Y
3230 CMP #space
3240 BNE forward
3250 DEC offset
3260 DEC length
3270 DEY \ Obliterate the space
3280 ;
3290 .forward INY
3300 LDA #eol
3310 STA (memloc),Y \ In last byte of
line
3320 INY
3330 STY newlength \ Point to next
(new) line start
3340 LDA length
3350 SEC
3360 SBC newlength
3370 CLC
3380 ADC #3
3390 STA length \ New line's length
3400 LDY #2
3410 LDA newlength
3420 STA (memloc),Y \ Over-write
current length
3430 ;
3440 \ Point memloc at new line start
3450 LDA memloc
3460 CLC
3470 ADC newlength
3480 STA memloc
3490 LDA memloc+1
3500 ADC #0
3510 STA memloc+1
3520 ;
3530 \Set up move vectors
3540 LDA memloc
3550 STA source
3560 LDA top+1

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3570 STA source+1
3580 LDA source
3590 CLC
3600 ADC offset \ 3, 2 or 1
3610 STA destin
3620 LDA source+1
3630 ADC #0
3640 STA destin+1
3650 :
3660 LDA top
3670 SEC
3680 SBC memloc
3690 TAY \ Difference over exact &100s
3700 LDA top+1
3710 SEC
3720 SBC memloc+1
3730 TAX \ Pages to move
3740 TYA
3750 BEQ shift2
3760 :
3770 \ Move odd bytes
3780 INY
3790 ,shift1 DEY
3800 LDA (source),Y
3810 STA (destin),Y
3820 CPY #0
3830 BNE shift1
3840 :
3850 ,shift2 TXA
3860 BEQ shiftdone
3870 :
3880 \ Move full pages
3890 ,shift3 DEC source+1
3900 DEC destin+1
3910 :
3920 ,shift4 DEY
3930 LDA (source),Y
3940 STA (destin),Y
3950 CPY #0
3960 BNE shift4
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3970 DEX
3980 BNE shift3
3990 :
4000 \ New line's info.
4010 .shiftdone LDY #2
4020 LDA length
4030 STA (memloc),Y
4040 DEY
4050 LDA linenum
4060 CLC
4070 ADC #1
4080 STA (memloc),Y
4090 DEY
4100 LDA linenum+1
4110 ADC #0
4120 STA (memloc),Y
4130 :
4140 LDA newtop
4150 STA top
4160 STA lomem
4170 STA vartop
4180 LDA newtop+1
4190 STA top+1
4200 STA lomem+1
4210 STA vartop+1
4220 RTS
4230 :
4240 .outmem LDY #0
4250 .msg3loop LDA msg(3),Y \ Out of
      memory
4260 BEQ msg3done
4270 JSR oswrch
4280 INY
4290 BNE msg3loop
4300 :
4310 .msg3done PLA \ POP RTS
4320 PLA
4330 JMP finish \ Exit at once
4340 ]
4350 :

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4360 PROCtext (1,"Renumbering needed at  
line number :-" + CHR$10 + CHR$10 +  
CHR$13)  
4370 PROCtext (2,CHR$31 + CHR$14 +  
CHR$12 + "Unpacking ")  
4380 PROCtext (3,CHR$10 + CHR$10 +  
CHR$13 + "No room" + CHR$7)  
4390 :  
4400 NEXT  
4410 :  
4420 END  
4430 :  
4440 :  
4450 DEF PROCtext (N,A$)  
4460 msg(N) = P%  
4470 $msg(N) = A$  
4480 P% = P% + LEN(A$) + 1  
4490 P%?-1 = 0  
4500 ENDFROC
```

VARIABLE NAMES DUMP

When you have written a reasonably long program or if you are reading through someone else's program, it is often a good idea to make a print-out of a list of the names of all the variables used in the program. You can then add notes as to how the variables are used. It can also help to ensure that you don't accidentally re-use the name of an existing variable and so over-write its value when the program runs.

VARDUMP is a machine-code utility which resides at &E00 (tape) or &I800 (disk) and takes up less than &I00 bytes. The disk version is VARDMPDSK. Please refer to 'Using the Programming Utilities' for loading instructions. Having loaded VARDUMP into memory, use it with **CALL &E00** (tape) or **CALL &I800** (disk).

You can either install the utility before you load your BASIC program with a ***LOAD** command or you can use it directly from tape or disk with a ***RUN** command after loading or running the BASIC program. (Disk users can type ***VARDUMP**.) Provided that you don't over-write it, the utility will remain in memory whilst you load and save BASIC programs.

VARDUMP prints out a list of all the names of the variables created by a BASIC program. It does not print out the names of the 'system variables' (**A%** to **Z%**), since these remain in memory at all times whilst the computer is on and it is not possible to tell, at least with this utility, whether the BASIC program makes use of system variables.

Other integer variables are suffixed with a **%** sign. String variables are suffixed with a **\$** sign. Arrays, whether real, integer or string, are followed by the size of the element(s) with which they have been dimensioned.

Notice that we particularly referred to variables *created* by the BASIC program. If the program does not execute a statement which creates a new variable, its name will not be included in the print-out. For example, if the program contains a test which is always passed, you will never see a variable which is used only within a procedure called when the test fails. A similar situation will arise if you start the program but interrupt it before it has generated all of its variables.

If you want to search your program to see whether a particular variable is *referred to* in it, for example a system variable, use the XREF utility in the Toolbox. You can also use XREF to produce a list of lines in which any particular variable occurs in the program.

Remember also that variables are destroyed if you alter or renumber the program, type **CLEAR**, or press Break.

To send a list to your printer, simply preface the **CALL** with a **VDU 2** command or a Control B.

The program works by referencing an index table which starts at location &482. The table contains the link addresses of further details of the variables themselves. Since the table is only ordered to the extent of the first character of a variable's name, the list produced by VARDUMP will not necessarily be in true alphabetical order.

The utility contains a useful subroutine called 'convert', which converts a hexadecimal number to decimal and then prints it out in ASCII.

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10 REM **** VARIABLE NAMES DUMP ****
20 :
30 REM (c) Ian Trackman 1982
40 :
50 REM Does not list system variables
   AZ to Z%
60 :
70 *KEY 1 CALL &1800IM
80 :
90 vector = &70 : REM + &71
100 temp  = &72 : REM + &73
110 number = &74 : REM + &75
120 mod10  = &76 : REM + &77
130 count  = &80
140 dimens = &81
150 ysave  = &82
160 :
170 base = &482
180 :
190 oswrch = &FFEE
200 osnewl = &FFE7
210 :
220 org = &E00
230 :
240 opt = 2
250 :
260 FOR I% = 0 TO opt STEP opt
270 P% = org

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280 [
290 OPT IZ
300 :
310 LDX #0
320 STX count \ Zero it
330 :
340 .nextletter LDA base,X \ lsb of
    next variable start letter
350 STA vector
360 INX
370 LDA base,X \ msb of letter
380 BEQ endloop \ Zero if no names
390 :
400 STA vector+1
410 :
420 .inloop LDY #0
430 LDA (vector),Y
440 STA temp \ Keep our place
450 INY
460 LDA (vector),Y
470 STA temp+1
480 JSR print
490 LDA temp \ Restore place before
    print-out
500 STA vector
510 LDA temp+1
520 STA vector+1
530 BNE inloop \ Always
540 :
550 .endloop INC count \ Move on two
    bytes
560 INC count
570 LDX count \ 58 2-byte variable
    names
580 CPX #&74 \ (A - Z, a - z incl.
    intermediate ASCII)
590 BNE nextletter \ More ?
600 :

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610 RTS \ All done, so exit
620 :
630 :
640 \ Print-out subroutine
650 :
660 \ Convert count to ASCII letter
670 .print LDA count
680 LSR A \ DIV 2
690 CLC
700 ADC #&41 \ Add conversion offset
710 :
720 .name JSR oswrch \ Print it
730 INY
740 LDA (vector),Y \ Next character
750 CMP #ASC "0" \ Still alpha-numeric
    part of name ?
760 BCS name \ If so, continue
    printing
770 :
780 CMP #0 \ End of variable ?
790 BEQ endname \ Exit subroutine
800 :
810 CMP #ASC "(" \ Start of array info
    ?
820 BNE name \ If not, must be % or $,
    so print it
830 :
840 \ Print dimensions of array
850 JSR oswrch \ Print opening
    bracket
860 INY
870 INY
880 LDA (vector),Y
890 STA dimens \ Encoded no. of
    elements
900 DEC dimens \ Decode to actual
    number
910 LSR dimens
920 :
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930 \ Print dimension of each
    element
940 .element INY
950 LDA (vector),Y
960 SEC
970 SBC #1 \ Element includes 0
980 STA number \ lsb
990 INY
1000 LDA (vector),Y
1010 SBC #0 \ Borrow from -1 ?
1020 STA number+1 \ msb
1030 STY ysave \ Keep our place
1040 LDA #0 \ End of string flag
1050 PHA
1060 :
1070 \ Convert to decimal ASCII
1080 .convert LDA #0
1090 STA mod10 \ Zero them
1100 STA mod10+1
1110 LDX #&10 \ Double byte (16 bits)
1120 CLC
1130 :
1140 .divloop ROL number \ Bit 0
    (carry) becomes quotient
1150 ROL number+1
1160 ROL mod10
1170 ROL mod10+1
1180 :
1190 LDA mod10
1200 SEC
1210 SBC #10 \ Division by subtracting
    tens
1220 TAY \ Save low byte
1230 LDA mod10+1
1240 SBC #0
1250 BCC deccount \ If dividend <
    divisor
1260 :

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1270 STY mod10 \ Next bit of dividend =
      1
1280 STA mod10+1 \ Dividend = dividend
      - divisor
1290 :
1300 .deccount DEX
1310 BNE divloop \ Done 16 bits ?
1320 :
1330 ROL number \ Shift in last carry
      for quotient
1340 ROL number+1
1350 :
1360 LDA mod10
1370 ORA #ASC "0" \ ASCII mask
1380 PHA \ Stack it (starts at
      right-hand digit)
1390 :
1400 LDA number
1410 ORA number+1
1420 BNE convert \ Not two zeros
1430 :
1440 .outnum PLA \ Unstack ASCII
1450 BEQ numdone \ End of string ?
1460 JSR oswrch
1470 JMP outnum \ Do some more
1480 :
1490 .numdone DEC dimens
1500 BEQ close \ All elements printed
      ?
1510 :
1520 LDA #ASC"," \ Separate next
      element with comma
1530 JSR oswrch
1540 LDY ysave \ Restore position
1550 JMP element \ Do next element
1560 :
1570 .close LDA #ASC ")" \ End of
      array
1580 JSR oswrch
1590 :

```

```
1600 .endname JMP osnewl \ CRLF and  
      exit subroutine  
1610 ]  
1620 :  
1630 NEXT  
1640 :  
1650 END
```

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