
AUCKLAND COLOUR GENIE USERS GROUP

MEETING HELD ON 28 MAY, 1984

A very good attendance at this meeting - 45 people came, which really filled the hall. This is marvellous, it certainly shows that 'us Genie people' really want to learn about our machine.

Andy and Ken showed the Group 'Peeks' and 'Pokes' a synopsis of which is included at the end of this report.

We should now have a mention in the 'Club Contacts' section of 'Bits and Bytes' - a letter was written at the beginning of this month.

A member also thought it would be a good idea to mention the magazines that occasionally had articles about the Colour Genie, as not too many magazines feature our machine. Ones known are:

- (a) Computing Today (monthly magazine)
- (b) Personal Computing News (weekly magazine)

If anyone knows of any other magazines, please let us know.

Re New Roms New roms will be available soon from the Group for around \$12.00 to \$15.00 each. These Roms contain the disk commands and will be available from Andy and Ken. More on this in the next Newsletter.

Can anyone help one of our members; he wishes to know what [A3 42] in Super: 80 programs means, both square brackets and figures. If anyone can help, please contact Ron Burton, Box 208, Te Aroha, or your Committee.

Other Possible Software - this time from New Zealand

We have a friend of one of our members, a Mr Allan Clarke, who has quite a few TRS80/System 80 programs that can be converted on to the Colour Genie, with quite a bit of effort involved, and he would be willing to sell these programs at probably between \$10.00 and \$15.00, certainly no more than \$15.00. Under these circumstances, he would need an indication of what interest there would be in his programs, so I am including a list of what he could convert.

| | |
|--|---|
| Compilers | Disassembler |
| Word Processor (basic, but with M/C routine for data saving) | PILOT language |
| Monitors | Program compressor |
| Statistics | PERT |
| Serial Port Driver (up and running) | Ledger Keeper |
| Data Base | General Utility (screen dump, move memory, auto edit, recover BASIC program, merge) |
| Editor Assembler | Program Search |

I feel personally, that these utility programs would be well worth having. The same sort of programs are going to cost equally as much, if not more, than Allan's programs. However, I do feel that we would need such programs NOW, not in the future, which is the one benefit with the overseas programs, they are ready now. So, if we can get some idea on who wants what, we can get Allan cracking on producing these programs for the Genie without delay!!

Please do remember, though, that your Committee members are working their tails off to get this software off the ground, and we can do nothing without you all getting in touch and letting us know your software preferences. So come on, stop reading this for a moment, and write me a note.

Software

A big thank you to the 10 people who have so far responded to my request for a note on what software everyone is interested in. And everyone else, please put pen to paper.

We have now heard from J. Brier (two machine code arcade type games) and Gumboot Software (see software pages in last month's newsletter). Both of these software houses are willing to let us become the New Zealand agents for their software, so we are going ahead and ordering the masters from these two companies.

We will let you know for sure later, but prices should be from \$9.00 to \$12.00 per tape.

There is also a couple of programs to be added to last month's list:

Gumboot Software

- | | |
|------------------|--|
| 40. Flying Bytes | Flight simulator for a 32K machine - supposed to be very good. |
| 41. Droids | Arcade game. (Using a laser tank, droids and mines have to be cleared. Original and great fun, so the review in the U.K. magazine goes.) |

We have also ordered a Technical Manual from Gumboot as these are now available. We will then be able to photocopy them and charge accordingly.

Gumboot are also willing to let us have quantities of the U.K. magazine - at a reasonable price, we are awaiting the exact cost.

So far, we have not heard from any of the other software houses, and I have sent out a further 17 letters to other software houses also advertising in the magazine.

Well, that's about it for this month, remember that the next meeting is on:-

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and hopefully we will see at least 50 people there.

- Nola Huggins

PEEKs AND POKES

As I promised, the following will cover what I spoke about at our last meeting. The first program looked at, scanned the keyboard memory and responded when a Y or an N was pressed.

For those of you who don't have a map of the Keyboard Memory System, there is a copy attached.

The first program was:

```
10 CLS:G=PEEK(-2046):H=PEEK(-2040)
20 IF G AND 64 THEN PRINT@ 500,"NO" ELSE
   IF H AND 02 THEN PRINT@ 500,"YES" ELSE GOTO 10
30 FOR X=1 TO 500:NEXT:GOTO 10
```

In line 10 G is assigned a value from Memory location(-2046) or &HF802. This value can be from 0 to 255 and the value that G assumes will depend on the key(s) depressed on the computer keyboard. The same applies to H, the only difference being the memory location being looked at. In this case (-2040) &HF808.

In line 20, using an IF-THEN test, we establish whether the required keyboard input was made or not. If it was, then we print a response to show the system working. If there is no input from the keyboard then the program goes back to line 10 to look again. The delay loop in line 30 just keeps the response on the screen so we get to see it.

The tests in line 20 could cause branching to subroutines or returns to a main program instead of how it appears in this program which was for demonstration purposes only.

Disabling Break

Poke 16396,23

- To re-enable - Poke 16396,201

(it is a good idea to do this at the end of a program if BREAK was disabled at the start of the program.)

Cursor

To change the cursor - Poke 16410,(value)

| | | | | |
|--------------|--------|--------|-----------------|-------------|
| <u>Value</u> | 1-7 | static | 1 = | (block) |
| | | | 7 = | (underline) |
| | 64-71 | fast | (64 same as 1) | |
| | | | (71 same as 7) | |
| | 96-103 | slow | (96 same as 1) | |
| | | | (103 same as 7) | |

Low Res Screen

This screen starts at &H4400 (17408 dec) and finishes at &H47FF (18431) but locations after &H47BF (18367) are not displayed.

To see if something is printed on the screen PEEK the required location and test to see if the value returned is what you were looking for. More on this later in the second program.

High Res Screen

Starts at &H4800 (18432 dec)

Stops at &H57FF (22527 dec)

Disabling The Keyboard

This could be used to speed up sorting or mathematical calculations during a program where no keyboard input is required. Once the computations are complete, re-enable the keyboard to continue program execution.

Poke 16405,0 (disable)

Poke 16405,1 (able)

Second Program

```
10 CLS:X=17408:Y=&HAC00
20 G=PEEK(-1984)
30 IF G AND 64 THEN Z=X:X=X+1:C=4
40 IF G AND 32 THEN Z=X:X=X-1:C=6
50 IF G AND 16 THEN Z=X:X=X+40:C=1
60 IF G AND 08 THEN Z=X:X=X-40:C=5
70 IF (X <17408 OR X >18367) THEN X=7
80 POKE X,199:POKE X+7,C
90 V=PEEK(17900):IF V=199 THEN CLS
100 GOTO 20
```

The program was used to show the keyboard memory and screen memory can be used by PEEKing and POKing to do something on the screen.

Line 10 - Sets X to first screen location. Sets Y to the colour RAM area so that the colour of the object to be printed at X can be set during the program.

Line 20 - Scans the keyboard, namely the arrow keys, all other things being ignored.

Lines 30-60 - determine which arrow key was pressed, adjusts the value of X and sets a new colour if required.

Line 70 - tests to see if X is less than or greater than the text screen size. If you don't do this, disastrous things can happen. (Try taking it out and see!!)

Line 80 - Pokes character 199 to the screen at location X and sets the colour of that location.

Line 90 - Here we are looking at the screen at a specific location. If that location has a character of 199 (ASCII) printed on it, then the test continues to clear the screen.

Line 100 - returns to 20 to start again.

This is just one simple use of this type of programming. I used a similar technique to change the viewing direction in Haunted House. Have a look and see if you can understand all that is happening.

Blanking Lines in a Program

As an example I will blank the following line:

```
10 CLS:POKE 16410,103:POKE 16396,23
```

Enter the line normally, then go EDIT 10. Count the characters/spaces used in the line. In this case 32. Press X which will put you at the end of Line 10, then enter 32 blank characters (space bar). Leave the edit mode.

Now re-enter with EDIT 10. Press 32 then the space bar. This will put the cursor at the first blank space after '23'. Now press 32 then C then -- (back space arrow key). The line should disappear. Press Return to exit the edit mode. Now LIST 10 and you should see '10 (blank)'.

Next Month "Using Block Graphics".

Happy Computing.

- Andy

| KEYBOARD LAYOUT | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|----|----|------|-----|-----|------------|-------|
| BITNO | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| VALUE | 128 | 64 | 32 | 16 | 08 | 04 | 02 | 01 |
| ADDRESS | | | | | | | | |
| F801(-2047) | G | F | E | D | C | B | A | @ |
| F802(-2046) | O | N | M | L | K | J | I | H |
| F804(-2044) | W | V | U | T | S | R | Q | P |
| F808(-2040) | F4 | F3 | F2 | F1 | | Z | Y | X |
| F810(-2032) | . | & | % | \$ | # | " | ! | |
| | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| F820(-2016) | ? | > | = | < | + | * |) | (|
| | / | . | - | . | ; | : | 9 | 8 |
| F840(-1984) | Space | → | ← | ↓ | ↑ | BRK | CLR | ENTER |
| F880(-1920) | | | | CTRL | RPT | | Mod Sel | SHIFT |

ONE LINERS

Here is a pair of one liners (or should it be one two-liner?) that you can use as subroutines in your programs to convert to and from hexadecimal numbers. Try them in the stand alone form given below to see how they work.

```
5 'Hex to Decimal Converter
10 INPUT H$:C0=0
20 C=C*16+ASC(H$)-48+7*(ASC(H$) >57):H$=MID$(H$,2):IF LEN(H$) THEN 20
30 PRINT C:GOTO 10
40 '
100 'Decimal to Hex Converter
110 INPUT N:L$=""
120 L=N-INT(N/16)*16:L$=CHR$(L+48-7*(L >9))+L$:N=INT(N/16):IF N THEN 120
130 PRINT L$:GOTO 110
```

The work is done in lines 20 and 120. The other lines are just there to process inputs and outputs. The program(s) will handle numbers of any length.

- Allan Clarke

COLOUR GENIE G-MON MONITOR CORRECTION

This is the correction which will get the 32K version of G-MON (Computing Today - Feb 84) working properly. The author incorporated two boo-boos and didn't explain the need to reserve memory.

The steps needed are:

1. Reserve memory of 48000 when answering MEM SIZE?
2. CLOAD G-MON (16K) and RUN it.
3. Carry out the patch procedure as in the article but do not, repeat not, alter BDD9 or BDF3 to COH. (Delete these two lines in your copy of the article.)
4. Check that BF87 has been changed from C04 to 80H. This correction was in a later issue of Computing Today.
5. Now make a SYSTEM tape of the 32K version as in the article.

It is necessary to reserve memory when using machine code programs at the top of memory. The BASIC interpreter uses this area to handle strings and this will clobber any machine code if you have not protected high memory. The string working area is moved just below the memory size figure that you set at MEM SIZE?.

I would also suggest that you make a 16K SYSTEM tape of G-MON, as there will be occasions when the 32K version is in conflict with a SYSTEM program you wish to examine. You can call these two versions GMON-HI and GMON-LO.

Note: You can lower your program running time by adding the following line to the original listing:

```
5 DEFINT A,I,T.
```

BASIC processes integers faster than real numbers.

- Allan Clarke

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1 REM      THIS IS A COMPLETELY ALTERED VERSION OF WORM AS PUBLISHED IN A RECENT NEWSLETTER
2 REM      IT HAS BEEN ADDED TO AND CHANGED BY BARRY AND IRENE WALKER OF FEILDING
3 REM      -----
10 REM WORM
20 SX=1500:SZ=0:COLOUR7
30 CLS:SS=0:PRINT163,"DO YOU WANT INSTRUCTIONS":PRINT257,"(Y/N)"
40 IF SC)SZ THEN SZ=SC
50 SC=0
60 PRINT760,"HIGHEST SCORE  ":SZ
70 Q1=INKEY$:IF Q1<>"Y" AND Q1<>"N" THEN 70 ELSE IF Q1="Y" THEN 450
80 PRINT229,"OK NO INSTRUCTIONS"
90 FOR N=1 TO 5:FOR E=1 TO 200:NEXT E,N
100 CLS:COLOUR7:SP=0
110 PRINT1.STRING$(38,243)
120 PRINT891.STRING$(38,243)
130 FOR DR=41 TO 841 STEP 40
140 PRINTDR,CHR$(243):PRINTDR+37,CHR$(243)
150 NEXTDR
160 CCOLOUR1
170 A=833
180 PRINTA,CHR$(230)
190 COLOUR1
200 BB=PEEK(&HF840)
210 IF BB=32 THEN A=A-1:GOSUB 550
220 IF BB=64 THEN A=A+1:GOSUB 550
230 IF BB=16 THEN A=A+40:GOSUB 550
240 IF BB= 8 THEN A=A-40:GOSUB 550
250 IF BB=128 THEN GOSUB 520
260 IF SP>=755 THEN SS=SS-1 :SC=SC+SX : SX=1500:GOTO 100
270 IFPEEK(17408+A)=243 THEN 340
280 IFBB>7 AND BB<65 THEN GOSUB 540
290 SX=SX-1:IF SX=0 GOTO 340
300 IF SX =0 GOTO 440
310 PRINT921,"SCORE":SC:
320 PRINT932,"LIVES LEFT":2-SS:" TIME ":SX:
330 GOTO 180
340 COLOUR5:PRINTA,CHR$(254)+CHR$(249)
350 SOUND8,15
360 SOUND7,7
370 SOUND8,16
380 SOUND9,16
390 SOUND10,16
400 SOUND12,56
410 SOUND13,0
420 FOR D =0 TO 1000:NEXT
430 COLOUR 4
440 SX=1500:SS=SS+1:IF SS)=3 GOTO 30ELSE GOTO 100
450 CLS:PRINT"THIS IS A SIMPLE VERSION OF WORM."
455 PRINT"THE AIM IS TO FILL ALL THE BLANK SPACES. YOU GET POINTS FOR DOING THIS."
460 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT"USE THE ARROW KEYS TO MOVE."
470 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT"IF YOU GET LOST PRESSING THE SPACE BAR "
480 PRINT"WILL CHANGE THE COLOUR OF YOUR PLACE "
490 PRINT "BUT YOU COULD LOSE ALL YOUR POINTS !"
500 PRINT8608,"PRESS RETURN TO CONTINUE" :INPUTX
510 CLS:GOTO100
520 SC=SC-(RND(SC+1)-1):COLOUR(RND(15))
530 RETURN
540 SOUND7,248:SOUND8,15:SOUND13,6: SOUND7,255:RETURN
550 IF PEEK(17408+A)=32 THEN SP=SP+1: SC=SC+1
560 RETURN

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W O R M is a modified form of the program in Issue 3 of the Newsletter. The main reason it is included is that it is an example of a program using the arrow keys, and the space bar. If you disable the break key it can be used too.

The basis of it is:

A=PEEK(&HF840)

if A=1 Return key was pressed
if A=2 Clear key was pressed
if A=4 Break key was pressed
if A=16 Down Arrow was pressed
if A=32 Left Arrow was pressed
if A=64 RightArrow was pressed
if A=128 Spacebar was pressed

Demonstration program - Barry + Irene Walker

```
10 CLS
20 COLOURS:PRINT"PRESS 1 WHEN PAGE IS FULL FOR ANOTHER  MULTICOLOURED PAGE"
30 PRINT"PRESS 2 FOR A WORD
40 PRINT"PRESSING ANY OTHER KEY BRINGS YOU BACK TO THE NORMAL SCREEN"
50 PRINT"PRESS BREAK TO END PROGRAM"
60 PRINT"PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE"
70 X$=INKEY$:IFX$="" THEN GOTO 70
80 BGRD
90 FOR I =0 TO 959
100 PRINT@I, CHR$(RND(200)+40);
110 COLOUR(RND(16))
120 NEXT I
130 A$=INKEY$:IF A$=""THEN GOTO 130
140 IF A$="1"THEN CLS:GOTO 80
150 IF A$="2" THEN GOSUB 170:GOTO 130
160 NBGRD:GOTO 130
170 CLS
180 PRINT:PRINT
190 PRINT"      Y Y EEE SSSS
      Y Y E   S
      Y EE  SSSS
      Y E    S
      Y EEE SSSS "
200 RETURN
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D E M O N S T R A T I O N program

prints random colours or spells
YES.

This mode could have possibilities
for program headings.

The page only stays on while
program is running or until NBGRD.

R A N D O M N U M B E R S - A lot of computers use RND(1)
where the Genie uses RND(0) to do the same job. Enclosed
is a photocopy of a section on using ERROR as a form of
GOSUB. The program listing in it works on a Colour Genie.
It is from "BASIC PROGRAMMING PRIMER" Second Edition, by
Mitchell Waite and Michael Pardee. We have found this to
be a helpful book for learning basic.

To prevent my children from accumulating exorbitant amounts of chips at Blackjack, by betting all on virtually unbeatable hands, and embarrassing the computer, I modified the program as follows:

```
320COLOUR2:INPUT"BET,HIT,STAND,OR REVIEW CARDS <B / H / S / R
>";YN$:GOTO330
325COLOUR2:INPUT"BET OR HIT ( B / H )";YN$
326IFYN$="B"ORYN$="H"THEN330ELSEGOTO325
590COLOUR2:PRINT"YOU HAVE"SC"CHIPS":INPUT"PLAY ANOTHER HAND (Y/N)";YN$
```

This may be of interest to members.

Don Edwards, Feilding

ERROR Used as an Extended Form of GOSUB

ERROR can also be used in another way, one the designers of BASIC probably didn't think of. In the following program we will use ERROR not to imitate an error, but almost as if it were a normal GOSUB statement. The advantage of using ERROR instead of GOSUB is that when an ERROR statement is executed, ERR is automatically set to the error number N (specified by the number N in "ERROR N"), and ERL is set to the line number where the error occurred. It can be very useful for a subroutine to be able to figure out the line number from which it was called, and it can also be useful to be able to pass an "argument" (a number with different values) to the subroutine from the program which calls it.

Here's a program which shows how this might be done. The program asks for the user's name and age. If the name is longer than 15 characters it prints "PLEASE USE A SHORTER NAME." If the age is less than 3 years or greater than 80, it assumes the user has made a nonserious reply and prints "PLEASE BE HONEST." (If you really are more than 80 or less than 3 years old, you can change line 50 accordingly.)

```
10 ON ERROR GOTO 80
20 INPUT "PLEASE ENTER YOUR LAST NAME": LNS
30 IF LEN(LNS) > 15 THEN ERROR 38
40 INPUT "AND YOUR AGE": AG
50 IF AG < 3 OR AG > 80 THEN ERROR 38
60 PRINT "THANK YOU."
70 STOP
80 REM --- ERROR-TRAPPING ROUTINE
90 IF ERR <> 38 THEN ON ERROR GOTO 0 "UNEXPECTED ERROR"
100 IF ERL=30 THEN PRINT "USE A SHORTER NAME." : RESUME 20
110 IF ERL=50 THEN PRINT "PLEASE BE HONEST." : RESUME 40
120 ON ERROR GOTO 0 "UNEXPECTED LINE NUMBER"
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In this program we use the ERROR statement to branch to the "error-trapping" routine at line 80 if either the name typed in is too long, or the age typed in is less than 3 or more than 80. Neither of these conditions is really an "error," of course. We are simply using the error-handling statements to permit the routine to figure out which part of the main program called the routine.

Let's go through this step by step for the case of the user typing in an inappropriate age: 120, for example.

The first line of the program makes BASIC aware that, in the event of an error, control should go to line 80. Then the program asks for the user's last name and his age. If, when he is asked his age, the user types (for example) 120, then in line 50 the program will see that AG is greater than 80 and will go on to the next part of the statement, which is ERROR 38. (Actually, any valid error number could be used here.) Executing this statement takes us immediately to the error-trapping routine on line 90. There, on line 90, we first verify that the error is the one we expect (that is, number 38). If it isn't, we assume a "real" error (that is, one we hadn't anticipated, such as a syntax error) has taken place, and execute the ON ERROR GOTO 0 statement so that control will return to BASIC to deal with the error in the normal way. However, if the error is number 38, we then go on to check what line number it occurred on using the ERL function. In this case, it occurred on line number 50, so we will execute the second part of line 110, which is

```
PRINT "PLEASE BE HONEST." : RESUME 40
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Control will then go back to line 40, where the user will again be asked his age. If the error routine has not been called from either of the expected line numbers, 30 or 50, then the routine goes on to execute the "ON ERROR GOTO 0" statement in line 120, which will return control to BASIC to deal with a normal error.

IRENE and BARRY WALKER of Feilding.

Chart makes conversion easy

A unique chart designed to be used by anyone in the computer industry has been produced by Control Microcomputers of Auckland.

A handy reference for programmers and microcomputer users, it shows character conversions into decimal, octal and hexadecimal codes, conversions between the bases and structure of common characters and the essential parts of the common RS-232-C and Centronic interfaces.

The chart, which took the company's staff many hours to prepare, is pictured on the facing page.

Control Microcomputers' chief executive, Basil Orr, explains how to use it:

Interfacing charts

These charts have been designed to assist in interfacing printers and other peripherals to computer systems.

Code conversion table

Printers require control sequences to enable their special features, such as changing print sizes, to be implemented. This chart shows all the standard characters together with their various numeric representations. When using BASIC, characters can be represented

by a decimal number e.g. A = CHR\$(65). Operating systems, monitors and word processor initialisation often require hexadecimal (Base 16) numbers. Here A = 41. The microcomputer world often uses octal numbers. In this case A = "101. This chart also converts numbers up to 255 between the three bases.

The control codes, used for controlling data transmission and peripheral features are given with explanations. They can be generated by using the control key and the appropriate upper case character e.g. <CTRL> G gives the Bell, and <CTRL> M is the same as a carriage return. The ESC character (CHR\$(27), hexadecimal 1B, octal 033) is often used for enabling command sequences.

Centronics parallel interface

This interface system is often used with printers. The computer sets the eight data lines to the byte required. The data strobe line which is normally about +5 volts is momentarily pulsed to 0 volts to transfer the character to the printer.

The printer tells the computer when it can send another character by pulsing the

acknowledge line. Alternatively, the computer can keep sending characters until the printer sets the busy line to + volts. Paper empty, select status and fault conditions can be sensed by the computer using the designated lines.

RS-232-C (V24) simplified

This serial communications system is used extensively by terminals and by some printers. Two-way communication requires only one line for data transfer to the computer, and one from the computer as well as the signal ground. The data bits of a character are transmitted sequentially, prefixed by a start bit, and followed sometimes by a parity bit to check for correct transmission, and always by stop bits. The characters are transmitted sequentially in this format. The Baud rate is the number of bits transmitted per second. The control lines carry status information including busy and ready between computer and terminal. Seldom are they all used together. In many applications control lines are not required. The chart correlates the various circuit names used in manuals with the pin number, function, source of the signal and description.

CODE CONVERSION TABLE

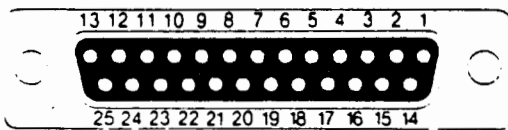
M = Hexadecimal. O = Octal. D = Decimal. CC = Control Code.
C = ASCII Character. (American Standard Code for Information Interchange)

| H O D CC | EXPLANATION | H O D C | H O D C | H O D C | H O D | H O D | H O D | H O D |
|----------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 00 000 | 0 NUL Null | 20 040 32 | 40 100 64 | 60 140 96 | 80 200 128 | A0 240 160 | C0 300 192 | E0 340 224 |
| 01 001 | 1 SOH Start of Heading | 21 041 33 | 41 101 65 | 61 141 97 | 81 201 129 | A1 241 161 | C1 301 193 | E1 341 225 |
| 02 002 | 2 STX Start of Text | 22 042 34 | 42 102 66 | 62 142 98 | 82 202 130 | A2 242 162 | C2 302 194 | E2 342 226 |
| 03 003 | 3 ETX End of Text | 23 043 35 | 43 103 67 | 63 143 99 | 83 203 131 | A3 243 163 | C3 303 195 | E3 343 227 |
| 04 004 | 4 EOT End Transmission | 24 044 36 | 44 104 68 | 64 144 100 | 84 204 132 | A4 244 164 | C4 304 196 | E4 344 228 |
| 05 005 | 5 EMQ Enquiry | 25 045 37 | 45 105 69 | 65 145 101 | 85 205 133 | A5 245 165 | C5 305 197 | E5 345 229 |
| 06 006 | 6 ACK Acknowledge | 26 046 38 | 46 106 70 | 66 146 102 | 86 206 134 | A6 246 166 | C6 306 198 | E6 346 230 |
| 07 007 | 7 BEL Bell | 27 047 39 | 47 107 71 | 67 147 103 | 87 207 135 | A7 247 167 | C7 307 199 | E7 347 231 |
| 08 010 | 8 BS Backspace | 28 050 40 | 48 110 72 | 68 150 104 | 88 210 136 | A8 250 168 | C8 310 200 | E8 350 232 |
| 09 011 | 9 HT Horizontal Tab | 29 051 41 | 49 111 73 | 69 151 105 | 89 211 137 | A9 251 169 | C9 311 201 | E9 351 233 |
| 0A 012 | 10 LF Line Feed | 2A 052 42 | 4A 112 74 | 6A 152 106 | 8A 212 138 | AA 252 170 | CA 312 202 | EA 352 234 |
| 0B 013 | 11 VT Vertical Tab | 2B 053 43 | 4B 113 75 | 6B 153 107 | 8B 213 139 | AB 253 171 | CB 313 203 | EB 353 235 |
| 0C 014 | 12 FF Form Feed | 2C 054 44 | 4C 114 76 | 6C 154 108 | 8C 214 140 | AC 254 172 | CC 314 204 | EC 354 236 |
| 0D 015 | 13 CR Carriage Return | 2D 055 45 | 4D 115 77 | 6D 155 109 | 8D 215 141 | AD 255 173 | CD 315 205 | ED 355 237 |
| 0E 016 | 14 SO Shift-Out | 2E 056 46 | 4E 116 78 | 6E 156 110 | 8E 216 142 | AE 256 174 | CE 316 206 | EE 356 238 |
| 0F 017 | 15 SI Shift-In | 2F 057 47 | 4F 117 79 | 6F 157 111 | 8F 217 143 | AF 257 175 | CF 317 207 | EF 357 239 |
| 10 020 | 16 DLE Data Link Escape | 30 060 48 | 50 120 80 | 70 160 112 | 90 220 144 | BO 260 176 | DO 320 208 | FO 360 240 |
| 11 021 | 17 DC1 X-ON | 31 061 49 | 51 121 81 | 71 161 113 | 91 221 145 | B1 261 177 | D1 321 209 | F1 361 241 |
| 12 022 | 18 DC2 Device Control 2 | 32 062 50 | 52 122 82 | 72 162 114 | 92 222 146 | B2 262 178 | D2 322 210 | F2 362 242 |
| 13 023 | 19 DC3 X-OFF | 33 063 51 | 53 123 83 | 73 163 115 | 93 223 147 | B3 263 179 | D3 323 211 | F3 363 243 |
| 14 024 | 20 DC4 Device Control 4 | 34 064 52 | 54 124 84 | 74 164 116 | 94 224 148 | B4 264 180 | D4 324 212 | F4 364 244 |
| 15 025 | 21 NAK Not Acknowledge | 35 065 53 | 55 125 85 | 75 165 117 | 95 225 149 | B5 265 181 | D5 325 213 | F5 365 245 |
| 16 026 | 22 SYN Synchronous Idle | 36 066 54 | 56 126 86 | 76 166 118 | 96 226 150 | B6 266 182 | D6 326 214 | F6 366 246 |
| 17 027 | 23 ETB End Trans. Block | 37 067 55 | 57 127 87 | 77 167 119 | 97 227 151 | B7 267 183 | D7 327 215 | F7 367 247 |
| 18 030 | 24 CAN Cancel | 38 070 56 | 58 130 88 | 78 170 120 | 98 230 152 | B8 270 184 | D8 330 216 | F8 370 248 |
| 19 031 | 25 EM End of Medium | 39 071 57 | 59 131 89 | 79 171 121 | 99 231 153 | B9 271 185 | D9 331 217 | F9 371 249 |
| 1A 032 | 26 SUB Substitute Char | 3A 072 58 | 5A 132 90 | 7A 172 122 | 9A 232 154 | BA 272 186 | DA 332 218 | FA 372 250 |
| 1B 033 | 27 ESC Escape | 3B 073 59 | 5B 133 91 | 7B 173 123 | 9B 233 155 | BB 273 187 | DB 333 219 | FB 373 251 |
| 1C 034 | 28 FS File Separator | 3C 074 60 | 5C 134 92 | 7C 174 124 | 9C 234 156 | BC 274 188 | DC 334 220 | FC 374 252 |
| 1D 035 | 29 GS Group Separator | 3D 075 61 | 5D 135 93 | 7D 175 125 | 9D 235 157 | BD 275 189 | DD 335 221 | FD 375 253 |
| 1E 036 | 30 RS Record Separator | 3E 076 62 | 5E 136 94 | 7E 176 126 | 9E 236 158 | BE 276 190 | DE 336 222 | FE 376 254 |
| 1F 037 | 31 US Unit Separator | 3F 077 63 | 5F 137 95 | 7F 177 127 | 9F 237 159 | BF 277 191 | DF 337 223 | FF 377 255 |

↪ To generate use Control Key <CTRL> with ↪

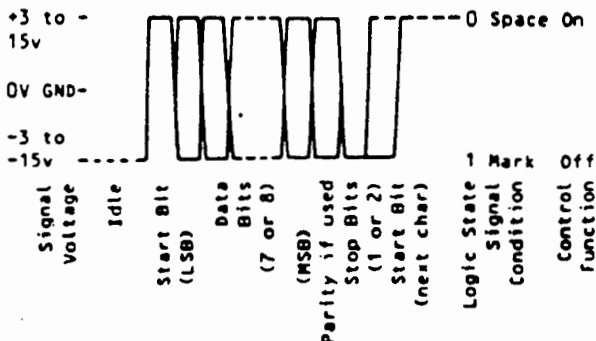
RS 232-C (V24) SIMPLIFIED

25 pin connector using round terminals
View of front of Socket (female connector)



DTE = Data Terminal Eqpt (Printer, Modem port)
DCE = Data Communications Eqpt (Printer port, Modem)

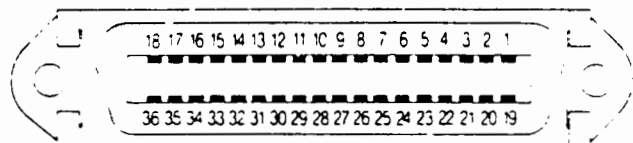
| PIN | CIRCUIT | FUNC | SRC | CODE | DESCRIPTION |
|-----|---------|------|----------|------|-----------------------|
| 1 | AA | 101 | Gnd | - | FG Frame Ground |
| 2 | BA | 103 | Data DTE | TD | Transmit Data |
| 3 | BB | 104 | Data DCE | RD | Receive Data |
| 4 | CA | 105 | Cont DTE | RTS | Ready to Send |
| 5 | CB | 106 | Cont DCE | CTS | Clear to Send |
| 6 | CC | 107 | Cont DCE | DSR | Data Set Ready |
| 7 | AB | 102 | Gnd | - | SG Signal Ground |
| 8 | CF | 109 | Cont DCE | CD | Carrier Detect |
| 20 | CD | 108 | Cont DTE | DTR | Data Terminal Ready |
| 21 | CG | 110 | Cont DCE | SDQ | Signal Quality Detect |
| 22 | CE | 125 | Cont DCE | RI | Ring Indicator |
| 23 | CH | 111 | Cont DTE | DRS | Data Rate Select |



Control signals must be on to allow data transfer

CENTRONICS PARALLEL INTERFACE

36 pin connector using flat contacts.
View of front of socket (female - groove down middle)



| PIN | SIGNAL | SRC | PIN | SIGNAL | SRC |
|-----|---------------------|------|-----|---------------|------|
| 1 | * Data strobe pulse | Comp | 19 | Signal ground | - |
| 2 | Data bit 1 (LSB) | Comp | 20 | Signal ground | - |
| 3 | Data bit 2 | Comp | 21 | Signal ground | - |
| 4 | Data bit 3 | Comp | 22 | Signal ground | - |
| 5 | Data bit 4 | Comp | 23 | Signal ground | - |
| 6 | Data bit 5 | Comp | 24 | Signal ground | - |
| 7 | Data bit 6 | Comp | 25 | Signal ground | - |
| 8 | Data bit 7 | Comp | 26 | Signal ground | - |
| 9 | Data bit 8 (MSB) | Comp | 27 | Signal ground | - |
| 10 | * Acknowledge pulse | Prt | 28 | Signal ground | - |
| 11 | Busy | Prt | 29 | Signal ground | - |
| 12 | Paper Empty | Prt | 30 | Signal ground | - |
| 13 | Select | Prt | 31 | * Input prime | Comp |
| 14 | Signal ground | - | 32 | * Fault | Prt |
| 15 | No connection | - | 33 | Signal ground | - |
| 16 | Signal ground | - | 34 | * Ext prime | Comp |
| 17 | Chassis ground | - | 35 | No connection | - |
| 18 | + 5 volts DC | Prt | 36 | Input busy | Prt |

Signals TTL levels: Active +2 to +5V, False +0 to +0.4V
* Inverted signals: Active +0 to +0.4V, False +2 to +5V

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L U N A R L A N D I N G -- converted for the Colour Genie by George Muzyka

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1 CLS
2 PRINT@17,"LEN":PRINT@55,"*****"
4 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT "CREATIVE COMPUTING MORRISTOWN,          NEW JERSEY"
7 REM ROCKT2 IS AN INTERACTIVE GAME THAT SIMULATES A LUNAR
8 REM LANDING IS SIMILAR TO THAT OF THE APOLLO PROGRAM.
9 REM THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO CHANCE INVOLVED
10 Z1="GO"
15 B1=1
20 M=17.95
25 F1=5.25
30 N=7.5
35 R0=926
40 V0=1.29
45 T=0
50 H0=60
55 R=R0+H0
60 A=-3.425
65 R1=0
70 A1=8.84361E-04
75 R3=0
80 A3=0
85 M1=7.45
90 M0=M1
95 B=750
100 T1=0
105 F=0
110 P=0
115 N=1
120 M2=0
125 S=0
130 C=0
135 IF C1="YES" THEN 1150
140 PRINT
145 PRINT"LUNAR LANDING SIMULATION":PRINT"==== =====":PRINT
150 PRINT
155 PRINT"HAVE YOU FLOWN AN APOLLO/LEN MISSION   BEFORE":
160 PRINT"      (YES OR NO)":
165 INPUT Q1
170 IF Q1="YES" THEN 190
175 IF Q1="NO" THEN 205
180 PRINT"JUST ANSWER THE QUESTION, PLEASE, *":
185 GOTO 160
190 PRINT
191 PRINT" 1=METRIC    0=ENGLISH"
195 PRINT"INPUT MEASUREMENT OPTION NUMBER":
200 GOTO 225
205 PRINT
210 PRINT"WHICH SYSTEM OF MEASUREMENT DO YOU   PREFER?":
215 PRINT" 1=METRIC    0=ENGLISH"
220 PRINT"ENTER THE APPROPRIATE NUMBER":
225 INPUT K
230 PRINT
235 IF K=0 THEN 280
240 IF K=1 THEN 250
245 GOTO 220
250 Z=1352.8
255 M1="METRES"
260 G3=3.6
265 N1=" KILOMETRES"
270 G5=1000
275 GOTO 305
280 Z=6060
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285 M1="FEET"
290 G3=.592
295 M1="N.MILES"
300 G5=2
305 IF B1=3 THEN 670
310 IF Q1="YES" THEN 485
312 CLS:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT
315 PRINT
320 PRINT">YOU ARE ON A LUNAR LANDING MISSION<":PRINT:PRINT
321 PRINT" AS THE PILOT OF THE LUNAR EXCURSION"
325 PRINT"MODULE. YOU WILL BE EXPECTED TO"
330 PRINT"GIVE CERTAIN COMMANDS TO THE MODULE"
331 PRINT"NAVIGATION SYSTEM."
335 PRINT" THE ON-BOARD COMPUTER WILL GIVE A"
336 PRINT"RUNNING ACCOUNT OF INFORMATION"
340 PRINT"NEEDED TO NAVIGATE THE SHIP."
342 PRINT:PRINT
345 PRINT:PRINT
355 INPUT" PRESS <RETURN> TO CONTINUE...":ZZ
360 CLS
365 PRINT:PRINT" THE ATTITUDE ANGLE CALLED FOR IS":PRINT"DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:"
370 PRINT" *****:PRINT" + OR -180 DEG. IS + -180,180 +"
375 PRINT"DIRECTLY AWAY FROM + ↑ +"
376 PRINT"THE MOON. + -90 < -- > 90+"
378 PRINT" + BT +"
380 PRINT" -90 DEG. IS ON A + 0 +"
392 PRINT"TANGENT IN THE + +"
385 PRINT"DIRECTION OF ORBIT. +<< DIRECTION <<+"
397 PRINT" + OF ORBIT +"
390 PRINT" + +"
400 PRINT" +90 DEG. IS ON A +SURFACE OF MOON**"
405 PRINT"TANGENT FROM THE +//////////+"
410 PRINT"DIRECTION OF ORBIT. +*****"
415 PRINT
420 PRINT" 0 (ZERO) DEG. IS"
425 PRINT"DIRECTLY TOWARD THE MOON."
427 PRINT:PRINT:INPUT" PRESS <RETURN> TO CONTINUE...":CX
428 CLS
435 PRINT" ALL ANGLES BETWEEN -180 AND 180 DEGREES ARE ACCEPTED."
440 PRINT
445 PRINT"::1 FUEL UNIT = 1 SEC. AT MAX. THRUST::":PRINT:PRINT
450 PRINT" ANY DISCREPANCIES ARE ACCOUNTED FOR IN THE USE OF FUEL FOR AN ATTITUDE CHANGE."
460 PRINT" AVAILABLE ENGINE POWER: 0 (ZERO) AND ANY VALUE BETWEEN 10 AND 100 PERCENT."
470 PRINT:PRINT
475 PRINT">NEGATIVE THRUST OR TIME IS PROHIBITED<"
480 PRINT
482 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT:INPUT" PRESS <RETURN> TO CONTINUE...":CY
485 CLS
490 PRINT:INPUT:::PRINT" TIME INTERVAL IN SECONDS ----- (T)"
495 PRINT" PERCENTAGE OF THRUST ----- (P)"
500 PRINT" ATTITUDE ANGLE IN DEGREES ----- (A)"
505 PRINT
510 IF Q1="YES" THEN 535
515 PRINT"FOR EXAMPLE:"
520 PRINT" T,P,A 10,65,-60"
525 PRINT">TO ABORT THE MISSION AT ANY TIME, ENTER 0,0,0"
530 PRINT
535 PRINT"OUTPUT:TOTAL TIME IN ELAPSED SECONDS"
540 PRINT" *HEIGHT IN *M*
545 PRINT" *DISTANCE FROM LANDING SITE IN *M*
550 PRINT" *VERTICAL VELOCITY IN *M*/ *SECOND*
555 PRINT" *HORIZONTAL VELOCITY IN *M*/ *SECOND*
560 PRINT" *FUEL UNITS REMAINING"

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565 PRINT
567 PRINT:PRINT:INPUT* PRESS <RETURN> TO START MISSION....*:T1
568 CLS
570 GOTO 670
575 PRINT
580 PRINT* T.P.A*:
585 INPUT T1,F,P
590 F=F/100
595 IF T1<0 THEN 905
600 IF T1=0 THEN 1090
605 IF ABS(F-.05)>1 THEN 945
610 IF ABS(F-.05)<.05 THEN 945
615 IF ABS(P)>180 THEN 925
620 N=20
625 IF T1<400 THEN 635
630 N=T1/20
635 T1=T1/N
640 P=P*3.14159/180
645 S=SIN(P)
650 C=COS(P)
655 M2=M0*T1*F/B
660 R3=-.5*R0*((V0/R)[2]+R*A1*A1
665 A3=-2*R1*A1/R
670 FOR I=1 TO N
675 IF M1=0 THEN 715
680 M1=M1-M2
685 IF M1>0 THEN 725
690 F=F*(1+M1/M2)
695 M2=M1+M2
700 PRINT*YOU ARE OUT OF FUEL....*
705 M1=0
710 GOTO 725
715 F=0
720 M2=0
725 M=M-.5*M2
730 R4=R3
735 R3=-.5*R0*((V0/R)[2]+R*A1*A1
740 R2=(3*R3-R4)/2+.0056*F1*F*C/M
745 A4=A3
750 A3=-2*R1*A1/R
755 A2=(3*A3-A4)/2+.0056*F1*F*S/(M*R)
760 X=R1*T1+.5*R2*T1*T1
765 R=R+X
770 H0=H0+X
775 R1=R1+R2*T1
780 A=A+A1*T1+.5*A2*T1*T1
785 A1=A1+A2*T1
790 M=M-.5*M2
795 T=T+T1
800 IF H0<3.287828E-04 THEN 810
805 NEXT I
810 H=H0*Z
815 H1=R1*Z
820 D=R0*A*Z
825 D1=R*A1*Z
830 T2=M1*B/M0
832 PRINT
833 IF M1="METRES" THEN LET X1="M"ELSE LET X1="F"
835 PRINT*TOTAL TIME (S) ----- *:T:PRINT*HEIGHT (*:X1:*) ----- *:H:PRINT*MOON RANGE (*:X1:*) ----- *:D:PRINT*VERT. VELO
CITY (*:X1:*/S) -- *:H1:PRINT*HOR. VELOCITY (*:X1:*/S) --- *:D1:PRINT*FUEL UNITS REMAINING -- *:T2
845 IF H0<3.287828E-04 THEN 880
850 IF R0*A>164.4736 THEN 1050
855 IF M1>0 THEN 530
860 T1=20

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865 F=0
870 P=0
875 GOTO 620
880 IF R1<-8.21957E-04 THEN 1020
885 IF ABS(R1A1)>4.931742E-04 THEN 1020
890 IF H0<-3.287828E-04 THEN 1020
895 IF ABS(D1)>10*Z THEN 1065
900 GOTO 995
905 PRINT
910 PRINT"THIS SPACECRAFT IS NOT ABLE TO VIOLATE THE SPACE-";
915 PRINT"TIME CONTINUUM."
920 GOTO 575
925 PRINT
930 PRINT"IF YOU WANT TO SPIN AROUND, GO OUTSIDE THE MODULE"
935 PRINT"FOR AN E.V.A."
940 GOTO 575
945 PRINT
950 PRINT"IMPOSSIBLE THRUST VALUE ";
955 IF F<0 THEN 985
960 IF F>.5<.05 THEN 975
965 PRINT"TOO LARGE"
970 GOTO 575
975 PRINT"TOO SMALL"
980 GOTO 575
985 PRINT"NEGATIVE"
990 GOTO 575
995 PRINT
1000 PRINT"TRANQUILITY BASE HERE -- THE EAGLE HAS LANDED"
1005 PRINT"CONGRADULATIONS -- THERE WAS NO SPACECRAFT DAMAGE"
1010 PRINT"YOU MAY NOW PROCEED WITH SURFACE EXPLORATION."
1015 GOTO 1100
1020 PRINT
1025 PRINT"CRASH !!!!!!!!!!"
1030 PRINT"YOUR IMPACT CREATED A CRATER ":ABS(H1):M%:" DEEP."
1035 X1=SQR(D1*D1+H1*H1)*G3
1040 PRINT"AT CONTACT YOU WERE TRAVELLING ":X1:N%:"/HR"
1045 GOTO 1100
1050 PRINT
1055 PRINT"YOU HAVE BEEN LOST IN SPACE WITH NO HOPE OF RECOVERY."
1060 GOTO 1100
1065 PRINT"YOU ARE DOWN SAFELY --"
1075 PRINT
1080 PRINT"BUT MISSED THE LANDING SITE BY ":ABS(D/G5):N%
1085 GOTO 1100
1090 PRINT
1095 PRINT"MISSION ABORTED"
1100 PRINT
1105 PRINT"DO YOU WANT TO TRY IT AGAIN (YES/NO)?"
1110 INPUT Z%
1115 IF Z%="YES" THEN 20
1120 IF Z%="NO" THEN 1130
1125 GOTO 1105
1130 PRINT
1135 PRINT"TOO BAD, THE SPACE PROGRAM HATES TO LOSE EXPERIENCED"
1140 PRINT"ASTRONAUTS."
1145 STOP
1150 PRINT
1155 PRINT"OK, DO YOU WANT THE COMPLETE":PRINT"INSTRUCTIONS OR THE INPUT-OUTPUT STATEMENTS?"
1160 PRINT
1165 PRINT"1=COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS"
1170 PRINT"2=INPUT-OUTPUT STATEMENTS"
1175 PRINT"3=NEITHER"
1180 INPUT B1
1185 Q%="NO"
1190 IF B1=1 THEN 205
1195 Q%="YES"
1200 IF B1=2 THEN 190
1205 IF B1=3 THEN 190
1210 GOTO 1165
1215 END

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HISTOGRAM PROGRAM

I based this program on the histogram from the demonstration program which I received with the machine. Some friends of mine helped in redesigning the program so that the information can be read from data statements.

I can fit up to 18 individual bars across the X-axis and up to a height of 20 units max. on the Y-axis. The units on the Y-axis can be of any value, but inaccuracies occur in very large numbers when the actual bars are produced for very small X values (i.e. Y value of 6 and Y value 2 will be same height if max Y value = 100 units.

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HISTOGRAM PROGRAM.

by J. Dwen c/f JAMES 'COOK HIGH SCHOOL.
or T. GORDON.

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100 CLS
200 DIM VA(20)
300 DIM XA$(20)
400 REM DX=STARTING POINT
500 DX=807
600 READ MA
700 READ NU
800 FOR T=1 TO NU
900 READ VA(T)
1000 NEXT
1100 FOR T=1 TO NU
1200 READ XA$(T)
1300 NEXT T
1400 INPUT "UNITS Y"; Y# - Y-axis units - Asks for the name of units for Y-axis
1500 INPUT "UNITS X"; X# - X-axis units - Asks for the name of units for X-axis.
1550 CLS
1600 F=LEN(Y#)
1610 FOR D=1 TO 34
1620 COLOUR7:PRINT@045+D, "S";
1630 NEXT D
1640 FOR U=1 TO 20
1650 COLOUR7:PRINT@645-(U*40), "I";
1660 NEXT U
1700 Q=(INT((20-F)/2))*40
1800 FOR T=1 TO P
1900 COLOUR8:PRINT@Q,MID$(Y#,T,1)
2000 Q=Q+40
2100 NEXT T
2200 SP=INT(MA/20):IF MA<20 THEN SP=(MA/20)
2300 FOR T=0 TO 19
2400 IF T=0 THEN PRINT@41,MA
2500 COLOUR4:IF T<>0 THEN PRINT@T*40+41,MA-T*SP
2600 NEXT T
2700 QX=LEN(X#)
2800 COLOUR6:PRINT@926+INT((33-QX)/2),X#
2900 FOR T=1 TO NU
3000 COLOUR2:PRINT@846+(T-1)*2,XA$(T)
3100 NEXT T
3200 FOR T=1 TO NU
3300 FOR AA=1 TO VA(T)/SP
3400 COLOUR1:PRINT@(DX-40*AA)+2*(T-1),
3500 NEXT AA
3600 NEXT T
9000 K#=INKEY#:IF K#="" THEN 9000
10000 REM OUT OF SCORE
10100 DATA 100
10200 REM NUMBER OF BARS
10300 DATA 10
10400 REM VALUES OF HEIGHTS OF BARS, (VA)
10500 DATA 5,10,16,19.5,50,11,16,6,2
10600 REM X AXIS NAMES XA$(T)
10700 DATA 01,.2,.3,.4,.5,.6,.7,.8,.9,10
    
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VA = The values of the heights of the histogram bars, the number must not exceed 20, otherwise the histogram bar will not fit the screen.
 XA\$ = The units for the X-axis, these must not exceed a factor of 20 units, otherwise the screen becomes overloaded on the X-axis.
 MA = TOTAL POSSIBLE MARK OR SCORE VALUE FOR Y-AXIS.
 NU = The number of histogram bars, up to 18 seems to fit the screen.

1610 - 1630 } Prints the — of the x-axis.

1640 - 1660 } Prints the | of the y-axis.

Prints y-axis units "name"

Prints x-axis "units name"

Prints x-axis units from data 10700

Prints bars of the histogram

ASCII code 202 or SHIFT/MOD SEL/C


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10 REM THE ERROR HANDLING ROUTINE IS          THERE TO TRAP THE CONDITION          CAUSED BY INPUTING A BLANK          STATE
MENT.IE JUST PUSHING RETURN          KEY.
20 ON ERROR GOTO 640
30 CLS
40 COLOUR7:PRINTTAB(22):"UNDER OR OVER"
50 REM THIS PROGRAM HAS BEEN MODIFIED          FROM THE PROGRAM IN 'MORE BASIC          COMPUTER GAMES',PAGE 170.
60 REM BY          BARRY & IRENE WALKER
70 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT
80 PRINT"THIS IS A GAME OF UNDER OR OVER."
90 PRINT"THE OBJECT IS TO PICK A NUMBER BETWEEN 2 AND 12."
100 PRINT" IF YOUR NUMBER IS BETWEEN 2 AND 6 YOUR BET IS UNDER"
110 PRINT" IF YOUR NUMBER IS 7 YOUR BET IS EVEN."
120 PRINT" IF YOUR BET IS BETWEEN 8 AND 12 YOUR BET IS OVER."
130 PRINT"IF THE NUMBER TURNED UP IS YOUR NUMBER YOU WIN FOUR TIMES YOUR BET."
140 PRINT"IF YOUR NUMBER IS THE SAME TYPE AS THE NUMBER TURNED UP YOU WIN EVEN MONEY."
150 PRINT"YOU HAVE $100 TO START WITH.GOOD LUCK!":PRINT:PRINT
160 A=100:COLOURB
170 RESTORE
180 REM SET UP TYPE NAMES
190 READ A$,B$,C$
200 DATA"UNDER","OVER","EVEN"
210 PRINT"INPUT THE NUMBER (2-12)AND AMOUNT OF YOUR BET."
220 B1$="A":C1$="1"
230 INPUT B1$,C1$
240 REM CHECK THAT THE INPUTED VALUES          ARE NUMBERS AND IN RANGE
250 IF ASC(B1$) <48 OR ASC(B1$) > 57 OR          ASC(C1$) <48 OR ASC(C1$) > 57 THEN CLS: PRINT "PLEASE USE NUMBERS ONLY":ELSE GOTO
270
260 PRINT:PRINT"YOU HAVE GOT $":A :          GOTO 210
270 B=VAL(B1$):C=VAL(C1$)
280 IF B<2 OR B>12 THEN CLS:PRINT"YOU HAVE GOT $":A:PRINT "NUMBERS BETWEEN 2 AND 12 PLEASE":GOTO 210
290 IF C>A THEN COLOUR1:PRINT"CHEAT!YOU DON'T HAVE THAT MUCH MOONEY":COLOURB:GOTO 210
300 REM PRINT OUTPUT
310 CLS:PRINT:PRINT"THE DICE HAVE NOW BEEN THROWN."
320 PRINT"THE RESULTS ARE AS FOLLOWS : "
330 REM THE DICE IS THROWN
340 Q=INT(RND(6)):RANDOM:R=INT(RND(6)):          RANDOM
350 PRINT " DIE #1","DIE #2","SUM","YOUR#"
360 IF Q+R>7 THEN420 ELSE IF Q+R=7 THEN 460
370 PRINTQ,R,Q+R,B,"TOSS - ":A1:PRINT
380 REM FIND OUT IF YOU WIN OR LOSE
390 IF B=Q+R THEN 490
400 IF B<7 THEN 520
410 GOTO550
420 PRINTQ,R,Q+R,B,"TOSS - ":B1:PRINT
430 IF B=Q+R THEN 490
440 IF B<7 THEN 520
450 GOTO 550
460 PRINTQ,R,Q+R,B,"TOSS - "C1:PRINT
470 IF B=Q+R THEN 490
480 GOTO 550
490 A=A+(4*C)
500 PRINTTAB(6):"*****YOU WIN 4 TO 1*****"
510 PRINT"THE AMOUNT YOU NOW HAVE IS $":A:PRINT:GOTO 580
520 A=A+C
530 PRINTTAB(5):"*****YOU WIN EVEN MONEY*****"
540 PRINT"THE AMOUNT YOU NOW HAVE IS $":A:PRINT:GOTO 580
550 A=A-C
560 PRINTTAB(10):"*****YOU LOSE*****"
570 PRINT"THE AMOUNT YOU NOW HAVE IS $":A:PRINT
580 IF A>0 THEN 170
590 PRINT:PRINT:PRINT:COLOUR4:PRINT"THE GAME IS OVER.SORRY MATE YOU ARE          FLAT BROKE."
600 PRINT"THIS PROVES IT IS NOT GOOD TO GAMBLE."
610 PRINT"DO YOU WANT TO PLAY AGAIN?":          :INPUTW$
620 IF LEFT$(W$,1)="Y" THEN CLS:PRINT"YOU HAVE $100.GOOD LUCK THIS TIME!":GOTO          160
630 END
640 IF ERR= 5 OR ERL=250 THEN B1$="ERROR": C1$ ="ERROR":RESUME
650 ON ERROR GOTO 0
660 REM HAND CONTROL BACK TO BASIC IF          AN UNEXPECTED ERROR OCCURS

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10-***** ANAGRAMS *****
20-
30-
40-
50- BY MICHAEL MERRYLEES AGED 12-13
60-
65- ADAPTED TO COLOUR GENIE
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80- BY DON EDWARDS AGED 120-130
90-
100-
110-
120-
130-*****
180-***** INSTRUCTIONS *****
190.CLS: CLEAR2100:N9=1
195.COLOUR1
200.PRINTTAB(12)*A.N.A.G.R.A.M.S*
210.PRINT:PRINT
230.PRINT:PRINT:PRINT"IF INSTRUCTIONS ARE NEEDED TYPE";CHR$(34);"I";CHR$(34);"EL
SE TYPE";CHR$(34);"N";CHR$(34)
240.A$=INKEY$:IFAS=""THEN240
250.IFLEFT$(A$,1)="I"THEN270
260.IFLEFT$(A$,1)="N"THEN365ELSEGOTO240
270.PRINT$0,CHR$(30):PRINT$12,"A.N.A.G.R.A.M.S":PRINT
280.PRINT" ANAGRAMS ARE WORDS IN WHICH ALL THE LETTERS ARE JUMBLED UP AN
D YOU ARE GIVEN THE TASK OF UNJUMBLING THE LETTERS IN A LIMITED TIME.
I HAVE TAKEN THIS OLD GAME AND WITH THE HELP OF DATA AND RANDOM NUMBER STAT
EMENTS I"
290.PRINT"HAVE CONVERTED IT INTO A COMPUTER PROGRAM";CHR$(10);" THERE A
RE FOUR LEVELS IN THE PROGRAM";CHR$(10);" 1 = 4-6 LETTER WORDS
";CHR$(10);" 2 = 7-8 LETTER WORDS"
300.PRINT" 3 = 9-13 LETTER WORDS";CHR$(10);" AND 4 = WHICH HAS WOR
DS RANGING FROM 4-13 LETTERS IN THEM";
310.PRINT:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT"PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE";
320.A$=INKEY$:IFAS=""THEN320
330.CLS:PRINT$12,"A N A G R A M S":PRINT:PRINT:PRINT" IN EACH ONE OF THESE LE
VELS THE COMPUTER WILL SHOW YOU ONE OF THE MANY";
340.PRINT" WORDS POSSIBLE AND YOU WILL HAVE TO WORK IT OUT AND TYPE IT IN DU
RING A LIMITED TIME. IF YOU CANNOT WORK THE ANAGRAM OUT AND YOU WOULD LIKE
EITHER TO STOP OR TRY ANOTHER ANAGRAM THEN TYPE IN '/'."CHR$(30)
350.PRINT" THERE ARE ALSO TWO LEVELS OF DIFFICULTY IN THE PROGRAM";CH
R$(10);" (P) -- PROFESSIONAL";CHR$(10);" (A) -- AMATEUR"
360.PRINT" N.B. PLEASE DO NOT PRESS RETURN AFTER";CHR$(10);" YOU ENTER YOU
R ANSWER !!"
365.COLOUR5
370.PRINT:INPUT"ENTER THE LEVEL YOU WANT(1-4)";U:IFU>4ORU<1THEN370
380.PRINT$880,CHR$(30);PRINT$880,;:INPUT"(P)ROFESSIONAL OR (A)MATEUR";TT$:
IFTT$="P"THENTT=50ELSETT=150
385.COLOUR1
390-***** DATA INPUT *****
400.CLS:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT:PRINT"PRESS RETURN FOR COMPUTER TO START DATA INPUT";
410.A$=INKEY$:IFAS=""THEN410
420.PRINT:PRINT" ENTERING COUNTERS....."
430.READV,W,X
440.Y=V+W+X
450.IFU=1THENZ=V:M=6:DIMD$(V)
460.IFU=2THENZ=W+V:M=8:DIMD$(W)
470.IFU=3THENZ=Y:M=13:DIMD$(Y)
480.IFU=4THENZ=Y:M=13:DIMD$(Y)
490.T=1
500.PRINT:PRINT" ENTERING WORDS :-"CHR$(10);:PRINT:PRINT" THIS MAY TAKE
A WHILE ACCORDING TO";CHR$(10);" WHICH LEVEL YOU PICKED SO WATCH THE";CHR$(
10);" SHOW WHILE YOUR COMPUTER LISTENS TO"CHR$(10);" SOME MUSIC ..."
510.FORN2=1TO2000:NEXT
520.FORB=1TOZSTEP5:READD$(T),D$(T+1),D$(T+2),D$(T+3),D$(T+4)
530.IFU=1THENT=T+5
540.IFU=2ANDB>VTHENT=T+5
550.IFU=3ANDB>WTHENT=T+5

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..570-COLOURRND(B):FORW=1TO3:PRINTSRND(950),CHR$(42):NEXT
580 NEXTB:FORB=1TOT-1
..590-IFLEN(D$(B))<8THENN3=INT(LEN(D$(B))/2):D$(B)=RIGHT$(D$(B),N3)+LEFT$(D$(B),LE
-N(D$(B))-N3)ELSEN3=INT(LEN(D$(B))/3):D$(B)=RIGHT$(D$(B),N3)+MID$(D$(B),LEN(D$(B
-)))-2*N3+1,N3)+LEFT$(D$(B),LEN(D$(B))-2*N3)
..600-COLOURRND(B):PRINTSRND(959),CHR$(42):NEXTB
..610-RANDOM
..620-PRINT$776,"FINISHED!!!!"
..630-PRINT"I AM NOW WORKING OUT A FEW ANAGRAMS FOR Y
OU":FORA=0TO20:NEXT...
..640-** THE MAKINGS OF AN ANAGRAM **
..650-S=RND(T-1):IFU=2ANDS<VTHEN650
..660-IFU=3ANDS<WTHEN650
..670-A$=D$(S)
..680-A=LEN(A$)
..690-IFL=1THEN720
..700-IFN3=1THEN720
..710-DIMAS(M),A(M),B(M)
..720-FORB=1TOA:A$(B)=MID$(A$,B,1):NEXT
..730-N=1:NN=1
..740-FORB=1TOA
..750-A(B)=RND(A)
..760-FORC=1TOB
..770-IFA(B)=B(C).THENNN=NN+1:IFNN>20THENN3=1:GOTO650ELSEGOTO750
..780-NEXTC
..790-B(B)=A(B)
..800-NEXTB
..810-FORB=1TOA:B$=B$+A$(A(B)):NEXT
..820-N=N+1:IFN>5THENRANDOM:GOTO650
..830-IFB$=A$THEN720
..840-***** MAIN SCREEN LAYOUT *****
845-COLOUR2
..850-IFN9<>1THENPRINT$333,"-----";GOTO900
..860-CLS:PRINT$57,"ANAGRAMS"
..870-PRINT$129,".....";PRINT$215,"YOUR ANAGRAM";PRINT$259,S
TRING$(4,92);PRINT$329,"XXXX-----";STRING$(4,93);PRINT$450,"SCORE:
";PRINT$532,"***";PRINT$468,"TIME:";PRINT$548,"**** MINS";
..880-PRINT$771,"*****";PRINT$532,"000";
..890-FORN8=1TO1000:NEXT
..900-N7=INT(28-A+512):IFN7/2<>INT(N7/2)THENN7=N7-1
..905-COLOUR6
..910-PRINT$337,B$;COLOUR3:PRINT$547,USING"###.#";A*TT/500;COLOUR6:PRINT$133,"ST
ART:"
..920-**** LISTENING TO YOUR ANSWERS ****
..930-C=1:N7=N7+384
..940-FORB=1TOTT*A:G=TT*A-B:GOSUB1110:COLOUR6:C$=C$+INKEY$
..950-IFRIGHT$(C$,1)=CHR$(8)ANDC$(>CHR$(8)THENC$=LEFT$(C$,LEN(C$)-2):PRINT$697,C$;
**);
..960-IFC$=CHR$(8)THENC$=""
..970-IFRIGHT$(C$,1)=CHR$(10)ORRIGHT$(C$,1)=CHR$(13)THENC$=LEFT$(C$,LEN(C$)-1)
..980-PRINT$697,C$;
..990-IFRIGHT$(C$,1)="/" THENPRINT$132,"THE SOLVED ANAGRAM:";PRINT$337 ,A$;FOR
N8=11TO200:NEXT:GOTO1050
1000-IFLEN(C$)+1>ATHEN1030
1010-NEXTB
1020-PRINT$132,"OUT OF TIME - IT WAS.":PRINT$337,A$;GOTO1050

1030-IFC$=A$THENPRINT$132,"CORRECT ! MY ANAGRAM -";PRINT$337 ,A$;N6=N6+1:N6$
=STR$(N6):COLOUR3:PRINT$535-LEN(N6$),N6$;COLOUR6:GOTO1050
0
..1040-PRINT$132,"WRONG,BAD LUCK IT WAS";PRINT$337 ,A$;GOTO1050
..1050-FORN8=1TO2000:NEXT:PRINT$132," 1 FOR MORE, 2 TO END";
..1060-Z$=INKEY$:IFZ$=""THEN1060
..1064-COLOUR3
..1065-Z=VAL(Z$):IFZ<1ORZ>2THENPRINT$890,"WRONG CHOICE,TRY AGAIN":FORN=1TO500:NEXT
:PRINT$880,CHR$(30):GOTO1060
..1066-COLOUR6

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1070 IF Z#="1" THEN PRINT$337, STRING$(LEN(B$), "*"); AS="": BS="": CS="": L=1: N9=2: FRI
NT$335, "I'M THINKING"; : COLOUR2: PRINT$132, "....."; : PRINT$690, "
": COLOUR2: PRINT$549, "****"; : RANDOM: GOTO650
1080 CLEAR50
1085 COLOUR4
1090 PRINT$132, "THANKS FOR PLAYING, SO LONG"; : FORA=1 TO 1000: NEXT: FORA=0 TO 43: PRINT:
NEXT: END
1100 ***** TIME SUB-ROUTNE *****
1110 COLOUR3: PRINT$548, USING"###.#"; G/500; : RETURN
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1120 *** DATA STATEMENTS WITH ENCODED ANAGRAMS *****
1130 DATA40, 60, 70
1140 DATAHEAC, REHI, GEUR, TESI, BTDE, ALOV, INVA, WNLA, OMWH, ITKN, IPTR
1150 DATA CLECY, ULTFA, ROLEN, ORDSW, UGEGA, IZESE, OKYSM, DTHWI, CHTYA, EUEQU, RIPST
1160 DATA IONMOT, EUMMUS, RCEFIE, MITCOM, IREDES, RORMIR, CLEMUS, OURLAB, AGEGAR, IALSER, E
ALORD, NEDBUR, PITPUL, ISHPUN, PETPUP, IFYPUR, ESSSTR, IPESTR
1170 DATA CLEBIC, MNEYCHI, DEMNCOM, CENDDES, MACHSTO, SAGESAU, ACCOTOB, ICLEVEH, NESSWIT
, EIPTRC, ENSEIMM, UGHTDRO, REMEEXT, IENTANC, UIREING, TURYCEN, IZENCIT, CERTCON, LINGCEI
, TIFYCER, PARECOM, EOUSHID, OINEHER, LTHYHEA, ATRETHE, RIERTER, RSTYTHI, THERWHE, STLEWHI
1175 DATA PPDWRA, STLEWRE
1180 DATA INGSSLGO
1190 DATA APSELLCO, ROUSMOHU, UNCENORN, BBLEUASQ, NDAHRAVE, TIONXATA, LLELRAPA, ICALYSPH
, GIONLIRE, ERVEESPR, NITEFIDE, SENEROKE, CENTNOIN, ERSEIVUN, OUGHORTH, ATORDIRA, NTICMA
RO, STERGIRE, ARCHSERE, LYSERAPA, YPUSATPL, HLETMPPA, LIARCUPE, RAITRTPO, EIVERCPE, ACRES
SMA,
1195 DATA IFULRCME, CIANSIMU
1200 DATA NCEULAAMB, GUERLOCAT, NZALUEINF, URENATSIG, MMEGRAPRO, ENTMANPER, IZEQGNREC, E
NDOMMREC, SALEARREH, OUSIGIREL, NIAUMOPNE, EGEVILPRI, URECEDPRO, LERPELPRO, REDFERPRE, B
LEERAMIS
1210 DATA IONMISCOM, ABLEOURFAV, ENCESCICON, RATEUSTILL, TIONOLUREV, NERYTIOSTA, ITERE
WRTP, IOUSTORVIC, TIONUPAOC, ULARTICPAR, MENTLIAPAR, URRAKABKOO, DUALIVIIND, ANCEORT
IMP
1220 DATA AGANTRAVEXT, ATIONOCIASS, NDENTEPEIND, UNITYORTOPP, ATIONPARPRE, SIBLEPONRES
, RHAGEMORHAE, OITREONNREC, CABLECTIPRA, ORATEROBCOR, ATIONORMINF, PMENTELODEV, RFEITN
TECOU, CTIONTINDIS, ANCESITTREM, CIOUSONSUNC
1230 DATA NATECTIOAFFE, TIONERSACONV, HIEFKERCHAND, ALLYSIONOCCA, IBLEEMPTCONT, ONEREC
TICONF, CITYNTRIECCE, ELEDRA LLUNPA, TINGUCIAEXCR, ATEDEMORCOMM, ATE SUNICCOMM, IOUSNTA
TOSTE, TONECE-SPUMI
1240 DATA ATIONMMODACCO, ATIONRMINDETE, ATELYRTUNUNFO, EMENTRTISADVE, TIOUSCIENCONS, A
TIONUNCIPRON, ANCESUMSTCIRC, ATIONSSINASSA, ATIONIDERCONS, SMENTRASSEMBA, IENCENVENIN
CO
1250 RETURN
1260 *****
1270 ***** T H A N K Y O U *****
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