



## TI FORTH INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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## CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

The FORTH language was invented in 1969 by Charles Moore and has continually gained acceptance. The last several years have shown a dramatic increase in this language's following due to the excellent compatibility between FORTH and mini- and microcomputers. FORTH is a threaded interpretive language that occupies little memory, yet, maintains an execution speed within a factor of two of assembly language for most applications. It has been used for such diverse applications as radio telescope control to the creation of word processing systems. The FORTH Interest Group (FIG) is dedicated to the standardization and proliferation of the FORTH language. TI FORTH is an extension of the fig-FORTH dialect of the language. The fig-FORTH language is in the public domain. Nearly every currently available mini- and microcomputer has a FORTH system available on it, although some of these are not similar to the FIG version of the language.

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This document will cover some of the fundamentals of FORTH and then show how the language has been extended to provide easy access to the diverse features of the TI-99/4A Computer. The novice FORTH programmer is advised to seek additional information from such publications as:

Starting FORTH  
by Leo Brodie  
published by Prentice Hall

Using FORTH  
by FORTH Inc.

Invitation to FORTH  
by Katzan  
published by Petrocelli Books

In order to utilize all the capabilities of the TI-99/4A it is necessary to understand its architecture. It is recommended that the user who wants to use FORTH for graphics, music, access to Disk Manager functions or files have a working knowledge of this architecture. This information is available in the manual accompanying the Editor/Assembler Command Module. All the capabilities addressed in that document are possible in FORTH and most have been provided by easy to use FORTH words that are documented in this manual.

FORTH is designed around a virtual machine with a stack architecture. There are two stacks: the first is referred to variously as the Data Stack, Parameter Stack or Stack. The second is the Return Stack. The act of programming in FORTH is the act of defining "words" or procedures which are

defined in terms of other more basic words. The FORTH programmer continues to do this until a single word becomes the application desired. Since a FORTH word must exist before it can be referenced, a bottom up programming discipline is enforced. The language is structured and contains no GOTO statements. Successful FORTH programming is best achieved by designing top down and programming bottom up.

Bottom up programming is inconvenient in most languages due to the difficulty in generating drivers to adequately test each of the routines as they are created. This difficulty is so severe that bottom up programming is usually abandoned. In FORTH each routine can be tested interactively from the console and it will execute identically to the environment of being called by another routine. Words take their parameters from the stack and place the results on the stack. To test a word, the programmer can type numbers at the console. These are put on the stack by the FORTH system. Typing the word to be tested causes it to be executed and when complete, the stack contents can be examined. By writing only relatively small routines (words) all the boundary conditions of the routine can easily be tested. Once the word is tested (debugged) it can be used confidently in subsequent word definitions.

The FORTH stack is 16 bits wide. When multi-precision values are stored on the stack they are always stored with the most significant part most accessible. The width of the Return stack is implementation dependent as it must contain addresses so that words can be nested to many levels. The Return stack in TI FORTH is 16 bits wide.

### STARTING FORTH

To operate the TI FORTH System, you must have the following equipment:

99/4A CONSOLE  
MONITOR  
MEMORY EXPANSION  
DISK CONTROLLER  
1 ( or more ) DISK DRIVES  
EDITOR/ASSEMBLER MODULE  
RS232 INTERFACE ( optional )  
PRINTER ( optional )

See the manuals accompanying each item for proper assembly of the 99/4A system.

To begin, power up the system. The TI Color-Bar screen should appear on your monitor. ( If it does not, power down and recheck all connections. ) Press any key to continue. A new screen will appear displaying a choice between TI BASIC and the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER. To use FORTH, select the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER.

On the next screen, choose the LOAD AND RUN option. The computer will ask for a FILE NAME. After placing your TI FORTH System Disk in DSK1, type "DSK1.FORTH" and press ENTER.

The TI FORTH welcome screen will display a list of Load Options ( or Elective Blocks ). Each option loads all routines necessary to perform a particular group of tasks:

Load Option	Loads Routines Necessary to:	Chapter
-SYNONYMS	Perform VDP reads and writes. Random number generators and the disk formatting routine are also loaded.	5
-EDITOR	Run the regular TI FORTH editor.	3
-COPY	Copy FORTH screens and FORTH disks. String store routines are also loaded.	5
-DUMP	Execute DUMP and VLIST.	5
-TRACE	Trace the execution of FORTH words.	5
-FLOAT	Use floating point arithmetic.	7
-VDFMODES	Change display screen to any of the 6 available VDP modes.	6
-TEXT	Change display screen to TEXT mode.	6
-GRAPH1	Change display screen to GRAPHICS mode.	6
-MULTI	Change display screen to MULTI-COLOR mode.	6
-GRAPH2	Change display screen to GRAPHICS2 (bit-map) mode.	6
-SPLIT	Change display screen to either of the two SPLIT modes.	6
-FILE	Utilize the file I/O capabilities of the 99/4A.	8
-PRINT	Send output to an RS232 device.	3
-64SUPPORT	Run the 64 column TI FORTH editor.	3
-CODE	Write assembly code in HEX.	9
-ASSEMBLER	Write routines in TI FORTH assembler	9
-GRAPH	Utilize the graphics capabilities of the 99/4A.	6
-BSAVE	Save dictionary overlays to diskette.	11
-CRU	Access the FORTH equivalents of LDCR, STCR, SBO, SBZ, and TB.	11

To load a particular package, simply type its name exactly as it appears in the list. For example, to load the graphics package, type -GRAPH and press ENTER. You may load more than one package at a time.

The list of load options may be displayed at any time by typing the word MENU and pressing ENTER. See APPENDIX F for a detailed list of what each option loads.



## CHAPTER 2

GETTING STARTED

This chapter will familiarize you with the most common words (instructions) in the FORTH Interest Group version of FORTH (fig-FORTH). The purpose is to permit those users that have at least an elementary knowledge of some FORTH Dialect to easily begin to use TI FORTH. Those with no FORTH experience should begin by reading a book such as "Starting FORTH" by Brodie. Appendix C is designed to be used with this particular text and lists differences between the FORTH language described in the book ( poly-FORTH ) and TI FORTH.

A word in FORTH is any sequence of characters delimited by blanks or a RETURN. The following convention will be used when referring to the stack in FORTH:

$$( a \ b \ \text{---} \ c )$$

This diagram shows the stack contents before and after the execution of a word. In this case the stack contains two values, a and b, before execution of a word. The execution is denoted by --- and the stack contents after execution is c. The 'most accessible' stack element is always on the right, e.g. b is 'more accessible' than a. There may be values on the stack that are less accessible than a but these are unaffected by the execution of the word in question. In addition the following symbols are used as operands for clarity:

SYMBOLS USED IN THIS DOCUMENT

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n, n1, ...	16-bit signed numbers
d, d1, ...	32-bit signed numbers
u	16-bit unsigned number
ud	32-bit unsigned number
addr, addr1 ...	addresses
b	8-bit byte ( in right half of word )
c	7-bit character ( in right end of word )
f	boolean flag ( 0=false, non-0=true )

STACK MANIPULATION

The following are the most common stack manipulation

words:

DUP	( n --- n n )	Duplicate top of stack
DROP	( n --- )	Discard top of stack
SWAP	( n1 n2 --- n2 n1 )	Exchange top two stack items
OVER	( n1 n2 --- n1 n2 n1 )	Make copy of second item on top
ROT	( n1 n2 n3 --- n2 n3 n1 )	Rotate third item to top
-DUP	( n --- n (n) )	Duplicate only if non-zero
>R	( n --- )	Move top to Return stack for storage
R>	( --- n )	Retrieve item from Return stack
R	( --- n )	Copy top of Return stack to stack

Note: >R and R> must be used with caution as they may interfere with the normal address stacking mechanism of FORTH. Make sure that each >R in your program has an R> to match it in the same word definition.

ARITHMETIC AND LOGICAL OPERATIONS

The following are the most common arithmetic and logical operations:

+	( n1 n2 — sum )	Add
D+	( d1 d2 — dsum )	Add double precision numbers
-	( n1 n2 — diff )	Subtract ( n1-n2 )
1+	( n — n+1 )	Increment by 1
2+	( n — n+2 )	Increment by 2
1-	( n — n-1 )	Decrement by 1
2-	( n — n-2 )	Decrement by 2
*	( n1 n2 — prod )	Multiply
/	( n1 n2 — quot )	Divide ( n1/n2 )
MOD	( n1 n2 — rem )	Modulo ( remainder from n1/n2 )
/MOD	( n1 n2 — rem quot )	Divide giving remainder and quotient
*/MOD	( n1 n2 n3 — rem quot )	n1*n2/n3 with 32-bit intermediate
*/	( n1 n2 n3 — quot )	Like */MOD but giving quot only
U*	( u1 u2 — ud )	Unsigned * with double product
U/	( ud u1 — urem uquot )	Unsigned / with remainder
MAX	( n1 n2 — max )	Maximum
MIN	( n1 n2 — min )	Minimum
ABS	( n — absolute )	Absolute value
DABS	( d — dabsolute )	Absolute value of 32-bit number
MINUS	( n — -n )	Leave two's complement
DMINUS	( d — -d )	Leave two's complement of 32-bits
AND	( n1 n2 — and )	Bitwise logical AND
OR	( n1 n2 — or )	Bitwise logical OR
XOR	( n1 n2 — xor )	Bitwise logical exclusive-OR
SWPB	( n1 — n2 )	Swap the bytes of n1 producing n2
SRC	( n1 n2 — n3 )	Shift n1 right circular n2 bits giving n3
SRL	( n1 n2 — n3 )	Shift n1 right logical n2 bits giving n3
SRA	( n1 n2 — n3 )	Shift n1 right arithmetic n2 bits giving n3
SLA	( n1 n2 — n3 )	Shift n1 left arithmetic n2 bits giving n3

### COMPARISON OPERATIONS

The following are the most common comparisons.

<	( n1 n2 — f )	True if n1 less than n2 (signed)
=	( n1 n2 — f )	True if top two numbers are equal
>	( n1 n2 — f )	True if n1 greater than n2
OK	( n — f )	True if top number is negative
?=	( n — f )	True if top number is 0 ( e.g. NOT )
JK	( n1 n2 — f )	Unsigned integer compare

MEMORY ACCESS OPERATIONS

The following operations are used to inspect and modify memory locations anywhere in the computer.

@	( addr --- n )	Replace word address by its contents
!	( n addr --- )	Store n at address ( store a word )
C@	( addr --- b )	Fetch the byte at addr
C!	( b addr --- )	Store b at address ( store a byte )
?	( addr --- )	Print the contents of address
+!	( n addr --- )	Add n to contents of address
MOVE	( from to u --- )	Block move u bytes. FROM & TO = addr
FILL	( addr u b --- )	Fill u bytes with b beginning at addr
ERASE	( addr u --- )	Fill u bytes beginning at addr with 0's
BLANKS	( addr u --- )	Fill u bytes with blanks beginning at addr.

CONTROL STRUCTURES

The following sets of words are used to implement control structures in FORTH. They are used to create all looping and conditional structures. these structures may be nested to any depth. If they are nested improperly an error message will be generated at compile time and the word definition will be aborted.

DO ... LOOP		DO sets up a loop with a loop counter.
do:	( end+1 start --- )	The stack contains the first and final values of the loop counter. The loop is executed at least once. LOOP causes a return to the word following DO unless termination is reached.
I	( --- n )	Used between DO and LOOP. Places value of loop counter on stack.
J	( --- n )	Used when DO LOOPS are nested. Places value of next outer loop counter on the stack.
LEAVE	( --- )	Causes loop to terminate at next LOOP or +LOOP.

DO ... +LOOP do: ( end+1 start — ) loop: ( n — )	DO as above. +LOOP adds top stack value to loop counter (index)
IF ... ENDIF if: ( f — )	IF tests the top of stack and if non-zero (true), the words between IF and ENDIF are executed. Otherwise, they are skipped and execution resumes after ENDIF.
IF ... ELSE ... ENDIF if: ( f — )	IF tests the top of stack and if non-zero (true), the words between IF and ELSE are executed. If the top of the stack is zero (false), the words between ELSE and ENDIF are executed. Execution then continues after ENDIF.
THEN	May be used as a synonym for ENDIF.
BEGIN ... UNTIL until: ( f — )	Loop which executes the words between BEGIN and UNTIL until the top of stack when tested by UNTIL is non-zero (true).
END	May be used as a synonym for UNTIL.
BEGIN ... AGAIN	Creates an infinite loop continually re-executing the words between BEGIN and AGAIN. ( Note: this loop may be exited by executing R) DROP one level below )
BEGIN ... WHILE ... REPEAT while: ( f — )	Executes words between BEGIN and WHILE leaving a flag which is tested by WHILE. If the flag is non-zero (true) execute words between WHILE and REPEAT, then jump back to BEGIN. If flag is zero (false), continue execution after the REPEAT.

### INPUT AND OUTPUT TO/FROM THE TERMINAL

The most common type of terminal input is simply to enter a number at the terminal. This number will be placed on the stack. The number which is input will be converted according to the number base stored at BASE. BASE is also used during numeric output.

DECIMAL	( — )	Sets the base to Decimal ( Base 10 )
HEX	( — )	Sets the base to Hexadecimal ( Base 16 )
BASE	( — addr )	System variable containing number base. To set some base ( e.g. Octal ) use the following sequence 8 BASE !
.	( n — )	Print a signed number
U.	( u — )	Print an unsigned number
.R	( n1 n2 — )	Print n1 right-justified in field of width n2
D.	( d — )	Print double-precision number
D.R	( d n — )	Print double-precision number right- justified in field of width n
CR	( — )	Perform a Carriage Return/Line Feed
SPACE	( — )	Type 1 space
SPACES	( n — )	Type n spaces
."	( — )	Print a string terminated by "
TYPE	( addr n — )	Type n characters from addr to terminal
COUNT	( addr — addr+1 n )	Move string length from addr to stack
?TERMINAL	( — f )	Test if BREAK ( CLEAR on 99/4 )
?KEY	( — n )	Read keyboard. If no key pressed n=0 else n is ASCII keycode.
KEY	( — c )	Wait for a keystroke and put its ASCII value on the stack.
EMIT	( c — )	Type character from stack to terminal
EXPECT	( addr n — )	Read n characters ( or until CR ) from terminal to addr
WORD	( c — )	Read one word from input stream delimited by c

NUMERIC FORMATTING

Advanced numeric formatting control is possible with  
the following words.

NUMBER	( addr — d )	Convert string at addr to d number
<#	( — )	Start output string conversion
#	( d1 — d2 )	Convert next digit of d1 leaving d2
#S	( d — 0 0 )	Convert all significant digits
SIGN	( n d — d )	Insert sign of n into number
#>	( d — addr u )	Terminate conversion, ready for TYPE
HOLD	( c — )	Insert ASCII character into string

DISK RELATED WORDS

The following words assist in maintaining source code on disk as well as implementing the FORTH virtual memory capability.

LIST	( n — )	List screen n to terminal
LOAD	( n — )	Compile or execute screen n
BLOCK	( n — addr )	Read disk block to memory at addr
B/BUF	( — n )	Constant giving disk block size in bytes
BLK	( — addr )	User variable containing current block number
SCR	( — addr )	User variable containing current screen number
UPDATE	( — )	Mark last buffer accessed as updated
FLUSH	( — )	Write all updated buffers to disk
EMPTY-BUFFERS	( — )	Erase all buffers

DEFINING WORDS

The following are defining words. They are used not only to create new FORTH words but in the case of <BUILDS ... DOES> and ;CODE to create new defining words.

: xxx	( — )	Begin colon definition of xxx
;	( — )	End colon definition
VARIABLE xxx	( n — )	Create variable with initial value n
xxx:	( — addr )	Returns address when executed
CONSTANT xxx	( n — )	Create constant with value n
xxx:	( — n )	Returns n when executed
CODE xxx	( — )	Begin definition of assembly language primitive named xxx
;CODE	( — )	Create new defining word with execution-time code-routine
<BUILDS ... DOES>		Create new defining word using high level FORTH.
does:	( — addr )	

MISCELLANEOUS WORDS

The following words are relatively common but don't fit well in any of the above categories.

CONTEXT	( — addr )	Return address of pointer to context vocabulary ( searched first )
CURRENT	( — addr )	Return address of pointer to current vocabulary ( new def'ns placed there )
FORTH	( — )	Set context to main FORTH vocabulary
DEFINITIONS	( — )	Set current to context
VOCABULARY xxx	( — )	Define new vocabulary
(	( — )	Begin comment. Terminated by )
FORGET xxx	( — )	Forget all definitions back to and including xxx
ABORT	( — )	Error termination
' xxx	( — addr )	Return address of xxx. If compiling compile address ( apostrophe )
HERE	( — addr )	Returns addr of next unused byte in the dictionary
PAD	( — addr )	Returns address of scratch area
LN	( — addr )	User variable containing offset into input buffer
SP@	( — addr )	Returns address of top stack item
ALLOT	( n — )	Leave n byte gap in dictionary
	( n — )	Compile n into the dictionary ( comma )

Several SCREENS on the FORTH System Disk serve special purposes. SCREEN 0 may not be modified because it is used by the disk Device Service Routine to locate the object code of the FORTH kernel. SCREEN 3 is the BOOT SCREEN (see BOOT in APPENDIX D), and SCREENS 4 and 5 contain error messages used by several FORTH words. Any disk placed in DSK1 must contain a copy of SCREENS 4 and 5.

Many additional words are available in TI FORTH. The user should consult the remaining chapters in this manual as well as the glossary and APPENDIX F for a complete description. Most of these words are disk resident and must



be loaded by the user ( via the Load Options ) before they  
become available.

## CHAPTER 3

HOW TO USE THE FORTH EDITORWORDS INTRODUCED IN THIS CHAPTER

CLEAR  
 ED@  
 EDIT  
 FLUSH  
 TEXT  
 WHERE

In the FORTH language, programs are divided into SCREENS. Each SCREEN is 16 lines of 64 characters and has a number associated with it. A TI 99/4A disk holds 90 SCREENS ( numbered 0 - 89 ), however, SCREEN 0 is special and is usually not used. A program may occupy as many SCREENS as necessary.

\*\* NOTE: The word "SCREEN" in upper case will refer to a FORTH SCREEN while "screen" will refer to the monitor screen.

You must read the chapter titled "SYSTEM: SYNONYMS" and correctly format your data disk before using the EDITOR. Disks initialized by the Disk Manager are acceptable. After loading FORTH from the System Disk, place the System Disk in DSK2 and your FORTH disk in DSK1. It is necessary to copy SCREENS 4 and 5 from the System Disk onto your FORTH disk. These SCREENS contain the error messages. If you have a two drive system, see the instructions for SCOPY and MOVE in chapter 3 for directions on how to do this.

If you have a one drive system, however, this procedure is more complicated. The following diagram illustrates the process used to copy parts of a FORTH disk or an entire FORTH disk with a one drive system.

START: With original diskette in your drive and type

FLUSH

LOOP: Type these lines -

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scr# BLOCK DROP UPDATE \
      .                  \
      .                  \ up to 5 SCREENS because
      .                  / the system has 5 disk
                        / buffers
scr# BLOCK DROP UPDATE /
```

Switch to backup diskette and type

FLUSH

Go back to LOOP if you need to copy more SCREENS

Now you are ready to begin editing your FORTH disk.

CAUTION: DO NOT EDIT your system disk. It is a hybrid disk containing both 99/4A files and FORTH SCREENS. Editing the disk may destroy its integrity!

### THE TWO TI FORTH EDITORS

There are two FORTH editors available on the TI FORTH system disk. The first, which is loaded by -EDITOR, operates in TEXT mode. It will be referred to as the 40-column editor. Each SCREEN is displayed in two halves (left and right) in normal sized characters.

The second, which is loaded by -64SUPPORT, operates in bit-map mode. It allows you to view an entire FORTH SCREEN at once, however, the characters are very small. It will be referred to as the 64-column editor.

Only one editor may be in memory at any time. Load whichever you prefer. Editing instructions are identical for each.

### EDITING INSTRUCTIONS

Initialization fills each SCREEN with non-printable characters. These characters appear as solid white squares on the terminal when you are using the 40-column editor and as unidentifiable characters in the 64-column editor. A SCREEN must be filled with blanks before it can be used. Typing a SCREEN number and CLEAR will fill a SCREEN with blanks.

1 CLEAR

will prepare SCREEN 1 for use by the EDITOR.

You may begin writing on SCREEN 1 or on any SCREEN you wish. To bring a SCREEN from the disk into the EDITOR, type the SCREEN number followed by the word EDIT.

EDIT

The above instruction will bring the contents of SCREEN 1 into view. If you did not CLEAR the SCREEN before entering the EDITOR, the SCREEN will appear to be a block of undefined characters. You must exit the EDITOR temporarily and clear the SCREEN on the disk before you can write to it. To exit the EDITOR, press the BACK function key on your keyboard. To clear the SCREEN, type the SCREEN number and the word CLEAR.

To reenter the EDITOR, you do NOT have to type 1 EDIT again. A special FORTH word,

ED@

will return you to the last SCREEN you were editing.

Upon entering the EDITOR, the cursor is located in column 1 of line 0. It is customary to use LINE 0 for a comment describing the contents of that SCREEN. Type a comment that says "PRACTICE SCREEN" or something to that effect. Do not forget that all comments must begin with a "( " and end with a ")". Note: The left parenthesis MUST be followed by at least 1 space. Press ENTER to move to the next line.

If you are using the 40-column editor, you have probably noticed that only 35 columns ( of the 64 available columns ) are visible on your terminal. To see the rest of the SCREEN, type any characters on LINE 1 until you reach the right margin. Now type a few more characters. Notice

that the screen is now displaying columns 30 - 64. Press ENTER to move to the beginning of the next line.

The function keys on your keyboard each perform a special editing function.

key	function
LEFT ARROW	- moves the cursor one position to the LEFT.
RIGHT ARROW	- moves the cursor one position to the RIGHT.
UP ARROW	- moves the cursor UP one position.
DOWN ARROW	- moves the cursor DOWN one position.
DELETE	- deletes the character on which the cursor is placed.
INSERT	- inserts a space to the left of the cursor moving the rest of the line right one space. Characters may be lost off the end of the line.
AID	- erases from the cursor to the end of a line and saves the erased characters in PAD. They may be placed at the beginning of a new line by pressing REDO. REDO inserts a line just above where the cursor is and places the contents of PAD there.
BEGIN	- 40-column editor: moves the cursor 28 positions to the RIGHT if the cursor is on the LEFT half of a SCREEN. Otherwise, it moves the cursor 28 positions to the left. This key can be used to toggle between the LEFT and RIGHT half of a screen. 64-column editor: places the cursor in the upper left corner
ERASE	
REDO	- are used in combination to "pick up" lines and move them elsewhere on the screen. ERASE "picks up" one line while erasing it from view. REDO inserts this line just above the line on which the cursor is placed. Both ERASE and REDO may be used repeatedly to erase several lines from view or to insert multiple copies of a line.
** c-8	- will insert a blank line just above the line the cursor is on.
** c-W	- will TAB forward by words.
** c-V	- will TAB backwards by words.
	** c = control

Experiment with these features until you feel you understand each of their functions. Erase the line you typed from the SCREEN and type a sample program for practice.

The FORTH EDITOR allows you to move forward or backward a SCREEN without leaving the editor. Pressing CLEAR will read in the succeeding SCREEN. Pressing PROCEED will read in the preceding SCREEN.

If an error occurs during a LOAD command, typing the word WHERE will bring you back into the EDITOR and place the cursor at the exact point the error occurred.

The word FLUSH is used to force the disk buffers that contain data no longer consistent with the copy on disk to be written to the disk. Use this word at the end of an editing session to be certain your changes are written to the disk.

\*\* NOTE: The 40-column FORTH Editor may only be used when the computer is in TEXT mode (see chapter 6). For example, if the 40-column editor is loaded, don't type EDIT while you are in SPLIT or SPLIT2 mode.

## CHAPTER 4

MEMORY MAPS

The following diagrams illustrate the memory allocation in the 99/4A system. For more detailed information, see the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manual.

The VDP memory can be configured in many ways by the user. The TI FORTH system provides the ability to set up this memory for each of the VDP's 4 modes of operation ( TEXT, GRAPHICS, MULTI-COLOR and GRAPHICS2 ). The allocation of memory for these modes is shown on the VDP MEMORY MAP. The first three modes are shown on the left half of this figure, the GRAPHICS2 mode on the right half. The area at >03C0 is used by the transcendental functions in all modes for a rollout area. If transcendentals are used during GRAPHICS2 (bit-map) mode, this portion of the color table must be saved by the user before using the transcendental function and restored afterward. Note that the VDP RAM is accessed from the 9900 only through a memory mapped port and is not directly in the processor's address space.

The only CPU RAM on a true 16-bit data bus is in the console at >8300. Because this is the fastest RAM in the system, the FORTH Workspace and the most frequently executed code of the interpreter are placed in this area to maximize the speed of the TI FORTH system. The use of the remainder of the RAM in this area is dictated by the 99/4A's resident OS.



The 32K byte memory expansion is divided into an 8K piece at >2000 and a 24K piece at >A000. The small piece contains BIOS and utility support for TI FORTH as well as 5k of disk buffers, the Return Stack, and the User Variable area. The large piece of this RAM contains the dictionary, the Parameter Stack, and the Terminal Input Buffer.

VDP MEMORY MAP

HEX ADDR		HEX ADDR
>0000	GRAPHICS & MULTI-COLOR SCREEN IMAGE TABLE >300	>0000
>02FF	TEXT MODE SCREEN	
>0300	SPRITE ATTR IMAGE	
>037F	LIST >80 TABLE	BIT MAP
>0380	COLOR TABLE >3C0	COLOR
>039F	>20	TABLE
>03A0	UNUSED >20	
>03BF		>1800
>03C0	VDP ROLLOUT AREA >20	
>03DF		
>03E0	STACK FOR VSPTR >80	
>045F		
>0460	PABS ETC >320	
>077F		
>0780	SPRITE MOTION TABLE >80	
>07FF		
>0800	PATTERN DESC TABLE	
	SPRITE DESC TABLE	
	0 - 127 >400	
>0BFF	. . . . .	
>0C00	128 - 255 >400	
>0FFF		
>1000	FORTH'S DISK BUFFER	
>13FF	(4 SECTORS) >400	
>1400	UNUSED	
	>21D8	>17FF
		BIT MAP
		>1800
		SCREEN
		IMAGE
		TABLE
		>300
		PABS ETC. >C0
		>1300->13BF
		STACK FOR VSPTR >40
		>13C0->13FF
		FORTH'S DISK BUFFER
		>1C00
		(4 SECTORS) >400
		>1FFF
		BIT MAP PATTERN
		>2000
		DESCRIPTOR
		TABLE
		>1800
>35D7		>37FF
>35D8	DISK BUFFERING REGION	
	FOR 2 SIMULTANEOUS	SPRITE ATTRIBUTE
	DISK FILES	LIST >80
	NAME	>387F
		SPRITE DESCRIPTORS
		>3880
		OPTIONAL END BASED
		AT >3800) >15A
		>39D9
		DISK BUFFER REGION
		>39DA
		FOR 2 DISK FILES
>3FFF		>615
		>3FFF

CPU MEMORY

>0000	CONSOLE ROM
>1FFF	
>2000	LOW MEMORY EXPANSION LOADER, YOUR PROGRAM, REF/DEF TABLE
>3FFF	
>4000	PERIPHERAL ROMs FOR DSRs
>5FFF	
>6000	UNAVAILABLE - ROM IN COMMAND MODULES
>7FFF	
>8000	MEMORY MAPPED DEVICES FOR VDP, GROM, SOUND, SPEECH. CPU RAM AT >8300-83FF.
>9FFF	
>A000	HIGH MEMORY EXPANSION YOUR PROGRAM
>FFFF	

CPU RAM PAD

HEX	ADDR	
	>8300	FORTH'S WORKSPACE
	>831F	
*	>832E	FORTH'S INNER INTERPRETER ETC.
	>8347	
*	>834A	FAC ( floating point accumulator )
	>8351	
*	>8356	SUBROUTINE POINTER FOR DSR's
	>8357	
*	>835C	ARG ( floating point argument register )
	>8363	
*	>8370	HIGHEST AVAILABLE ADDRESS OF VDP RAM
	>8371	
	>8372	LEAST SIGNIFICANT BYTE OF DATA STACK PTR
	>8373	LEAST SIGNIFICANT BYTE OF SUBR STACK PTR
	>8374	KEYBOARD NUMBER TO BE SCANNED
	>8375	ASCII KEYCODE DETECTED BY SCAN ROUTINE
	>8376	JOYSTICK Y-STATUS
	>8377	JOYSTICK X-STATUS
*	>8379	VDP INTERRUPT TIMER
	>837A	NUMBER OF SPRITES THAT CAN BE IN AUTOMOTION
	>837B	VDP STATUS BYTE
		** BIT 0 ON DURING VDP INTERRUPT
		BIT 1 ON WHEN 5 SPRITES ON A LINE
		BIT 2 ON WHEN SPRITE COINCIDENCE
		BIT 3-7 NO. OF 5TH SPRITE ON A LINE
	>837C	GPL STATUS BYTE
		BIT 0 HIGH BIT
		BIT 1 GREATER THAN BIT
		BIT 2 ON WHEN KEYSTROKE DETECTED ( COND )
		BIT 3 CARRY BIT
		BIT 4 OVERFLOW BIT
*	>8380	THE DEFAULT SUBROUTINE STACK ADDRESS
*	>83A0	THE DEFAULT DATA STACK ADDRESS
*	>83C0	RANDOM NO. SEED ( BEGIN INTERRUPT WORKSPACE )
	>83C2	BIT 0 DISABLE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING
		BIT 1 DISABLE SPRITE MOTION
		BIT 2 DISABLE AUTO SOUND
		BIT 3 DISABLE SYSTEM RESET KEY ( QUIT )
	>83C4	LINK TO ISR HOOK
	>83D4	CONTENTS OF VDP REGISTER 1
*	>83E0	BEGIN GPL WORKSPACE
	>83FF	

LOCATIONS OMITTED ARE NOT USED BY FORTH BUT MAY BE USED BY SYSTEM ROUTINES

\*\* BIT 0 = HIGH ORDER BIT

LOW MEMORY EXPANSION

>2000	XNL VECTORS	>0010
>200F		
>2010	DISK BUFFERS	>1414
>3423		
>3424	99/4 SUPPORT FOR FORTH	>055C
>397F		
>3980	USER VARIABLE AREA	>0080
>39FF		
>3A00	ASSEMBLER SUPPORT	>020A
>3CD9		
>3CDA	↑	
>3FFF	RETURN STACK	>0326

HIGH MEMORY EXPANSION

>A000	RESIDENT FORTH VOCABULARY	>1C80
>BC7F		
>BC80	USER DICTIONARY SPACE	
	↓	
		>4320
	↑	
>FF9F	PARAMETER STACK	
>FFA0	TERMINAL INPUT BUFFER	>0052
>FFF1		

## CHAPTER 5

SYSTEM SYNONYMS AND MISCELLANEOUS UTILITIESWORDS INTRODUCED IN THIS CHAPTER

!"	MYSELF	UNTRACE
.S	RANDOMIZE	VAND
:(alternate)	RND	VFILL
CLS	RNDW	VLIST
DISK-HEAD	SCOPY	VMBR
DSRLNK	SEED	VMBW
DTEST	SMOVE	VOR
DUMP	TRACE	VSER
FORMAT-DISK	TRLAD	VSBW
FORTH-COPY	TRLADS	VWTR
GPLLNK	TROFF	VXOR
INDEX	TRON	XMLLNK

SYSTEM SYNONYMS

Several utilities are available to give you simple access to many resources of the TI 99/4A HOME COMPUTER. These utilities allow you to change the display, access the Device Service Routines for peripheral devices such as RS232s and disk drives, link your program to GPL and ASSEMBLER routines, and perform operations on VDP memory locations.

Also included in this chapter are several disk utilities, special trace routines, random number generators, and a special routine which allows recursion.

The first group of instructions enables you to read from and write to VDP RAM. Each of the following FORTH words implements the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER utility with the same name.

VSBW - Writes a single byte to VDP RAM. It requires 2 parameters on the stack; a byte to be written and a VDP address.

base	byte	vaddr	instr
HEX	A3	380	VSBW

places the value HEX A3 into VDP address HEX 380.

VMBW - Writes multiple bytes to VDP RAM. You must first place on the stack a source address at which the bytes to be written are located. This must be followed by a VDP address, ( or destination ), and the number of bytes to be written.

base	addr	vaddr	cnt	instr
HEX	PAD	808	4	VMBW

reads 4 bytes from PAD and writes them into VDP RAM beginning at HEX 808.

VSBR - Reads a single byte from VDP RAM and places it on the stack. A VDP address is the only parameter required.

base	vaddr	instr
HEX	781	VSBR

places the contents of VDP address HEX 781 on the stack.

VMBR - Reads multiple bytes from VDP and places them at a specified address. You must specify the VDP source address, a destination address and a byte count.

base	vaddr	addr	cnt	instr
HEX	300	PAD	20	VMBR

reads 32 bytes beginning at HEX 300 and stores them into PAD.

The next group of instructions allows you to implement the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER instructions GPLLNK, XMLLNK, and DSRLNK. To assist the user, the FORTH instructions have the same names as the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER utilities. Consult the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manual for more details.

GPLLNK - Allows you to link your program to Graphics Programming Language routines. You must place on the stack the address of the GPL routine to which you wish to link.

base	addr	instr
<hr/>		
HEX	16	GPLLNK

branches to the GPL routine located at HEX 16 which loads the standard character set into VDP RAM. It then returns to your program.

XMLLNK - Allows you to link a FORTH program to a routine in ROM or to branch to a routine located in the MEMORY EXPANSION unit. The instruction expects to find a ROM address on the stack.

base	addr	instr
<hr/>		
HEX	800	XMLLNK

accesses the Floating Point multiplication routine, located in ROM at HEX 800, and returns to your program.

DSRLNK - Links a FORTH program to any Device Service Routine in ROM. Before this instruction is used, a Peripheral Access Block must be set up in VDP RAM. A PAB contains information about the file to be accessed. See the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manual and Chapter 9 of this manual for additional setup information. DSRLNK needs no parameters.



The VDP contains 8 special write-only registers. In the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER, a VWTR instruction is used to write values into these registers. The FORTH word VWTR implements this instruction. VWTR requires 2 parameters; a byte to be written and a VDP register number.

base	byte	reg	instr
HEX	F5	7	VWTR

The above instruction writes a HEX F5 into VDP write only register number 7. This particular register controls the foreground and background colors in TEXT MODE. Executing the above instruction will change the foreground color to white and the background color to lt. blue.

The FORTH instructions VAND, VOR, and VXOR greatly simplify the task of performing a logical operation on a single byte in VDP RAM. Normally, 3 programming steps would be required: a read from VDP RAM, an operation, and a write back into VDP RAM. The above instructions get the job done in a single step. Each of these words require 2 parameters; a byte to be used as the second operand and the VDP address at which the operation is to be performed. The result of the operation is placed back into this address.

base	byte	vaddr	instr
HEX	F0	304	VAND
HEX	F0	304	VOR
HEX	F0	304	VXOR

Each of the above instructions reads the byte stored at HEX 804 in VDP RAM, performs an AND, OR, or XOR on that byte and HEX F0, and places the result back into VDP RAM at HEX 804.

If you wish to fill a group of consecutive VDP memory locations with a particular byte, a VFILL instruction is available. You must specify a beginning VDP address, a count, and the byte you wish to write into each location.

base	vaddr	cnt	byte	instr
HEX	300	20	0	VFILL

fills 32 locations, starting at HEX 300, with zeros.

### DISK UTILITIES

Any disk that you wish to use with the FORTH system must first be properly formatted. Place the disk in a disk drive and place the number of that disk drive on the stack. TI FORTH numbers disk drives beginning with 0, therefore, if the new disk is in DSK1, put a 0 on the stack, etc. Next, type FORMAT-DISK.

0   FORMAT-DISK

will initialize the disk in DSK1, thus preparing it for use by the FORTH system. Disks initialized by the DISK MANAGER are properly formatted and may be used.

The TI FORTH System Disk, or any disk which contains a copy of SCREENS 0 thru 19 of the System Disk, may be copied with the Disk Manager. Any other disk may be copied with the Disk Manager only after a special header has been written on it by the TI FORTH instruction DISK-HEAD.

Any disk which can be copied by the Disk Manager can also be accessed from TI BASIC. If you access a FORTH disk which contains the FORTH kernel, record 0 of the file will be located on line 4 of SCREEN 19. Records of length 128 bytes will proceed thru record 565 which is located on line 14 of SCREEN 89. Record 566 then wraps to line 4 of SCREEN 1. The file ends with record 623 located on line 6 of SCREEN 8.

A FORTH disk which does not contain the kernel may also be accessed by basic, but the location of the records will be different. The file will begin on line 8 of SCREEN 8 and continue thru record 651 located on line 14 of SCREEN 89. Record 652 begins on line 12 of SCREEN 0 and the file ends with record 713 on line 6 of SCREEN 8.

To copy an entire FORTH disk without using the Disk Manager, you must place the new disk in DSK1 and the source disk in DSK2. Typing FORTH-COPY will copy the entire contents of the disk in DSK2 onto the disk in DSK1. NOTE: You must reset the value of the user variable DISK\_LO to zero BEFORE using FORTH-COPY. This will allow you to copy SCREEN 0. This is accomplished by executing the following

instruction.

```
0 DISK_LO !
```

You can copy the contents of a single SCREEN from one SCREEN location to another without destroying the original copy by using the SCOPY instruction. A source SCREEN number and a destination SCREEN number must be specified.

base	source	destin	instr
DECIMAL	5	17	SCOPY

The above instructions will write the contents of SCREEN 5 over the contents of SCREEN 17 without erasing SCREEN 5. The old contents of SCREEN 17 will be destroyed.

The SMOVE instruction acts as a multiple SCOPY. It allows you to copy a group of SCREENS with a single instruction. You must designate a beginning source SCREEN, a beginning destination SCREEN, and the number of SCREENS you wish to copy. When using SMOVE, overlapping SCREEN ranges may be used without user concern. The order of the copy is adjusted so that the entire group of SCREENS is moved intact.

base	source	destin	cnt	instr
DECIMAL	11	36	7	SMOVE

These instructions will copy SCREENS 11 - 17 over SCREENS 36 - 42 without erasing SCREENS 11 - 17.

Both the SCOPY and SMOVE instructions can be used to copy SCREENS from one disk drive to another. Assuming that DISK-SIZE ( a user variable which contains the number of SCREENS per disk ) is at its default value of 90, SCREENS 0 - 89 are contained on the disk in DSK1, SCREENS 90 - 179 are located on the disk in DSK2, etc. NOTE: To copy SCREENS from one disk drive to another, you must reset the user variable DISK\_HI. If you are using two disk drives, its value must be 180 (2x90). This is accomplished by executing the following instruction:

```
180 DISK_HI !
```

Therefore, to copy SCREEN 6 on DSK1 to SCREEN 20 on DSK2, you would type:

base	source	destin	instr
DECIMAL	6	110	SCOPY

The SMOVE instruction is handled in the same manner. Simply use an offset of DISK-SIZE to specify which disk drives you wish to copy to and from.

If you have reason to suspect that a disk has a bad sector or is in some way damaged, a non-destructive disk test is available. The DTEST instruction will attempt to read each SCREEN from the disk in DSK1. A SCREEN number

will be displayed on your monitor as each SCREEN is read. If execution stops before SCREEN 89 is reached, the problem lies in the last SCREEN displayed. To correct the problem, CLEAR that SCREEN and write to it again. This correction will work if the disk surface is intact and if the formatting information has not been damaged.

### LISTING UTILITIES

There are three words on the TI FORTH System Disk (loaded by the -PRINT option) which make listing information from a FORTH disk very simple. The first, called TRIAD, requires a SCREEN number on the stack. When executed, it will print to an RS232 device the three SCREENS which contain the specified SCREEN, beginning with a SCREEN number evenly divisible by three. SCREENS which contain non-printable information will be skipped. If your RS232 printer is not on Port 1 and set at 9600 Baud, you must modify the word SWCH on your System Disk.

The second instruction, called TRIADS, may be thought of as a multiple TRIAD. It expects a beginning and an ending SCREEN number on the stack. TRIADS performs as many TRIADS as necessary to cover the specified range of SCREENS.

The INDEX instruction allows you to list to your terminal the comment line 0's of a specified range of SCREENS. INDEX expects a beginning and ending SCREEN number on the stack. If you wish to temporarily stop the flow of output in order to read it before it scrolls off the screen, simply press any key. Press any key to start up again. Press BREAK to exit execution prematurely.

The FORTH word VLIST lists to your terminal the names of all words currently defined in the CONTEXT vocabulary. This instruction requires no parameters and may be halted and started again as in INDEX above.

### DEBUGGING

The DUMP instruction allows you to list portions of memory to your terminal. DUMP requires two parameters: an address and a byte count. For example,

base	addr	cnt	instr
HEX	2F26	100	DUMP

will list 256 (>100) bytes of memory beginning at address >2F26 to your terminal. Press any key to temporarily stop execution in order to read the information before it scrolls off the screen. Press any key to continue. To exit this routine prematurely, press BREAK.

The FORTH word `.S` allows you to view the parameter stack contents. It may be placed inside a colon definition or executed directly from the keyboard. The word `SP!` should be typed before executing a routine that contains `.S`. This will clear any "garbage" from the stack. The `|` symbol is printed to represent the bottom of the stack. The number appearing farthest from the `|` is the most accessible stack element.

A special set of instructions allows you to trace the execution of any colon definition. Executing the `TRACE` instruction will cause all following colon definitions to be compiled in such a way that they can be traced. In other words, the FORTH word `:` takes on a new meaning. To stop compiling under the `TRACE` option, type `UNTRACE`. When you have finished debugging, recompile the routine under the `UNTRACE` option.

After instructions have been compiled under the `TRACE` option, you can trace their execution by typing the word `TRON` before using the instruction. `TRON` activates the trace. If you wish to execute the same instruction without the trace, type `TROFF` before using the instruction.

The actual trace will print the word being traced, along with the stack contents, each time the word is encountered. This shows you what numbers are on the stack just before the traced word is executed. The `|` symbol is used to represent the bottom of the stack. The number



printed closest to the | is the least accessible while the number farthest from the | is the most accessible number on the stack. Here is a sample TRACE session:

```

DECIMAL
TRACE  OK      ( COMPILER NEXT DEFINITION WITH TRACE OPTION )
: CUBE DUP DUP * * ;  OK  ( ROUTINE TO BE TRACED )
UNTRACE  OK    ( DON'T COMPILER NEXT DEF. WITH TRACE OPTION )
: TEST CUBE ROT CUBE ROT CUBE ;  OK
TRON  OK      ( WANT TO EXECUTE WITH A TRACE )
5 6 7 TEST  ( PUT PARAMETERS ON STACK AND EXEC. TEST )
CUBE  ( TRACE BEGINS )
| 5 6 7  ( STACK CONTENTS UPON ENTERING CUBE )
CUBE
| 6 343 5 ( STACK CONTENTS UPON ENTERING CUBE )
CUBE
| 343 125 6  OK

```

A more complex TRACE example involves a recursive routine. Normally, a FORTH word can not call itself before the definition has been compiled through to a ; because the SMUDGE bit is set. To allow recursion, TI FORTH includes the special word MYSELF. The MYSELF instruction places the CFA of the word currently being compiled into its own definition thus allowing a word to call itself. The following example uses a recursive factorial routine for illustration:

```

DECIMAL    OK

TRACE    OK    ( COMPILER FOLLOWING DEF. UNDER TRACE OPTION )

: FACT DUP 1 > IF DUP 1 - MYSELF * ENDIF ;    OK

UNTRACE    OK

TRON    OK    ( ACTIVATE TRACE )

5 FACT    ( PUT PARAMETER ON STACK AND EXECUTE FACT )

FACT    ( TRACE BEGINS )

| 5

FACT

| 5 4

FACT

| 5 4 3

FACT

| 5 4 3 2

FACT

| 5 4 3 2 1    OK

.S    ( CHECK FINAL STACK CONTENTS )

| 120    OK

```

Each time the traced FACT routine calls itself, a trace is executed.

### RANDOM NUMBERS

Two different random number functions are available in FORTH. The first, RND generates a positive random integer between 0 and a specified range. The second, RNDW generates a random word ( 1 bytes ). No range is specified

for RNDW.

base	range	instr
DECIMAL	13	RND

will place on the stack an integer greater than or equal to 0 and less than 13.

#### RNDW

will place on the stack a number from 0 to HEX FFFF.

To guarantee a different sequence of random numbers each time a program is run, the RANDOMIZE instruction must be used. RANDOMIZE places an unknown seed into the random number generator.

To place a known seed into the random number generator, the SEED instruction is used. You must specify the seed value.

#### 4 SEED

will place the value 4 into the random number generator seed location.

### MISCELLANEOUS INSTRUCTIONS

To store a string at a specified address, the !" instruction is used. !" expects to find an address on the stack and must be followed by a string terminated with a ". The following instruction places the string "HOW ARE

YOU?" at address PAD.

base	addr	instr	string
HEX	PAD	!"	HOW ARE YOU?"

To clear the display screen, the word CLS is used. This may be used inside a colon definition or directly from the keyboard. CLS will not clear bit-map displays or SPRITES.

## CHAPTER 6

AN INTRODUCTION TO GRAPHICSWORDS INTRODUCED IN THIS CHAPTER:

#MOTION	GCHAR	SPCHAR
BEEP	GRAPHICS	SPLIT
CHAR	GRAPHICS2	SPLIT2
CHARPAT	HCHAR	SPRCOL
COINC	HONK	SPRDIST
COINCALL	JOYST	SPRDISTKY
COINCXY	LINE	SPRGET
COLOR	MAGNIFY	SPRITE
DELALL	MCHAR	SPRPAT
DELSPR	MINIT	SPRPUT
DOT	MOTION	SSDT
DRAW	MULTI	TEXT
DTOG	SCREEN	UNDRAW
		VCHAR

GRAPHICS MODES

The TI HOME COMPUTER possesses a broad range of graphics capabilities. Four screen modes are available to the user :

- 1) TEXT MODE - Standard ascii characters are available, and new characters may be defined. All characters have the same foreground and background color. The screen is 40 columns by 24 lines. TEXT MODE is used by the FORTE 40-column screen editor.
- 2) GRAPHICS MODE - Standard ascii characters are available, and new characters may be defined. Each character set may have its own foreground and background color.
- 3) MULTICOLOR MODE - The screen is 64 columns by 48 rows. Each standard character position is now 4 smaller boxes which can each have a different color. ASCII characters are not available and new characters can not be defined.
- 4) BIT-MAP MODE (GRAPHICS2) - This mode is available only on the 99/4A. BIT-MAP MODE allows you to see any pixel on the screen and to change the color within the limits permitted by the 9918A. The screen is 256 columns by 192 rows. GRAPHICS2 mode is used by the 64-column editor.

SPRITES (moving graphics) are available in all modes except TEXT. The SPRITE AUTOMOTION feature is not available in GRAPHICS2, SPLIT or SPLIT2 modes.

Two unique graphics modes have been created by using GRAPHICS2 mode in a non-standard way. SPLIT and SPLIT2 mode allow you to display text while creating bit-map graphics. SPLIT mode sets the top two thirds of the screen in GRAPHICS2 mode and places text on the last third. SPLIT2 sets the top one sixth of the screen as a text window and the rest in GRAPHICS2 mode. These modes provide an interactive bit map graphics setting. That is, you can type bit map instructions and watch them execute without changing modes.

You may place the computer in the above modes by executing one of the following instructions: TEXT, GRAPHICS, MULTI, GRAPHICS2, SPLIT, or SPLIT2.

#### FORTH GRAPHICS WORDS

Many FORTH words have been defined to make graphics handling much easier for the user. As these words are mentioned, an annotation will appear underneath them denoting which of the modes they may be used in ( T G M B ). These denote TEXT, GRAPHICS, MULTICOLOR and BIT-MAPPED (GRAPHICS2, SPLIT, SPLIT2) respectively.

In several instruction examples, a base ( HEX or DECIMAL ) is specified. This does not mean that you must be in a particular base in order to use the instruction. It merely illustrates that some instructions are more easily written in HEX than in DECIMAL.

COLOR CHANGES

The simplest graphics operations involve altering the color of the screen and of character sets. There are 32 character sets ( 0-31 ) each containing 8 characters. For example, character set 0 consists of characters 0 - 7, set one contains 8 - 15, etc. Sixteen colors are available on the TI HOME COMPUTER.

color	hex value	color	hex value
TRANSPARENT	0	MED. RED	8
BLACK	1	LT. RED	9
MED. GREEN	2	DK. YELLOW	A
LT. GREEN	3	LT. YELLOW	B
DK. BLUE	4	DK. GREEN	C
LT. BLUE	5	MAGENTA	D
DK. RED	6	GRAY	E
CYAN	7	WHITE	F

The FORTH word SCREEN following one of the above table values will change the screen color to that value. The following example changes the screen to light yellow -

```

      3 101 12007
-----
HEX      3  SCREEN  or
DECIMAL  11  SCREEN
    
```

( G )

The foreground and background colors of a character set may also be easily changed -

base	fg	bg	charset	instr	
HEX	4	D	1A	COLOR	or
DECIMAL	4	13	26	COLOR	

( G )

The above instructions will change character set 26 ( characters 208 - 215 ) to have a foreground color of dk. blue and a background color of magenta.

PLACING CHARACTERS ON THE SCREEN

To print a character anywhere on the screen and optionally repeat it horizontally, the HCHAR instruction is used. You must specify a starting column and row position as well as the number of repetitions and the ASCII code of the character you wish to print.

**\*\* KEEP IN MIND THAT BOTH ROWS AND COLUMNS ARE NUMBERED FROM ZERO !!!**

For example,

base	col	row	cnt	char#	instr	
HEX	A	11	5B	2A	HCHAR	or
DECIMAL	10	17	91	42	HCHAR	

( T G )

will print a stream of 91 \*'s, starting at column 10 and row 17, that will wrap from right to left on the screen.



To print a vertical stream of characters, the word VCHAR is used in the same format as HCHAR. These characters will wrap from the bottom of the screen to the top.

The FORTH word GCHAR will return on the stack the ASCII code of the character currently at any position on the screen. If the above HCHAR instruction were executed and followed by

base	col	row	instr	
<hr/>				
HEX	F	11	GCHAR	or
DECIMAL	15	17	GCHAR	
			( T G )	

a 2A HEX or 42 DECIMAL would be left on the stack.

### DEFINING NEW CHARACTERS

Each character in GRAPHICS MODE is 8 x 8 pixels in size. Each row makes up one byte of the 8 byte character definition. Each set bit (1) takes on the foreground color while the others remain the background color.

In TEXT MODE, characters are defined in the same way, but only the left 6 bits of each row are displayed on the screen.

For example, .

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			*	*	*	*			← DISPLAYED IN TEXT
0									
1			*	*			*	*	← DISPLAYED IN GRAPHICS
2		*	*		*	*		*	
3		*	*	*			*	*	
4		*	*	*			*	*	EACH "*" REPRESENTS A SET BIT.
5		*	*		*	*		*	
6			*	*			*	*	
7				*	*	*	*		

this character is defined -

	3C66	DBE7	E7DB	663C
rows	0-1	2-3	4-5	6-7

The FORTH word CHAR is used to create new characters.

To assign the above pattern to character number 123, you would type -

base	w1	w2	w3	w4	char#	instr	
HEX	3C66	DBE7	E7DB	663C	7B	CHAR	or
DECIMAL	15462	56295	59355	26172	123	CHAR	( T G )

As you can see, it is more natural to use this instruction in HEX than it is in DECIMAL.

To define another character to look like character 65 ("A"), for example, you must first find out what the pattern code for "A" is. To accomplish this, use the CHARPAT instruction. This instruction leaves the character definition on the stack in the proper order for a CHAR

instruction. Study this line of code -

HEX	41	CHARPAT	7E	CHAR	or
DECIMAL	65	CHARPAT	126	CHAR	
		( T G )			

The above instructions place on the stack the character pattern for "A" and assign the pattern to character 126. Now both character 65 and 126 have the same shape.

### SPRITES

SPRITES are moving graphics that can be displayed on the screen independently and/or on top of other characters. Thirty-two SPRITES are available.

### MAGNIFICATION

SPRITES may be defined in 4 different sizes or magnifications.

magnification  
factor

- 0 Causes all SPRITES to be single size and unmagified. Each SPRITE is defined only by the character specified and occupies one character position on the screen.
- 1 Causes all SPRITES to be single size and magnified. Each SPRITE is defined only by the character specified, but this character expands to fill 4 screen positions.
- 2 Causes all SPRITES to be double size and unmagified. Each SPRITE is defined by the character specified along with the next 3 characters. The first character number must be divisible by 4. This character becomes the upper left quarter of the SPRITE, the next characters are the lower left, upper right, lower right, respectively. The SPRITE fills 4 screen positions.
- 3 Causes all SPRITES to be double size and magnified. Each SPRITE is defined by 4 characters as above, but each character is expanded to occupy 4 screen positions. The SPRITE fills 16 positions.

The default magnification is 0. To alter SPRITE magnification, use the FORTH word MAGNIFY.

```
mag instr
-----
2 MAGNIFY
  ( G M B )
```

will change all SPRITES to double size and unmagified.

SPRITE INITIALIZATION

Before you begin defining SPRITES, you must execute the FORTH word SDDT which roughly translates "set SPRITE Descriptor Table." Before executing this instruction, the computer must be set into the WDP mode you wish to use with

SPRITES. Recall that SPRITES are not available in TEXT mode.

You have a choice of overlapping your SPRITE character definitions with the standard characters in the Pattern Descriptor Table ( see VDP Memory Map in Ch. 4 ) or moving the SPRITE Descriptor Table elsewhere in memory. This move is highly recommended to avoid confusion. HEX 2000 is usually a good location, but any available 2K ( >800 ) boundary will do.

base	addr	instr	
HEX	2000	SSDT	or
DECIMAL	3192	SSDT	
		( G M B )	

will move the SPRITE Descriptor Table to 2000 HEX. Use the value HEX 800 with the SSDT instruction if you do not want to move the Descriptor Table.

\*\* NOTE: Whether or not you choose to move the table, you MUST execute this instruction before you can use SPRITES in your program!!!

USING SPRITES IN BIT-MAP MODE

When using SPRITES in any of the BIT-MAP modes (GRAPHICS2, SPLIT, SPLIT2), a little extra work is required. After entering the desired VDP mode, the location of the SPRITE descriptor table must be changed to HEX 2000 as follows.

HEX 3800 SATR

The base address of the SPRITE Descriptor Table must also be changed using the SSDT instruction. It will be based at the same address as the SPRITE Attribute List (>3800), but only a few character numbers will be available for SPRITE patterns. SPCHAR may only be used to define patterns 16-58. (See following section for information on SPCHAR.)

>3800	SPRITE ATTRIBUTE LIST
	>0080
>3880	SPRITE PATTERNS 16-58 ( based at >3800 )
>39D9	>015A

CREATING SPRITES

The first task involved in creating SPRITES is to define the characters you will use to make them. These definitions will be stored in the SPRITE Descriptor Table mentioned in the above section.

A word identical in format to CHAR is used to store SPRITE character patterns. If you are using a magnification factor of 2 or 3, do not forget that you must define 4 consecutive characters for EACH SPRITE. In this case, the character # of the first character must be a multiple of 4.

base	w1	w2	w3	w4	char#	instr
HEX	0F0F	2424	F0F0	4242	0	SPCHAR or

DECIMAL 3855 9252 61680 8770 0 SPCCHAR  
 ( G M B )

defines character 0 in the SPRITE Descriptor Table. If your PATTERN and SPRITE Descriptor Tables overlap, use character numbers below 127 with caution.

To define a SPRITE, you must specify the dot column and dot row at which its upper left corner will be located, its color, a character number and a SPRITE number ( 0 - 31 ).

base	dc	dr	col	char	spr#	instr	
HEX	6B	4C	5	10	1	SPRITE	or
DECIMAL	107	76	5	16	1	SPRITE	

( G M B )

defines SPRITE #1 to be located at column 107 and row 76, to be lt. blue and to begin with character 16. Its size will depend on the magnification factor.

Once a SPRITE has been created, changing its pattern, color or location is trivial.

base	char#	spr#	instr	
HEX	14	1	SPRPAT	or
DECIMAL	20	1	SPRPAT	

( G M B )

will change the pattern of SPRITE #1 to character number 20.

base	col	spr#	instr	
HEX	C	2	SPRCOL	or
DECIMAL	12	2	SPRCOL	

will change the color of SPRITE #1 to dk. green.

base	dc	dr	spr#	instr
------	----	----	------	-------

# T I F O R T H

HEX	28	4F	1	SPRFUT	or
DECIMAL	40	79	1	SPRPUT	

( G M B )

will place SPRITE #1 at column 40 and row 79.

## SPRITE AUTOMOTION

In GRAPHICS or MULTI-COLOR mode, SPRITES may be set in AUTOMOTION. That is, having assigned them horizontal and vertical velocities and set them in motion, they will continue moving with no further instruction.. SPRITE automotion is only available in GRAPHICS and MULTICOLOR modes.

Velocities from HEX 0 to 7F are positive velocities (down for vertical and right for horizontal), and from FF to 80 are taken as two's complement negative velocities.

base	xv	yv	spr#	instr	
HEX	FC	6	1	MOTION	or
DECIMAL	-4	6	1	MOTION	

( G M )

will assign SPRITE #1 a horizontal velocity of -4 and a vertical velocity of 6, but will not actually set them into motion.

After you assign each SPRITE you want to use a velocity, you must execute the word #MOTION to set the SPRITES in motion. #MOTION expects to find on the stack the highest SPRITE number you are using - 1.



```

no  instr
-----
6  #MOTION
    ( G M )

```

will set SPRITES #0 - #5 in motion.

```

no  instr
-----
0  #MOTION

```

will stop all SPRITE AUTOMOTION, but motion will resume when another #MOTION instruction is executed.

Once a SPRITE is in motion, you may wish to find out its horizontal and vertical position on the screen at a given time.

```

spr# instr
-----
2  SPRGET
    ( G M B )

```

will return on the stack the horizontal position of SPRITE #2 underneath the vertical position. The SPRITE does NOT have to be in AUTOMOTION to use this instruction.

#### DISTANCE AND COINCIDENCES BETWEEN SPRITES

It is possible to determine the distance between two SPRITES or between a SPRITE and a point on the screen. This capability comes in handy when writing game programs.

```

spr# instr  name
-----
1  4  SPRDIST
    ( G M B )

```

returns on the stack the SQUARE of the distance between

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SPRITE #2 and SPRITE #4.

base	dc	dr	spr#	instr
DECIMAL	65	21	5	SPRDISTXY

( G M B )

returns the SQUARE of the distance between SPRITE #5 and the point ( 65,21 ).

A coincidence occurs when two SPRITES become positioned directly on top of one another. That is, their upper left corners reside at the same point. Because this condition rarely occurs when SPRITES are in AUTOMOTION you can set a tolerance limit for coincidence detection. For example, a tolerance of 3 would report a coincidence whenever the two sprites upper left corners came within 3 dot positions of each other.

To find a coincidence between two SPRITES, the FORTH word COINC is used.

spr#	spr#	tol	instr
7	9	2	COINC

( G M B )

will detect a coincidence between SPRITES #7 and #9 if their upper left corners passed within 2 dot positions of each other. If a coincidence is found, a true flag is left on the stack. If not, a false flag is left.

Detecting a coincidence between a SPRITE and a point is similar.

```

base   dc  dr spr# tol instr
-----
DECIMAL 63 29  8   3 COINCKY
                ( G M B )

```

will detect a coincidence between SPRITE #8 and the point ( 63,29 ) with a tolerance of 3. A true or false flag will again be left on the stack.

Both of the above instructions will detect a coincidence between non-visible parts of the SPRITES. That is, you may not be able to SEE the coincidence.

Another instruction is used to detect only VISIBLE coincidences. It, however, will not detect coincidences between a select two SPRITES, but will return a true flag when ANY two SPRITES collide. This instruction is COINCALL, and requires no arguments.

### DELETING SPRITES

As you might have noticed, SPRITES do not go away when you clear the rest of the screen with CLS. Special instructions must be used to remove SPRITES from the display.

```

sprit# instr
-----
1  DELETE
    1 1 1

```

will remove SPRITE #2 from the screen by altering its description in the SPRITE Attribute List ( see VDP Memory

Map in Ch. 4 ). It does not remove the velocity of SPRITE #2 from the SPRITE Motion Table, nor does it alter the number of SPRITES the computer thinks it is dealing with. In other words, if you were to redefine SPRITE #2, it would immediately begin moving with whatever speed the old SPRITE #2 had.

DELALL  
( G M B )

on the other hand, will remove all SPRITES from the screen, and from memory. DELALL needs no parameters. Only the SPRITE Descriptor Table will remain intact after this instruction is executed.

### MULTICOLOR GRAPHICS

MULTICOLOR MODE allows you to display kaleidoscopic graphics. Each character position on the screen consists of 4 smaller squares which can each be a different color. A cluster of these characters produces a kaleidoscope when the colors are changed rapidly.

After entering MULTICOLOR MODE, it is necessary to initialize the screen. The MINT instruction will accomplish this. It needs no parameters.

When in MULTICOLOR MODE, the columns are numbered 0-63 and rows are numbered 0-47. A multicolor character is 1/4 the size of a standard character; therefore more of them fit across and down the screen.

To define a multicolor character, you must specify a color and a position ( column, row ), and then execute the word MCHAR.

base	color	col	row	instr
HEX	3	1A	2C	MCHAR
DECIMAL	11	26	44	MCHAR

The above instruction will place a lt. yellow square at ( 26,44 ).

To change a character's color, simply define a different color MCHAR with the same position. In other words, cover the existing character.

USING JOYSTICKS

The JOYST instruction allows you to use Joysticks in your FORTH program. JOYST requires only one parameter; a Keyboard number. The Keyboard number tells the computer which Joystick or which side of the Keyboard to scan for input. When Keyboard #1 is specified, both Joystick #1 and the left side of the Keyboard are scanned. When Keyboard #2 is specified, Joystick #2 and the right side of the Keyboard are scanned. A "Key Pad" exists on each side of the Keyboard and may be used in place of Joysticks. The following program shows some ways to use this function.

When Joystick #1 is specified:

T I F O R T H

Q        W        E        R  
fire    diag. up    diag.

         S        D  
         left right

         Z        X        C  
         diag. down diag.

Legal input keys on the LEFT side of the Keyboard. Q is used as the FIRE button.

When Joystick #2 is specified:

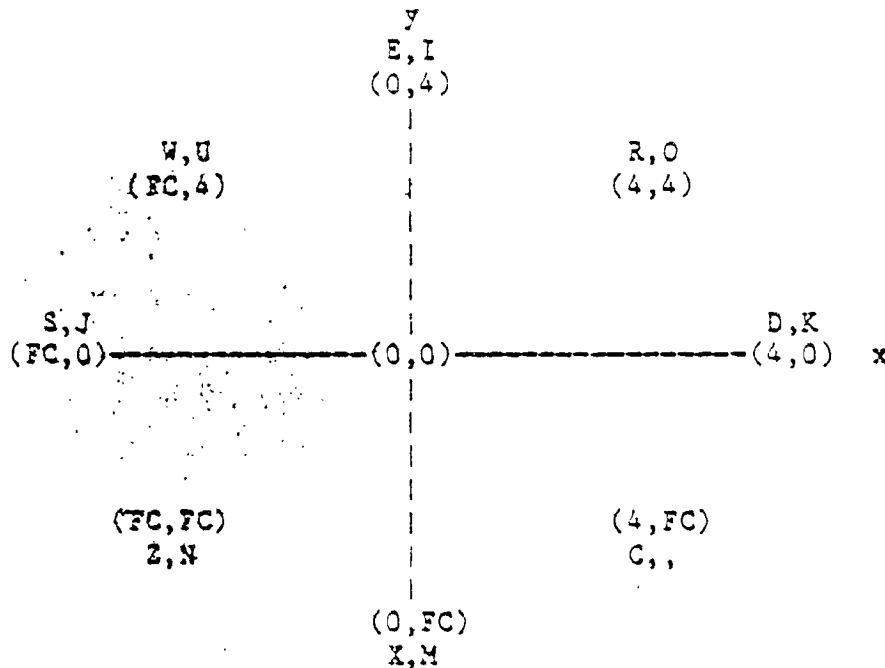
Y        U        I        O  
fire    diag. up    diag.

         J        K  
         left right

         N        M        ,  
         diag. down diag.

Legal input keys on the RIGHT side of the Keyboard. Y is used as the FIRE button.

The JOYST instruction returns 3 numbers on the stack: an ASCII code ( on the bottom of the stack ), an X Joystick status, and a Y Joystick status ( on the top of the stack ). The Joystick positions are illustrated in the following diagram.



Hex FC equals decimal 252.

The capital letters indicate which keys on the left and right side of the keyboard return these values.

\*\*\*\*NOTE\*\*\*\* The ascii value of all FIRE buttons is 18.

If no Keyboard key is pressed, the returned values will be an ascii code 255, and the current X and Y Joystick positions. If a Keyboard key was pressed, the ascii value of that key will be returned along with its translated directional meaning ( see above diagram ).

If an illegal Keyboard key is pressed, three 0's will be returned. If the FIRE button is pressed, an ascii 18 along with two 0's will be returned.

If you are using JOYST in a loop, do not forget to POP or otherwise use the three numbers left on the stack before calling JOYST again. A stack overflow will result if you do not.

DOT GRAPHICS

High resolution (dot) graphics are available in GRAPHICS2, SPLIT, and SPLIT2 modes. In GRAPHICS2 mode, it is possible to independently define each of the 49152 pixels on the screen. SPLIT and SPLIT2 modes allow you to define the upper two thirds or the lower five sixths of the pixels.

Three dot drawing modes are available:

- 1) DRAW - plots dots in the 'on' state
- 2) UNDRAW - plots dots in the 'off' state
- 3) DTOG - toggles dots between the 'on' and 'off' state. If the dot is 'on', DTOG will turn it 'off' and vice-versa.

The value of a variable called DMODE controls which drawing mode you are in. If DMODE=0, you are in DRAW mode. If DMODE=1, you are in UNDRAW mode, and if DMODE=2, you are in DTOG mode.

To actually plot a dot on the screen, the DOT instruction is used. You must specify the dot column and dot row of the pixel you wish to plot.

base	dc	dr	instr
DECIMAL	34	12	DOT

will plot or unplot, depending on the value of DMODE, a dot at position ( 34,12 ).



The default color for dots is white on transparent. The screen color default is black. To alter the foreground and background color of the dots you plot, you must modify the value of the variable DCOLOR. The value of DCOLOR should be two HEX digits where the first digit specifies the foreground color and the second specifies a background color. Why do you need a background color for a dot? There is a simple explanation. Each dot represents one bit of a byte in memory. Any bit in the byte that is turned 'on' displays the foreground color while the others take on the background color. Usually, you would specify the background color to be transparent.

The FORTE instruction LINE allows you to easily plot a line between ANY two points on the BIT-MAP portion of the screen. You must specify a dot column and a dot row for each of the two points.

base	dc1	dr1	dc2	dr2	instr
DECIMAL	23	12	56	78	LINE

The above instruction will plot a line from left to right between ( 23,12 ) and ( 56,78 ). The LINE instruction calls DOT to plot each point therefore, you must press `MODE` and `DCOLOR` before using `LINE`.

SPECIAL SOUNDS

Two special sounds can be used to enhance your graphics application. The first is called BEEP and produces a pleasant high pitched sound. The other, called HONK, produces a less pleasant low tone. To use these noises in your program, simply type the name of the sound you want to hear. No parameters are needed.

CONSTANTS AND VARIABLES USED IN GRAPHICS PROGRAMMING

The following constants and variables are defined in the GRAPHICS routines. The value of COLTAB, PDT, SATR, SMTN, and SPDTAB must be changed if you are operating in GRAPHICS2, SPLIT, or SPLIT2 mode. See the VDP Memory Map in Chapter 4.

name	type	description	default
COLTAB	C	VDP address of Color Table	HEX 380
DMODE	V	Dot graphics drawing mode	0
PDT	C	VDP address of Pattern Desc. Table	HEX 800
SATR	C	VDP address of Sprite Attrib. Table	HEX 300
SMTN	C	VDP address of Sprite Motion Table	HEX 780
SPDTAB	C	VDP address of Sprite Desc. Table	HEX 800

## CHAPTER 7

THE FLOATING POINT SUPPORT PACKAGEWORDS INTRODUCED IN THIS CHAPTER

>ARG	FO<	FMUL
>F	FO=	FOVER
>FAC	F<	FSUB
?FLERR	F=	FSWAP
ATN	F>	LNT
COS	F@	LOG
EXP	FAC->S	PI
F!	FAC>	S->F
F*	FAC>ARG	S->FAC
F+	FADD	SETFL
F-	FDIV	SIN
F->S	FDUP	SQR
F.	FF.	TAN
F.R	FF.R	VAL
F/	FLERR	

The floating point package is designed to make it easy to use the Radix 100 floating point package available in ROM in the TI-99/4A console. Normal use of these routines does not require the user to understand the implementation. For those users desiring to improve the efficiency of these operations by optimizing the code for this implementation the details are given in the latter portion of this chapter.

The floating point numbers in the 99/4A occupy 4 words (8 bytes) each. In order to simplify stack manipulations with these numbers the following stack manipulation words are presented: `FDUP`, `FDROP`, `FENTER`, `LEND`, `FMSAVE`. Floating point numbers can be stored and fetched by using the `F!` and `F@` words. The user must ensure that adequate storage is allocated for these numbers ( e.g. `0 VARIABLE annn 6 ALLOT`

could be used. VARIABLE allots 2 bytes. )

The following words put floating point numbers on the stack so that the above operations can be used. A 16-bit number can be converted to floating point by using the S->F word. It functions by replacing the 16-bit number on the stack by a floating point number of equal value. Its inverse is F->S which starts with a floating point number on the stack and leaves a 16-bit integer. In addition the word >F can be used from the console or in a colon definition to convert a string of characters to a floating point number. Note that >F is independent of the current value of BASE. The string is always terminated by a blank or carriage return. The following are examples:

FLOATING POINT NUMBER ENTRY

```
>F 123          or    123 S->F
>F 123.456
>F -123.456789
>F 1.234E-6
>F 9876E88
>F 0            or    0 S->F
```

Floating point arithmetic can now be performed on the stack just as it is with integers. The four arithmetic operators are: F+ , F- , F\* and F/ . The word PI is available to place 3.141592653590 on the stack.

Comparisons between floating point numbers and testing against zero are provided by the following words. They are used just like their 16-bit counterparts except that the numbers tested are floating point.

### FLOATING POINT COMPARISON WORDS

---

FO< True if f1 on stack is negative  
 FO= True if f1 on stack is zero  
 F> ( f11 f12 --- f ) f is true if f11 > f12  
 F= ( f11 f12 --- f ) f is true if f11 = f12  
 F< ( f11 f12 --- f ) f is true if f11 < f12

The word F. is used to print the floating point number on the top to the stack to the terminal. The format used is identical to that used by BASIC:

- 1) Integers representable exactly are printed without a trailing decimal,
- 2) Fixed point format is used for numbers in range and
- 3) Exponential (scientific) format is used for very large or very small numbers.

If the floating point numbers are to be output in a table the word F.R can be used to right justify it in a field of width R where R is a 16-bit word added to the top of the stack for this purpose.

Two additional words are used for more specific formatting. They are FF. and FF.R . FF. requires two integers on the stack above the floating point number. They control the maximum number of digits to convert and the number of digits following the decimal point. FF.R adds the printing field width to this to make a total of three integers

( f1 max-digits dig-after-. field width --- )

The following transcendental functions are also available:

TRANSCENDENTAL FUNCTIONS

INT	f11 — f12	Returns largest integer not larger than the input
	f11 f12 — f13	F13 is f11 raised to the f12 power
SQR	f11 — f12	F12 is the square root of f11
EXP	f11 — f12	F12 is e (2.718281828...) raised to the f11 power
LOG	f11 — f12	F12 is the natural log of f11
COS	f11 — f12	F12 is the cosine of f11 (in radians)
SIN	f11 — f12	F12 is the sin of f11 (in radians)
TAN	f11 — f12	F12 is the tangent of f11 (in radians)
ATN	f11 — f12	F12 is the arctangent (in radians) of f11.

CAUTION! A conflict exists when using transcendentals and floating point prints while in bit-map mode. The contents of the VDP Rollout Area ( >3C0 - >3DF ) must be saved before a transcendental or floating point print is executed, and restored upon completion.

\*\* NOTE: The transcendentals also use the area known as the stack for VSPTR (See VDP Memory Map in Ch. 4). This area is pointed to by >836E.

The remainder of the chapter will address the interface to the floating point routines in the console in greater detail and is not necessary for most floating point use.

The floating point routines use two memory locations in the console CPU ram as floating point registers. They are called FAC (for floating point accumulator) and ARG (for argument register). FORTE has two constants with these same names that can be used to access these locations directly. The words >FAC and >ARG move floating point data from the

stack to these two locations. FAC> is used to move data from FAC to the stack. Each of the binary floating point operations require that two numbers be moved from the stack to FAC and ARG. SETFL does this by calling >FAC and >ARG . The words FADD , FSUB , FMUL and FDIV each use the values in FAC and ARG and leave the result in FAC as they perform the floating point arithmetic functions.

When conversion from 16-bit integer to floating point is performed, it is done in the FAC . If the user desires the result to remain there rather than to be brought back to the stack the word S->FAC can be used.

Several miscellaneous words include FAC->S to convert the contents of FAC to a 16-bit integer on the stack. FAC>ARG moves the contents of FAC to ARG . VAL is used to convert a string at PAD to a floating point number. FLERR is used to fetch the contents of the floating point error register (see Editor/Assembler manual) to the stack. If there is a possibility of a floating point error condition ?FLERR can be used to test for and flag such a condition.

## CHAPTER 8

ACCESS TO FILE I/O USING 99/4A DEVICE SERVICE ROUTINESWORDS INTRODUCED IN THIS CHAPTER

APPND	I/OMD	REC-NO
CHAR-CNT!	LNPT	RLTV
CHAR-CNT@	INTRNL	RSTR
CHK-STAT	LD	SCRTOH
CLR-STAT	N-LEN!	SET-PAB
CLSE	OPN	SQNTL
DLT	OUTPT	STAT
DOI/O	PAB-ADDR	SV
DSPLY	PAB-BUF	SWCH
F-D"	PAB-VBUF	UNSWCH
FILE	PUT-FLAG	UPDT
FXD	RD	VRBL
GET-FLAG	REC-LEN	WRT

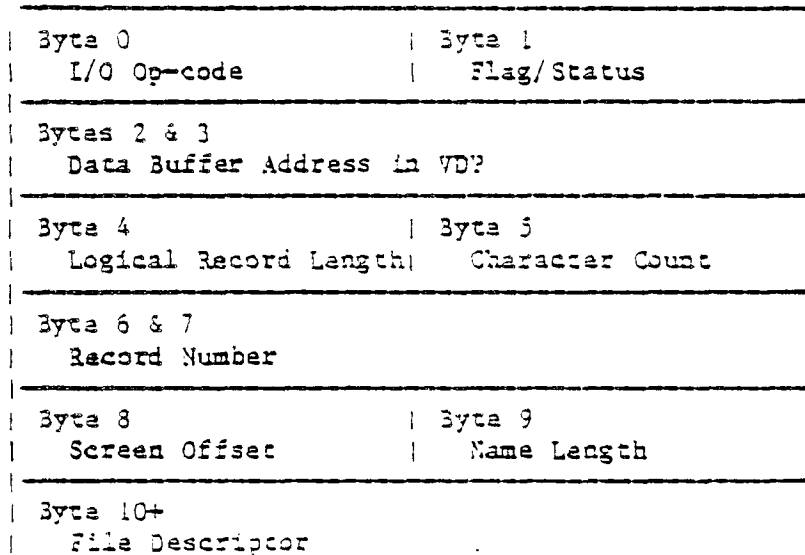
This chapter will explain the means by which different types of data files native to the 99/4A are accessed with TI-FORTH. To further illustrate the material, two commented examples have been included on the last pages of this chapter. The first demonstrates the use of a Relative disk file, and the other a Sequential RS232 file.

A group of FORTH words has been included in this version of TI FORTH to permit a FORTH program to reference common data with BASIC or Assembly Language programs. These words implement the file system described in the TI BASIC and EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manuals. Note that the diskette on which you received your TI FORTH system is NOT a standard diskette and that you should perform file I/O to/from disks that are recognized by the disk manager. The diskette contains FORTH SCREENS.



Before any file access can be achieved, a Peripheral Access Block (PAB) must be set up which describes the device and file to be accessed. Most of the words in this chapter are designed to make manipulation of the PAB as easy as possible.

A PAB consists of 10 bytes of VDP RAM plus as many bytes as the device name to be accessed. An area of VDP RAM has been reserved for this purpose (consult the VDP Memory Map in Chapter 4) The user variable PABS points to the begining of this region. DO NOT use the first 2 bytes of this area as they are used by FORTH in its FORTH-style disk access. Adequate space is provided for many PABs in this area. The following diagram illustrates the structure of a PAB.



All Device Service Routines (DSRs) on the 99/4A expect to perform data transfers to/from the VDP RAM. Since FORTH is using CPU RAM it means that the data will be moved twice in the process of reading or writing a file. Three variables are defined in the FILE I/O words to keep track of these memory areas.

VARIABLES USED BY FILE I/O

---

PAB-ADDR	Points into VDP RAM to first byte of the PAB
PAB-BUF	Points into CPU RAM to first byte in FORTH'S memory where allocation has been made for this buffer
PAB-VBUF	Points into VDP RAM to first byte of a region of adequate length to store data temporarily while it is transferred between the file and FORTH. The area of VDP which is used for this purpose is labeled "UNUSED" on the VDP Memory Map in Chapter 4. If working in bit-map mode, be cautious as to where PAB-VBUF is placed.

The word FILE is a defining word and permits you to create a word which is the name by which the file will be known. A decision must be made as to the location of each of the above buffers before the word FILE may be used. The values to be used for the above variables are placed on the stack in the above order followed by FILE and the file name (not necessarily the device name). For Example:

USING THE DEFINING WORD 'FILE'

---

0 VARIABLE MY-BUF 78 ALLOT	( Create 80 character buffer )
PABS @ 10 +	( PAB starts 10 bytes into )
	( region for PABS [ PAB-ADDR ] )
MY-BUF	( Location of PAB-BUF )
6000	( A free area for PAB-VBUF )
FILE JOE	( Whenever the word JOE is )
	( executed, the FILE I/O variables )
	( will be set as defined here.)
JOE	( Use the word before using any )
	( other FILE I/O words )

The word that creates the PAB skeleton is SET-PAB. It creates a PAB at the address shown in PAB-ADDR and zeros it except for the buffer address slot. Into this it places the contents of the variable PAB-VBUF.

Files on the 99/4A have various characteristics which are indicated by keywords. The following table describes the available options. The example in the back of the chapter will be helpful in that it shows at what time in the procedure these words are used. Use only the attributes which apply to your file and ignore the others. Remember, if you are using multiple files then the one referenced is the one most recently named.

FILE ATTRIBUTE WORDS

Attribute Type	Options		Description
	From BASIC	From FORTH	
File Type	SEQUENTIAL	SQNTL	* Records may only be accessed in sequential order Accessed in sequential or random order. Records must be of fixed length
	RELATIVE	RLTV	
Record Type	FIXED	FXD	* All records in the file are the same length Records in the same file may have different lengths
	VARIABLE	VRBL	
Data Type	DISPLAY	DSPLY	* File contains printable or displayable characters File contains data in machine format
	INTERNAL	INTRNL	
Mode of Operation	INPUT	INPT	File contents can be read from but not written to
	OUTPUT	OUTPT	
	UPDATE	UPDT	* File contents can be written to and read from Data may be added to end of file but cannot be read
	APPEND	APPND	

\* Default if attribute is not specified

To specify the record length for a file, the desired length should be on the stack when the word REC-LEN is executed. The length will be placed in the PAB. Every file must have a name to specify the device and file to be accessed. This is performed with the the F-D" word which enters the File Description in the PAB. F-D" must be followed by a string describing the file and terminated by a " mark. Here are a few examples of the use of F-D".

T I F O R T H

F-D" RS232.BA=9600"  
 F-D" DSK2.FILE-ABC"

The actual I/O operations are performed by the following words. The table gives the usual BASIC keyword associated with the corresponding FORTH word. Here, as in the previous table, the FORTH words are spelled differently than the BASIC words to avoid a conflict with one or more existing FORTH words.

WORDS THAT PERFORM FILE I/O		
From BASIC	From FORTH	DSR Opcode
OPEN	OPN	0
CLOSE	CLSE	1
READ	RD	2
WRITE	WRT	3
RESTORE	RSTR	4
LOAD	LD	5
SAVE	SV	6
DELETE	DLT	7
SCRATCH	SCRATCH	8
STATUS	STAT	9

OPN opens the file specified by the currently selected PAB. CLSE works similarly for closing a file.

Before using the RD, WRT, and SCRATCH instructions with a Relative file, you must place the desired record number into the PAB. To do this, place the record number on the stack and execute the word REC-NO. If your file is Sequential, you need not do this.

The RD instruction will transfer the contents of the record into your PAB-BUF and leave a character count on the stack. WRT takes a character count from the stack and moves

that number of characters from the PAB-BUF to the desired file. RSTR takes a record number from the stack and restores a relative file to that record. LD and SV are used to read and write program files respectively. They each require a byte count on the stack. For SV this is the number of bytes to save; for LD it is the maximum number of bytes to read. Both of these commands expect or place the data in the VDP RAM at the address specified in PAB-VBUF. OPN and CLSE need not be used with LD and SV. DLT is used to delete a file. SCRATCH is used to remove a relative record. It requires a record number on the stack. STAT returns the status of the specified device/file.

The words GET-FLAG, PUT-FLAG, CLR-STAT, CHK-STAT, I/OMD, CHAR-CNT!, CHAR-CNT@, N-LEN! and DOI/O are available for the advanced user and their utility will be obvious to that user when the definitions on disk are examined.

Examples of File I/O in use are available on the SCREENS that define the Alternate I/O capabilities for printing to the RS232.

#### ALTERNATE INPUT AND OUTPUT

The words SWCH and UNSWCH make it possible to send output that would normally go to the terminal to a printer. For example, the LIST instruction normally outputs to the monitor. By typing

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OPN opens the file specified by the currently selected PAB. CLSE works similarly for closing a file.

Before using the RD, WRT, and SCRATCH instructions with a Relative file, you must place the desired record number into the PAB. To do this, place the record number on the stack and execute the word REC-NO. If your file is Sequential, you need not do this.

The RD instruction will transfer the contents of the record into your PAB-BUF and leave a character count on the stack. WRT takes a character count from the stack and moves

FILE I/O EXAMPLE #1: Relative Disk File

Instruction	Comment
HEX	Change number base to Hexadecimal
0 VARIABLE BUFR 3E ALLOT	Create space for a 64 byte buffer which will be the PAB-BUF
PABS @ A +	PAB starts 10 bytes into PABS. This will be the PAB-ADDR
BUFR 1700	Place the PAB-BUF and PAB-VBUF on stack in preparation for FILE
FILE TESTFIL	Associates the name TESTFIL with these three parameters
TESTFIL	File name must be executed before using any other File I/O words
SET-PAB	Create PAB skaleton
RLTV	Make TESTFIL a Relative file
FXD	Records will be of Fixed length
DSPLY	Records will contain printable information
40 REC-LEN	Record length is 64 ( >40) bytes
F-D" DSK2.TEST"	Will create a disk file called TEST
OPN	Open the file

. . . . .

To write more than one record to the file, it is necessary to write a procedure. This routine may be composed on a FORTH SCREEN beforehand and loaded at this time.

: FIL-WRT TESTDATA	TESTDATA is ASSUMED to be the beginning memory address of the information to be written to the file
10 0 DO	Want to write 16 ( >10) records
DUP	Duplicate address
BUFR 40 CMOVE	Move 64 bytes of the information into the PAB-BUF
I REC-NO	Place record number into PAB
40 WRT	Write one 64 byte record to the disk
40 +	Increment address for next record
LOOP DROP	Clear stack
	End definition



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FIL-WRT  
4 REC-NO RD

BUFR 40 DUMP

CLSE

Execute writing procedure  
Choose a record number to read  
( 4 is chosen here ) to  
verify correct output. A byte  
count will be left on the stack  
and the read information will be  
in BUFR  
Print out the read information  
to the monitor.  
( DUMP routines must be loaded )  
Close the file

FILE I/O EXAMPLE #2: Sequential RS232 File

Instruction	Comment
HEX	Change number base to Hexadecimal
0 VARIABLE MY-BUF 4E ALLOT	Create a 80 character PAB-BUF
PABS @ 30 +	Skip over previous PAB. This will be the PAB-ADDR
MY-BUF 1900	Place the PAB-BUF and PAB-VBUF on stack in preparation for FILE
FILE PRNTR	Associates the name PRNTR with these three parameters
PRNTR	File name must be executed before using any other File I/O words
SET-PAB	Create a PAB skeleton
DSPLY	PRNTR will contain printable information
SQNTL	PRNTR may be accessed only in Sequential order
VRBL	Records may have variable lengths
50 REC-LEN	Maximum record length is 80 char.
P-D" RS232.3A=9600"	PRNTR will be an RS232 file. Baud rate = 9600.
OPN	Open the file

. . . . .

A procedure is necessary to write more than one record to a file. A file-write routine may be composed on a FORTH SCREEN beforehand and loaded at this time. The following is a simple example.

: PRNT FILE-INFO	FILE-INFO is assumed to be the beginning address in memory of the information to be sent to the printer
20 0 DO	Will write 32 records
DUP	Duplicate address
MY-BUF 50 MOVE	Move 80 characters from FILE-STUFF to MY-BUF
50 WRT	Write one record to printer
50 +	Increment address on stack
LOOP DROP	Clear stack
	End definition
PRNT	Execute write procedure
CLOSE	Close the file called PRNTR

## CHAPTER 9

THE TI FORTH 9900 ASSEMBLER

The assembler supplied with your TI FORTH system is typical of assemblers supplied with fig-FORTH systems. It provides the capability of using all of the opcodes of the 9900 as well as the ability to use structured assembly instructions. It uses no labels. The complete FORTH language is available to the user to assist in macro type assembly, if desired. The assembler uses the standard FORTH convention of Reverse Polish Notation for each instruction. For example the instruction to add register 1 to register 2 is:

```
1 2 A,
```

As can be seen in the above example, the 'add' instruction mnemonic is followed by a comma. Every opcode in this FORTH assembler is followed by a comma. The significance is that when the opcode is reached during the assembly process, the instruction is compiled into the dictionary. The comma is a reminder of this compile operation. It also serves to assist in differentiating assembler words from the rest of the words in the TI FORTH language. A complete list of FORTH style instruction mnemonics is given in the following table.

## 9900 ASSEMBLY MNEMONICS

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A,	JEQ,	RSET,
AB,	JGT,	RTWP,
ABS,	JH,	S,
AI,	JHE,	SB,
ANDI,	JL,	SBO,
B,	JLE,	SBZ,
BL,	JLT,	SETQ,
BLWP,	JMP,	SLA,
C,	JNC,	SOC,
CB,	JNE,	SOCB,
CI,	JNO,	SRA,
CKOF,	JOC,	SRC,
CKON,	JOP,	SRL,
CLR,	LDCR,	STCR,
COC,	LI,	STST,
CZC,	LIMI,	STWP,
DEC,	LREX,	SWPB,
DECT,	LWPI,	SZC,
DIV,	MOV,	SZCB,
IDLE,	MOVB,	TB,
INC,	MPY,	X,
INCT,	NEG,	XOP,
INV,	ORI,	XOR,

These words are all available when the assembler is loaded. Only the word C, conflicts with the existing FORTH vocabulary.

Most assembly code in FORTH will probably use FORTH's workspace registers. The following table describes the register allocation. The user may use registers 0 through 7 for any purpose. They are used as temporary registers only within FORTH words which are themselves written in 9900 assembly code.

FORTH'S WORKSPACE REGISTERS

Reg Name	Usage
0	\
1	
2	
3	\ These registers are available.
4	/ They are used only within FORTH
5	words written in CODE.
6	
7	/
UP	Points to base of USER VARIABLE area
SP	Parameter Stack Pointer
W	Inner Interpreter current Word pointer
ll	LINKage for subroutines in CODE routines
l2	Used for CRU instructions
IP	Interpretive Pointer
RP	Return stack Pointer
NEXT	Points to NEXT instruction fetch routine

When the assembler is loaded, it is loaded into the ASSEMBLER vocabulary. To use the assembler, type ASSEMBLER to make it the context vocabulary. Assembly definitions begin with either the word CODE or ;CODE These are used in the following way:

```
ASSEMBLER
CODE    EXAMPLE
```

This begins the definition of a code routine named EXAMPLE. The above words would be followed by assembly mnemonics as desired. ;CODE is used as very much like the word DOES> :

# T I F O R T H

```
ASSEMBLER
: DEF-WRD
```

```
.
. an existing defining word must be included
. here to create the dictionary header.
```

```
;CODE
assembly mnemonics
```

Later when the newly created defining word DEF-WRD is executed in the following form, a new word is defined.

```
DEF-WRD TEST
```

This will create the word TEST which has as its execution procedure the code following ;CODE .

We will now introduce those words that permit this assembler to perform the various addressing modes of which the 9900 is capable. Each of the remaining examples will show both the FORTH assembler code for various instructions and the more conventional method of coding the same instructions.

## WORKSPACE REGISTER ADDRESSING

Forth	Conventional Assembler
CODE EX1	DEF EX1
1 2 A,	EX1 A R1,R2
3 INC,	INC R3
3 FFFC ANDI,	ANDI R3,>FFFC
NEXT,	B *R15

Symbolic addressing is done with the @() word. It is used after the address.

## SYMBOLIC MEMORY ADDRESSING

Forth	Conventional Assembler
0 VARIABLE VAR1	VAR1 BSS 2
5 VARIABLE VAR2	VAR2 DATA 5
CODE EX2	DEF EX2
VAR2 @() 1 MOV,	EX2 MOV @VAR2,R1
1 2 SRC,	SRC R1,2
1 VAR1 @() S,	S R1,@VAR1
VAR2 @() VAR1 @() SOC,	SOC @VAR2,@VAR1
NEXT,	B *R15

Workspace Register Indirect addressing is done with the \*? word. It is used after the register number to which it pertains.

## WORKSPACE REGISTER INDIRECT ADDRESSING

Forth	Conventional Assembler
2000 CONSTANT XRAM	XRAM EQU >2000
CODE EX3	DEF EX3
1 XRAM LI,	EX3 LI R1,XRAM
1 *? 2 MOV,	MOV *R1,R2
NEXT,	B *R15

Workspace Register Indirect Autoincrement addressing is done with the \*?+ word. It is also used after the register to which it pertains.

## WORKSPACE REGISTER INDIRECT AUTOINCREMENT ADDRESSING

Forth	Conventional Assembler
2000 CONSTANT XRAM	XRAM EQU >2000
CODE EX4	DEF EX4
1 XRAM LI	EX4 LI R1,XRAM
1 *?+ 2 MOV	MOV *R1+,R2
NEXT	B *R15

The final addressing type is Indexed Memory addressing. This is performed with the @(?) word used after the Index and register as shown below:

INDEXED MEMORY ADDRESSING

Forth	Conventional Assembler
2000 CONSTANT XRAM	XRAM EQU >2000
CODE EX5	DEF EX5
XRAM 1 @(?) 2 MOV,	EX5 MOV @XRAM(R1),R2
XRAM 22 + 2 @(?)	MOV XRAM+22@(2),XRAM+26@(2)
XRAM 26 + 2 @(?) MOV,	
NEXT,	NEXT,

In order to make addressing modes easier for the W, RP, IP, SP, UP and NEXT registers, the following words are available and eliminate the need to enter the register name separately.

ADDRESSING MODE WORDS FOR SPECIAL REGISTERS

Register	Addr	Indirect	Indexed	Indirect Autoincrement
W		*W	@(W)	*W+
RP		*RP	@(RP)	*RP+
IP		*IP	@(IP)	*IP+
SP		*SP	@(SP)	*SP+
UP		*UP	@(UP)	*UP+
NEXT		*NEXT	@(NEXT)	*NEXT+

This assembler also permits the user to write unstructured (label-less) code. This is done in a manner very similar to the way that FORTRAN implements conditional constructs. The major difference is that rather than taking a value from the stack and using it as a true/false flag, the processor's condition register is used to determine



whether or not to jump. The following structured constructs are implemented:

STRUCTURED ASSEMBLER CONSTRUCTS

---

```
IF, ... ENDF,
IF, ... ELSE, ... ENDF,
BEGIN, ... UNTIL,
BEGIN, ... AGAIN,
BEGIN, ... WHILE, ... REPEAT,
```

The three conditional words in the previous list ( IF, UNTIL, WHILE, ) must each be preceded by one of the following jump tokens:

ASSEMBLER JUMP TOKENS

Token	Comment
EQ	True if = ( uses JNE )
GT	True if signed > ( uses JGT \$+1 JMP )
GTE	True if signed > or = ( uses JLT )
H	True if unsigned > ( uses JLE )
HE	True if unsigned > or = ( uses JL )
L	True if unsigned < ( uses JHE )
LE	True if unsigned < or = ( uses JH )
LT	True if signed < ( uses JLT \$+1 JMP )
LTE	True if signed < or = ( uses JGT )
NC	True if No Carry ( uses JOC )
NE	True if equal bit not set ( uses JEQ )
NO	True if No Overflow ( uses JNO \$+1 JMP )
NP	True if Not odd Parity ( uses JOP )
OC	True if Carry bit is set ( uses JNC )
OO	True if Overflow ( uses JNO )
OP	True if Odd Parity ( uses JOP \$+1 JMP )

The following example is designed to show how these jump tokens and structured constructs are used.

ASSEMBLY EXAMPLE FOR STRUCTURED CONSTRUCTS

Forth	Conventional Assembler
( GENERALIZED SHIFTER )	* GENERALIZED SHIFTER
CODE SHIFT	DEF SHIFT
*SP+ 0 MOV,	SHIFT MOV *SP+,R0
NE IF,	JEQ L3
*SP 1 MOV,	MOV *SP,R1
0 ABS,	ABS R0
GTE IF,	JLT L1
1 0 SLA,	SLA R1,0
ELSE,	JMP L2
1 0 SRL	L1 SRL R1,0
ENDIF,	
1 *SP MOV,	L2 MOV R1,*SP
ENDIF,	
NEXT,	L3 B *NEXT

One word of caution is in order. The structured constructs shown above do not check to ensure that the jump target is within range ( +127, -128 words ). This will be a problem only with very large assembly language definitions and will violate the FORTH philosophy of small, easily understood words.

## CHAPTER 10

INTERRUPT SERVICE ROUTINES ( ISR's )

The TI-99/4A has a built-in ability to execute an interrupt routine every 1/60 second. This facility has been extended by the TI FORTH system so that the routine to be executed at each interrupt period may be written in FORTH rather than in assembly language. This is an advanced programming concept and its use depends on the user's knowledge of the TI-99/4A.

The User Variables ISR and INTLNK are provided to assist the user in using ISR's. Initially, they each contain the address of the link to the FORTH ISR handler. To correctly use User Variable ISR the following steps should be followed:

INSTALLING A FORTH LANGUAGE INTERRUPT SERVICE ROUTINE

- 1) Create and test a FORTH routine to perform the function
- 2) Determine the Code Field Address (CFA) of the routine in !
- 3) Write the CFA from 2 into ISR
- 4) Write the contents of INTLNK into (hex) 8304 (decimal) 33732

The ISR linkage mechanism is designed so that your interrupt service routine will be allowed to execute immediately after each time the FORTH system executes a NEXT instruction (as it does at the end of each code word). In addition, the NEXT routine has been coded so that it also executes when any key is pressed (whether or not a key has been pressed).

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Before installing an ISR you should have some idea of how long it takes to execute, keeping in mind that for normal behavior it should execute in less than 16 milliseconds. ISRs that take longer than that may cause erratic sprite motion and sound because of missed interrupts. In addition it is possible to bring the FORTH system to a slow crawl by using about 99% of the processor's time for the ISR.

The ISR capability has obvious applications in game software as well as for playing background music or for spooling screens from disk to printer while other activities are taking place. This final application will require that disk buffers and user variables for the spool task be separate from the main FORTH task, or a very undesirable cross-fertilization of buffers may result. In addition it should be mentioned that disk activity causes all interrupt service activity to halt.

ISRs in FORTH can be written as either colon definitions or as CODE definitions. The former permits very easy routine creation, and the latter permits the same speed capabilities as routines created by the Editor/Assembler. Both types can be used in a single routine to gain the advantages of both.

An example of a simple ISR is given below. This example also illustrates some of the problems associated with ISRs and how they can be circumvented. The problems

are:

- 1) A contention for PAD between a normal FORTH command and the ISR routine.
- 2) Long execution time for the ISR routine.  
( Even simple routines, especially if they include output conversion routines or other words that nest FORTH routines very deeply, will not complete execution in 1/60 second. )

These problems are overcome by moving PAD in the interrupt routine to eliminate the interference between the foreground and the background task. The built-in number formatting routines are quite general and hence pay a performance penalty. This example performs this conversion rather crudely, but fast enough that there is adequate time remaining in each 1/60th second to do meaningful computing.

#### AN EXAMPLE OF AN INTERRUPT SERVICE ROUTINE

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```

0 VARIABLE TIMER      ( TIMER WILL HOLD THE CURRENT COUNT )
: UP 100 ALLOT ;      ( MOVE HERE AND THUS PAD UP 100 BYTES )
: DOWN -100 ALLOT ;   ( RESTORE PAD TO ITS ORIGINAL LOCATION )
: DEMO UP             ( MOVE PAD TO AVOID CONFLICT )
  1 TIMER +! TIMER @ ( INC TIMER, LEAVE ON STACK )
  PAD DUP 5 +         ( READY TO LOOP FROM PAD-5 DOWN TO PAD+1 )
  DO
    0 10 U/          ( MAKE POSITIVE DOUBLE, GET 1ST DIGIT )
    SWAP 48 +        ( GENERATE ASCII DIGIT )
    I C!             ( STORE TO PAD )
  -1 +LOOP           ( DECREMENT LOOP COUNTER )
  PAD 1+ SCRN_START @ 5 VMBW ( WRITE TO SCREEN )
  DOWN ;            ( RESTORE PAD LOCATION )

```

To illustrate this use the following code say so

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## INSTALLING THE ISR

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```

INTLNK @      ( GET THE ISR 'HOOK' TO THE STACK )
' DEMO CFA    ( GET CFA OF THE WORD TO BE INSTALLED AS ISR )
ISR !        ( PLACE IT IN USER VARIABLE ISR )
83C4 !       ( PUT ISR HOOK INTO CONSOLE INTERRUPT ROUTINE )
              ( NOTE: THE CFA MUST BE IN USER VARIABLE ISR )
              ( BEFORE WRITING TO 83C4 )

```

To reverse the installation of the ISR one can either write a 0 to 83C4 or place the CFA of NOP ( a do nothing instruction ) in User Variable ISR.

Some additional thoughts concerning the use of ISR's:

- 1) ISRs are uninterruptable. Interrupts are disabled by the code that branches to your ISR routine and they are not enabled until just before branching back to the foreground routine. Do not enable interrupts in your interrupt routine.
- 2) Caution must be exercised when using PAD, changing user variables, or using disk buffers in an ISR, as these activities will likely interfere with the foreground task unless duplicate copies are used in the two processes.
- 3) An ISR must never expect nor leave anything on the stacks. It may however use them in the normal manner during execution.
- 4) Disk activity stops interrupts as do most of the other DSRs in the 99/4A. An ISR that is installed will not execute during the time interval in which disk data transfer is active. It will resume after the disk is finished. Note that it is possible to LOAD from disk while the ISR is active. It will wait for about a second each time the disk is accessed. The dictionary will grow with the resultant movement of PAD without difficulty.

## CHAPTER 11

POTPOURRI

Your TI FORTH system has a number of additional features that will be discussed in this chapter. These include a facility to save and load binary images of the dictionary so that applications need not be recompiled each time they are used. Also available are a group of CRU (Communications Register Unit) instructions and a version of MESSAGE that does not require a disk to display the standard error messages.

BLOAD and BSAVE

The word BSAVE is used to save binary images of the dictionary. BSAVE requires two entries on the stack:

- 1) The lowest memory address in the dictionary image to be saved to disk.
- 2) The SCREEN number to which the saved image will be written.

BSAVE will use as many SCREENS as necessary to save the dictionary contents from the address given on the stack to HERE. These are saved with 1000 bytes per SCREEN until the entire image is saved. BSAVE returns on the stack the number of the first available SCREEN after the image.

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Each SCREEN of the saved image has the following format:

Byte #	Contents
0 - 1	Address at which the first image byte of this screen will be placed.
2 - 3	DP for this memory image.
4 - 5	Contents of CURRENT.
6 - 7	Contents of CURRENT @ .
8 - 9	Contents of CONTEXT.
10 - 11	Contents of CONTEXT @ .
12 - 13	Contents of VOC-LINK.
14	The letter "t".
15	The letter "i".
16 - 23	Not used.
24 - 1023	Up to 1000 bytes of the memory image.

BLOAD is part of your TI FORTH kernel and does not have to be loaded before you can use it. It reverses the BSAVE process and makes it possible to bring in an entire application in seconds. BLOAD expects a SCREEN number on the stack. Before performing the BLOAD function the 14th and 15th bytes are checked to see that they contain the letters "ti". If they do, the load proceeds and BLOAD returns a 0 on the stack signifying a successful load. If the letters "ti" are not found, then the BLOAD is not performed and a 1 is returned. This facility permits a conditional binary load to be performed and if it fails (wrong disk etc.) other actions can be performed.

Because the BLOAD and BSAVE facility is designed to start the save ( and hence the load ) at a user supplied address, a complete "overlay" structure can be implemented. The user must ensure that when part of the dictionary is



brought in, the remainder of the dictionary ( older part ) is identical to that which existed when the image was saved.

To save an entire application to the disk starting with screen 30, the user would enter the following into the TI FORTH system:

```
TASK 30 BSAVE
```

The number of the next available screen will be printed. To reload this application you would place on Screen 3 (the auto boot screen):

```
30 BLOAD
```

### CONDITIONAL LOADS

The word CLOAD has been included in your system to assist in easily managing the process of loading the proper support routines for an application without compiling duplicates of support routines into the dictionary.

CLOAD calls the words <CLOAD>, WLITERAL, and SLIT.

Their functions are described briefly as follows:

<CLOAD> performs the primary CLOAD function and is executed or compiled by CLOAD depending on STATE.

SLIT is a word designed to handle String Literals during execution. Its purpose is to put the address of the string in the stack and keep the FORTH Instruction Pointer over it.

WLITERAL is used to compile SLIT and the desired character string into the current dictionary definition.

## T I F O R T H

To use CLOAD there must always be a SCREEN number on the stack. The word CLOAD must be followed by the word whose conditional presence in the dictionary will determine whether or not the SCREEN number on the stack is loaded.

27 CLOAD FOO

This instruction, for example, will load SCREEN 27 only if a dictionary search, (FIND), fails to find FOO . FOO should be the last word loaded by the command 27 LOAD .

It is also possible to use CLOAD to abort the LOADING of a screen. This is done by using the command:

0 CLOAD TESTWORD

If this line of code was located on screen 50, and the word TESTWORD was in the present dictionary, the load would abort just as if a ;S had been encountered.

Caution must be exercised when using BASE->R and R->BASE with CLOAD as these will cause the return stack to be polluted if a LOAD is aborted and the BASE->R is not balanced by a R->BASE at execution time.

### MEMORY RESIDENT MESSAGES

If the user desires, he may elect to use a version of MESSAGE which is provided on the system disk ( SCP 34 ). This version is spelled with lower case "message" . The purpose of this version is to avoid having to place the

messages on the diskette in DR0 . The code to install this version is supplied on the same SCREENS with the routine. Installing "message" will remove the 5th disk buffer from the system and use that memory for storing the error messages. It will then place a patch in the old version of MESSAGE to cause it to branch to the new routine. Caution must be exercised if COLD is executed with the new version in place, as COLD will restore the 5th buffer but will not unpatch the old version of MESSAGE. After performing the COLD, you must either reinstall the new "message" or unpatch the old version of MESSAGE prior to the system using the word MESSAGE . Failure to do this will cause a CRASH. To repatch MESSAGE, the first two words in the Parameter field must be restored to be the CFA's of WARNING and @ .

#### CRU WORDS

Five words have been included to assist in performing CRU related functions. They allow the FORTH programmer to perform the LDCR, STCR, TB, SBO and SBZ operations of the 9900 without using the assembler. The functions of these words will be apparent when someone familiar with these instructions on the 9900 examines their definitions in the GLOSSARY.

APPENDIX A

ASCII KEYCODES

( Mapping of keystrokes to ASCII sequential order )

character	ascii code		character	ascii code	
	hex	decimal		hex	decimal
NUL (c-,)	00	0	SP	20	32
SOH (c-A) f-7	01	1	!	21	33
STX (c-B) f-4	02	2	" f-P	22	34
ETX (c-C) f-1	03	3	#	23	35
EOT (c-D) f-2	04	4	\$	24	36
ENQ (c-E) f-4	05	5	%	25	37
ACK (c-F) f-8	06	6	&	26	38
BEL (c-G) f-3	07	7	' f-O	27	39
BS (c-H) f-5	08	8	(	28	40
HT (c-I) f-D	09	9	)	29	41
LF (c-J) f-X	0A	10	*	2A	42
VT (c-K) f-E	0B	11	+	2B	43
FF (c-L) f-6	0C	12	,	2C	44
CR (c-M)	0D	13	-	2D	45
SO (c-N) f-5	0E	14	.	2E	46
SI (c-O) f-9	0F	15	/	2F	47
DLE (c-P)	10	16	0 c-0	30	48
DC1 (c-Q)	11	17	1 c-1	31	49
DC2 (c-R)	12	18	2 c-2	32	50
DC3 (c-S)	13	19	3 c-3	33	51
DC4 (c-T)	14	20	4 c-4	34	52
NAK (c-U)	15	21	5 c-5	35	53
SYN (c-V)	16	22	6 c-6	36	54
ETB (c-W)	17	23	7 c-7	37	55
CAN (c-X)	18	24	8	38	56
EM (c-Y)	19	25	9 f-Q f-	39	57
SUB (c-Z)	1A	26	: f-/	3A	58
ESC (c-.)	1B	27	; c-/	3B	59
FS (c-;)	1C	28	< f-0	3C	60
GS (c-#)	1D	29	= f-;	3D	61
RS (c-@)	1E	30	> f-B	3E	62
US (c-9)	1F	31	? f-H	3F	63

\*\*NOTE\*\* f- press function key  
 c- press control key

continued on next table

ASCII KEYCODES (continued from previous page)

character	ascii code		character	ascii code	
	hex	decimal		hex	decimal
Q	40	64	`	60	96
A	41	65	a	61	97
B	42	66	b	62	98
C	43	67	c	63	99
D	44	68	d	64	100
E	45	69	e	65	101
F	46	70	f	66	102
G	47	71	g	67	103
H	48	72	h	68	104
I	49	73	i	69	105
J	4A	74	j	6A	106
K	4B	75	k	6B	107
L	4C	76	l	6C	108
M	4D	77	m	6D	109
N	4E	78	n	6E	110
O	4F	79	o	6F	111
P	50	80	p	70	112
Q	51	81	q	71	113
R	52	82	r	72	114
S	53	83	s	73	115
T	54	84	t	74	116
U	55	85	u	75	117
V	56	86	v	76	118
W	57	87	w	77	119
X	58	88	x	78	120
Y	59	89	y	79	121
Z	5A	90	z	7A	122
[	5B	91	{	7B	123
\	5C	92		7C	124
]	5D	93	}	7D	125
^	5E	94	~	7E	126
_	5F	95	DEL	7F	127

\*\*NOTE\*\*  
 f- press function key  
 c- press control key

APPENDIX B

ASCII KEYCODES

( Mapping of keystrokes to ASCII in keyboard order )

control key	hex	decimal	function key	hex	decimal
c-1	31	49	f-1	03	3
c-2	32	50	f-2	04	4
c-3	33	51	f-3	07	7
c-4	34	52	f-4	02	2
c-5	35	53	f-5	0E	14
c-6	36	54	f-6	0C	12
c-7	37	55	f-7	01	1
c-8	1E	30	f-8	06	6
c-9	1F	31	f-9	0F	15
c-0	30	48	f-0	3C	60
c-#	1D	29	f-#	05	5
c-Q	11	17	f-Q	39	57
c-W	17	23	f-W	7E	126
c-E	05	5	f-E	0B	11
c-R	12	18	f-R	5B	91
c-T	14	20	f-T	5D	93
c-Y	19	25	f-Y	46	70
c-U	15	21	f-U	5E	94
c-I	09	9	f-I	5F	95
c-O	0F	15	f-O	27	39
c-P	10	16	f-P	22	34
c-/	3B	59	f-/	3A	58
c-A	01	1	f-A	7C	124
c-S	13	19	f-S	08	8
c-D	04	4	f-D	09	9
c-F	06	6	f-F	7B	123
c-G	07	7	f-G	7D	125
c-H	08	8	f-H	3E	62
c-J	0A	10	f-J	40	64
c-K	0B	11	f-K	41	65
c-L	0C	12	f-L	42	66
c-;	1C	28	f-;	3D	61
c-Z	1A	26	f-Z	5C	92
c-X	18	24	f-X	0A	10
c-C	03	3	f-C	60	96
c-V	16	22	f-V	7F	127
c-B	02	2	f-B	1E	30
c-N	0E	14	f-N	4E	78
c-M	0D	13	f-M	4F	79
c-.	1B	27	f-.	39	57

\*\*NOTE\*\* f- press function key  
c- press control key

APPENDIX C

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE FORTH IN "STARTING FORTH" AND TI FORTH

PAGE	WORD	CHANGES REQUIRED
10	BACKSPACE	Function-S produces a BACKSPACE on the TI 99/4A.
10	OK	TI FORTH automatically prints a space before OK.
16		The TI FORTH dictionary can store names up to 31 characters in length.
18	^	Not a special character in TI FORTH.
18	."	Will execute inside or outside a colon definition in TI FORTH.
42	/MOD	Uses signed numbers in TI FORTH. Remainder has sign of dividend.
42	MOD	Uses signed numbers in TI FORTH. Remainder has sign of dividend.
50	.S	This word is available on the TI FORTH disk. The TI FORTH version prints a vertical bar (   ) followed by the stack contents. The stack contents will be printed as unsigned numbers. To use the definition shown you must make the following change because of vocabulary differences: in place of 'S use SP@ 2- .
52	2SWAP	This word is not in TI FORTH but can be created with the following definition: : 2SWAP ROT >R ROT R> ;
52	2DUP	This word is not in TI FORTH but can be created with the following definition: : 2DUP OVER OVER ;
52	2OVER	This word is not in TI FORTH but can be created with the following definition: : 2OVER SP@ 6 + @ SP@ 6 + @ ;
52	2DROP	This word is not in TI FORTH but can be created with the following definition: : 2DROP DROP DROP ;
57		When you redefine a word that is already in the dictionary, TI FORTH will issue a message saying "WORD isn't unique". In this example, a message saying "GREET isn't unique" would appear.

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- 60 TI FORTH supports 90 screens per disk. (numbered 0-89)
- 63-82 The TI FORTH Editor is different ( much better ) than the editor described in this section. Read the section of your TI FORTH manual describing the Editor.
- 83 DEPTH See comments for page 50.
- 84 COPY TI FORTH has a disk based word SCOPY ( screen copy ) which is exactly like COPY ; e.g.  
: COPY SCOPY ;
- 84-85 Ignore Editor words.
- 89if THEN THEN is in the TI FORTH vocabulary and is a synonym for the word ENDIF . Many people find ENDIF less confusing than THEN .
- 91 0> This word is not in TI FORTH but can be created with the following definition:  
: 0> 0 > ;
- 91 NOT This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: NOT 0= ;
- 101 ?DUP This word is identical to -DUP in TI FORTH. Use the following definition if necessary:  
: ?DUP -DUP ;
- 101if ABORT" As with the FORTH-79 Standard, TI FORTH provides ABORT instead of ABORT" .
- 102 ?STACK In TI FORTH this word automatically calls ABORT and prints the appropriate error message.
- 107 2\* This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2\* DUP + ;
- 107 2/ This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2/ 1 SRA ;
- 108 NEGATE This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: NEGATE MINUS ;
- 110 I This word exists in TI FORTH but also has a duplicate definition. R. I and R are identical in function.
- 110 I' This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition: (NOTE: R is synonym for I)  
: I' R> R> R SWAP >R SWAP >R ;



- 112 If you will notice, there is a . (print) missing in the QUADRATIC definition. You must add a . after the last + to make QUADRATIC work correctly.
- 112 Ignore the last two paragraphs. They do not apply.
- 131 Just a reminder ! You must define 2DUP and 2DROP before the COMPOUND example may be used.
- 132 There is a mistake in the second definition of TABLE. It should look like this:  

```
: TABLE CR 11 1 DO
      11 1 DO I J * 5 U.R LOOP CR LOOP ;
```
- 134 When you execute the DOUBLING example, an extra number will be printed after 16384. This is because +LOOP behaves a little differently in TI FORTH.
- 136 In the definition of COMPOUND, the CR should precede SWAP instead of LOOP.
- 137 **XX** When an error is detected in TI FORTH, the stack is cleared but then the contents of BLK and IN are saved on the stack to assist in locating the error. The stack may be completely cleared with the word SP! .
- 142 **PAGE** This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  

```
: PAGE CLS 0 0 GOTOXY ;
```
- 161 **U/MOD** This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  

```
: U/MOD U/ ;
```
- 161 **/LOOP** This word is not in TI FORTH.
- 162 **OCTAL** OCTAL does not exist in TI FORTH. See if on pg. 163 for definition.
- 164-165 Numbers in TI FORTH may only be punctuated with periods. Commas, slashes, and other marks are not permitted. Any number containing a period ( . ) is considered double-length. In later examples using D. and UD., replace all punctuation in the inputs with decimal points. It is recommended that you not place more than one decimal place in each number if you want valid output.
- 166 **IS** This word is already defined in TI FORTH.
- 167 **D-** This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  

```
: D- DMINUS D- ;
```

173 DNEGATE This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : DNEGATE DMINUS ;

173 DMAX This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : DMAX 2OVER 2OVER D- SWAP DROP 0<  
 IF 2SWAP ENDIF  
 2DROP ;

173 DMIN This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : DMIN 2OVER 2OVER 2SWAP D- SWAP DROP 0<  
 IF 2SWAP ENDIF  
 2DROP ;

173 D= This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : D= D- 0= SWAP 0= AND ;

173 DO= This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : DO= 0. D= ;

173 D< This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : D< D- SWAP DROP 0< ;

173 DU< This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : DU< ROT SWAP OVER OVER  
 U<  
 IF ( DETERMINED LESS USING HIGH ORDER HALVES )  
 DROP DROP DROP DROP 1  
 ELSE ( TEST IF HIGH HALVES EQUAL )  
 =  
 IF ( EQUAL SO JUST TEST LOW HALVES )  
 U<  
 ELSE ( TEST FAILS )  
 DROP DROP 0  
 ENDIF  
 ENDIF ;

174 M+ This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
 : M+ 0 D+ ;

174 M/ This word is different in TI FORTH and can be changed with following definition:  
 : M/ M/ SWAP DROP ;

- 174 M\*/ Not available in TI FORTH because no triple precision arithmetic has been included. This could be created using either a relatively complicated colon definition or by using the Assembler included with TI FORTH.
- 183ff Variables in TI FORTH are required to be initialized at creation, thus the word variable takes the top item on the stack and places it into the variable as its initial value e.g. 12 VARIABLE DATE both creates the variable DATE and initializes it to 12 . If desired, the advanced user can use the words <BUILDS and DOES> to create a new defining word, VARIABLE which has exactly the behavior of VARIABLE as used in this section. The code to do this is:  
: VARIABLE <BUILDS 0 , DOES> ;
- 193 2VARIABLE This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2VARIABLE <BUILDS 0. , , DOES> ;  
This definition does NOT require a number to be on the stack when it is executed.
- 193 2! This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2! >R R ! R> 2+ ! ;
- 193 2@ This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2@ >R R 2+ @ R> @ ;
- 193 2CONSTANT This word is not in TI FORTH, but can be created with the following definition:  
: 2CONSTANT <BUILDS , , DOES> 2@ ;  
This definition does NOT require a number on the stack.
- 199 You must place a 0 on the stack before executing VARIABLE COUNTS 10 ALLOT. This, however, initializes only the first element of the array COUNTS to 0. You must execute either the FILL or ERASE instruction at the bottom of the page to properly initialize the array.
- 204 DUMP TI FORTH already has a dump instruction which must be loaded from the disk. DUMPS are always printed in HEX. See APPENDIX D for location of DUMP.
- 207 CREATE The CREATE word of TI FORTH behaves somewhat differently. Hackers should consult file-FORTH documentation.
- 216 EXECUTE Because this word operates a little differently in TI FORTH, it must be preceded by the word IF. The example should read:  
' GREET CPA EXECUTE

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- 217           The example illustrating indirect execution must be modified to work in TI FORTH:  
           ' GREET CFA POINTER !            POINTER EXECUTE
- 218   [']       In TI FORTH this word is unnecessary as the word ' will take the following word of a definition when used in a definition.
- 219   NUMBER     In TI FORTH NUMBER is always able to convert double precision numbers.
- 219   'NUMBER    TI FORTH does not use 'NUMBER to locate the NUMBER routine.
- 220            In TI FORTH the name field is variable length and contains up to 31 characters. Also, the link field precedes the name field in TI FORTH.
- 225   EXIT       This word is ;S in TI FORTH. ;S is the word compiled by ; so to create EXIT we might use:  
           : EXIT [COMPILE] ;S ; IMMEDIATE
- 225   I           In TI FORTH, the "interpreter pointer" is called IP, not I.
- 232            See Chapter 4 in the TI FORTH manual for instructions for loading elective blocks.
- 232   RELOAD     This instruction is not available in TI FORTH.
- 233   H           This word is DP ( dictionary pointer ) in TI FORTH.
- 235   'S          In TI FORTE, SP@ is used instead of 'S.
- 240            See APPENDIX E in the TI FORTH manual for a complete list of user variables.
- 240   >IN         This word is IN in TI FORTH.
- 245   LOCATE     TI FORTH does not support LOCATE.
- 256   COPY       In TI FORTH, this word is SCOPY. SCOPY is disk resident. See APPENDIX D for location.
- 259   [']        Change the ['] to ' in the bottom example. In TI FORTH, ' will compile the address of the next word in the colon definition.
- 261   NOTYPE     Unnecessary in non-multi-programmed systems. Not present in TI FORTH.

- 265 RND TI FORTH has two disk resident random number generators: RND and RNDW. See APPENDIX D for locations and descriptions. See also definitions for SEED and RANDOMIZE.
- 266 MOVE In TI FORTH, MOVE moves u words in memory, not u bytes. MOVE can be redefined to conform to "Starting FORTH":  
: MOVE 2/ MOVE;
- 266 <CMOVE Not present in TI FORTH. Must be created with the assembler if required. This word is used only when the source and destination regions of a move overlap and the destination is higher than the source.
- 270 WORD In TI FORTH, the word WORD does not leave an address on the stack.
- 270 TEXT This word is not available in TI FORTH, but can be defined as follows:  
: TEXT PAD 72 BLANKS PAD HERE - 1-  
DUP ALLOT MINUS SWAP WORD ALLOT ;  
If you want the count to also be stored at pad, remove the 1- from the definition.
- 277 >BINARY This is named (NUMBER) in TI FORTH.
- 277 Because WORD does not leave an address on the stack, it is necessary to redefine PLUS as follows:  
: PLUS 32 WORD DROP NUMBER + ." = " . ;
- 279 NUMBER This definition of NUMBER is not compatible with TI FORTH.
- 281 -TEXT Not in TI FORTH. Use the definition on page 283.
- 292 TI FORTH uses the word pair <BUILDS ... DOES> to define a new defining word. <BUILDS calls CREATE as part of its function.
- 297 To create a byte ARRAY in TI FORTH:  
: ARRAY <BUILDS OVER , \* ALLOT  
DOES> DUP @ ROT \* + + 2+ ;
- 298 Just a reminder ! Don't forget to define 2\* before trying the example at the bottom of the page. Also, replace the word CREATE with <BUILDS .
- 301 (DO) This is the runtime behavior of DO just as listed. (DO) is not used, however.
- 301 DO The given definition of DO is not compatible with TI FORTH. TI FORTH's definition of DO is much more complex because of compile time error checking.

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303 (LITERAL) The TI FORTE name for this word is LIT .

306 TI FORTH remains in compilation mode until a ; is typed.

APPENDIX D

THE TI FORTH GLOSSARY

EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS

<u>ABBR</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
addr, addr1, ...	memory address
b	byte
c	column position
cccc	string representation
cfa	code field address
ch	ascii character code
cnt	count ( length )
d, d1, d2, ...	double precision number
dc, dc1, dc2, ...	dot column position
dr, dr1, dr2, ...	dot row position
dsk	refers to DSK1, DSK2, or DSK3
f	boolean flag
ff	boolean false flag
fl, fl1, fl2, ...	floating point number
lfa	link field address
mod	modulo
n, n1, n2, ...	single precision signed number
nfa	name field address
nnnn	string representation
pfa	parameter field address
r	row position
rem	remainder
scr#	screen number
spr#	sprite number
tf	boolean true flag
tol	tolerance limit
u	unsigned single precision number
ud	unsigned double precision number
vaddr	VDP address

!                    n   addr   —                    RESIDENT

Store 16 bits of n at address. Pronounced "STORE".

!"                    addr   —                    SCR 39    -COPY

A string terminated with a " must follow this word. This string will be stored at the specified address, however, the character count is not stored.

!CSP                    —                    RESIDENT

Save the stack position in CSP. Used as part of the compiler security.

#                    d1   —    d2                    RESIDENT

Generate from a double number d1, the next ASCII character which is placed in an output string. Result d2 is the quotient after division by BASE, and is maintained for further processing. Used between <# and #>. See #S.

#>                    d   —    addr   cnt                    RESIDENT

Terminates numeric output conversion by dropping d, leaving the text address and character count suitable for TYPE.

#MOTION                    n   —                    SCR 59    -GRAPH

Sets SPRITES number 0 to n-1 in AUTOMOTION.

#S                    d1   —    d2                    RESIDENT

Generates ASCII text in the text output buffer, by the use of #, until a zero double number d2 results. Used between <# and #>.



— pfa

RESIDENT

Used in the form:

' nnnn

Leaves the parameter field address of dictionary word nnnn. As a compiler directive, executes in a colon definition to compile the address of a literal. If the word is not found after a search of CONTEXT and CURRENT, an appropriate error message is given. Pronounced "TICK".

—

RESIDENT

Used in the form:

( cccc)

Ignore a comment that will be delimited by a right parenthesis on the same screen. May occur during execution or in a colon-definition. A blank after the leading parenthesis is required.

("." )

—

RESIDENT

The run-time procedure, compiled by ." which transmits the following in-line text to the selected output device. See ."

(;CODE)

—

RESIDENT

The run-time procedure, compiled by ;CODE, that rewrites the code field of the most recently defined word to point to the following machine code sequence. See ;CODE.

(+LOOP)

n —

RESIDENT

The run-time procedure compiled by +LOOP, which increments the loop index by n and tests for loop completion. See +LOOP.

[ABORT]

—

RESIDENT

Executes after an error when ABORT is used. This word normally executes ABORT, but may be altered (with care) to a user's alternative procedure.

T I F O R T H

(DO) — RESIDENT

The run-time procedure compiled by DO which moves the loop control parameters to the return stack. See DO.

(DOES>) — RESIDENT

The run time procedure compiled by DOES>.

(FIND)      addr1   addr2   —   pfa b tf   (ok)   RESIDENT  
              addr1   addr2   —   ff            (bad)

Searches the dictionary starting at the name field address addr2, matching to the text at addr1. Returns parameter field address, length byte of name field, and boolean true for a good match. If no match is found, only a boolean false is left.

(LINE)            n   scr#   —   addr   cnt   RESIDENT

Convert the line number n and the screen scr# to the disk buffer address containing the data. A count of 64 indicates the full line text length.

(LOOP) — RESIDENT

The run-time procedure compiled by LOOP which increments the loop index and tests for loop completion. See LOOP.

(NUMBER)            d1   addr1   —   d2   addr2   RESIDENT

Convert the ASCII text beginning at addr1+1 with regard to BASE. The new value is accumulated into double number d1, being left as d2. Addr2 is the address of the first unconvertable digit. Used by NUMBER.

(OF) — RESIDENT

The run time procedure compiled by OF.

— — — — RESIDENT

Leave the signed product of two signed numbers.

\*/                    n1 n2 n3 --- n4                    RESIDENT

Leave the ratio  $n4=n1*n2/n3$  where all are signed numbers. Retention of an intermediate 31 bit product permits greater accuracy than would be available with the sequence :

n1 n2 \* n3 /

\*/MOD                    n1 n2 n3 --- n4 n5                    RESIDENT

Leave the quotient n5 and remainder n4 of the operation  $n1*n2/n3$  . A 31 bit intermediate product is used as for \*/.

+                    n1 n2 --- n3                    RESIDENT

Leave the sum of  $n1 + n2$ .

+!                    n addr ---                    RESIDENT

Add n to the value at the address. Pronounced "PLUS STORE".

-                    n1 n2 --- n3                    RESIDENT

Apply the sign of n2 to n1, which is left as n3.

-BUF                    addr1 --- addr2 f                    RESIDENT

Advance the disk buffer address addr1 to the address of the next buffer addr2. Boolean f is false when addr2 is the buffer presently pointed to by variable PREV.

+LOOP                    n1 --- (run)                    RESIDENT  
                          addr n2 --- (compile)

Used in a colon-definition in the form:

DO ... n1 +LOOP

At run time, +LOOP selectively controls branching back to the corresponding DO based on n1, the loop index and the loop limit. The signed increment n1 is added to the index and the total compared to the limit. The branch back to DO occurs until the new index is equal to or greater than the limit (n1>0), or until the new index is equal to or less than the limit (n1<0). Upon exiting the loop, the parameters are discarded and execution continues ahead.

At compile time, +LOOP compiles the run-time word (+LOOP) and the branch offset computed from HERE to the address left on the stack by DO. n2 is used for compile time error checking.

,                            n ---                            RESIDENT

Store n into the next available dictionary memory cell, advancing the dictionary pointer. (comma)

-                            n1 n2 --- n3                            RESIDENT

Leave the difference of n1 - n2.

→                            ---                            RESIDENT

Continue interpretation with the next disk screen.  
 Pronounced "NEXT SCREEN".

-DUP                    n1 --- n1                    (if zero)                    RESIDENT  
                          n1 --- n1 n1                    (non-zero)

Reproduce n1 only if it is non-zero. This is usually used to copy a value just before IF, to eliminate the need for an ELSE part to drop it.

-FIND                    --- pfa cnt f (found)            RESIDENT  
                          --- ff                    (not found)

Accepts the next text word (delimited by blanks) in the input stream to HERE, and searches the CONTEXT and then CURRENT vocabularies for a matching entry. If found, the dictionary entry's parameter field address, its length byte, and a boolean true are left. Otherwise, only a boolean false is left.

-TRAILING                addr n1 --- addr n2            RESIDENT

Adjusts the character count n1 of a text string beginning at addr to suppress the output of trailing blanks. i.e. the characters at addr+n1 to addr+n2 are blanks.

.                        n ---                        RESIDENT

Print a number from a signed 16 bit two's complement value, converted according to the numeric BASE. A trailing blank follows. Pronounced "DOT".

."                        ---                        RESIDENT

Used in the form:

." cccc"

Compiles an in-line string cccc (delimited by the trailing " ) with an execution procedure to transmit the text to the selected output device. If executed outside a definition, ." will immediately print the text until the final ". See (.").

.LINE                    n scr# ---                    RESIDENT

Print on the terminal device, a line of text from the disk by its line (n) and screen number. Trailing blanks are suppressed.

.                        n    n ---                        RESIDENT

Print the number n1 right aligned in a field whose width is n2. No following blank is printed.

.S

SCR 43 -DUMP

Prints the entire contents of the parameter stack as unsigned numbers in the current BASE.

/ n1 n2 — n3 RESIDENT

Leave the signed quotient of n1/n2.

/MOD n1 n2 — rem n3 RESIDENT

Leave the remainder and signed quotient of n1/n2. The remainder has the sign of the dividend.

0 1 2 3 — n RESIDENT

These small numbers are used so often that it is attractive to define them by name in the dictionary as constants.

< n — f RESIDENT

Leave a true flag if the number is less than zero (negative), otherwise leave a false flag.

= n — f RESIDENT

Leave a true flag if the number is equal to zero, otherwise leave a false flag.

OBRANCH f — RESIDENT

The run-time procedure to conditionally branch. If f is false (zero), the following in-line parameter is added to the interpretive pointer to branch ahead or back. Compiled by IF, UNTIL, and WHILE.

1+ n1 — n2 RESIDENT

Increment n1 by 1.

1- n1 — n2 RESIDENT

Decrement n1 by 1.

2+                    n1 --- n2                    RESIDENT

Leave n1 incremented by 2.

2-                    n1 --- n2                    RESIDENT

Leave n1 decremented by 2.

:                    ---                    RESIDENT  
SCR 44           -TRACE

Used in the form called a colon-definition:

: cccc    ...    ;

Creates a dictionary entry defining cccc as equivalent to the following sequence of FORTH word definitions '...' until the next ';' or ';CODE'. The compiling process is done by the text interpreter as long as STATE is non-zero. Other details are that the CONTEXT vocabulary is set to the CURRENT vocabulary and that words with the precedence bit set (P) are executed rather than being compiled.

When colon definitions are compiled under the TRACE option, : takes on an alternate definition which allows the colon definition to be traced.

;                    ---                    RESIDENT

Terminates a colon-definition and stops further compilation. Compiles the run-time ;S.

;CODE

—

SCR 74

-CODE

Used in the form:

```

: cccc ... ;CODE
assembly mnemonics

```

Stop compilation and terminate a new defining word cccc by compiling (;CODE). Set the CONTEXT vocabulary to ASSEMBLER, assembling to machine code the following mnemonics.

When cccc later executes in the form:

```

cccc nnnn

```

the word nnnn will be created with its execution procedure given by the machine code following cccc. That is, when nnnn is executed, it does so by jumping to the code after nnnn. An existing defining word must exist in cccc prior to ;CODE.

;S

—

RESIDENT

Stop interpretation of a screen. ;S is also the run-time word compiled at the end of a colon-definition which returns execution to the calling procedure.

&lt;

```

n1 n2 — f

```

RESIDENT

Leave a true flag if n1 is less than n2; otherwise leave a false flag.

&lt;#

—

RESIDENT

Setup for pictured numeric output formatting using the words:

```

<# # #S SIGN #>

```

The conversion is done on a double number producing text at PAD.



<BUILDS

—

RESIDENT

Used within a colon-definition:

```

: cccc <BUILDS ...
      DOES> ... ;
    
```

Each time cccc is executed, <BUILDS defines a new word with a high level execution procedure. Executing cccc in the form:

```

cccc nnnn
    
```

uses <BUILD to create a dictionary entry for nnnn. When nnnn is later executed, it has the address of its parameter area on the stack and executes the words after DOES> in cccc. <BUILDS and DOES> allow run-time procedures to be written in high-level rather than in assembler code (as required by ;CODE).

<CLOAD>

—

SCR 21 BOOT SCR

The run-time procedure compiled by CLOAD.

=

```

n1 n2 --- :
    
```

RESIDENT

Leave a true flag if n1=n2; otherwise leave a false flag.

=CELLS

```

addr --- n2
    
```

RESIDENT

This instruction expects an address or an offset to be on the stack. If this number is odd, it is incremented by 1 to put it on the next even word boundary. Otherwise, it remains unchanged.

>

```

n1 n2 --- :
    
```

RESIDENT

Leave a true flag if n1 is greater than n2; otherwise leave a false flag.

=ARG

```

i ---
    
```

SCR 13 -FLOAT

Moves a floating point number from the stack into the AC register

>F                    — fl                                   SCR 48    -FLOAT

This instruction expects to be followed by a string representing a legitimate floating point number terminated by a space. This string is converted into floating point and placed on the stack. This instruction can be used in colon definitions or directly from the keyboard.

>FAC                   fl —                                   SCR 45    -FLOAT

Moves a floating point number from the stack into the FAC register.

>R                    n —                                   RESIDENT

Remove a number from the computation stack and place as the most accessible on the return stack. Use should be balanced with R> in the same definition.

?                    addr —                                   RESIDENT

Print the value contained at the address in free format according to the current BASE. This word must precede the address.

?COMP               —                                   RESIDENT

Issue error message if not compiling.

?CSP                —                                   RESIDENT

Issue error message if stack position differs from value saved in CSP.

?ERROR             f n —                               RESIDENT

Issue an error message number n, if the boolean flag is true.

?EXEC              —                                   RESIDENT

Issue an error message if not executing.

?FLERR                   —                   SCR 49     -FLOAT

Determines if the previous floating point operation resulted in an error. An appropriate error message is printed.

?KEY                   —     ch                   RESIDENT

Scans the keyboard for input. If no key is pressed, a 0 is left on the stack. Else, the ascii code of the key pressed is left on the stack.

?KEY8                   —     n                   RESIDENT

Scans the keyboard for input. If no key is pressed, a 0 is left on the stack. Else, the 8-bit code of the key pressed is left on the stack.

?LOADING               —                   RESIDENT

Issue an error message if not loading.

?PAIRS               n1 n2 —                   RESIDENT

Issue an error message if n1 does not equal n2. The message indicates that compiled conditionals do not match.

?STACK               —                   RESIDENT

Issue an error message if the stack is out of bounds.

?TERMINAL             —     f                   RESIDENT

Perform a test of the terminal keyboard for actuation of the break key. A true flag indicates actuation. On the TI 99/4A, the CLEAR key is used as the BREAK key.

@                   addr —     a                   RESIDENT

Leave the 16 bit contents of addr.

ASSEMBLER             —                   SCR 62     -ASSEMBLER

This word is compiled into the FORTH vocabulary and marks the end of the ASSEMBLER vocabulary. It is used by CLOAD.

ABORT

RESIDENT

Clear the stacks and enter the execution state. Return control to the operators terminal, printing an appropriate message.

ABS

n1 --- n2

RESIDENT

Leave the absolute value of n1 as n2.

AGAIN

addr n --- (compiling) RESIDENT

Used in a colon-definition in the form:

BEGIN ... AGAIN

At run-time, AGAIN forces execution to return to corresponding BEGIN. There is no effect on the stack. Execution cannot leave this loop (unless R> DROP is executed one level below).

At compile time, AGAIN compiles BRANCH with an offset from HERE to addr. n is used for compile-time error checking.

ALLOT

n ---

RESIDENT

Add the signed number to the dictionary pointer DP. May be used to reserve dictionary space or re-origin memory.

ALTIN

--- addr

RESIDENT

A user variable whose value is 0 if input is coming from the keyboard else its value is a pointer to the VDP address where the PAB for the alternate input device is located.

ALTOUT

--- addr

RESIDENT

A user variable whose value is 0 if output is going to the monitor else its value is a pointer to the VDP address where the PAB for the alternate output device is located.

AND

n1 n2 --- n3

RESIDENT

Leave the bitwise logical AND of n1 and n2 as n3.



BASE->R                    ---                    RESIDENT

Place the current base on the return stack. See R->BASE.

BEEP                        ---                    SCR 60        -GRAPH

Produces the sound associated with correct input or prompting.

BEGIN                      ---    addr   n    (compiling)    RESIDENT

Occurs in a colon-definition in the form:

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BEGIN    ...    UNTIL
BEGIN    ...    AGAIN
BEGIN    ...    WHILE    ...    REPEAT

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At run-time, BEGIN marks the start of a sequence that may be repetitively executed. It serves as a return point from the corresponding UNTIL, AGAIN, or REPEAT. When executing UNTIL, a return to BEGIN will occur if the top of the stack is false; for AGAIN and REPEAT a return to BEGIN always occurs.

At compile time, BEGIN leaves its return address and n for compiler error checking.

BL                         ---    ch                    RESIDENT

A constant that leaves the ascii value for "blank".

BLANKS                    addr   cnt   ---                    RESIDENT

Fill an area of memory beginning at addr with cnt blanks.

BLK                        ---    addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable containing the block number being interpreted. If zero, input is being taken from the terminal input buffer.

BLOAD                     scr#   ---    i                        RESIDENT

Loads the binary image at scr# which was created by BSAVE. BLOAD returns a true flag (1) if the load was NOT successful and a false flag (0) if the load WAS successful.

BLOCK                    n --- addr                    RESIDENT

Leave the memory address of the block buffer containing block n. If the block is not already in memory, it is transferred from disk to whichever buffer was least recently written. If the block occupying that buffer has been marked as updated, it is rewritten to disk before block n is read into the buffer. See also BUFFER, R/W, UPDATE, and FLUSH.

BOOT                    ---                    RESIDENT

Examines the SCREEN designated as the booting SCREEN (SCR 3). If it contains only displayable characters (32-127) it performs a LOAD on that SCREEN.

BRANCH                    ---                    RESIDENT

The run-time procedure to unconditionally branch. An in-line offset is added to the interpretive pointer IP to branch ahead or back. BRANCH is compiled by ELSE, AGAIN, and REPEAT.

BSAVE                    addr scr# --- scr#                    SCR 83    -BSAVE

Places in a binary image (starting at scr# and going as far as necessary) all dictionary contents between addr and HERE. The next available SCREEN number is returned on the stack. See BLOAD.

BUFFER                    n --- addr                    RESIDENT

Obtain the next memory buffer, assigning it to block n. If the contents of the buffer is marked as updated, it is written to the disk. The block is not read from the disk. The address left is the first cell within the buffer for data storage.

CI                    b addr ---                    RESIDENT

Store 3 bits at addr. Bytes always occupy the low order bits when on the stack.

C,                    b —                    RESIDENT

Store 8 bits of b into the next available dictionary byte, advancing the dictionary pointer. This instruction should be used with caution on byte addressing, word oriented computers such as the TI 9900.

C/L                    — n                    RESIDENT

Returns on the stack the number of characters per line.

C/LS                    — addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable whose value is the number of characters per line.

C3                    addr — b                    RESIDENT

Leave the 8 bit contents of the memory address on the stack.

CASE                    n —                    RESIDENT

Initiates the construct:

CASE...OF...ENDOF...ENDCASE

CFA                    pfa — cfa                    RESIDENT

Convert the parameter field address of a definition to its code field address.

CHAR                    n1 n2 n3 n4 ch —                    SCR 57    -GRAPH

Defines character # ch to have the pattern specified by the 4 words on the stack. The definition for character #0 by default resides at HEX 800. Each character definition is 8 bytes long.

CHAR-CNT:                    a —                    SCR 69    -FILE

Used in file C/C to score the character count of a record to be transmitted.



CHAR-CNTG                    --- n                    SCR 69    -FILE

Used in file I/O to retrieve the character count of a record that has been read.

CHARPAT                    ch --- n1 n2 n3 n4                    SCR 57    -GRAPH

Places the 4 word pattern of a specified character (ch) on the stack. By default, the definition for character #0 resides at HEX 800.

CHK-STAT                    ---                    SCR 68    -FILE

Checks for errors following an I/O operation. If an error has occurred, an appropriate message is printed.

CLEAR                    scr# ---                    RESIDENT

Fills the designated screen with blanks.

CLINE                    addr cnt n ---                    SCR 66    -64SUPPORT

Prints one line of tiny characters. CLINE expects on the stack the address of the line to be written in memory, the number of characters in that line, and the line number on which it is to be written on the output screen. CLINE calls SMASH to do the actual work. See SMASH and CLIST.

CLIST                    scr# ---                    SCR 66    -64SUPPORT

Lists the specified SCREEN in Tiny CHARacters to the monitor. CLIST executes a multiple call to CLINE. See CLINE and TCHAR.

CLOAD                    scr# ---                    SCR 21    BOOT SCR

Used in the form:

scr CLOAD nnnn

CLOAD will load screen scr# only if the word nnnn (the word loaded by scr#) is not in the SOURCE vocabulary. A screen number of 0 will suppress loading of the current screen if the specified word has already been compiled.

T I F O R T H

CLR-STAT            ---                            SCR 68    -FILE

Zeroes the status field of the PAB pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

CLS                    ---                            SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Clears display screen by filling the screen image table with blanks. The screen image table runs from SCRN\_START to SCRN\_END.

CLSE                   ---                            SCR 71    -FILE

Closes the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

CMOVE                 addr1 addr2 cnt ---            RESIDENT

Move the specified quantity of bytes beginning at addr1 to addr2. The contents of addr1 is moved first proceeding toward high memory.

CODE                   ---                            SCR 74    -CODE

A defining word initializing the definition of a code (assembly) word.

COINC                 spr# spr# tol --- f            SCR 61    -GRAPH

Detects a coincidence between two given SPRITES within a specified tolerance limit. A true flag indicates a coincidence.

COINCALL              --- f                            SCR 61    -GRAPH

Detects a coincidence between the visible portions of any two SPRITES on the screen. A true flag indicates a coincidence.

COINCXY               dc dr spr# tol --- f            SCR 61    -GRAPH

Detects a coincidence between a specified SPRITE and a given point in the screen. A true flag indicates a coincidence.

COLD                            ---                            RESIDENT

The COLD start procedure to adjust the dictionary pointer to the minimum standard and restart via ABORT. May be called from the terminal to remove application programs and restart. COLD calls BOOT prior to calling ABORT.

COLOR                            n1 n2 n3 ---                            SCR 58     -GRAPH

Causes a specified character set (n3) to have the given foreground (n1) and background (n2) colors.

COLTAB                            --- vaddr                            SCR 57     -GRAPH

A constant whose value is the beginning VDP address of the color table. The default value is HEX 380.

COMPILE                            ---                            RESIDENT

When the word containing COMPILE executes, the execution address of the word following COMPILE is copied (compiled) into the dictionary. This allows specific compilation situations to be handled in addition to simply compiling an execution address (which the interpreter already does).

CONSTANT                            n ---                            RESIDENT

A defining word used in the form:

n CONSTANT cccc

to create word cccc, with its parameter field containing n. When cccc is later executed, it will push the value of n to the stack.

CONTEXT                            --- addr                            RESIDENT

A user variable containing a pointer to the vocabulary within which dictionary searches will first begin.

COS                            fil --- fil                            SCR 50     -FLOAT

Performs the cosine operation on values floating point result on the stack.

COUNT                      addr1 --- addr2 n                      RESIDENT

Leave the byte address (addr2) and byte count (n) of a message text beginning at addr1. It is presumed that the first byte at addr1 contains the text byte count and the actual text starts with with the second byte. Typically, COUNT is followed by TYPE.

CR    ---    RESIDENT

Transmit a carriage return and a line feed to the selected output device.

CREATE    :    RESIDENT

A defining word used in the form:

CREATE cccc

by such words as CODE and CONSTANT to create a dictionary header for a FORTH definition. The code field contains the address of the word's parameter field. The new word is created in the CURRENT vocabulary.

CSP    --- addr    RESIDENT

A user variable temporarily storing the stack pointer position, for compilation error checking.

CURPOS    --- addr    RESIDENT

A user variable that stores the current VDP cursor position.

CURRENT    --- addr    RESIDENT

A user variable, pointing to the vocabulary into which new definitions will be compiled.

D+    d1 d2 --- d3    RESIDENT

Leave the double number sum of two double numbers.

D-                    d1 n --- d2                    RESIDENT

Apply the sign of n to the double number d1, leaving it as d2.

D.                    d ---                    RESIDENT

Print a signed double number from a 32 bit two's complement value. The high-order 16 bits are most accessible on the stack. Conversion is performed according to the current BASE. A blank follows. Pronounced "D DOT".

D.R                    d n ---                    RESIDENT

Print a signed double number d right aligned in a field n characters wide.

DABS                    d1 --- d2                    RESIDENT

Leave the absolute value of a double number.

DCOLOR                    --- addr                    SCR 63    -GRAPH

A variable which contains the dot color information used by DOT. Its value may be a two digit HEX number which defines the foreground and background color, or it may be -1 which means no color information is changed in the VDP.

DDOT                    dc dr --- vaddr                    SCR 63    -GRAPH

The assembly code routine called by DOT. It expects a dot column and a dot row on the stack and returns a VDP address.

DECIMAL                    ---                    RESIDENT

Set the numeric conversion BASE for decimal input/output.

DEFINITIONS

RESIDENT

Used in the form:

cccc DEFINITIONS

Set the CURRENT vocabulary to the CONTEXT vocabulary. In the example, executing vocabulary name cccc made it the CONTEXT vocabulary and executing DEFINITIONS made both specify vocabulary cccc.

DELALL

SCR 61 -GRAPH

Delete all SPRITES.

DELSPR

spr#

SCR 61 -GRAPH

Delete the specified SPRITE.

DIGIT

ch n1 --- n2 cf (ok) RESIDENT  
 ch n1 --- ff (bad)

Convert the ascii character ch (using BASE n1) to its binary equivalent n2, accompanied by a true flag. If the conversion is invalid, leave only a false flag.

DISK\_BUF

addr

RESIDENT

A user variable that points to the first byte in VDP RAM of the 1K disk buffer.

DISK-HEAD

SCR 40 -COPY

Writes a disk-head on SCREEN 0 that makes the disk compatible with the TI 99/4A DISK MANAGER and with TI BASIC.

DISK\_HI

addr

RESIDENT

A user variable which contains the SCREEN number immediately above the SCREEN range wherein SCREEN writes are permitted.



DO                    n1 n2 --- (execute)            RESIDENT  
                       addr n --- (compile)

Occurs in a colon-definition in the form:

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DO ... LOOP
DO ... +LOOP
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At run time, DO begins a sequence with repetitive execution controlled by a loop limit n1 and an index with initial value n2. DO removes these from the stack. Upon reaching LOOP, the index is incremented by one. Until the new index equals or exceeds the limit, execution loops back to just after DO; otherwise the loop parameters are discarded and execution continues ahead. Both n1 and n2 are determined at run-time and may be the result of other operations. Within a loop, I will copy the current value of the index to the stack. See I, LOOP, +LOOP and LEAVE.

When compiling within the colon-definition, DO compiles (DO), leaving the following address (addr) and n for later error checking.

DOES>                    ---                    RESIDENT

A word which defines the run-time action within a high-level defining word. DOES> alters the code field and first parameter of the new word to execute the sequence of compiled word addresses following DOES>. It is always used in combination with <BUILDS. When the DOES> part executes it begins with the address of the first parameter of the new word on the stack. This allows interpretation using this area or its contents. Typical uses include the FORTH assembler, multi-dimensional arrays, and compiler generation.

DOT                    dc dr ---                    SCR 63            -GRAPH

Plots a dot at ( dc,dr ) in whatever mode is selected by DMODE and in whatever color is selected by DCOLOR.

DP                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable, the dictionary pointer, which contains the address of the next free memory above the dictionary. The value may be read by HERE and altered by ALLOT.



DPL                           —     addr   RESIDENT

A user variable containing the number of digits to the right of the decimal on double integer input. It may also be used to hold output column location of a decimal point, in user generated formatting. The default value on single number input is -1.

DRO                           —   RESIDENT  
 DR1  
 DR2

Command to select disk drives by presetting OFFSET. The contents of OFFSET is added to the block number in BLOCK to allow for this selection. OFFSET is suppressed for error text so that it may always originate from drive 0.

DRAW                           —   SCR 63     -GRAPH

Sets DMODE equal to 0. This means that dots are plotted in the 'on' state.

DRIVE                         n     —                                       RESIDENT

Adjusts OFFSET so that the drive number on the stack becomes the first drive in the system.

DROP                           n     —                                       RESIDENT

Drop the top number from the stack.

DSPLY                         —   SCR 69     -FILE

Assigns the attribute DISPLAY to the file pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

DSRLNK                       —   SCR 33     -SYNONYMS

Links a FORTH program to any Device Service Routine in ROM. Before this instruction may be used, a PAB must be set up in VDP RAM.





END                    f ---                    RESIDENT

This is an 'alias' or duplicate definition for UNTIL.

ENDCASE                —                    RESIDENT

Terminates the CASE construct.

ENDIF                  addr n --- (compile)        RESIDENT

Occurs in a colon-definition in the form:

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IF ... ENDIF
IF ... ELSE ... ENDIF

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At run-time, ENDF serves only as the destination of a forward branch from IF or ELSE. It marks the conclusion of the conditional structure. THEN is another name for ENDF. Both names are supported in fig-FORTH. See also IF and ELSE.

At compile-time, ENDF computes the forward branch offset from addr to HERE and stores it at addr. n is used for error tests.

ENDOF                  —                    RESIDENT

Terminates the OF construct within the CASE construct.

ERASE                  addr n ---                RESIDENT

Clear a region of memory to zero from addr over n bytes.

ERROR                  n1 — n2 n3                RESIDENT

Execute error notification and restart of system. WARNING is first examined. If 1, the text of line n1, relative to screen 4 of drive 0 is printed. This line number may be positive or negative, and beyond just screen 4. If WARNING=0, n1 is just printed as a message number (non-disk installation). If WARNING is -1, the definition (ABORT) is executed, which executes the system ABORT. The user may cautiously modify this execution by altering (ABORT). fig-FORTH saves the contents of IN (n2) and BLK (n3) to assist in determining the location of the error. Final action is execution of QUIT.

EXECUTE                      cna    ---                      RESIDENT

Execute the definition whose code field address is on the stack. The code field address is also called the compilation address.

EXP                              f11    ---    f12                      SCR 50    -FLOAT

Raises e to the power specified by the floating point number on the stack and leaves the result on the stack.

EXPECT                          addr    cnt    ---                          RESIDENT

Transfer characters from the terminal to addr, until a 'ENTER' or the count of characters has been received. One or more nulls are added at the end of the text.

F1                              f1    addr    ---                      SCR 45    -FLOAT

Stores a floating point number, f1, into the 4 words beginning with the specified address.

F\*                              f11    f12    ---    f13                      SCR 46    -FLOAT

Multiplies the top two floating point numbers on the stack and leaves the result on the stack.

F+                              f11    f12    ---    f13                      SCR 46    -FLOAT

Adds the top two floating point numbers on the stack and places the result on the stack.

F-                              f11    f12    ---    f13                      SCR 46    -FLOAT

Subtracts f12 from f11 and places the result on the stack.

F->S                            f1    ---    a                          SCR 46    -FLOAT

Converts a floating point number on the parameter stack into a single precision number.

F.                    fl ---                    SCR 48        -FLOAT

Prints a floating point number in BASIC format to the output device.

F.R                   fl n ---                    SCR 48        -FLOAT

Prints the floating point number in BASIC format right justified in a field of width n.

F/                    fl1 fl2 --- fl3                    SCR 46        -FLOAT

Divides fl1 by fl2 and leaves the floating point quotient on the stack.

FO<                   fl --- f                    SCR 49        -FLOAT

Compares the floating point number on the stack to 0. If it is less than 0, a true flag is left on the stack, else a false flag is left.

FO=                   fl --- f                    SCR 49        -FLOAT

Compares the floating point number on the stack to 0. If it is equal to 0, a true flag is left on the stack, else a false flag is left.

F<                    fl1 fl2 --- f                    SCR 49        -FLOAT

Leaves a true flag if fl1 < fl2. Else leaves a false flag.

F=                    fl1 fl2 --- f                    SCR 49        -FLOAT

Leaves a true flag if fl1 = fl2. Else leaves a false flag.

F>                    fl1 fl2 --- f                    SCR 49        -FLOAT

Leaves a true flag if fl1 > fl2. Else leaves a false flag.

FG                    addr --- fl                    SCR 45        -FLOAT

Retrieves the floating point contents of the given address (4 words) and places it on the stack.

FAC                    --- addr                    SCR 45     -FLOAT

A constant which contains the address of the FAC register.

FAC->S                --- n                    SCR 46     -FLOAT

Converts a floating point number in FAC to a single precision number and places it on the parameter stack.

FAC>                    --- fl                    SCR 45     -FLOAT

Brings a floating point number from FAC to the stack.

FAC>ARG                ---                        SCR 46     -FLOAT

Moves a floating point number from FAC into ARG.

FADD                    ---                        SCR 45     -FLOAT

Adds the floating point number in FAC to the floating point number in ARG and leaves the result in FAC.

FDIV                    ---                        SCR 45     -FLOAT

Divides the floating point number in FAC by the floating point number in ARG leaving the quotient in FAC.

FDROP                    fl ---                    SCR 45     -FLOAT

Drops the top floating point number from the stack.

FDUP                    fl --- fl fl                SCR 45     -FLOAT

Duplicates the top floating point number on the stack.

FENCE                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable containing an address below which FORGETTING is trapped. To FORGET below this point the user must alter the contents of FENCE.

FF.                                    f1 n1 n2 ---                                    SCR 48        -FLOAT

Prints the floating point number with n2 digits following the decimal point and a maximum of n1 digits.

FF.R                                    f1 n1 n2 n3 ---                                    SCR 48        -FLOAT

Prints the floating point number, with n2 digits following the decimal point, right justified in a field of width n3 with a maximum of n1 digits.

F-D"                                    ---                                    SCR 70        -FILE

Expects a file descriptor ending with a " to follow. This instruction places the file descriptor in the PAB pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

FILE                                    addr1 addr2 vaddr ---                                    SCR 68        -FILE

A defining word which permits you to create a word by which a file will be known. You must place on the stack the PAB-ADDR, PAB-BUF, and PAB-VBUF addresses you wish to be associated with the file.

Used in the form:

addr1 addr2 vaddr FILE cccc

When cccc executes, PAB-ADDR, PAB-BUF, and PAB-VBUF are set to addr1, addr2, and vaddr, respectively.

FILL                                    addr cnt b ---                                    RESIDENT

Fill memory beginning at addr with the specified number (cnt) of bytes b.

FIRST                                    --- addr                                    RESIDENT

A constant that leaves the address of the first (lowest) block buffer.

FIRSTS                                    --- addr                                    RESIDENT

A user variable which contains the first byte of the disk buffer area.



FLD                     —  addr                                     RESIDENT

A user variable for control of number output field width. Presently unused in fig-FORTH and TI FORTH.

FLERR                   —  n                                     SCR 49     -FLOAT

Returns on the stack the contents of the floating point status register.

FLUSH                   —   RESIDENT

Rewrites to the disk all disk buffers that have been updated.

FMUL                   —   SCR 45     -FLOAT

Multiplies the floating point number in FAC with the floating point number in ARG leaving the product in FAC.

FORGET                   —   RESIDENT

Executed in the form:

FORGET cccc

Deletes definition named cccc from the dictionary with all entries physically following it.

FORMAT-DISK             dsk —                                     SCR 33     -SYNONYMS

Initializes the disk in DR0, DR1, or DR2 for use with the Forth system. CAUTION: all data on the disk (if any) will be destroyed. Also, disks initialized by the DISK MANAGER may be used without any changes. DSK number must be 0, 1 or 2.

FORTE                   —   RESIDENT

The name of the primary vocabulary. Execution takes FORTE the CONTEXT vocabulary. Until additional user vocabularies are defined, new user definitions become a part of FORTE. FORTE is ~~replaced~~ so it will execute during the execution of a colon-definition to select this vocabulary at compile time.



GOTOXY                    c r ---                    RESIDENT

Places the cursor at the designated column and row position. NOTE: Rows and columns are numbered from 0.

GPLLNK                    addr ---                    SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Links a FORTH program to the Graphics Programming Language routine located at the given address.

GRAPHICS                    ---                    SCR 52    -GRAPH1

Converts from present screen mode into standard GRAPHICS mode configuration.

GRAPHICS2                    ---                    SCR 54    -GRAPH2

Converts from present screen mode into standard GRAPHICS2 mode configuration.

HCHAR                    c r cnt ch ---                    SCR 57    -GRAPH

Prints a horizontal stream of a specified character beginning at (c,r) and having a length cnt. NOTE: Rows and columns are numbered from 0.

HERE                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

Leave the address of the next available dictionary location.

HEX                    ---                    RESIDENT

Set the numeric conversion base to sixteen (hexadecimal).

ELD                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable that holds the address of the latest character of text during numeric output conversion.

HOLD                    ---                    RESIDENT

Used between <# and > to insert an ascii character into a pictured numeric output string. e.g. 2E HOLD will place a decimal point.



IN                   —  addr                   RESIDENT

A user variable containing the byte offset within the current input text buffer (terminal or disk) from which the next text will be accepted. WORD uses and moves the value of IN.

INDEX                n1 n2   —                   SCR 73   -PRINT

Prints to the terminal a list of the line #0 comments from SCREEN n1 thru SCREEN n2. See PAUSE.

INPT                 —                         SCR 69   -FILE

Assigns the attribute INPUT to the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

INT                  f11   —   f12               SCR 50   -FLOAT

Leaves the integer portion of a floating point number on the stack.

INTERPRET           —                         RESIDENT

The outer text interpreter which sequentially executes or compiles text from the input stream (terminal or disk) depending on STATE. If the word name cannot be found after a search of CONTEXT and then CURRENT it is converted into a number according to the current base. That also failing, an error message echoing the name with a "?" will be given. Text input will be taken according to the convention for WORD. If a decimal point is found as part of a number, a double number value will be left. The decimal point has no other purpose than to force this action. See NUMBER.

INTLNK              —   addr                   RESIDENT

A user variable which is a pointer to the Interrupt Service linkage.

INTERNAL            —                         SCR 69   -FILE

Assigns the attribute INTERNAL to the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

ISR                   —  addr                                   RESIDENT

A user variable that initially contains the address of the interrupt service linkage code to install an Interrupt Service Routine. The user must modify ISR to contain the CFA of the routine to be executed each 1/60 second. Next, the contents of HEX 83C4 must be modified to point to this address. Note, the interrupt service linkage code address is also available in INTLNK.

J                     —  n                                     RESIDENT

Copies the loop index of the second innermost loop to the stack.

JOYST                n1 — ch n2 n3                         SCR 60     -GRAPH

Allows you to accept input from JOYSTICK #1 or #2 (n1) or from the left and right sides of the keyboard, respectively. Values returned are the ascii value of the key pressed (ch), the x status (n2) and the y status (n3).

KEY                  —  ch                                   RESIDENT

Leave the ascii value of the next terminal key struck.

KEY8                 —  ch                                   RESIDENT

Leave the 8-bit value of the next terminal key struck.

L/SCR                —  n                                   RESIDENT

Returns on the stack the number of lines per SCREEN.

LATEST              —  nfa                                  RESIDENT

Leave the name field address of the topmost word in the CURRENT vocabulary.

LD                   n —                                   SCR 71     -FILE

The file I/O process to load a program file from a disk into VDP RAM. The parameter n specifies the maximum number of bytes to be loaded.

LDCR                    n1 n2 addr ---                    SCR 88

Performs a 9900 LDCR instruction. The CRU base (addr) will be shifted left one bit by the LDCR instruction. n1 is the value to be transferred to the CRU and n2 is the field width of n1 (in bits).

LEAVE                    ---                    RESIDENT

Force termination of a DO-LOOP at the next opportunity by setting the loop limit equal to the current value of the index. The index itself remains unchanged, and execution proceeds normally until LOOP or +LOOP is encountered.

LFA                    pfa --- lfa                    RESIDENT

Convert the parameter field address of a dictionary definition to its link field address.

LIMIT                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A constant which leaves the address just above the highest memory available for a disk buffer.

LIMITS                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable which contains the address just above the highest memory available for a disk buffer.

LINE                    dc1 dr1 dc2 dr2 ---                    SCR 64    -GRAPH

The high resolution graphics routine which plots a line from (dc1,dr1) to (dc2,dr2). DCOLOR and DMODE must be set before this instruction is used.

LIST                    scr# ---                    RESIDENT

Lists the specified SCREEN to the output device. See PAUSE.

LIT                    ---                    RESIDENT

Within a colon-definition LIT is automatically compiled before each 16 bit literal number encountered in input text. Later execution of LIT causes the contents of the next dictionary address to be pushed to the stack.

LITERAL                    n --- (compiling)                    RESIDENT

If compiling, then compile the stack value n as a 16 bit literal. This will execute during a colon-definition. The intended use is:

      : xxx [calculate] LITERAL ;

Compilation is suspended for the compile-time calculation of a value. Compilation is resumed and LITERAL compiles this value.

LOAD                        n ---                        RESIDENT

Begin interpretation of SCREEN n. Loading will terminate at the end of the SCREEN or at ;S. See ;S and -->.

LOG                        f11 --- f12                        SCR 50    -FLOAT

The floating point operation which returns the LOG of the floating point number on the stack.

LOOP                        addr n --- (compiling)                    RESIDENT

Occurs in a colon-definition in the form:

      DO    ...    LOOP

At run-time, LOOP selectively controls branching back to the corresponding DO based on the loop index and limit. The loop index is incremented by one and compared to the limit. The branch back to DO occurs until the index equals or exceeds the limit; at that time, the parameters are discarded and execution continues ahead.

At compile-time, LOOP compiles (LOOP) and uses addr to calculate an offset to DO. n is used for error testing.

M\*                        n1 n2 --- d                        RESIDENT

A mixed magnitude math operation which leaves the double number signed product of two signed numbers.



M/                    d n1 --- n2 n3                    RESIDENT

A mixed magnitude math operator which leaves the signed remainder n2 and signed quotient n3, from a double number dividend and divisor, n1. The remainder takes its sign from the dividend.

M/MOD                ud1 u2 --- u3 ud4                    RESIDENT

An unsigned mixed magnitude math operation which leaves a double quotient ud4 and remainder u3, from a double dividend ud1 and a single divisor u2.

MAGNIFY              n1 ---                    SCR 60     -GRAPH

Alters the SPRITE magnification factor to be n1. The value of n1 must be 0, 1, 2, or 3.

MAX                    n1 n2 --- n3                    RESIDENT

Leave the greater of the two numbers.

MCHAR                n c r ---                    SCR 62     -GRAPH

Places a square of color n at ( c,r ). Used in MULTICOLOR mode.

MENU                    ---                    SCR 20     BOOT SCR

Displays the available Load Options.

MESSAGE              n ---                    RESIDENT

Print on the selected output device the text of line n relative to screen 4 of drive 0. n may be positive or negative. MESSAGE may be used to print incidental text such as report headers. If WARNING is zero, the message will simply be printed as a number (disk un-available).

MIN                    n1 n2 --- n3                    RESIDENT

Leave the smaller of the two numbers.



NOP

—

RESIDENT

A do nothing instruction. NOP is useful for patching as in assembly code.

NUMBER

addr — d

RESIDENT

Convert a character string left at addr with a preceeding count, to a signed double number, using the current numeric base. If a decimal point is encountered in the text, its position will be given in DPL, but no other effect occurs. If numeric conversion is not possible, an error message will be given.

OF

n —

RESIDENT

Initiates the OF ... ENDOF construct inside of the CASE construct. n is compared to the value which was on top of the stack when CASE was executed. If the numbers are identical, the words between Of and ENDOF will be executed.

OFFSET

— addr

RESIDENT

A user variable which may contain a block offset to disk drives. The contents of OFFSET is added to the stack number by BLOCK. Messages issued by MESSAGE are independent of OFFSET. See BLOCK, DRO, MESSAGE.

OPN

—

SCR 71 -FILE

Opens the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

OR

n1 n2 — n3

RESIDENT

Leave the bit-wise logical OR of two 16 bit values.

OUT

— addr

RESIDENT

A user defined variable that contains a value incremented by EMIT and EMIT8. The user may alter and examine OUT to control display formatting



PDT                    --- vaddr                    SCR 57     -GRAPH

A constant which contains the VDP address of the Pattern Descriptor Table. Default value is >800.

PFA                    nfa --- pfa                    RESIDENT

Convert the name field address of a compiled definition to its parameter field address.

PI                    --- fl                    SCR 50     -FLOAT

A floating point approximation of PI to 14 decimal places. ( 3.141592653590 )

PREV                  --- addr                    RESIDENT

A variable containing the address of the disk buffer most recently referenced. The UPDATE command marks this buffer to be later written to disk.

PUT-FLAG              b ---                    SCR 68     -FILE

Writes the flag byte into the appropriate PAB referenced by PAB-ADDR.

QUERY                ---                    RESIDENT

Input 80 characters of text (or until a "enter") from the operator's terminal. Text is positioned at the address contained in TIB with IN set to zero.

QUIT                  ---                    RESIDENT

Clear the return stack, stop compilation, and return control to the operator's terminal. No message is given.

R                    --- n                    RESIDENT

Copy the top of the return stack to the parameter stack.



REC-LEN                    b    —                                    SCR 69    -FILE

Stores the length of the record for the upcoming write into the appropriate byte in the current PAB.

REC-NO                    n    —                                    SCR 69    -FILE

Writes a record number n into the appropriate location in the current PAB.

REPEAT                    addr n    —    (compiling)    RESIDENT

Used within a colon-definition in the form:

BEGIN    ...    WHILE    ...    REPEAT

At run-time, REPEAT forces an unconditional branch back to just after the corresponding BEGIN.

At compile-time, REPEAT compiles BRANCH and the offset from HERE to addr. n is used for error testing.

RLTV                    —                                    SCR 69    -FILE

Assigns the attribute RELATIVE to the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

RND                    n1    —    n2                                    SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Generates a positive random integer (n2) greater than or equal to 0 and less than n1.

RNDW                    —    n                                    SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Generates a random word. The value of the word may be positive or negative depending on whether the sign bit is set.

ROT                    n1 n2 n3    —    n2 n3 n1    RESIDENT

Rotate the top three values on the stack, bringing the third to the top.





T I F O R T H

SCOPY                   scr#1 scr#2 ---                   SCR 39     -COPY

Copies the source SCREEN (scr#1) to the destination SCREEN (scr#2). Does not destroy the source SCREEN.

SCR                    --- addr                   RESIDENT

A user variable containing the screen number most recently referenced by LIST or EDIT.

SCREEN                 n ---                   SCR 58     -GRAPH

Changes the screen color to the color specified (n).

SCRN\_END              --- addr                 RESIDENT

A user variable containing the address of the byte immediately following the last byte of the screen image table to be used as the logical screen.

SCRN\_START            --- addr                 RESIDENT

A user variable containing the address of the first byte of the screen image table to be used as the logical screen.

SCRN\_WIDTH            --- addr                 RESIDENT

A user variable which contains the number of characters which will fit across the screen. ( 32 or 40 ) Used by the screen scroller.

SCRATCH               n ---                   SCR 71     -FILE

Removes the specified record from the RELATIVE file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

SEED                   n ---                   SCR 33     -SYNONYMS

Places a new seed n into the random number generator.

SET-PAB                    ---                    SCR 68     -FILE

This instruction assumes that PAB-ADDR is set. It then zeroes out the PAB pointed to by PAB-ADDR and places the contents of PAB-VBUF into the appropriate word of the PAB. This initializes the PAB.

SETFL                    f11 f12 ---                    SCR 45     -FLOAT

Performs a >FAC on f12 and a >ARG on f11.

SIGN                    n d --- d                    RESIDENT

Stores an ascii "-" sign at the current location in a converted numeric output string in the text output buffer when n is negative. n is discarded, but double number d is maintained. Must be used between <# and #>.

SIN                    f11 --- f12                    SCR 50     -FLOAT

Finds the SIN of the floating point number on the stack and leaves the result on the stack.

SLA                    n1 cnt --- n2                    RESIDENT

Arithmetically shifts the number on the stack cnt bits to the left, leaving the result on the stack.

SLIT                    --- addr                    SCR 20     BOOT SCR

SLIT is similar to LIT but acts on strings instead of numbers. SLIT places the address of the string following it on the stack. It modifies the top of the return stack to point to just after the string.

SMASH            addr cnt n --- addr vaddr cnt     SCR 65     -64SUPPORT

The assembly code routine which formats a line of tiny characters. It expects the address of the line in memory, the number of characters per line, and the line number to which it is to be written. It returns on the stack the line buffer address, a VDP address, and a character count. See CLIST and CLINE.

SMOVE                   scr#1 scr#2 cnt ---           SCR 39   -COPY

Copies cnt SCREENS beginning with the source SCREEN (scr#1) to the destination SCREEN (scr#2). Overlapping SCREEN ranges may be specified without detrimental effects.

SMUDGE                   —                                   RESIDENT

Used during word definition to toggle the "smudge bit" in a definition's name field. This prevents an uncompleted definition from being found during dictionary searches, until compiling is completed without error.

SMTN                   — vaddr                                   SCR 57   -GRAPH

A constant whose value is the VDP address of the SPRITE MOTION TABLE. Default value is >780.

SP!                   —                                   RESIDENT

A procedure to initialize the stack pointer from S0.

SP@                   — addr                                   RESIDENT

A procedure to return the address of the stack position to the top of the stack, as it was before SP@ was executed. (e.g. 1 2 SP@ @ . . . would type 2 2 1)

SPACE                   —                                   RESIDENT

Transmit an ascii blank to the output device.

SPACES                   n —                                   RESIDENT

Transmit n ascii blanks to the output device.

SPCHAR                   n1 n2 n3 n4 ch —                   SCR 58   -GRAPH

Defines a character (ch) in the SPRITE Descriptor Table to have the pattern composed of the 4 words on the stack.

SPDTAB                    —  vaddr                                   SCR 57    -GRAPH

A constant whose value is the VDP address of the SPRITE Descriptor Table. Default value is >800. Notice that this coincides with the Pattern Descriptor Table.

SPLIT                    —   SCR 55    -SPLIT

Converts from present screen mode into standard SPLIT mode configuration.

SPLIT2                   —   SCR 55    -SPLIT

Converts from present screen mode into standard SPLIT2 mode configuration.

SPRCOL                   n spr# —                                   SCR 58    -GRAPH

Changes the given SPRITE to the color (n) specified.

SPRDIST                   spr#1 spr#2 — n                                   SCR 60    -GRAPH

Returns on the stack the square of the distance (n) between two specified SPRITES. Distance is measured in pixels and the maximum distance that can be detected accurately is 181 pixels.

SPRDISTKY                dc dr spr# — n                                   SCR 60    -GRAPH

Places on the stack the square of the distance between the point (dc,dr) and a given SPRITE. Distance is measured in pixels and the maximum distance that can be detected accurately is 181 pixels.

SPRGET                   spr# — dc dr                                   SCR 59    -GRAPH

Returns the dot column and dot row position of a SPRITE.

SPRITE                   dc dr n ch spr# —                                   SCR 59    -GRAPH

Defines SPRITE number spr# to have the specified location (dc,dr), color (n), and character pattern (ch). The size of the SPRITE will depend on the magnification factor.

SPRPAT                    ch spr# ---                   SCR 59     -GRAPH

Changes the character pattern of a given SPRITE to ch.

SPRPUT                   dc dr spr# ---                   SCR 59     -GRAPH

Places a given SPRITE at location (dc,dr).

SQNTL                    ---                                   SCR 69     -FILE

Assigns the attribute SEQUENTIAL to the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

SQR                      f11 --- f12                   SCR 50     -FLOAT

Finds the square root of a floating point number and leaves the result on the stack.

SRA                      n1 cnt --- n2                   RESIDENT

Arithmetically shifts n1 cnt bits to the right and leaves the result on the stack. cnt will be modulo 16, except when cnt=0, when 16 bits will be shifted. To create a word which permits shifts when cnt could be zero, use the following definition: : SRAO -DUP IF SLA ENDIF ;

SRC                      n1 cnt --- n2                   RESIDENT

Performs a circular right shift of cnt bits on n1 leaving the result on the stack.

SRL                      n1 cnt --- n2                   RESIDENT

Performs a logical right shift of cnt bits and leaves the result on the stack. cnt will be modulo 16, except when cnt=0, when 16 bits will be shifted. To create a word which permits shifts when cnt could be zero, use the following definition: : SRLO -DUP IF SLA ENDIF ;

SSET                    vaddr ---                   SCR 56     -GRAPH

Places the SPRITE descriptor table at the specified WDP address and initializes all SPRITE tables. The address given must be an even 2K boundary. This instruction MUST be executed before SPRITES can be used.

STAT                    --- b                    SCR 71     -FILE

Reads the status of the current PAB and returns the status byte to the stack. See the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manual for the meaning of each bit of the status byte.

STATE                  --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable containing the compilation state. A non-zero value indicates compilation. The value itself may be implementation dependent.

STCR                    n1 addr --- n2                    SCR 38

Performs the 9900 STCR instruction. n1 is the field width, addr is the CRU base address, and n2 is the returned value. CRU base will be shifted left by the STCR instruction.

STR                    ---                    SCR 47     -FLOAT

Converts the number in FAC to a string which is placed in PAD. The string is in BASIC format.

STR.                    n1 n2 n3 ---                    SCR 47     -FLOAT

See the STR function in the EDITOR/ASSEMBLER manual. n1 corresponds to the byte at FAC+13, n2 corresponds to the byte at FAC+12, and n3 corresponds to the byte at FAC+11.

SV                    cnt ---                    SCR 71     -FILE

Performs the file I/O save operation. cnt equals the number of bytes to be saved.

SWAP                    n1 n2 --- n2 n1                    RESIDENT

Exchange the top two values on the stack.

SWCH                    ---                    SCR 72     -PRINT

A special purpose word which permits EXIT to output characters to an RS232 device rather than to the screen. See UNSWCH.

SWPB                    n1 --- n2                    RESIDENT

Reverses the order of the two bytes in n1 and leaves the new number as n2.

SYSS                    --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable that contains the address of the system support entry point.

SYSTEM                n ---                    RESIDENT

Calls the system synonyms. You must specify an offset n into a jump table for the routine you wish to call. n must be one of the predefined even numbers.

TAN                    f11 --- f12                SCR 50     -FLOAT

Finds the TANGent of the floating point number on the stack and leaves the result.

TASK                    ---                    RESIDENT

A no-operation word which can mark the boundary between applications. By forgetting TASK and re-compiling, an application can be discarded in its entirety.

TB                    addr --- f                SCR 88     -CRU

The address addr is tested by this instruction. The value ( 1 or 0 ) is returned to the stack. Note that the TB instruction will itself shift the address before using R12.

TCHAR                --- addr                SCR 67     -64SUPPORT

The array that holds the Tiny CHARACTER definitions. See CLIST.

TEXT                    ---                    SCR 51     -TEXT

Converts from present screen mode into standard TEXT mode configuration.

THEN                    —                    RESIDENT

An alias for ENDIF.

TIB                    —     addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable containing the address of the terminal input buffer.

TOGGLE                addr   b   —                    RESIDENT

Complement the contents of the byte at addr by the bit pattern b.

TRACE                —                    SCR 44     -TRACE

Forces the following colon definitions to be compiled in such a way that they can be traced. See TRON, TROFF, and UNTRACE.

TRAVERSE            addr1   n   —     addr2                    RESIDENT

Move across the name field of a fig-FORTH variable length name field. addr1 is the address of either the length byte or the last letter. If n=1, the motion is toward high memory; if n=-1, the motion is toward low memory. The addr2 resulting is the address of the other end of the name.

TRIAD                scr#   —                    SCR 72     -PRINT

Display on the RS232 the three SCREENS which include that number scr#, beginning with a SCREEN evenly divisible by three. Output is suitable for source text records, and includes a reference line at the bottom taken from line 15 of screen 4.

TRIADS                scr#   scr#   —                    SCR 73     -PRINT

May be thought of as a multiple TRIAD. You must specify a SCREEN range. TRIADS will perform as many TRIAD's as necessary to cover that range.



TROFF                    ---                    SCR 44     -TRACE

Once a routine has been compiled with the TRACE option, it may be executed with or without a trace. To implement a trace, type TRON before execution. To execute without a trace, type TROFF.

TRON                    ---                    SCR 44     -TRACE

See TROFF.

TYPE                    addr cnt ---                    RESIDENT

Transmit count characters from addr to the selected output device.

U                    --- n                    RESIDENT

Places the contents of register U on the stack. Register U contains the base address of the user variable area.

U\*                    u1 u2 --- ud                    RESIDENT

Leave the unsigned double number product of two unsigned numbers.

U.                    u ---                    RESIDENT

Prints an unsigned number to the output device.

U.R                    u n ---                    RESIDENT

Prints an unsigned number right justified in a field of width n.

U/                    ud u1 --- u2 u3                    RESIDENT

Leave the unsigned remainder u2 and unsigned quotient u3 from the unsigned double dividend ud and unsigned divisor u1.

T I F O R T H

UO                    —  addr                                   RESIDENT

A user variable that points to the junction between the user variable area and the return stack.

UK                    u1 u2 —  f                               RESIDENT

Leaves a true flag if u1 is less than u2, else leaves a false flag.

UCONS\$               —  addr                                   RESIDENT

A user variable which contains the base address of the user variable default area which is used to initialize the user variables at COLD.

UD.                   ud —                                     RESIDENT

Prints an unsigned double number to the output device.

UD.R                  ud n —                                 RESIDENT

Prints an unsigned double number right justified in a field of length n.

UNDRAW               —   SCR 63     -GRAPH

Sets DMODE to 1. This means that dots are plotted in the 'off' mode.

UNFORGETTABLE       addr —  f                               RESIDENT

Decides whether or not a word can be forgotten. A true flag is returned if the address is not located between FENCE and HERE.

UNSWCH               —   SCR 72     -PRINT

Causes the computer to send output to the screen instead of an RS232 device. See SWCH.

UNTIL                    f --- (run-time)        RESIDENT  
                          addr n --- (compile)

Occurs within a colon-definition in the form:

BEGIN ... UNTIL

At run-time, UNTIL controls the conditional branch back to the corresponding BEGIN. If f is false, execution returns to just after BEGIN; if true, execution continues ahead.

At compile-time, UNTIL compiles (OBRANCH) and an offset from HERE to addr. n is used for error tests.

UNTRACE                ---                                SCR 44        -TRACE

Colon definitions that have been compiled under the TRACE option must be recompiled under the UNTRACE option to remove the tracing capability. TRACE and UNTRACE can be used alternately to select words to be traced.

UPDATE                ---                                RESIDENT

Marks the most recently referenced block (pointed to by PREV) as altered. The block will subsequently be transferred automatically to disk should its buffer be required for storage of a different block.

UPDT                    ---                                SCR 69        -FILE

Assigns the attribute UPDATE to the file whose PAB is pointed to by PAB-ADDR.

USE                    --- addr                                RESIDENT

A variable containing the address of the block buffer to use next, as the least recently written.

USER                    n    ---                    RESIDENT

A defining word used in the form:

n    USER    cccc

which creates a user variable cccc. The parameter field of cccc contains n as a fixed offset relative to the user pointer register UP for this user variable. When cccc is later executed, it places the sum of its offset and the user area base address on the stack as the storage address of that particular variable.

VAL                    ---                    SCR 47    -FLOAT

Causes the string at PAD to be converted into a floating point number and put into FAC.

VAND                    b    vaddr    ---                    SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Performs a logical AND on the contents of the specified VDP location and the given byte. The result is stored back into the VDP address.

VARIABLE                n    ---                    RESIDENT

A defining word used in the form:

n    VARIABLE    cccc

When VARIABLE is executed, it creates the definition cccc with its parameter field initialized to n. When cccc is later executed, the address of its parameter field (containing n) is left on the stack, so that a fetch or store may access this location.

VCHAR                    c    r    cnt    ch    ---                    SCR 57    -GRAPH

Prints a vertical stream of length cnt of the specified character. The first character of the stream is located at (c,r). NOTE: Rows and columns are numbered from 0.

VFILL                    vaddr    cnt    b    ---                    SCR 33    -SYNONYMS

Fills cnt locations beginning at the given VDP address with the specified byte.

VLIST                    ---                    SCR 43                    -DUMP

Prints the names of all words defined in the CONTEXT vocabulary. See PAUSE.

VMSR                    vaddr addr cnt ---                    SCR 33                    -SYNONYMS

Reads cnt bytes beginning at the given VDP address and places them at addr.

VMSW                    addr vaddr cnt ---                    SCR 33                    -SYNONYMS

Writes cnt bytes from addr into VDP beginning at the given VDP address.

VOC-LINK                --- addr                    RESIDENT

A user variable containing the address of a field in the definition of the most recently created vocabulary. All vocabulary names are linked by these fields to allow control for FORGETting thru multiple vocabularies.

VOCABULARY             ---                    RESIDENT

A defining word used in the form:

VOCABULARY cccc

to create a vocabulary definition cccc. Subsequent use of cccc will make it the CONTEXT vocabulary which is searched first by INTERPRET. The sequence "cccc DEFINITIONS" will also make cccc the CURRENT vocabulary into which new definitions are placed.

cccc will be so chained as to include all definitions of the vocabulary in which cccc is itself defined. All vocabularies ultimately chain to FORTH. By convention, vocabulary names are to be declared IMMEDIATE. See VOC-LINK.

VOR                    b vaddr ---                    SCR 33                    -SYNONYMS

Performs a logical OR on the contents of the specified VDP address and the given byte. The result is stored back into the VDP address.



WHILE            f    --- (run-time)                    RESIDENT  
                  addr1 n1 --- addr1 n1 addr2 n2 (compile)

Occurs in a colon-definition in the form:

BEGIN    ...    WHILE(cp)    ...    REPEAT

At run-time, WHILE selects conditional execution based on boolean flag f. If f is true (non-zero), WHILE continues execution of the true part thru to REPEAT, which then branches back to BEGIN. If f is false (zero), execution skips to just after REPEAT, exiting the structure.

At compile time, WHILE emplaces (OBRANCH) and leaves addr2 of the reserved offset. The stack values will be resolved by REPEAT.

WIDTH                            ---    addr                            RESIDENT

A user variable containing the maximum number of letters saved in the compilation of a definition's name. It must be 1 thru 31, with a default value of 31. The name character count and its natural characters are saved, up to the value in WIDTH. The value may be changed at any time within the above limits.

WLITERAL                            ---                            SCR 20            BOOT SCR

Used in the form:    WLITERAL cccc

A compiling word which compiles SLIT and the string which follows WLITERAL into the dictionary.

WORD                            ch    ---                            RESIDENT

Read the text characters from the input stream being interpreted, until a delimiter ch is found, storing the packed character string beginning at the dictionary buffer HERE. WORD leaves the character count in the first byte, the characters, and ends with two or more blanks. Leading occurrences of ch are ignored. If BLK is zero, text is taken from the terminal input buffer, otherwise from the disk block stored in BLK. See BLK, III.





message

SCR 84

A replacement for MESSAGE which contains the error messages in memory instead of on the disk. When screen #84 is loaded, the error messages are compiled into the space formerly occupied by the fifth disk buffer. MESSAGE is patched so that it now points to message.

## APPENDIX E

USER VARIABLES IN TI FORTH

The purpose of this appendix is to detail the User Variables in TI FORTH to assist in their use and to provide the necessary information to change or add to this list as necessary. A more complete description of each of these variables is provided in Appendix D. The table is located on the following page.

The user may use even numbers >68 through >7E to create his own user variables. See the definition of USER in Appendix D.

TI FORTH USER VARIABLES

Name	Offset	Initial Value	Description
UCONSS	>6		Base of User Var initial value table
SO	>3		Base of Stack
RO	>A		Base of Return Stack
UO	>C		Base of User Variables
TIB	>E		Terminal Input Buffer addr
WIDTH	>10	31	Name length in dictionary
DP	>12		Dictionary Pointer
SYSS	>14		Addr of System Support
CURPOS	>16		Cursor location in VDP RAM
INTLNK	>18		Pointer to Interrupt Service linkage
WARNING	>1A	1	Message Control
C/Ls	>1C	64	Characters per Line
FIRSTS	>1E		Beginning of Disk Buffers
LIMITS	>20		End of Disk Buffers
B/BUFS	>22	1024	Bytes per Buffer
B/SCRs	>24	1	Blocks per Screen
DISK_LO	>26	1	Low end Disk Fence
DISK_HI	>28	90	High end Disk Fence
DISK_SIZE	>2A	90	Logical Disk Size in Screens
DISK_BUF	>2C	>1000	VDP location of IK Buffer
PABS	>2E	>460	VDP location for PABS
SCRN_WIDTH	>30	40	Screen Width in Characters
SCRN_START	>32	0	Screen Image Start in VDP
SCRN_END	>34	960	Screen Image End in VDP
ISR	>36		Interrupt Service Pointer
ALTERN	>38	0	Alternate Input Pointer
ALROUT	>3A	0	Alternate Output Pointer
FENCE	>3C		Dictionary Fence
BLK	>3E		Block being interpreted
IN	>40		Byte offset in text buffer
OUT	>42		Incremented by EDIT
SCR	>44		Last Screen referenced
OFFSET	>46		Block offset to disks
CONTEXT	>48		Pointer to Context Vocabulary
CURRENT	>4A		Pointer to Current Vocabulary
STATE	>4C		Compilation State
BASE	>4E		Number Base for Conversions
DPL	>50		Decimal Point Location
FLD	>52		Field Width (unused)
CSP	>54		Stack Pointer for error checking
EP	>56		Editing Cursor location
HLD	>58		Holds addr during numeric conversion
NSE	>5A		Next Block Buffer to Use
PREV	>5C		Most recently accessed disk buffer
	>5E		Don't use
	>40		Don't use
FORTH_LINK	>60		FORTH Vocabulary base
ERROR	>64		Error control
VOC_LINK	>68		Vocabulary linkage

APPENDIX F

TI FORTH LOAD OPTION DIRECTORY

The Load Options are displayed on the TI FORTH welcome screen and may subsequently be displayed by typing MENU. The load options allow you to load only the FORTH extensions you wish to use.

You will notice, for example, that the -EDITOR option also loads -SYNONYMS. The words loaded by -SYNONYMS are Prerequisites for the words loaded by -EDITOR. If, by chance, the -SYNONYMS words were already in the dictionary at the time you type -EDITOR, they would not be loaded again. This is called a Conditional Load.

OPTION: -SYNONYMS

Starting Screen: 33

Loads:

VSBW	VMBW	VSBR
VMBR	VWTR	GPLLNK
KILLNK	DSRLNK	CLS
FORMAT-DISK	VFILL	VAND
VOR	VXOR	MON
RNDW	RND	SEED
RANDOMIZE		

OPTION: -EDITOR

Starting Screen: 34

Loads: -SYNONYMS and

EDIT	EDG	WHERE
------	-----	-------

F I F O R T H

OPTION: -COPY

Starting Screen: 39

Loads:

!"	DTEST	SCOPY
SMOVE	FORTH-COPY	DISK-HEAD

OPTION: -DUMP

Starting Screen: 42

Loads:

DUMP	.S	VLIST
------	----	-------

OPTION: -TRACE

Starting Screen: 44

Loads: -DUMP and

TRACE	UNTRACE	TRON
TROFF	: (alternate)	

OPTION: -FLOAT

Starting Screen: 45

Loads: -SYNONYMS and

FDUP	FDROP	FOVER
FSWAP	FI	FO
>FAC	SEI/FL	FADD
FMUL	F+	F-
F*	F/	S->FAC
FAC->S	FAC>ARG	F->S
S->F	FRND	STR
STR.	VAL	ES
>F	F.R	F.
FF.R.	FF.	FO<
FO=	F>	F=
F<	FLERR	?FLERR
INT	-	SQR
EXP	LOG	COS
SIN	TAN	ATN
PI		

OPTION: -TEXT

Starting Screen: 41

Loads: -SYNONYMS and

TEXT

OPTION: -GRAPH1

Starting Screen: 52  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS and GRAPHICS

OPTION: -MULTI

Starting Screen: 53  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS and MULTI

OPTION: -GRAPH2

Starting Screen: 54  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS and GRAPHICS2

OPTION: -SPLIT

Starting Screen: 55  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS, -GRAPH2 and

SPLIT SPLIT2

OPTION: -VDPMODES

Starting Screen: 51  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS, -TEXT, -GRAPH1, -MULTI, -GRAPH2 and -SPLIT

OPTION: -GRAPH

Starting Screen: 57  
 Loads: -SYNONYMS, -CODE and

GEAR	CHARPAT	VCHAR
HCHAR	COLOR	SCREEN
GCHAR	SSDT	SPCHAR
SPRCOL	SPRPAT	SPRPUT
SPRITE	MOTION	#MOTION
SPRGET	DKY	SPRDIST
SPRDISTXY	MAGNIFY	JOYST
COINC	COINCXY	COINCALL
DELSPR	DELALL	MINIT
HCHAR	DRAW	UNDRAW
DTCC	DOT	LINE

T I F O R M

OPTION: -FILE

Starting Screen: 68  
Loads: -SYNONYMS and

FILE	GET-FLAG	PUT-FLAG
SET-PAB	CLR-STAT	CHK-STAT
FND	VRBL	DSPLY
INTRNL	I/CMD	INPT
OUTPT	UPDT	APPND
SQNTL	RLTV	REC-LEN
CHAR-CNT!	CHAR-CNTG	REC-NO
N-LEN!	F-D"	DOI/O
OPN	CLSE	RD
WRT	RSTR	LD
SV	DLT	SCRCH
STAT		

OPTION: -PRINT

Starting Screen: 72  
Loads: -SYNONYMS, -FILE and

SWCH	UNSWCH	PASCII
TRIAD	TRIADS	INDEX

OPTION: -CODE

Starting Screen: 74  
Loads:

CODE ;CODE

OPTION: -ASSEMBLER

Starting Screen: 75  
Loads: -CODE and Entire Assembler Vocabulary. See Chapter 9.

OPTION: -64SUPPORT ( 64 Column Editor )

Starting Screen: 22  
Loads: -SYNONYMS, -GRAPH, -TEXT, -GRAPH2, -SPLIT and

EDIT	EDG	WHERE
GLIST	CLINE	

OPTION: -BSAVE

Starting Screen: 83  
Loads: BSAVE

T I F O R T H

OPTION: -CRU

Starting Screen: 38

Loads: -CODE and

SBO  
LDCR

SBZ  
STCR

TB



## APPENDIX G

ASSEMBLY SOURCE FOR CODED WORDS

Several words on the FORTH System Disk have been written in 9900 code to increase their execution speeds and/or decrease their size. They include the words:

SBO - a CRU instruction  
 SBZ - a CRU instruction  
 TB - a CRU instruction  
 LDGR - a CRU instruction  
 STGR - a CRU instruction  
 DDOT - used by the dot plotting routine  
 SMASH - used by CLINE and CLIST  
 TCHAR - definitions for the tiny characters  
 MON - returns to 99/4A color bar screen

These words have been coded in HEXadecimal on your System Disk, thus they do not require that the TI FORTH Assembler be in memory before they can be loaded. Their assembly source code ( written in FORTH assembler ) is listed on the following pages.

## SCR #40

```

0 ( SOURCE FOR CRU WORDS )  BASE->R  HEX
1 CODE SBO
2     *SP+ 0C MOV,  0C 0C A,
3         0 SBO,  NEXT,
4 CODE SBZ
5     *SP 0C MOV,  0C 0C A,
6         0 SBZ,  NEXT,
7 CODE TB
8     *SP 0C MOV,  0C 0C A,
9     *SP CLR,    0 TB,
10    EQ IF,
11    *SP INC,
12    ENDIF,
13    NEXT,
14
15 R->BASE -->

```

## SCR #41

```

0 ( SOURCE FOR CRU WORDS )  BASE->R  HEX
1 0C CONSTANT CRU
2 CODE LDCR
3     *SP+ CRU MOV,  CRU CRU A, *SP+ 1 MOV,
4     *SP- 0 MOV,   01 OF ANDI,
5     NE IF,
6         01 08 CI,
7         LTE IF,
8         0 SWPB,
9         ENDIF,
10    ENDIF,
11    01 06 SLA,   01 3000 ORI,  01 X,
12 NEXT,
13
14
15 R->BASE -->

```

## SCR #42

```

0 ( SOURCE FOR CRU WORDS )  BASE->R  HEX
1 CODE STCR
2     *SP+ CRU MOV,  CRU CRU A, *SP 01 MOV,
3     0 CLR,  01 000F ANDI,  01 02 MOV,
4     01 06 SLA,  01 3400 ORI,  01 X,
5     02 02 MOV,
6     NE IF,
7         02 08 CI,
8         LTE IF,
9         0 SWPB,
10    ENDIF,
11    ENDIF,
12    0 *SP MOV,
13 NEXT,
14
15 R->BASE

```

SCR #43

```

0 ( SOURCE FOR DDOT )
1 BASE->R HEX 0 VARIABLE DTAB
2
3 CODE DDOT
4     *SP+ 1 MOV,    *SP 3 MOV,    1 2 MOV,
5     3 4 MOV,      1 7 ANDI,      3 7 ANDI,
6     2 F8 ANDI,    4 F8 ANDI,      2 5 SLA,
7     2 1 A,        4 1 A,        1 2000 AI,
8     4 CLR,        DTAB 3 @(?) 4 MOV,
9     4 SWPB,       4 *SP MOV,    SP DECT,
10
11
12
13
14
15 R->BASE

```

SCR #44

```

0 ( SOURCE FOR SMASH ) BASE->R HEX
1 TCHAR 7C - CONSTANT TC
2 CODE SMASH ( ADDR #CHAR LINE# --- LB VADDR CNT )
3     *SP+ 1 MOV, *SP+ 2 MOV, *SP 3 MOV, 4 LB LI,
4     4 *SP MOV, SP DECT, 1 SWPB, 1 2000 AI,
5     1 *SP MOV, 2 1 MOV, 1 INC, 1 FFFE ANDI, SP DECT,
6     1 2 SLA, 1 *SP MOV,
7     3 2 A, BEGIN, 2 3 C, GT WHILE, 5 CLR, 6 CLR,
8     3 *?+ 5 MOV, 3 *?+ 6 MOV, 5 6 SRL, 6 6 SRL,
9     BEGIN, TC 5 @(?) 0 MOV, TC 6 @(?) 1 MOV, 1 4 SRC,
10    C 4 LI, BEGIN, 0 3 MOV, 3 F000 ANDI, 1 7 MOV, 7 F00 ANDI,
11    3 7 SOC, 7 4 *?+ MOV, 0 C SRC, 1 C SRC, C DEC, EQ UNTIL,
12    5 INCT, 6 INCT, 5 C MOV, C 2 ANDI, EQ UNTIL, REPEAT,
13    NEXT,
14
15 R->BASE

```

SCR #45

```

0 ( DEFINITIONS FOR TINY CHARACTERS ) BASE->R HEX
1 0000 VARIABLE TCHAR EEEE ,
2 0000 , 0000 , ( ) 0444 , 4404 , ( ! ) 0AA0 , 0000 , ( " )
3 08AE , AEA2 , ( # ) 04EC , 46E4 , ( $ ) 0A24 , 448A , ( % )
4 06AC , 4A86 , ( & ) 0480 , 0000 , ( ' ) 0248 , 8842 , ( ( )
5 0842 , 2248 , ( ^ ) 04EE , 4000 , ( * ) 0044 , E440 , ( + )
6 0000 , 0048 , ( , ) 0000 , EC00 , ( - ) 0000 , 0004 , ( . )
7 0224 , 4488 , ( / ) 04AA , AAA4 , ( 0 ) 04C4 , 4444 , ( 1 )
8 04A2 , 488E , ( 2 ) 0C22 , C22C , ( 3 ) 02AA , AE22 , ( 4 )
9 0E3C , 222C , ( 5 ) 0688 , CAA4 , ( 6 ) 0E22 , 4488 , ( 7 )
10 04AA , 4AA4 , ( 8 ) 04AA , 622C , ( 9 ) 0004 , 0040 , ( : )
11 0004 , 0048 , ( ; ) 0024 , 8420 , ( < ) 000E , 0EC0 , ( = )
12 0084 , 2480 , ( > ) 04A2 , 4404 , ( ? ) 04AE , AEA4 , ( @ )
13 04AA , EAAA , ( A ) 0CAA , CAAC , ( B ) 0688 , 8886 , ( C )
14 0CAA , AAAC , ( D ) 0E88 , C88E , ( E ) 0E88 , C888 , ( F )
15 ->
    
```

SCR #46

```

0 ( TINY CHARACTERS CONTINUED )
1 04A8 , 8AA6 , ( G ) 0AAA , EAAA , ( H ) 0E44 , 444E , ( I )
2 0222 , 22A4 , ( J ) 0AAC , CAAA , ( K ) 0888 , 888E , ( L )
3 0AEE , AAAA , ( M ) 0AAE , EEAA , ( N ) 0EAA , AAAE , ( O )
4 0CAA , C888 , ( P ) 0EAA , AAEC , ( Q ) 0CAA , CAAA , ( R )
5 0688 , 422C , ( S ) 0E44 , 4444 , ( T ) 0AAA , AAAE , ( U )
6 0AAA , AA44 , ( V ) 0AAA , AEEA , ( W ) 0AA4 , 44AA , ( X )
7 0AAA , E444 , ( Y ) 0E24 , 488E , ( Z ) 0644 , 4446 , ( [ )
8 0884 , 4422 , ( \ ) 0C44 , 444C , ( ] ) 044A , AC00 , ( ^ )
9 0000 , 000F , ( _ ) 0420 , 0000 , ( ` ) 0004 , AEEA , ( a )
10 000C , ACAC , ( b ) 0006 , 8886 , ( c ) 000C , AAAC , ( d )
11 000E , 8C8E , ( e ) 000E , 8C88 , ( f ) 0004 , A8A6 , ( g )
12 000A , AEEA , ( h ) 000E , 444E , ( i ) 0002 , 22A4 , ( j )
13 000A , CCAA , ( k ) 0008 , 888E , ( l ) 000A , EEAA , ( m )
14 000A , EEEA , ( n ) 000E , AAAE , ( o ) 000C , AC88 , ( p )
15 ->
    
```

SCR #47

```

0 ( TINY CHARACTERS CONCLUDED )
1 000E , AAEC , ( q ) 000C , ACAA , ( r ) 0006 , 842C , ( s )
2 000E , 4444 , ( t ) 000A , AAAE , ( u ) 000A , AA44 , ( v )
3 000A , AEEA , ( w ) 000A , A4AA , ( x ) 000A , AE44 , ( y )
4 000E , 248E , ( z ) 0644 , 8446 , ( { ) 0444 , 0444 , ( | )
5 0C44 , 244C , ( } ) 02E8 , 0000 , ( ~ ) 0EEE , EEEE , ( DEL )
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15 R->BASE
    
```

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SCR #48

0 ( SOURCE FOR MON ) BASE->R HEX

1

2 CODE MON

3 0 4E4F LI, 1 2000 LI,

4 BEGIN,

5 0 1 \*?+ MOV,

6 1 4000 CI,

7 EQ UNTIL,

8 0 @() BLWP,

9

10

11

12

13

14

15 R->BASE

## APPENDIX H

TI FORTH ERROR MESSAGE EXPLANATIONS

error#	message	probable causes
1	empty stack	Procedure being executed attempts to 'pop' a number off the parameter stack when there is no number on the parameter stack. The error may have occurred long before it is detected as FORTH checks for this condition only when control returns to the outer interpreter.
2	dictionary full	The user dictionary space is full. Too many definitions have been compiled.
3	has incorrect address mode	Not used by TI FORTH. Some fig-FORTH assemblers use this message.
4	isn't unique	This message is more a warning than an error. It informs the user that a word with the same name as the one just compiled is already in the CURRENT or CONTEXT vocabulary.
6	disk error	This has several possible causes: No disk in disk drive, Disk not initialized, Disk drive or controller not connected properly, Disk drive or controller not plugged in. The diskette may be damaged with some sector having a hard error.
-	full stack	The procedure being executed is leaving extra unwanted numbers on the parameter stack resulting in a stack overflow.

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9 file i/o error

Any file i/o operation which results in an error will return this message. The GET-FLAG instruction will fetch the status byte. An error code of 0 indicates no error only if the COND bit (bit 2) of the STATUS byte located at >837C is NOT set.

code	meaning
00	Bad device name
01	Device is write protected
02	Bad open attribute
03	Illegal operation
04	Out of table or buffer space on the device
05	Attempt to read past EOF
06	Device error
07	File error. Non-existing file opened, etc.

---

10 floating point error

This error message will be issued only when ?FLERR is executed and a true flag is returned. FLERR may be executed to fetch the floating point status byte.

code	meaning
01	Overflow
02	Syntax
03	Integer overflow on conversion
04	Square root of negative
05	Negative number to non-integer power
06	Logarithm of a non-positive number
07	Invalid argument in a trigonometric function

---

11 disk fence violation

An attempt has been made to write to a SCREEN outside the disk fence area. The values of DISK\_LO and DISK\_HI must be changed to include this SCREEN before it may be written to.

12	can't load from screen 0	Self explanatory. Loading from SCREEN 0 is FORTH's indication for loading from the keyboard.
17	compilation only, use in definition	Occurs when conditional constructs such as DO ... LOOP or IF ... THEN are executed outside a colon definition.
18	execution only	Occurs when you attempt to compile a compiling word into a colon definition.
19	conditionals not paired	A DO has been left without a LOOP, an IF has no corresponding THEN, etc.
20	definition not finished	A ; was encountered and the parameter stack was not at the same height as when the preceeding was encountered. Example, -->
23	off current editing screen	Not used in TI FORTH.
24	declare vocabulary	Not used in TI FORTH due to the the way TI FORTH's FORGET is configured.
25	bad jump token	Improper use of jump tokens or conditionals in the TI FORTH assembler.



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APPENDIX I

CONTENTS OF THE TI FORTH DISKETTE

SCR #2

T I F O R T H

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## SCR #3

```

0 ( WELCOME SCREEN ) 0 0 GOTOXY ." BOOTING..." CR
1 BASE->R HEX 10 83C2 C! ( QUIT OFF! )
2 DECIMAL ( 84 LOAD ) 20 LOAD 16 SYSTEM MENU
3 HEX 68 USER VDPMODE 1 VDPMODE 1 DECIMAL
4 : -SYNONYMS 33 LOAD ; : -EDITOR 34 LOAD ; : -COPY 37 LOAD ;
5 : -DUMP 42 LOAD ; : -TRACE 44 LOAD ; : -FLOAT 46 LOAD ;
6 : -TEXT 51 LOAD ; : -GRAPH1 52 LOAD ; : -MULTI 53 LOAD ;
7 : -GRAPH2 54 LOAD ; : -SPLIT 55 LOAD ; : -GRAPH 57 LOAD ;
8 : -FILE 68 LOAD ; : -PRINT 72 LOAD ; : -CODE 74 LOAD ;
9 : -ASSEMBLER 75 LOAD ; : -64SUPPORT 22 LOAD ;
10 : -VDPMODES -TEXT -GRAPH1 -MULTI -GRAPH2 -SPLIT ;
11 : -BSAVE 83 LOAD ; : -CRU 88 LOAD ;
12
13
14
15 R->BASE

```

## SCR #4

```

0 ( ERROR MESSAGES )
1 empty stack
2 dictionary full
3 has incorrect address mode
4 isn't unique.
5
6 disk error
7 full stack
8
9 file i/o error
10 floating point error
11 disk fence violation
12 can't load from screen zero
13
14
15 TI FORTH --- a fig-FORTH extension

```

## SCR #5

```

0 ( ERROR MESSAGES )
1 compilation only, use in definition
2 execution only
3 conditionals not paired
4 definition not finished
5 in protected dictionary
6 use only when loading
7 off current editing screen
8 declare vocabulary
9 bad jump token
10
11
12
13
14
15

```

TI FORTH --- a fig-FORTH extension

```
CR #20
( CONDITIONAL LOAD )
MENU CR 272 265 DO I MESSAGE CR LOOP CR CR CR ;
SLIT ( --- ADDR OF STRING LITERAL )
  RD DUP C@ 1+ =CELLS OVER + CR ;
```

```
W LITERAL ( W LITERAL word )
BL STATE @
IF COMPILE SLIT WORD HERE C@ 1+ =CELLS ALLOT
ELSE WORD HERE ENDIF ; IMMEDIATE -->
```

- 9 -SYNONYMS      -EDITOR            -COPY
- 1 -DUMP            -TRACE            -FLOAT
- 11 -TEXT            -GRAPH1           -MULTI
- 12 -GRAPH2        -SPLIT            -VDFMODES
- 13 -GRAPH          -FILE             -PRINT
- 1 -CODE            -ASSEMBLER       -64SUPPORT
- 15 -SSAVE         -CRU

```

SCR #21
0 ( CONDITIONAL LOAD )
1 : <CLOAD> ( SCREEN STRING_ADDR --- )
2   CONTEXT @ @ (FIND)
3   IF DROP DROP 0=
4     IF BLK @
5       IF R> DROP R> DROP
6       ENDIF
7     ENDIF
8   ELSE -DUP
9     IF LOAD
10    ENDIF
11  ENDIF ;
12 : CLOAD ( scr_no CLOAD name )
13   [COMPILE] WLITERAL STATE @
14   IF COMPILE <CLOAD> ELSE <CLOAD> ENDIF
15 ; IMMEDIATE

```

```

SCR #22
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) 0 CLOAD ED@
1 BASE->R DECIMAL 57 R->BASE CLOAD LINE BASE->R DECIMAL 51 R->BASE
2 CLOAD TEXT BASE->R DECIMAL 54 R->BASE CLOAD GRAPHICS2 BASE->R
3 DECIMAL 55 R->BASE CLOAD SPLIT
4 BASE->R DECIMAL 65 R->BASE CLOAD CLIST
5 BASE->R HEX 3800 ' SAT@ !
6 VOCABULARY EDITOR2 IMMEDIATE EDITOR2 DEFINITIONS
7 0 VARIABLE CUR
8 : !CUR 0 MAX B/SCR B/BUF * 1- MIN CUR ! ;
9 : +CUR CUR @ + !CUR ;
10 : +LIN CUR @ C/L / + C/L * !CUR ; DECIMAL
11 : LINE. DO I SCR @ (LINE) I CLINE LOOP ;
12 : BCK 0 0 GOTOXY QUIT ;
13 : PTR SCR @ B/SCR + CUR @ B/BUF /MOD ROT + BLOCK + ;
14 : R/C CUR @ C/L /MOD ; ( --- COL ROW ) R->BASE ---
15

```

```

SCR #23
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R HEX
1
2 : CINIT 3800 DUP ' SPDTAB ! 300 / 6 VMT@
3 SAT@ 2 0 DO DUP >R D000 SP@ R> 2 VMT@ DROP + LOOP DROP
4 0000 0000 0000 0000 5 SPCHAR 0 CUR !
5 0000 0000 0000 00F0 6 SPCHAR 0 1 F 5 0 SPRITE ; DECIMAL
6
7 : PLACE CUR @ 64 /MOD 8 * 1+ SWAP + * 1- DUP 0< IF DROP 0 ENDIF
8 SWAP 0 SPRPUT ;
9 : UP -64 +CUR PLACE ;
10 : DOWN 64 +CUR PLACE ;
11 : LEFT -1 -CUR PLACE ;
12 : RIGHT 1 +CUR PLACE ;
13 : CGOTOXY ( COL ROW --- ) 64 + - CUR PLACE ;
14
15 R->BASE -->

```

```

#24
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R
1
2 DECIMAL
3
4 : .CUR CUR @ C/L /MOD CGOTOXY ;
5 : DELHALF PAD 64 BLANKS PTR PAD C/L R/C DROP - CMOVE ;
6
7 : DELLIN R/C SWAP MINUS +CUR PTR PAD C/L CMOVE DUP L/SCR SWAP
8 DO PTR 1 +LIN PTR SWAP C/L CMOVE LOOP
9 0 +LIN PTR C/L 32 FILL C/L * !CUR ;
10 : INSLIN R/C SWAP MINUS +CUR L/SCR +LIN DUP 1+ L/SCR 0 +LIN
11 DO PTR -1 +LIN PTR SWAP C/L CMOVE -1 +LOOP
12 PAD PTR C/L CMOVE C/L * !CUR ;
13 : RELINE R/C SWAP DROP DUP LINE. UPDATE .CUR ;
14 : +.CUR +CUR .CUR ;
15 R->BASE -->

```

```

#25
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R DECIMAL
1 : -TAB PTR DUP C@ BL >
2 IF BEGIN 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ BL =
3 UNTIL
4 ENDIF
5 BEGIN CUR @ IF 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ BL > ELSE .CUR 1 ENDIF UNTIL
6 BEGIN CUR @ IF 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ BL = DUP IF 1 -.CUR ENDIF
7 ELSE .CUR 1 ENDIF
8 UNTIL DROP ;
9 : TAB PTR DUP C@ BL = '0'=
10 IF BEGIN 1+ DUP 1 +CUR C@ BL =
11 UNTIL
12 ENDIF
13 CUR @ 1023 = IF .CUR 1
14 ELSE BEGIN 1- DUP 1 +CUR C@ BL > UNTIL .CUR
15 ENDIF DROP ; R->BASE -->

```

```

#26
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R
1 DECIMAL
2 : !BLK PTR C! UPDATE ;
3 : BLNKS PTR R/C DROP C/L SWAP - 32 FILL ;
4 : HOME 0 0 CGOTOXY ;
5 : REDRAW SCR @ CLIST UPDATE .CUR ;
6 : SCRNO CLS 0 0 GOTOXY ." SCR #" SCR @ BASE->R DECIMAL U.
7 R->BASE CR ;
8 : +SCR SCR @ 1+ DUP SCR ! SCRNO CLIST ;
9 : -SCR SCR @ 1- 0 MAX DUP SCR ! SCRNO CLIST ;
10 : DEL PTR DUP 1- SWAP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - CMOVE 32
11 PTR R/C DROP - C/L - 1- C! ;
12 INS 32 PTR DUP 1- SWAP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - CMOVE 32
13 R/C LOOP DROP PTR DUP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - + 1- SWAP 1- SWAP
14 DO 1 C! -1 -LOOP ; R->BASE -->

```

```

SCR #27
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR 15JUL82 LAO )          BASE->R DECIMAL
1 0 VARIABLE BLINK 0 VARIABLE OKEY
2 10 CONSTANT RL 150 CONSTANT RH 0 VARIABLE KC RH VARIABLE RLOG
3 : RKEY BEGIN ?KEY -DUP 1 BLINK +! BLINK @ DUP 60 < IF 6 0 SPRPAT
4 ELSE 5 0 SPRPAT ENDIF 120 = IF 0 BLINK ! ENDIF
5 IF ( SOME KEY IS PRESSED ) KC @ 1 KC +! 0 BLINK !
6 IF ( WAITING TO REPEAT ) RLOG @ KC @ <
7 IF ( LONG ENOUGH ) RL RLOG ! 1 KC ! 1 ( FORCE EXT)
8 ELSE OKEY @ OVER =
9 IF DROP 0 ( NEED TO WAIT MORE )
10 ELSE 1 ( FORCE EXIT ) DUP KC ! ENDIF
11 ENDIF
12 ELSE ( NEW KEY ) 1 ( FORCE LOOP EXIT ) ENDIF
13 ELSE ( NO KEY PRESSED) RH RLOG ! 0 KC ! 0
14 ENDIF
15 UNTIL DUP OKEY ! ; R->BASE -->

```

```

SCR #28
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R HEX
1 : EDT VDPHDE 3 5 = 0= IF SPLIT CINIT ENDIF !CUR R/C CGOTOXY
2 DUP DUP SCR ! SCRNO CLIST BEGIN RKEY
3 CASE 08 OF LEFT ENDOF 0C OF -SCR ENDOF
4 0A OF DOWN ENDOF 03 OF DEL RELINE ENDOF
5 0B OF UP ENDOF 04 OF INS RELINE ENDOF
6 09 OF RIGHT ENDOF 07 OF DELLIN REDRAW ENDOF
7 0E OF HOME ENDOF 06 OF INSLIN REDRAW ENDOF
8 02 OF +SCR ENDOF 16 OF TAB ENDOF
9 0D OF 1 +LIN .CUR PLACE ENDOF 7F OF -TAB ENDOF
10 01 OF DELHALF BLNKS RELINE ENDOF
11 0F OF 5 0 SPRPAT CLS SCRNO DROP QUIT ENDOF
12 1E OF INSLIN BLNKS REDRAW ENDOF
13 DUP 1F > OVER 7F < AND IF DUP !BLK R/C SWAP DROP DUP SCR 3
14 (LINE) ROT CLINE 1 +.CUR ELSE 7 EMIT ENDIF ENDCASE AGAIN ;
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #29
0 ( 64 COLUMN EDITOR ) BASE->R HEX
1 FORTH DEFINITIONS
2 : EDIT EDITOR2 0 EDT ;
3 : WHERE EDITOR2 3/SCR /MOD SWAP 2/BUF + ROT + 2- EDT ;
4
5 : EDG EDITOR2 SCR @ SCRNO EDIT ;
6
7
8
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10
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12
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14
15 R->BASE

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SCR #32
0 ( SYSTEM CALLS 09JUL82 LCT) 0 CLOAD RANDOMIZE
1 BASE->R DECIMAL 74 R->BASE CLOAD ;CODE
2 BASE->R DECIMAL
3 : VSEW 0 SYSTEM ; : VMEW 2 SYSTEM ;
4 : VSER 4 SYSTEM ; : VMER 6 SYSTEM ;
5 : VNTR 8 SYSTEM ; : GPLLNK 0 33660 C! 10 SYSTEM ;
6 : XMLLNK 12 SYSTEM ; : DSRLNK 8 14 SYSTEM ;
7 : CLS 16 SYSTEM ; : FORMAT-DISK 1+ 18 SYSTEM ;
8 : VFILL 20 SYSTEM ; : VAND 22 SYSTEM ; : VOR 24 SYSTEM ;
9 : VXOR 26 SYSTEM ; HEX
10 CODE MON 0200 , 4E4F , 0201 , 2000 , CC40 , 0281 , 4000 , 16FC ,
11 0420 , 0000 ,
12 : RNDW 83C0 DUP @ 6FES + TAB9 + 5 SRC DUP ROT ! ;
13 : RND RNDW ABS SWAP MOD ; : SEED 83C0 ! ;
14 : RANDOMIZE 8802 C@ DROP 0 BEGIN 1+ 8802 C@ 20 AND UNTIL SEED ;
15 R->BASE

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SCR #34
0 ( SCREEN EDITOR 09JUL82 LCT) 0 CLOAD EDG
1 BASE->R DECIMAL 33 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE
2 BASE->R HEX VOCABULARY EDITOR1 IMMEDIATE EDITOR1 DEFINITIONS
3 : BOX 8F7 8F1 DO 84 I VSEW LOOP ;
4 : CUR R# ;
5 : !CUR 0 MAX 8/SCR 8/BUF + 1- MIN CUR ! ;
6 : +CUR CUR @ + !CUR ;
7 : +LIN CUR @ C/L / + C/L + !CUR ;
8 0 VARIABLE S_LH DECIMAL
9 : FTYPE 40 + 124 + SWAP VMEW ;
10 : LISTA DECIMAL 0 0 GOTOXY DUP SCR !
11 : " SCR * " . CR CR CR 15 0 DO I 3 .R CR LOOP ;
12 : ROWCAL S_LH @ IF 29 + ENDF ;
13 : LINE. DO I SCR 2 (LINE) DROP ROWCAL 33 I FTYPE LOOP ;
14 : LISTE L/SCR 0 LINE. ;
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #33
0 ( SCREEN EDITOR 09JUL82 LCT)
1
2 : LISTL BASE->R LISTA + 1 GOTOXY
3 ." 1 2 3 " + 2 GOTOXY
4 ." .....0.....0.....0....."
5 0 S_LH ! LISTE R->BASE ;
6 : LISTR BASE->R DROP + 1 GOTOXY
7 ." 4 5 6 " + 2 GOTOXY
8 ." 0.....+.....0.....+.....0.....+.....0....."
9 : S_LH LISTE R->BASE ;
10 : BOX 0 L/SCR 2- GOTOXY SUIT ;
11 : PTR SCR 2 L/SCR - CUR 2 C/BUF VMEW ROT - CHECK
12 : BOX CUR 2 L/SCR - BOX ; --- BOX BOX
13 : DELHALF PAD 64 BLANKS PTR PAD C/L R/C DROP - MOVE ;
14
15 ---

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## SCR #36

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0 ( SCREEN EDITOR 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R DECIMAL
1 : .CUR CUE @ C/L /MOD 3 + SWAP 4 + DUP S_LH @
2   IF 32 > IF 29 - ELSE SCR @ LISTL ENDIF
3   ELSE 39 < 0= IF SCR @ LISTR 29 - ENDIF
4   ENDIF SWAP GOTOXY ;
5 : DELLIN R/C SWAP MINUS +CUR PTR PAD C/L CMOVE DUP L/SCR SWAP
6   DO PTR 1 +LIN PTR SWAP C/L CMOVE LOOP
7   0 +LIN PTR C/L 32 FILL C/L * !CUR ;
8 : INSLIN R/C SWAP MINUS +CUR L/SCR +LIN DUP 1+ L/SCR 0 -LIN
9   DO PTR -1 +LIN PTR SWAP C/L CMOVE -1 +LOOP
10  PAD PTR C/L CMOVE C/L * !CUR ;
11 : RELINE R/C SWAP DROP DUP 13 EMIT LINE. UPDATE .CUR ;
12 : +.CUR +CUR .CUR ;
13 : TAB PTR DUP @ 32 = 0= IF BEGIN 1+ DUP 1 +CUR C@ 32 = UNTIL
14  ENDIF CUR @ 1023 = IF .CUR 1 ELSE BEGIN 1+ DUP 1 +CUR C@ 32 >
15  UNTIL .CUR ENDIF ; R->BASE -->

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## SCR #37

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0 ( SCREEN EDITOR 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R DECIMAL
1 : -TAB PTR DUP C@ 32 > IF BEGIN 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ 32 = UNTIL
2  ENDIF BEGIN CUR @ IF 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ 32 > ELSE .CUR 1 ENDIF
3  UNTIL BEGIN CUR @ IF 1- DUP -1 +CUR C@ 32 = DUP IF 1 +.CUR
4  ENDIF ELSE .CUR 1 ENDIF UNTIL ; !BLK PTR C! UPDATE 1 +.CUR ;
5 : BLNKS PTR R/C DROP C/L SWAP - 32 FILL ;
6 : FLIP S_LH @ IF -29 ELSE 29 ENDIF +.CUR ;
7 : REDRAW SCR @ S_LH @ IF LISTR ELSE LISTL ENDIF UPDATE .CUR ;
8 : NEWSCR 0 SWAP LISTL !CUR .CUR ;
9 : +SCR SCR @ 1+ NEWSCR ;
10 : -SCR SCR @ 1- 0 MAX NEWSCR ;
11 : DEL PTR DUP 1+ SWAP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - CMOVE 32
12  PTR R/C DROP - C/L + 1- C! ;
13 : INS 32 PTR DUP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - + SWAP DO
14  I C@ LOOP DROP PTR DUP R/C DROP C/L SWAP - + 1- SWAP 1- SWAP
15  DO I C! -1 +LOOP ; R->BASE -->

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## SCR #38

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0 ( SCREEN EDITOR 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 : VED BOX SWAP CLS LISTL !CUR .CUR BEGIN KEY CASE
2   OF OF BCK                ENDOF 01 OF DELHALF BLNKS RELINE ENDOF
3   08 OF -1 +.CUR           ENDOF 02 OF +SCR                ENDOF
4   0A OF C/L +.CUR          ENDOF 0C OF -SCR                ENDOF
5   0B OF C/L MINUS +.CUR    ENDOF 03 OF DEL RELINE          ENDOF
6   09 OF 1 +.CUR            ENDOF 04 OF INS RELINE          ENDOF
7   0D OF 1 +LIN .CUR        ENDOF 07 OF DELLIN REDRAW        ENDOF
8   0E OF FLIP                ENDOF 06 OF INSLIN REDRAW        ENDOF
9   1E OF INSLIN BLNKS REDRAW ENDOF 16 OF TAB                ENDOF
10  7F OF -TAB ENDOF
11  DUP IF > OVER 7F < AND IF DUP EMIT DUP !BLK ELSE 7 EMIT ENDIF
12  ENDCASE AGAIN ; FORTH DEFINITIONS
13 : WHERE EDITOR1 3/SCR MOD SWAP 3/SCR + ROT + 0- VED
14 : EDIT EDITOR1 0 VED ; EDIT EDITOR1 SCR 3 EDIT
15 R->BASE

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SCR #39

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0 ( STRING STORE AND SCREEN COPY WORDS 12JUL82 LCT) 0 CONSTANT AD
1 0 CLOAD DISK-HEAD ( ADDR --- ) BASE->R HEX
2 : (!) R COUNT DUP 1+ =CELLS R> + >R >R SWAP R> CMOVE ;
3 : !" 22 STATE @ ( STORE STRING AT ADDR )
4   IF COMPILE (!) WORD HERE CG
5     1+ =CELLS ALLOT
6   ELSE WORD HERE COUNT >R SWAP R> CMOVE
7   ENDIF ; IMMEDIATE DECIMAL ( SCREEN COPYING WORDS )
8 : DTEST 90 0 DO I DUP . BLOCK DROP LOOP ;
9 : SCOPY OFFSET @ + SWAP BLOCK 2- ! UPDATE FLUSH ; ( 1K BLOCKS )
10 : SMOVE >R OVER OVER - DUP 0< SWAP R MINUS > + 2 = IF
11   OVER OVER SWAP R + 1- SWAP R + 1- -1 / AD ! ELSE 1 / AD !
12   ENDIF R> 0 DO OVER OVER SCOPY AD + SWAP AD + SWAP LOOP DROP
13   DROP ;
14 : FORTH-COPY 90 0 DO I DUP . 90 + I SCOPY LOOP ;
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #40

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0 ( WRITE A HEAD COMPATABLE WITH THE DISK MANAGER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : DISK-HEAD 0 CLEAR 0 BLOCK ( START SECTOR 0)
3   DUP ! * FORTH      * DUP A + 128 SWAP !
4   DUP C + 944 SWAP ! DUP E + 5348 SWAP !
5   DUP 10 + 2000 SWAP ! DUP 12 + 26 0 FILL
6   DUP 38 + 08 FF FILL 100 + ( START SECTOR 1)
7   DUP 2 SWAP ! DUP 2+ FE 00 FILL
8   100 + ( START SECTOR 2)
9   DUP ! * SCREENS   * DUP A + 0 SWAP !
10  DUP C + 2 SWAP ! DUP E + 168 SWAP !
11  DUP 10 + 80 SWAP ! DUP 12 + CA02 SWAP !
12  DUP 14 + 8 0 FILL DUP 16 + 2250 SWAP !
13  DUP 18 + 1403 SWAP ! DUP 20 + 4016 SWAP ! 22 + 0DE 0 FILL
14  FLUSH
15 : R->BASE
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CR #42
0 ( DUMP ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 0 CLOAD VLIST BASE->R HEX
2 : DUMPS -DUP
3 IF
4 BASE->R HEX 0 OUT ! SPACE OVER 4 U.R
5 OVER OVER 0 DO
6 DUP @ 0 <# # # # BL HOLD BL HOLD #> TYPE 2+ 2
7 +LOOP DROP IF OUT @ - SPACES
8 0 DO
9 DUP C@ DUP 20 < OVER 7E > OR
10 IF DROP 2E ENDIF
11 EMIT 1+
12 LOOP
13 CR R->BASE
14 ENDIF ;
15 -->

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CR #43
0 ( DUMP ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : DUMP CR 00 8 U/ >R SWAP R> -DUP
2 IF 0
3 DO 8 DUMPS PAUSE IF SWAP DROP 0 SWAP LEAVE ENDIF LOOP
4 ENDIF SWAP DUMPS DROP ;
5 : .S CR SP@ 2- S@ @ 2- ." | " OVER OVER = 0= IF
6 DO I @ U. -2 +LOOP ELSE DROP DROP ENDIF ;
7 : VLIST 80 OUT ! CONTEXT @ @
8 BEGIN DUP C@ 3F AND OUT @ + 25 >
9 IF CR 0 OUT ! ENDIF
10 DUP ID. PFA LFA @ SPACE DUP 0= PAUSE OR
11 UNTIL DROP ; R->BASE
12
13
14
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CR #44
0 ( TRACE COLON WORDS-FORTH DIMENSIONS III/2 P.58 26OCT82 LCT)
1 0 CLOAD (TRACE) BASE->R DECIMAL 42 R->BASE CLOAD VLIST
2 FORTH DEFINITIONS
3 0 VARIABLE TRACF ( CONTROLS INSERTION OF TRACE ROUTINE )
4 0 VARIABLE TFLAG ( CONTROLS TRACE OUTPUT )
5 : TRACE 1 TRACF ! ;
6 : UNTRACE 0 TRACF ! ;
7 : TRON 1 TFLAG ! ;
8 : TROFF 0 TFLAG ! ;
9 : (TRACE) TFLAG @ ( GIVE TRACE OUTPUT? )
10 IF CR R 2- NFA ID. ( BACK TO PFA NFA FOR NAME )
11 .S ENDIF ; ( PRINT STACK CONTENTS )
12 : ( REDEFINED TO INSERT TRACE WORD AFTER COLON )
13 ?EXEC DOES CURRENT @ CONTEXT CREATE : CFA @ LITERAL
14 HERE 2- ! TRACF @ IF (TRACE) CFA DUP @ HERE 2- ! , ENDIF ;
15 : IMMEDIATE

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CR #45
0 ( FLOATING POINT <4 WORD> STACK ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 0 CLOAD PI BASE->R DECIMAL 33 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE
2 BASE->R HEX
3 : FDUP SP@ DUP 2- SWAP 6 + DO I @ -2 +LOOP ;
4 : FDROP DROP DROP DROP DROP ;
5 : FOVER SP@ DUP 6 + SWAP E + DO I @ -2 +LOOP ;
6 : FSWAP FOVER >R >R >R >R >R >R >R >R
7 : FDROP R> E> E> R> R> R> R> R> ;
8 : F! 4 0 DO DUP >R ! R> 2+ LOOP DROP ;
9 : F@ 6 + 4 0 DO DUP >R @ R> 2- LOOP DROP ;
10 834A CONSTANT FAC 833C CONSTANT ARG
11 : >FAC FAC F! ; : >ARG ARG F! ; : FAC> FAC F@ ;
12 : SETFL >FAC >ARG ;
13 : FADD 0600 C SYSTEM ; : FSUB 0700 C SYSTEM ;
14 : FMUL 0800 C SYSTEM ; : FDIV 0900 C SYSTEM ;
15 R->BASE -->

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CR #46
0 ( FLOATING POINT ARITHMETIC ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : F+ SETFL FADD FAC> ;
3 : F- SETFL FSUB FAC> ;
4 : F* SETFL FMUL FAC> ;
5 : F/ SETFL FDIV FAC> ;
6 : S->FAC FAC ! 2300 C SYSTEM ;
7 : FAC->S 1200 C SYSTEM FAC S ;
8 : FAC>ARG FAC ARG 8 CMOVE ;
9 : F->S >FAC FAC->S ;
10 : S->F S->FAC FAC> ;
11 DECIMAL
12 : FRND 3 0 DO 100 END 100 END 356 + + LOOP
13 : 100 END 16128 + ;
14
15 R->BASE -->

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CR #47
0 ( FLOATING POINT CONVERSION ROUTINES CONTINUED 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : DOSTR FAC B + C! 14 GPLLNK
3 : FAC B + C@ 8300 + FAC C + C@ DUP PAD C!
4 : PAD 1- SWAP CMOVE ;
5
6 ( NUMBER IN FAC CONVERTED TO BASIC STRING AND PLACED AT PAD)
7 : STR 0 DOSTR ;
8
9 ( NUMBER IN FAC CONVERTED TO FIXED STRING AND PLACED AT PAD)
10 : STR. FAC B + C! FAC C + C! DOSTR ;
11
12 ( STRING AT PAD CONVERTED TO NUMBER IN FAC)
13 : VAL PAD 1+ 1000 DUP FAC C + ! PAD C@ OVER OVER + 10 SWAP 333X
14 : WHEN 1000 KMLINK ;
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #48

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0 ( FLOATING POINT - COMPILER NO TO STACK 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 : F$ PAD 1+ SWAP >R R CMOVE R> PAD C! VAL FAC> ;
2 : (>F) R COUNT DUP 1+ =CELLS R> + >R F$ ;
3 : >F 20 STATE @
4 :   IF   COMPILER (>F) WORD HERE C@
5 :       1+ =CELLS ALLOT
6 :       ELSE WORD HERE COUNT F$
7 :       ENDIF ; IMMEDIATE
8
9 ( FLOATING POINT OUTPUT ROUTINES )
10 : JST PAD C@ - SPACES PAD COUNT TYPE ;
11 : F.R >R >FAC STR R> JST ;
12 : F. 0 F.R ;
13 : FF.R >R >R >R >FAC R> 0 R> STR. R> JST ;
14 : FF. 0 FF.R ;
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #49

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0 ( FLOATING POINT COMPARE ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : FCLEAN >R DROP DROP DROP R> ;
3
4 : F< 0< FCLEAN ;
5
6 : F0= 0= FCLEAN ;
7
8 : FCOM SETFL 0A00 C SYSTEM 837C C@ ;
9 : F> FCOM 40 AND MINUS 0< ;
10 : F= FCOM 20 AND MINUS 0< ;
11 : F< FCOM 60 AND 0= ;
12 : FLERR 8354 C@ ;
13 : ?FLERR FLERR A ?ERROR ;
14
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #50

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0 ( FLOATING POINT TRANSCENDENTAL FUNCTIONS 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 0 VARIABLE LNKSAV
3 : GLNK 83C4 @ LNKSAV ! GPLLNK LNKSAV 8 83C4 ' ;
4 : INT >FAC 22 GLNK FAC> ;
5 : ^   SETFL ARG 836E @ 8 VMBW 24 GLNK FAC> 8 836E +! ;
6 : SQR >FAC 26 GLNK FAC> ;
7 : EXP >FAC 28 GLNK FAC> ;
8 : LOG >FAC 2A GLNK FAC> ;
9 : COS >FAC 2C GLNK FAC> ;
10 : SIN >FAC 2E GLNK FAC> ;
11 : TAN >FAC 30 GLNK FAC> ;
12 : ATN >FAC 32 GLNK FAC> ;
13 : PI >F 3.1415926535890 ;
14
15 R->BASE
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SCR #51
0 ( CONVERT TO TEXT MODE CONFIGURATION 14SEP82 LAG)
1 0 CLOAD TEXT BASE->R DECIMAL 56 R->BASE CLOAD SETVDP2
2 BASE->R HEX
3
4 : TEXT
5 0 300 20 VFILL ( BLANKS TO SCREEN IMAGE AREA )
6 20 SCR_N_WIDTH ! 0 SCR_N_START ! 300 SCR_N_END ! 460 PABS !
7 SETVDP1 1 VDPMDZ '
8 ( NOW SET VDP REGISTERS )
9 1 6 VWTR OF4 7 VWTR
10 OF0 SETVDP2 ;
11
12
13
14
15 R->BASE

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SCR #52
0 ( CONVERT TO GRAPHICS MODE CONFIG 14SEP82 LAG)
1 0 CLOAD GRAPHICS BASE->R DECIMAL 56 R->BASE CLOAD SETVDP2
2 BASE->R HEX
3
4 : GRAPHICS
5 0 300 20 VFILL ( BLANKS TO SCREEN IMAGE AREA ) 300 80 0 VFILL
6 380 20 F4 VFILL
7 20 SCR_N_WIDTH ! 0 SCR_N_START ! 300 SCR_N_END !
8 SETVDP1 2 VDPMDZ !
9 ( NOW SET VDP REGISTERS )
10 1 6 VWTR OF4 7 VWTR
11 20 SETVDP2 ;
12
13
14
15 R->BASE

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SCR #53
0 ( CONVERT TO MULTI-COLOR MODE CONFIG 14SEP82 LAG)
1 0 CLOAD MULTI BASE->R DECIMAL 56 R->BASE CLOAD VDPSETC
2 BASE->R HEX
3
4 : MULTI 0B0 1 VWTR ( BLANK THE SCREEN )
5 -1 18 0 DC I 4 / OFF SWAP DO 1+ I OVER VSBW 8 +LOOP LOOP DROP
6 800 800 0 VFILL ( INIT 256 CHAR PATTERNS TO 0 )
7 300 80 0 VFILL 380 20 OF4 VFILL
8 20 SCR_N_WIDTH ! 0 SCR_N_START ! 300 SCR_N_END ! 460 PABS !
9 1000 DICKLEUF ( RESTORE USER VARIABLES )
10 3 VDPMDZ
11 ( NOW SET VDP REGISTERS )
12 1 6 VWTR OF4 7 VWTR
13 02E SETVDP2 ;
14
15 R->BASE

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SCR #54

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0 ( CONVERT TO GRAPHICS2 MODE CONFIG 14SEP82 LAO)
1 0 CLOAD GRAPHICS2 BASE->R DECIMAL 56 R->BASE CLOAD VDPSET2
2 BASE->R HEX : GRAPHICS2 0A0 1 VWTR
3 -1 1800 1800 DO 1+ DUP OFF AND I VSEW LOOP DROP
4 1 PABS @ VSEW 16 PABS @ 1+ VSEW 1 ( #FILE) 834C C! PABS @ 8356 !
5 0A 0E SYSTEM ( SUBROUTINE TYPE DSRLNK TO SET 2 DISK BUFFERS )
6 0 1800 0F0 VFILL ( INIT COLOR TABLE )
7 2000 1800 0 VFILL ( INIT BIT MAP )
8 20 SCRNLWIDTH ! 1800 SCRNLSTART ! 1200 SCRNLEND ! 1800 PABS !
9 1000 DISK_BUF ! ( USER VARIABLES NOW SET UP )
10 2 0 VWTR      6 2 VWTR ( SET VDP REGISTERS )
11 07F 3 VWTR    OFF 4 VWTR
12 70 5 VWTR     7 6 VWTR
13 0F1 7 VWTR    0E0 DUP 83D4 C! 1 VWTR      18C0 836E ! ( VSPTR )
14 0 0 GOTOXY 4 VDPMD E ! 0 837A C! ;
15 R->BASE
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SCR #55

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0 ( CONVERT TO SPLIT MODE CONFIG 14SEP82 LAO)
1 0 CLOAD SPLIT BASE->R DECIMAL 56 R->BASE CLOAD VDPSET2
2 BASE->R DECIMAL 54 R->BASE CLOAD GRAPHICS2
3 BASE->R HEX
4 : SPLIT GRAPHICS2 1A00 SCRNLSTART ! 0A0 1 VWTR 3000 800 OFF
5 VFILL 3100 834A ! 18 GPLLNK 3300 834A ! 4A GPLLNK
6 1A00 100 20 VFILL 1000 800 0F4 VFILL 0 0 GOTOXY 0E0 1 VWTR
7 5 VDPMD E ! 0 837A C! ;
8
9 : SPLIT2 GRAPHICS2 1880 SCRNLEND ! 2000 400 OFF VFILL
10 2100 834A ! 18 GPLLNK 2300 834A ! 4A GPLLNK
11 1800 80 20 VFILL 0 400 0F4 VFILL 0 0 GOTOXY 6 VDPMD E !
12 0 837A C! ;
13
14
15 R->BASE
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SCR #56

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0 ( VDPMODES 14SEP82 LAO ) 0 CLOAD SETVDP2 BASE->R DECIMAL 33
1 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE BASE->R HEX
2 : SETVDP1 0E0 1 VWTR ( BLANK THE SCREEN )
3 800 800 0F0 VFILL ( INIT 256 CHAR PATTERNS TO FF )
4 900 834A ! 18 GPLLNK ( LOAD CAPITAL LETTERS )
5 B00 834A ! 4A GPLLNK ( LOAD LOWER CASE - ON 99/4A ONLY ) ;
6 : SETVDP2 ( n --- ) 460 PABS !
7 1000 DISK_BUF ! ( RESTORE USER VARIABLES )
8 ( SET VDP REGISTERS )
9 0 0 VWTR 0 2 VWTR 0E 3 VWTR
10 1 4 VWTR 6 5 VWTR
11 3E0 836E ! ( VSPTR )
12 1 PABS @ VSEW 16 PABS @ 1+ VSEW 3 ( #FILE) 834C C! PABS @ 8356 !
13 0A 0E SYSTEM ( SUB TYPE DSRLNK TO SET 3 DISK BUF )
14 0 0 GOTOXY 0 837A C!
15 DUP 83D4 C! 1 VWTR ; R->BASE
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SCR #57
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 12JUL82 LCT) 0 CLOAD CHAR BASE->R DECIMAL
1 33 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE BASE->R DECIMAL 7# R->BASE CLOAD
2 ;CODE BASE->R HEX
3 380 CONSTANT COLTAB 300 CONSTANT SATR 780 CONSTANT SMTN
4 900 CONSTANT PDT 900 CONSTANT SPDTAB
5 : CHAR ( W1 W2 W3 W4 CH --- )
6 8 * PDT + >R -2 6 DO PAD I + ! -2 +LOOP PAD R> 8 VMBW ;
7 : CHARPAT ( CH --- W1 W2 W3 W4 )
8 8 * PDT + PAD 8 VMBR 8 0 DO PAD I + 8 2 +LOOP ;
9 : VCHAR ( X Y CNT CH --- )
10 >R >R SCRNM_WIDTH @ + + SCRNM_END @ SCRNM_START @ - SWAP
11 R> R> SWAP 0 DO SWAP OVER OVER SCRNM_START @ + VSBW SCRNM_WIDTH
12 @ + ROT OVER OVER /MOD IF 1+ SCRNM_WIDTH @ OVER OVER = IF -
13 ELSE DROP ENDIF ENDIF ROT DROP ROT LOOP DROP DROP DROP ;
14 R->BASE -->
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CR #58
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 20OCT83 LAO) BASE->R HEX
1 : HCHAR ( X Y CNT CH --- )
2 >R >R SCRNM_WIDTH @ + + SCRNM_START @ + R> R> VFILL ;
3 : COLOR ( FG BG CHSET --- ) >R SWAP 10 + + R> COLTAB + VSBW ;
4 : SCREEN ( COLOR --- ) 7 VWTR ;
5 : GCHAR ( X Y --- ASCII ) ( COLUMNS AND ROWS NUMBERED FROM 0 )
6 SCRNM_WIDTH @ + + SCRNM_START @ + VSBW ;
7 : SSDT ( ADDR --- ) ( SET SPRITE DESCRIPTOR TABLE ADDRESS )
8 DUP ' SPDTAB ! 900 / 6 VWTR ( RESET VDP REG 6 )
9 SATR 20 0 DO DUP >R D000 SP@ R> 2 VMBW DROP + + LOOP DROP
10 VDPMB@ @ + < IF SMTN 80 0 VFILL 300 ! SATR ! ENDIF
11 ( INIT ALL SPRITES ) ;
12 : SPCHAR ( W1 W2 W3 W4 CH# --- )
13 8 * SPDTAB + >R -2 6 DO PAD I + ! -2 +LOOP PAD R> 8 VMBW ;
14 : SPCOL ( COL # --- ) 4 * SATR 3 - + DUP >R VSBW 070 AND OR
15 R> VSBW ;
R->BASE -->

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R #59
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 20OCT83 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : SPRPAT ( CH # --- ) 4 * SATR 2+ + VSBW ;
3 : SPRPUT ( DX DY # --- )
4 + + SATR + >R 1- 100 U+ DROP + SP@ R> 2 VMBW DROP ;
5 : SPRITE ( DX DY COL CH # --- ) ( SPRITES NUMBERED 0 - 31 )
6 DUP 4 * SATR + >R DUP >R SPRPAT R SPCOL R> SPRPUT R> +
7 SATR DO I VSBW DO = IF COOL SP@ I 2 VMBW DROP ENDIF + -LOOP ;
8 : MOTION ( SPX SPY # --- )
9 + + SMTN + >R 8 SLA SWAP 00FF AND OR SP@ R> 2 VMBW DROP ;
10 : #MOTION ( NO --- ) 837A C! ;
11 : SPEGET ( # --- DX DY )
12 + + SATR + DUP VSBW 1# 1# 1# AND SWAP 1# 1# 1# 1# 1#
13 : DXY ( X2 Y2 X1 Y1 --- X02 Y02 )
14 ROT - ABS ROT ROT - ABS DUP + SWAP DUP +
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #60
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX : BEEP 34 GPLLNK ;      : HONK 36 GPLLNK ;
2 : SPRDIST ( #1 #2 --- DIST^2 ) ( DISTANCE BETWEEN 2 SPRITES )
3   SPRGET ROT SPRGET DX? OVER OVER
4   + DUP >R OR OR 8000 AND IF R> DROP 7FFF ELSE R> ENDF ;
5 : SPRDISTXY ( X Y * --- DIST^2 ) SPRGET DX? OVER OVER
6   + DUP >R OR OR 8000 AND IF R> DROP 7FFF ELSE R> ENDF ;
7 : MAGNIFY ( MAG-FACTOR --- )
8   83D4 C@ OFC AND + DUP 83D4 C! 1 VMTX ;
9 : JOYST ( KEYEDNO --- ASCII XSTAT YSTAT ) 8374 C!
10  ?KEY DROP 8375 C@ DUP DUP 12 = IF DROP 0 0 ELSE OFF =
11  IF 8377 C@ 8376 C@ ELSE 8375 C@
12  CASE 4 OF OFC 4 ENDOF 5 OF 0 + ENDOF 6 OF + + ENDOF
13    2 OF OFC 0 ENDOF 3 OF 4 0 ENDOF 0 OF 0 OFC ENDOF
14    OF OF OFC OFC ENDOF 0E OF 4 OFC ENDOF DROP DROP 0 0 0 0
15  ENDCASE ENDF ENDF 4 8374 C! ; R->BASE -->

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SCR #61
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 : COINC ( #1 #2 TOL --- F ) ( 0= NO COINC 1= COINC )
2   DUP + DUP + >R SPRDIST R> > 0= ;
3 : COINCXY ( DX DY * TOL --- F )
4   DUP + DUP + >R SPRDISTXY R> > 0= ;
5 : COINCALL ( --- F ) ( BIT SET IF ANY TWO SPRITES OVERLAP )
6   8802 C@ 20 AND 20 = ;
7 : DELSPR ( * --- )
8   4 + DUP SATR + >R 0 COOL SP@ R> 4 VMEW DROP DROP
9   SMTN + >R 0 0 SP@ R> 4 VMEW DROP DROP ;
10 : DELALL ( --- )
11  0 +MOTION SATR 20 0 DO DUP DO SWAP VSEW + + LOOP DROP
12  SMTN GO 0 VFILL ;
13
14
15  R->BASE -->

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SCR #62
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 24NOV82 LAC) BASE->R HEX 0 VARIABLE ADR
1 : MINIT 18 0 DO 0 1 4 / 20 + DUP 20 + SWAP
2   DO DUP J 1 1 HCHAR 1+ LOOP DROP LOOP ;
3 : MCHAR ( COLOR C R --- ) DUP >R 2 / SWAP DUP >R 2 / SWAP
4   DUP >R GCHAR DUP 20 / 100 U+ DROP 800 + >R 20 MOD
5   8 + R> + H> 4 MOD 2 + + ADR ! R> 2 MOD R> 2 MOD SWAP
6   IF IF 3 ELSE 1 ENDF ELSE IF 2 ELSE 0 ENDF ENDF
7   DUP 2 MOD 0= IF SWAP 10 + SWAP ENDF
8   CASE 0 OF ADR @ VSEW OF ENDOF 1 OF ADR @ VSEW FO ENDOF
9     2 OF 1 ADR +! ADR @ VSEW OF ENDOF
10    3 OF 1 ADR +! ADR @ VSEW FO ENDOF
11  ENDCASE AND + ADR @ VSEW ;
12 0 VARIABLE DMODE -1 VARIABLE BOCOLOR
13 : DRAW 0 DMODE ! ; UNDRAW 1 DMODE ! ; STOG 0 DMODE ! ;
14 3040 VARIABLE STAD 3040 304 101 101 101 101 101 101
15 FESE , 3040 , 1010 , 304 , 101 , R->BASE -->

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SCR #63
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES ) BASE->R HEX
1 CODE DDOT C079 ,
2 C0D9 , C0B1 , C103 , 0241 ,
3 0007 , 0243 , 0007 , 0242 ,
4 00F8 , 0244 , 00F8 , 0A52 ,
5 A042 , A044 , 0221 , 2000 ,
6 04C4 , D123 , DTAB , 06C4 ,
7 C644 , 0649 , C641 , 0-5F ,
8 : DOT ( X ? --- )
9 DDOT DUP 2000 - >R DMODE @
10 CASE 0 OF VOR ENDOF ( DRAW )
11 1 OF SWAP FF XOR SWAP VAND ENDOF ( UNDRAW )
12 2 OF VXOR ENDOF ( TOGGLE )
13 DROP DROP ENDCASE R)
14 DCOLOR @ 0 < IF DROP ELSE DCOLOR @ SWAP VSW ENDF ;
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #64
0 ( GRAPHICS PRIMITIVES 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 : SGN DUP IF DUP 0< IF -1 ELSE 1 ENDF ELSE 0 ENDF + ;
2 : LINE >R R ROT >R R - SGN SWAP >R R ROT >R R - SGN OVER ABS
3 OVER ABS < >R R 0= IF SWAP ENDF 100 ROT ROT +/ R)
4 IF ( X AXIS ) >R R) OVER OVER >
5 IF ( MAKE L TO R ) SWAP R) DROP R)
6 ELSE R) R) DROP
7 ENDF 100 + ROT ROT 1+ SWAP
8 DO I OVER 0 100 M/ SWAP DROP DOT OVER + LOOP
9 ELSE ( ? AXIS ) >R R) R) R) ROT >R ROT >R OVER OVER >
10 IF ( MAKE T TO R ) SWAP R) DROP R)
11 ELSE R) R) DROP
12 ENDF 100 + ROT ROT 1+ SWAP
13 DO DUP 0 100 M/ SWAP DROP : DOT OVER + LOOP
14 ENDF DROP DROP ;
15 R->BASE

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SCR #65
0 ( COMPACT LIST )
1 0 CLOAD SMASH BASE->R DECIMAL 74 R->BASE CLOAD ;CODE
2 BASE->R DECIMAL 33 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE BASE->R DECIMAL
3 0 VARIABLE TCHAR 382 ALLOT 67 BLOCK TCHAR 384 CMOVE HEX
4 TCHAR 7C - CONSTANT TC 0 VARIABLE BADDR 0 VARIABLE INDX
5 ( SMASH EXPECTS ADDR #CHAR LINE# --- LB VADDR CNT )
6 0 VARIABLE LB FE ALLOT
7 CODE SMASH
8 C079 , C0B9 , C0D9 , 0204 , LB , C644 , 0649 , 06C1 ,
9 0221 , 2000 , C641 , C0B1 , 05B1 , 0241 , 00F8 , 0649 ,
10 06C1 , C641 , A0B3 , 80C2 , 15C1 , 1000 , 04C3 , 04C5 ,
11 1117 , 1123 , 0253 , 0253 , 1000 , 7C , 1000 , 7C
12 0E-1 , 1000 , 1000 , 1000 , 024E , 0000 , 1101 , 0E-7 ,
13 0F00 , 01C3 , 0D07 , 03C0 , 03C1 , 060C , 1674 , 05C3 ,
14 05C5 , 0305 , 024C , 0002 , 16E7 , 10DD , 0-5F ,
15 R->BASE -->

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SCR #66

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0 ( COMPACT LIST ) BASE->R DECIMAL
1 : CLINE LB 100 ERASE SMASH VMEW ;
2 : CLOOP DO I 64 * OVER + 64 I CLINE LOOP DROP ;
3
4 : CLIST BLOCK 16 0 CLOOP ;
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14 R->BASE
15
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SCR #68

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0 ( FILE I/O ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 0 CLOAD STAT BASE->R DECIMAL 33 R->BASE CLOAD RANDOMIZE
2 BASE->R HEX
3 0 VARIABLE PAB-ADDR
4 0 VARIABLE PAB-BUF
5 0 VARIABLE PAB-VBUF
6 : FILE <BUILDS , , , DOES> DUP @ PAB-VBUF ! 2+ DUP @ PAB-BUF !
7   2+ @ PAB-ADDR ! ;
8 : GET-FLAG PAB-ADDR @ 1+ VGBR ;
9 : PUT-FLAG PAB-ADDR @ 1+ VGBW ;
10 : SET-PAB PAB-ADDR @ DUP 0A 0 VIFILL 2+ PAB-VBUF SWAP 2 VMBW ;
11 : CLR-STAT GET-FLAG 1F AND PUT-FLAG ;
12 : CHK-STAT GET-FLAG 0E0 AND
13   837C C3 20 AND OR 9 ?ERROR ;
14 : FXD GET-FLAG 0EF AND PUT-FLAG ;
15 : VRBL GET-FLAG 10 OR PUT-FLAG ; R->BASE --)
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SCR #69

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0 ( FILE I/O ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 : DSPLY GET-FLAG OF7 AND PUT-FLAG ;
2 : INTRNL GET-FLAG 8 OR PUT-FLAG ;
3 : I/OMD GET-FLAG OF9 AND ;
4 : INPT I/OMD 4 OR PUT-FLAG ;
5 : OUTPT I/OMD 2 OR PUT-FLAG ;
6 : UPDT I/OMD PUT-FLAG ;
7 : APPND I/OMD 6 OR PUT-FLAG ;
8 : SQNTL GET-FLAG OFE AND PUT-FLAG ;
9 : RLTV GET-FLAG 1 OR PUT-FLAG ;
10 : REC-LEN PAB-ADDR @ 4 + VSEW ;
11 : CHAR-CNT! PAB-ADDR @ 5 + VSEW ;
12 : CHAR-CNT@ PAB-ADDR @ 5 + VSEW ;
13 : REC-NO DUP SWPS PAB-ADDR @ 6 + VSEW PAB-ADDR @ 7 + VSEW ;
14 : N-LEN! PAB-ADDR @ 9 + VSEW ;
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #70

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0 ( FILE I/O ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT) BASE->R HEX
1 ( COMPILER A STRING WHICH IS MOVED TO VDP-ADDR AT EXECUTION)
2
3 : (F-D*)
4   PAB-ADDR @ 0A + R COUNT DUP 1+ =CELLS RD -
5   >R >R SWAP R VMEW R> N-LEN! ;
6 : F-D* 22 STATE @
7   IF
8     COMPILER (F-D*) WORD HERE C3
9     1+ =CELLS ALLOT
10  ELSE
11    PAB-ADDR @ 0A + SWAP WORD HERE COUNT >R SWAP R
12    VMEW R> N-LEN!
13    ENDIF ; IMMEDIATE
14
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #71

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0 ( FILE I/O ROUTINES 12JUL82 LCT)
1 BASE->R HEX
2 : DOI/O CLR-STAT PAB-ADDR @ VSEW PAB-ADDR @ 9 + 8336 !
3   0 837C C! DSRLNK CHR-STAT ;
4 : OPN 0 DOI/O ;
5 : CLSE 1 DOI/O ;
6 : RD 2 DOI/O PAB-VEUF @ PAB-BUF @ CHAR-CNT@ VMEW CHAR-CNT@ ;
7 : WRT >R PAB-BUF @ PAB-VEUF @ R VMEW R> CHAR-CNT! 3 DOI/O ;
8 : RSTR REC-NO 4 DOI/O ;
9 : LD REC-NO 5 DOI/O ;
10 : SV REC-NO 6 DOI/O ;
11 : DLT 7 DOI/O ;
12 : SORTCH REC-NO 8 DOI/O ;
13 : STAT 9 DOI/O PAB-ADDR @ 9 + VSEW ;
14
15 R->BASE
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SCR #72

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0 ( ALTERNATE I/O SUPPORT FOR RS232 PNTR 12JUL82 LCT)
1 0 CLOAD INDEX      BASE->R DECIMAL 68 R->BASE CLOAD STAT
2 0 0 0 FILE >RS232  BASE->R HEX
3 : SWCH >RS232 PABS @ 10 + DUP PAB-ADDR ! 1- PAB-VBUF !
4 SET-PAB OUTPT F-D" RS232.BA=9600"          OPM 3
5 PAB_ADDR @ VSEW 1 PAB-ADDR @ 5 + VSEW PAB-ADDR @ ALTOUT ! ;
6 : UNSWCH 0 ALTOUT ! CLSE ;
7 : ?ASCII ( BLOCK# --- FLAG )
8     BLOCK 0 SWAP DUP 400 + SWAP
9     DO I C@ 20 > + I C@ DUP 20 < SWAP 7F > OR
10    IF DROP 0 LEAVE ENDIF LOOP ;
11 : TRIAD 0 SWAP SWCH 3 / 3 + DUP 3 + SWAP
12 DO I ?ASCII IF 1+ I LIST CR ENDIF LOOP
13 -DUP IF 3 SWAP - 14 + 0 DO CR LOOP
14 OF MESSAGE OC EMIT  ENDIF UNSWCH ;
15 R->BASE -->
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SCR #73

```
0 ( SMART TRIADS AND INDEX 15SEP82 LAO ) BASE->R DECIMAL
1 : TRIADS ( FROM TO --- )
2 3 / 3 + 1 + SWAP 3 / 3 + DO I TRIAD 3 +LOOP ;
3 : INDEX ( FROM TO --- ) 1+ SWAP
4 DO I DUP ?ASCII IF CR + .R 2 SPACES I BLOCK 64 TYPE ELSE DROP
5     ENDIF PAUSE IF LEAVE ENDIF LOOP ;
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15 R->BASE
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SCR #74

```
0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 FORTH DEFINITIONS
2 0 CLOAD CODE
3
4 VOCABULARY ASSEMBLER IMMEDIATE
5
6 : CODE
7     ?EXEC CREATE SMUDGE LATEST PFA DUP CFA
8     [COMPILE] ASSEMBLER ;
9
10 : ;CODE
11     ?CS? COMPILE ( ;CODE ) SMUDGE
12     [COMPILE] : [COMPILE] ASSEMBLER ;
13
14
15
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SCR #75

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0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT) 0 CLOAD ASSEM
1 BASE->R DECIMAL 74 R->BASE CLOAD ;CODE
2 BASE->R HEX
3 ASSEMBLER DEFINITIONS
4 : GOP' OVER DUP IF > SWAP 30 < AND
5     IF + , , ELSE + , ENDIF ;
6 : GOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ GOP' ;
7 0440 GOP B,      0680 GOP EL,      0400 GOP BLWP,
8 04C0 GOP CLR,    0700 GOP SETO,    0540 GOP INV,
9 0500 GOP NEG,    0740 GOP ABS,      06C0 GOP SWPB,
10 0580 GOP INC,   05C0 GOP INCT,    0600 GOP DEC,
11 0640 GOP DECT,  0480 GOP X,
12 : GROF <BUILDS , DOES> @ SWAP 40 + + GOP' ;
13 2000 GROF C0C,  2400 GROF C2C,  2800 GROF XOR,
14 3800 GROF MPY,  3C00 GROF DIV,  2C00 GROF XOP,
15 -->
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SCR #76

```
0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : GGOP <BUILDS ,
2     DOES> @ SWAP DUP DUP IF > SWAP 30 < AND
3     IF 40 + + SWAP OR GOP' RD ,
4     ELSE 40 + + GOP' ENDIF ;
5 A000 GGOP A,      3000 GGOP AZ,
6 8000 GGOP C,      9000 GGOP CE,
7 6000 GGOP S,      7000 GGOP SE,
8 E000 GGOP SOC,    F000 GGOP SOCE,
9 4000 GGOP SZC,    5000 GGOP SECS,
10 C000 GGOP MOV,   D000 GGOP MOVE,
11
12 : OOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ ;
13 0340 OOP IDLE,   0360 OOP RSET,  03C0 OOP CKCF,
14 03A0 OOP CKGN,  03E0 OOP LREX,  0380 OOP RTWP,
15 -->
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SCR #77

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0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1
2 : ROP <BUILDS , DOES> @ + , ;
3
4 02C0 ROP STST,   02A0 ROP STWP,
5
6 : IOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ , , ;
7
8 02E0 IOP LWPI,   0300 IOP LIMI,
9
10 : RIOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ ROT ,
11
12 0220 RIOP AI,    0240 RIOP ANDI,
13 0200 RIOP LI,    0280 RIOP LI,
14 0260 RIOP ORI,
15 -->
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SCR #78

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0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : RCOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ SWAP 10 + + + , ;
2 0A00 RCOP SLA, 0800 RCOP SRA,
3 0B00 RCOP SRC, 0900 RCOP SRL,
4 : DOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ SWAP 00FF AND OR , ;
5 1300 DOP JEQ, 1500 DOP JGT,
6 1800 DOP JH, 1400 DOP JHE,
7 1A00 DOP JL, 1200 DOP JLE,
8 1100 DOP JLT, 1000 DOP JMP,
9 1700 DOP JNC, 1600 DOP JNE,
10 1900 DOP JNO, 1800 DOP JOC,
11 1C00 DOP JOP, 1D00 DOP SBO,
12 1E00 DOP SBZ, 1F00 DOP TB,
13 : GCOP <BUILDS , DOES> @ SWAP 000F AND 040 + + GOP' ;
14 3000 GCOP LDCR, 3400 GCOP STCR,
15 -->
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SCR #79

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0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : @() 020 ; : *? 010 + ;
2 : *?+ 030 + ; : @(?) 020 + ;
3 : W 0A ; : @ (W) W @ (?) ;
4 : *W W *? ; : *W+ W *?+ ;
5 : RP 0E ; : @ (RP) RP @ (?) ;
6 : *RP RP *? ; : *RP+ RP *?+ ;
7 : IP 0D ; : @ (IP) IP @ (?) ;
8 : *IP IP *? ; : *IP+ IP *?+ ;
9 : SP 09 ; : @ (SP) SP @ (?) ;
10 : *SP SP *? ; : *SP+ SP *?+ ;
11 : UP 08 ; : @ (UP) UP @ (?) ;
12 : *UP UP *? ; : *UP+ UP *?+ ;
13 : NEXT 0F ; : *NEXT+ NEXT *?+ ;
14 : *NEXT NEXT *? ; : @ (NEXT) NEXT @ (?) ;
15 -->
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SCR #80

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0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 ( DEFINE JUMP TOKENS )
2 : GTE 1 ; : H 2 ; : NE 3 ;
3 : L 4 ; : LTE 5 ; : EQ 6 ;
4 : OC 7 ; : NC 8 ; : OO 9 ;
5 : HE 0A ; : LE 0B ; : NP 0C ;
6 : LT 0D ; : GT 0E ; : NO 0F ;
7 : OP 10 ;
8 : CJMP ?EXEC
9 CASE LT OF 1101 , 0 ENDOF
10 IT OF 1501 , 0 ENDOF
11 NO OF 1901 , 0 ENDOF
12 OF OF 1001 0 ENDOF
13 DUP 00 OVER 10 : OR IF 10 ERROR END IF DUP
14 ENDCASE 100 + 1000 + , ;
15 -->
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CR #81
0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : IF, ?EXEC
2 [COMPILE] CJMP HERE 2- 40 ; IMMEDIATE
3 : ENDF, ?EXEC
4 42 ?PAIRS HERE OVER - 2- 2 / SWAP 1+ C! ; IMMEDIATE
5 : ELSE, ?EXEC
6 42 ?PAIRS 0 [COMPILE] CJMP HERE 2- SWAP 42 [COMPILE]
7 ENDF, 42 ; IMMEDIATE
8 : BEGIN, ?EXEC
9 HERE 41 ; IMMEDIATE
10 : UNTIL, ?EXEC
11 SWAP 41 ?PAIRS [COMPILE] CJMP HERE - 2 / OFF AND
12 HERE 1- C! ; IMMEDIATE
13 : AGAIN, ?EXEC
14 0 [COMPILE] UNTIL, ; IMMEDIATE
15 -->

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CR #82
0 ( ASSEMBLER 12JUL82 LCT)
1 : REPEAT, ?EXEC
2 >R >R [COMPILE] AGAIN, R> R> 2- [COMPILE] ENDF,
3 ; IMMEDIATE
4 : WHILE, ?EXEC
5 [COMPILE] IF, 2- ; IMMEDIATE
6
7
8

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10 : NEXT, +NEXT B, ;
11

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12 FORTH DEFINITIONS
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14 : ASSM ; 2->BASE
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CR #83
0 ( BSAVE -- BINARY SAVER FOR FORTH OVERLAYS LCT 14SEP82 )
1 0 CLOAD BSAVE BASE->R DECIMAL
2 : BSAVE ( from screen --- ) FLUSH
3 BEGIN
4 SWAP >R DUP 1+ SWAP
5 OFFSET @ + BUFFER UPDATE DUP 3/DUP BRACE
6 R OVER ! 2+ HERE OVER ! 2+
7 CURRENT @ OVER ! 2+ LATEST OVER ! 2+
8 CONTEXT @ OVER ! 2+ CONTEXT @ 3 OVER ! 2+
9 VOC-LINK @ OVER ! 2 + 29801 OVER ! 10 +
10 HERE 2 -
11 R> DUP 1000 - >R SWAP >R SWAP >R
12 1000 MIN GROVE
13 R SWAP HERE >R <
14
15 SWAP DROP FLUSH ; R->BASE

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16 FORTH --- a sig-FORTH extension

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SCR #84
0 ( NEW MESSAGE ROUTINE 1388P6C LOT ) BASE-10 DECIMAL
1
2 ( THIS VERSION OF MESSAGE HAS THE SCREEN 4 AND 5 MESSAGES
3 INCLUDED IN THIS ROUTINE. )
4
5 FLUSH EMPTY-BUFFERS HERE LIMITS @ B/BUF 4 - DUP LIMITS !
6 DP ! ( PLACES message WHERE 5TH DISK BUF IS. NOW HAVE 4 BUF3 )
7 : message
8 WARNING @
9 IF
10 -DUP
11 IF ( NON-ZERO MESSAGE NUMBER )
12 DUP 26 <
13 IF ( MESSAGE NEED NOT BE RETRIEVED FROM DISK )
14 CASE ( FOLLOWING CASES FOR MESSAGE NUMBERS )
15 -->

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SCR #85
0 ( NEW MESSAGE CONTINUED )
1 01 OF ." empty stack" ENDOF
2 02 OF ." dictionary full" ENDOF
3 03 OF ." has incorrect address mode" ENDOF
4 04 OF ." isn't unique." ENDOF
5
6 06 OF ." disk error" ENDOF
7 07 OF ." full stack" ENDOF
8
9 09 OF ." file i/o error" ENDOF
10 10 OF ." floating point error" ENDOF
11 11 OF ." disk fence violation" ENDOF
12 12 OF ." can't load from screen zero" ENDOF
13
14
15 15 OF ." TI FORTH --- a fig-FORTH extension" ENDOF -->

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SCR #86
0 ( NEW MESSAGE CONTINUED )
1 17 OF ." compilation only, use in definition" ENDOF
2 18 OF ." execution only" ENDOF
3 19 OF ." conditionals not paired" ENDOF
4 20 OF ." definition not finished" ENDOF
5 21 OF ." in protected dictionary" ENDOF
6 22 OF ." use only when loading" ENDOF
7
8 24 OF ." declare vocabulary" ENDOF
9 25 OF ." bad jump token" ENDOF
10
11 ENDCASE
12
13 --
14
15

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TI FORTH --- a fig-FORTH extension

SCR #87

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0 ( NEW MESSAGE CONTINUED )
1
2     ELSE
3         4 OFFSET @ B/SCR / - .LINE
4     ENDIF
5 ENDIF
6 ELSE
7     ." MSG # " .
8 ENDIF
9 ;
10
11 DP ! ( RESTORE DP TO POSITION PRIOR TO message )
12 ( INSTALL NEW MESSAGE )
13 ' BRANCH CFA      MESSAGE
14 ' message OVER - 2- OVER 2+ ! '
15 R->BASE

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SCR #88

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0 ( CRU WORDS 12OCT82 LAO ) 0 CLOAD STCR
1 BASE->R DECIMAL 74 R->BASE CLOAD ;CODE
2 BASE->R HEX
3 CODE SB0 C339 , A30C , 1D00 , 045F ,
4 CODE SBZ C339 , A30C , 1E00 , 045F ,
5 CODE TB C319 , A30C , 04D9 , 1F00 , 1E01 , 0599 , 045F ,
6
7 CODE LDCR C339 , A30C , C079 , C039 , 0241 , 000F , 1304 ,
8     0281 , 0008 , 1501 , 06C0 , 0A81 , 0281 , 3000 ,
9     0481 , 045F ,
10
11 CODE STCE C339 , A30C , C059 , 04C0 , 0241 , 000F , C081 ,
12     0A81 , 0281 , 3400 , 0481 , C082 , 1304 , 0282 ,
13     0008 , 1501 , 06C0 , C840 , 045F ,
14
15 R->BASE

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